

JOHN KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
PERMISSION SLIP, WAIVER, MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE

Name of Child _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Child email address _____ Parent email address _____

Parent(s) and/or Legal Guardian(s) _____

Cell/Pager/Work Numbers of Parent(s) and/or Legal Guardian(s) _____

Age of Child _____ Birth Date _____ Grade _____ School _____

FUNCTIONS AND ACTIVITIES

Prior to my child's participation in the programs and events/activities of John Knox Presbyterian Church ("the Church"), I acknowledge that certain risks are associated with these activities, including, by way of example, physical injury due to activity-related accidents, physical injury due to transportation-related accidents, illness or even death. In addition, I acknowledge that there may be other risks inherent in these activities of which I may not be presently aware.

The undersigned hereby give our consent to and authorize the child named above to participate in all events conducted by the Church. I further authorize my child to travel with representatives of the Church in private or other vehicles to any such events so conducted. Note: If you desire to limit you child's participation in any event, please inform the Church in writing in advance of that event.

FIRST AID AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT

I recognize that there may be occasions where the child named above may be in need of first aid or emergency medical treatment as a result of an accident, illness, or other health condition or injury. I do hereby give permission for agents of the Church to seek and secure any needed medical attention or treatment for the child named including hospitalization, if in the opinion of the agent such a need arises. Further, I authorize the agent of the Church to consent to any X-ray examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care which is deemed advisable by, and is rendered under the general or special supervision of, any physician, surgeon, or dentist licensed under the laws of the State or County in which the medical care is being sought and on medical staff of any hospital. In doing so I agree to pay all fees and costs arising from this action to obtain medical treatment including any treatment a physician, surgeon, or dentist may deem necessary.

It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any X-ray examination, anesthetic, medical or surgical diagnosis or treatment and hospital care being required but is given to provide authority and power on the part of the agent to give specific consent to any and all such examination, anesthetic, diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care which the aforementioned physician, surgeon and/or dentist, in the exercise of his/her best judgment, may deem advisable. I hereby authorize any hospital, which has provided treatment to my child to surrender physical custody of the child to the agent upon the completion of treatment.

PUBLICITY

On occasion, the Church takes photographs or makes an audio or videotape recording of children and/or adults involved in church activities. Such photographs or video records may be used by staff and participants to remember the activities and participants. In addition, such photographs and audio/visual recordings may be used in John Knox Presbyterian Church publications or advertising materials to let others know about our ministry. In addition, local news organizations may hear of our activities or events, and our Church may allow them to photograph or record our events for news reporting on special interest features. I consent to the use of any such audio or visual record of the child named above to be used, distributed, or displayed as agents of the church see fit. This consent includes but is not limited to: photographs, videotape, audio recordings, and the Church's web page.

If you do not give consent to the above paragraph, please submit in writing your specific requests regarding this issue to John Knox Presbyterian Church.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY

Signing of this form constitutes agreement by the parent/guardian to assume and accept all risks and hazards inherent in Church related programs, outings, and social activities and to release the Church, it's employees, board, agents, volunteer assistants, and other persons or entities, including other participants, from any and all liability for damages, losses or injuries to the person or property of the undersigned.

MEDICAL HISTORY

Special medical needs or concerns (allergies, conditions, dietary needs, medications, etc.):

Health Insurance
Insurance Company _____ Phone Number _____ Policy Number _____

Medical Doctor _____ Phone Number _____ Date of Last Tetanus Shot _____

In the event that parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) cannot be reached, call (Name & Phone of Emergency Contact):

Other Information
Other information church leaders should know about the child:

PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

I represent that I am the parent/guardian of _____, who is under 18 years of age. I have read the above form and am fully aware of the contents thereof.

I give permission for the child named above to participate in the activities of John Knox Presbyterian Church, including any special events/activities. In consideration for allowing the participation of the child in the activities of the Church, I hereby consent to the above terms on behalf of the child and agree that this form shall be binding upon me, my family, heirs, legal representatives, successors, and assigns.

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian

Date

Print Name of Parent or Legal Guardian

Complete Belize 2019 meeting schedule

FEBRUARY:

- 20 Contracts Due (**Wednesday**)
See finance sheet for payment schedule
- 24 Prep Meeting #1 6:00-8:30 pm

MARCH:

- 17 Prep Meeting #2 6:00-8:30 pm
Medical release form due
Thirst info forms due

APRIL:

- 14 Prep Meeting #3 6:00-8:30 pm
Pancake Wash \$\$ is due
7 support letters due
- 27 Pancake Wash 7:00 am
- 28 Prep Meeting #4 VBS prep day 3:00 pm-8:00 pm
Silent Auction Donation slips due

MAY:

- 18 Auction Set Up 9:00 am until done
- 19 Auction 5:00-9:30 pm

JUNE:

- 9 Prep Meeting #5 8:30 am- 12:00
Commissioning and final parent/student meeting at 10:10
- 30 Final Prep Meeting (notary available with parents) TBD

JULY:

- 11-18 Belize according to itinerary

AUGUST:

- Report Sunday 8:30 am-12:30 pm

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Date due	Amount due	Cumulative amount due
February 24, 2019	\$300	\$300
March 17, 2019	\$300	\$600
April 28, 2019	\$300	\$900
June 9, 2019	\$300	\$1200

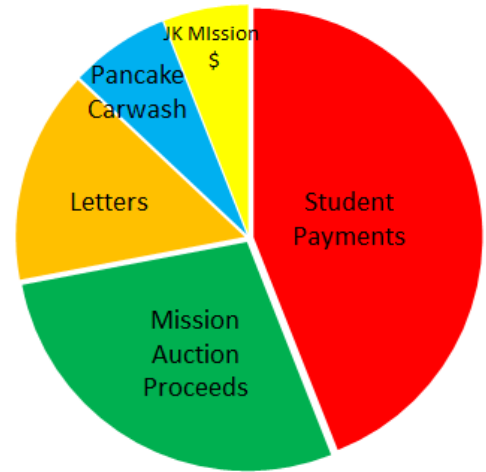
La Esperanza Project 2019 – Belize Mission Trip Finances

The total trip cost per student is approximately \$2760. Costs include:

- ✓ Round trip airfare (Seattle to Belize City) = \$1100.
- ✓ Thirst Missions fees (room, food, transport, etc) \$1033.
- ✓ Materials for building projects and VBS = \$165.
- ✓ Leaders' airfare and fees (1 leader : 5 students) = \$460.

Trip costs are paid through various means, including:

- ✓ Student and family payments (~44%)
- ✓ Mission auction item sales (~28%)
- ✓ Support letter donations (~15%)
- ✓ Pancake / car wash ticket sales (~7%)
- ✓ John Knox Church mission funds (~6%)



Student and family payments –

- ✓ Total student and family payment responsibility = \$1200.
- ✓ Payments are due as follows:

Date due	Amount due	Cumulative amount due
February 24, 2017	\$300	\$300
March 12, 2017	\$300	\$600
April 30, 2017	\$300	\$900
June 11, 2017	\$300	\$1200

- ✓ Student and family payments can be made as follows
 - By deposit into the secure box located in the Youth Center
 - Please deposit checks only, no cash
 - Mark all checks with “Belize 2019” and the student’s name
 - Please contact us (jon@jkpcusa.org) with questions

Student fundraising –

- ✓ Support letter writing – letters ready to send by April 14, 2019
- ✓ Pancake / car wash ticket sales – 20 tickets sold and \$150 due by April 14, 2019
- ✓ Pancake / car wash event – Saturday, April 27, 2019
- ✓ Mission auction donation slips – due April 28 2019: 2 items or baskets with a minimum \$60 value
- ✓ Mission auction event – Sunday, May 18-19, 2019

NOTE: The initial deposit is non-refundable. If there are reasons why you might need to drop out of the trip we will try to refund you any payment minus the deposit. This is not guaranteed. We will not be able to refund any money after it has been spent on payments to Thirst Missions or airline tickets.

ESPERANZA PROJECT '19 – BELIZE, CA

Application and Contract

Belize 2019 Overview – July 11th-18th. We will serve in Belize, Central America doing ministry with poor churches in Orange Walk. To apply for a spot on this year's EP mission, carefully read through the commitments, discuss it with your parent(s) and return your application no later than **Wednesday, February 20th.** Join us as we commit to faith in action and living as a community.

Commitment 1: The Preparation

This is a high commitment trip from the beginning. Our preparation is important. Participating in Belize 2019 is a commitment to...

1. Raising the needed money through the hard work of fundraising and
2. Putting in the time needed to build our group into a community with a common mission before we go through prep meetings, team meetings outside of scheduled prep times, and participation in the larger Sr high group.

Commitment 2: The Work

We ask that everyone commit to being whole-heartedly committed to living out Christ's love through our service in Belize. Again, the expectation of your participation in this mission is that you will do whatever it takes to serve and love as Christ would.

Commitment 3: The Attitude and Actions

EP is an opportunity to challenge ourselves to explore and grow in our understanding of what it means to be a Christ Follower and to reflect that desire in our attitude and our actions in all areas of our lives before and during the mission trip (and hopefully after!).

Name _____ M / F School _____

Address _____ Grade _____

City _____ Zip _____ Cell Phone _____

Email (print clearly) _____

Parent's Name(s) _____

Parent's Email _____ Parent's Cell _____

Please attach a separate piece of paper with your answer to the following questions:

- Why do you want to serve with this youth group in Belize as part of the EP '19 team?
- Are you a Christian? If yes, how do you know? If no, what are your thoughts about God, Jesus and Christianity?
- What do you hope to accomplish in Belize this year?

If you are a senior, please answer: "How do you see your participation in Belize 19 helping the rest of this youth group?"

If you are not a senior please answer: What skills and talents do you bring that will be useful in serving in Belize? What do you hope to get out of this trip?

Have you read the commitments, looked carefully at the dates on the other sheet, discussed it with your parents, attach another sheet of paper with your response to the above questions? Have you talked to trip leaders about questions or potential conflicts? Are you fully committed to all of the above without reservation? Then please sign and turn this in to the church office or bring it to Josh or Jon.

Signature: _____

REQUIREMENTS AND EXCUSED ABSENCES

Cost- The out of pocket cost to you and or your family is \$1200.00 which is payable in installments throughout our prep process. Please see the Belize 2019 Finances for a payment schedule and instructions

Prep Meetings – Prep meetings are important for us to be ready to serve in Belize, get organized for the fundraisers, and build community. You may have **ONE** excused absence from a prep meeting.

Fundraisers – Your student fees pay for less than 1/2 of the total cost of each student. The fundraisers are important and need our full attention and best efforts! You will be expected to be at all the fundraising events. If you cannot, there is a possibility that you might be able to have someone replace you.

Youth Group – Students must also commit to being a part of the larger senior high community by participating in The Gathering each Wednesday night, or on Sunday mornings. You may miss some nights, but we want you make an effort and a commitment to be part of the larger ministry. If you stop attending other ministry activity events, we will be talking with you to help you re-evaluate your commitment to the trip.

Flexibility – All of the requirements are in place because they are essential for us to raise money, be prepared to serve, and become a community with a common mission before we leave. If, however, you have conflicts that are inflexible, we may be able to adjust if you are committed and motivated.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Scholarships are available for all who have need and are willing to do some extra work before the mission trip. We do have scholarships available. Do not let money be a reason for not attending the Esperanza Project mission trip. For more details on how scholarships work, contact Jon at jon@jkpcusa.org or -206-241-1606.

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TRAVEL INFORMATION

Passport - You will need a passport to travel to Belize. If you do not have one, apply for one soon.

Immunizations & medication - All travelers are required to be up to date on shots and vaccinations to attend the trip. Hepatitis A and Typhoid vaccines are recommended as well as a current Tetanus. Additionally a prescription malaria medication should be obtained with weekly doses begun 1-2 weeks prior to the trip. Further information will be provided in the spring.

Consent for Minor to Travel - for students under age 18 a Consent for Minor to Travel form must be signed by the student's parents or legal guardian and notarized. This form will be distributed in June.

OTHER INFORMATION

Check the website www.getyourbutttoyouthgroup.com/belize for documents and updates about the trip.