

April 27, 2010

Dear Parents,

Greetings! We hope that this letter finds you well! Summer is quickly approaching. We wanted to give you some information about one of our exciting offerings for the summer.

### **KINGS ISLAND**

**For:** Those just finishing 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade.

**Date:** June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2010

**Depart:** 8:45 am from the Holy Trinity Youth Center

**Return:** 12:30 am at the Holy Trinity Youth Center (we will board the bus at 9:45pm)

**Cost:** \$50.00 per person (includes admission, dinner and transportation)  
**Payable by cash/check; please make checks payable to Holy Trinity**

**Meal:** Hamburgers, chips, Macaroni & Cheese, ice cream and drinks – all you can eat!  
**It will be served from 5:30-7:30 pm in the Picnic Grove.**

**Due:** Thursday, May 27th, 2010

Please go to [http://www.htparish.org/youth\\_forms](http://www.htparish.org/youth_forms) or <http://www.hspirit.org> and click on youth ministry to access the necessary paperwork.

- **Permission packet**
  - **Permission form**
  - **Rules Agreement**
- **Medical release form (if your notarized form is less than a year old, you don't need to turn in another form—please contact John if your unsure)**
- **Please attach a copy of (front and back please) your child's insurance card**

**You *must* have money and all your paperwork in and notarized by this date to attend.**

**No late submissions will be accepted!!!**

We are in desperate need of “chase cars” and parent chaperones! Chaperones attend for free! Please contact me at 502-897-5207 x115 (HT) or 502-893-3982 x712 (HS) if you are interested and available.

Best regards,

John Brockmeier  
Director of Youth Ministry

**HOLY TRINITY/SPIRIT PARISH FIELD TRIP PERMISSION FORM**

**The Holy Trinity/Spirit Youth Group will be going to Kings Island, Cincinnati, OH**

**Date:** June 15, 2010

**Transportation:** Bus

**Appropriate Attire:** Please see Kings Island Checklist

**Meeting time:** 8:30 am                      **Drop Off Location:** Holy Trinity Youth Center: 501 Cherrywood Rd

**Approximate departure time:** 8:45 am

**Approximate return time:** 12:30am              **Pick Up Location:** Holy Trinity Youth Center

**Student needs to bring:** Please see Kings Island Checklist

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**HOLY TRINITY/SPIRIT PARISH FIELD TRIP PERMISSION FORM**

I request that Holy Trinity/Spirit Youth Group allow my child to participate in the following field trip.  
I give my permission for (child's name) \_\_\_\_\_ to attend and participate in:

Field Trip to: **Kings Island, Cincinnati, Ohio**

Date: **June 15, 2010**

I understand that this field trip is designed to foster community amongst Youth Group members. In consideration of permitting my child to participate, I hereby release and save harmless the Parish of Holy Trinity and Holy Spirit Parishes, the Youth Director and any Youth Leaders any and all liability for any injuries, loss, or other claims arising or resulting from this trip.

Parent's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER(S): \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to chaperone this trip: YES or NO

If yes, the best method of contact: \_\_\_\_\_

## **HT/HS YM's Kings Island Trip Rules Agreement**

- I will remain within the park boundaries at all times.
- I will maintain a group of 4 people and not wander off by myself.
  - Those finishing the 7<sup>th</sup> grade will also remain with a chaperone at all times.
- I will be on time for scheduled check-ins.
- I will not bring any weapons or other unapproved items on the trip.
- I will not bring or use any drugs or alcohol.
- I will abide by the separate rules set by Paramount's Kings Island.
- I will pay for any damage to the facility or other's property for which I am responsible.
- I will respect the park facility and environment and will do my part to keep all areas clean.
- I will treat others with respect and behave in an appropriate manner (no foul language, no inappropriate contact, no fighting, etc.).
- I will notify a park employee and/or a chaperone in case of an emergency.
- I will be "angelic" on the bus rides (sitting at all times, obeying the chaperones and bus driver, picking up trash, no foul language).

***Important:*** I understand that these rules are designed for the safety and well being of all participants. Violation of these rules may result in a phone call to your parents, sanctions and/or immediate dismissal from the field trip at the discretion of the Director. If I am dismissed, my parents will be called to pick me up from the park.

Youth Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# CHECKLIST

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## THINGS TO BRING

**IMPORTANT:** When packing, keep in mind that June weather is unpredictable; bring clothes that will keep you happy in any weather situation!

### CLOTHING & SHOES



- We suggest you wear comfortable clothes that can get wet or dirty. Bring a change of clothes
- Rain jacket or poncho
- Comfortable shoes or sneakers that can get wet or dirty. We suggest you bring a back up pair of shoes. *Do not wear backless shoes!*
- Extra socks
- Swimsuit for water rides. *Suits that are too revealing will not be allowed by Kings Island.*
- Hat and/or sunglasses



### PERSONAL CARE ITEMS


- Sunscreen
- Bug repellent
- Medications (please inform John of what meds you will be bringing)

### GENERAL ITEMS

- Backpack to carry your stuff
- Plastic bag for wet clothes
- Watch
- Spending money for snacks, meals (you get one freebie meal between 5:30 and 7:30 pm) and souvenirs
- Change for coin operated lockers

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## DO NOT BRING

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- ✘ Cigarettes or other tobacco products
  - ✘ Electronic gadgets (I-Pods, laptops, etc.)
  - ✘ Items that you don't want to lose (jewelry, etc.)
  - ✘ Weapons, drugs or alcohol

Check out the Kings Island website: [www.visitkingsisland.com](http://www.visitkingsisland.com)

QUESTIONS? (502) 897-5207 OR [jbrockmeier@htparish.org](mailto:jbrockmeier@htparish.org)

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