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## RE: Australian Catholic Youth Festival

30 October 2017

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

All Year 9 students will be participating in the Australian Catholic Youth Festival on Thursday 7 December and Friday 8 December 2017.

The Australian Catholic Youth Festival (ACYF) is a national gathering of Catholic Young People established by the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference. It exists to provide young people with opportunities to deepen their relationship with Jesus, be empowered to be disciples in the world today and encounter and celebrate the vitality of the Catholic Church in Australia.

The Archdiocese of Sydney is hosting the event from December 7 -9 2017 on behalf of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference. In December 2017 the festival will launch the Year of Youth, celebrating ten years on from hosting the Sydney World Youth Day 2008.

The details are as follow:

<b>TITLE:</b>	Australian Catholic Youth Festival (ACYF)
<b>DATE:</b>	Thursday 7th December and Friday 8th December 2017
<b>TIME:</b>	Thursday: 8:30am to 3pm Friday : 11am to 9:30pm
<b>VENUE:</b>	Sydney Olympic Park
<b>DRESS:</b>	School Sports Uniform
<b>LUNCH:</b>	Food stalls will be available
<b>COST:</b>	NIL

Yours sincerely,

Stephanie Llave  
YOUTH MINISTRY COORDINATOR

Michael Reid  
ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL



**Please return permission slip to your HCT teacher by  
Friday 17 November 2017**

I/We give permission for my/our son to attend the Australian Catholic Youth Festival on Thursday 7 December and Friday 8 December at Sydney Olympic Park. I understand he will travel in a bus to and from the venue.

Parent's / Guardian's Signature: .....

Son's Name: ..... HCT Class: .....

**Contact Phone Numbers**

<b>WORK</b>	<b>HOME</b>	<b>MOBILE</b>	<b>MEDICARE NUMBER (for use at medical centres etc)</b>

**Medical Register Information: OHS**  
*Please complete the following if necessary.*

Is there any physical / medical / emotional reason that could impact on your son's health/safety during the excursion (e.g.: serious asthma / injury):

Please State: \_\_\_\_\_





# Australian Catholic Youth Festival Youth Participant Terms and Conditions

**25 April 2017**

The Australian Catholic Youth Festival (**Festival**) is a national gathering of Catholic young people organised and conducted by the Australian Episcopal Conference of the Roman Catholic Church (**AEC**) (an entity of the Australian Catholic Bishops Conference) and hosted by the Catholic Archdiocese of Sydney (**CAS**). The Festival will take place in Sydney between 7 and 9 December 2017.

**What do I need to provide to the Group Coordinator so that my child can participate in the Festival?**

- Youth Participant Terms and Conditions signed by me as my child's parent or guardian.

## Defined Terms

**u/18 Group Coordinator** refers to a person over the age of 18 who is participating in the Festival and who is responsible for registering and supervising a group of participants (**Group**) which comprises Youth Participants and one or more Adult Leader.

**Adult Leader** refers to a person over the age of 18 years who is participating in the Festival as part of a Group organised by a Group Coordinator which includes Youth Participants. The Adult Leader assists the Group Coordinator to supervise Youth Participants within the Group.

**Youth Participant** refers to a child or young person (under 18 years of age) who is participating in the Festival as part of a Group and is supervised by a Group Coordinator (and possibly also by one or more Adult Leader).

In order for a Youth Participant to participate in the Festival, his or her parent or guardian must agree to the following terms and conditions (**Youth Participant Terms and Conditions**) by signing and returning to the u/18 Group Coordinator a copy of the Youth Participant Terms and Conditions .

### **Youth Participant Terms and Conditions**

#### **General**

1. I, the undersigned, wish for my child to participate in the Festival to be held in and around greater Sydney from 7 to 9 December 2017 inclusive.
2. I understand the Festival may comprise activities including, but not limited to, indoor and outdoor group activities, communal eating, socialising, travelling between venues, and that risks may arise during these activities.
3. I indemnify and release each of the AEC and CAS, and their officers, employees, volunteers and agents against claims and losses of any kind arising out of or in connection with my child's participation in the Festival. I accept responsibility for payment of all expenses associated with any such claims or losses, including, but not limited to, responsibility for the payment of any medical expenses incurred by my child.

#### **Rules**

4. I agree that my child will abide by the Festival Code of Conduct, the Student Participant Terms and Conditions and any rules or policies notified to me by AEC from time-to-time (collectively, **Rules**). I understand that a breach of the Rules may result in the removal of my child from the Festival. If my child is removed from the Festival, I accept responsibility for all costs incurred, including any travel costs associated with my child's early departure from the Festival.
5. I understand that a serious breach of the Rules may result in my exclusion from future Festivals.
6. I understand that my child is being supervised during the Festival by the Group Coordinator of my child's group along with (if applicable) Adult Leader(s). I will ensure my child complies with all directions from the Group Coordinator and Adult Leaders.
7. I agree that my child will comply with all relevant laws during the Festival.

#### **Filming and photographing**

8. I consent to AEC and CAS and their nominees filming and/or photographing and/or recording my child (**Footage**) during the Festival.
9. I consent to AEC and CAS and their nominees using my child's name, image, likeness and voice and that this Footage may be used by the AEC and CAS for promotional, marketing or other purposes associated with the Festival.
10. I consent to AEC and CAS, without limitation, using, reproducing, exhibiting, editing, adapting, compiling with other works or materials, transmitting, broadcasting, publishing and distributing the Footage in any media at its discretion.
11. I acknowledge that AEC and CAS are not obliged to publish or otherwise use the Footage or any part of it.
12. I agree that any form of intellectual property rights in the Footage (audio and visual) and all works derived or created under it vest in AEC and CAS, and that to the extent that any such intellectual property rights vest in either my child or me, I assign these rights to AEC and CAS. I consent to any act or omission by AEC and CAS which may otherwise infringe my moral rights.
13. To the full extent permitted by law, I consent to the doing of anything in relation to the Footage that (but for the consents provided in these Terms and Conditions) would otherwise

infringe any moral rights, performers' rights or similar non-assignable personal rights that I or my child might otherwise have including but not limited to publishing the Footage without attribution and modifying/adapting the Footage.

14. I agree to execute all documents and do all things required by AEC or CAS for the purpose of giving effect to the above requirements.

**Privacy**

15. I acknowledge that AEC collects my child's personal information in accordance with the Privacy Collection Notice of the Festival, a copy of which can be found at [www.acyf.org.au/collection\\_notice](http://www.acyf.org.au/collection_notice) for the purposes of enabling my child's participation at the Festival. AEC may disclose my child's personal information to its nominees, which it engages to promote and organise the Festival.
16. I acknowledge that AEC is bound by the Australian Privacy Principles in the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth) and that I can access, modify, or delete the personal information AEC holds about my child by contacting the Director of Australian Catholic Bishops Conference Office for Youth via email at [director.youth@catholic.org.au](mailto:director.youth@catholic.org.au) or by post to GPO Box 2350, Brisbane QLD 4001.
17. I acknowledge that further information about how AEC handles my personal information can be found in the Festival's Privacy Policy available at [www.acyf.org.au/privacy](http://www.acyf.org.au/privacy)
18. I agree that the laws of New South Wales, Australia govern these terms and conditions.

**I accept the Youth Participant Terms and Conditions.**

**My child's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**My child's age:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/guardian's full name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/guardian's signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

