2020 JCC Maccabi Teen Participation Agreement

Code of conduct for the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Including Pace University rules

Participation Agreement - Teen

To participate in the 2020 JCC Maccabi Campus Games (JCC Maccabi®), it is required that all participants electronically sign the JCC Maccabi Teen Participation Agreement page during their online registration.

Participants and their parents must read the information carefully and agree to the terms outlined below. Please keep this form for your records.

CODE OF CONDUCT & PARTICIPANT RESPONSIBILITIES

In order to ensure that all participants in JCC Maccabi have a positive Jewish educational, cultural, social, and athletic experience, the following Code of Conduct has been established. All participants will be expected to follow this code. Violations of the Code will be reason for expulsion from JCC Maccabi or other disciplinary action taken by your local delegation and the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership.

TEEN CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Participants shall not use, sell, distribute, or be involved with, any person or persons who use, sell, or distribute, or have any other contact or involvement with drugs, (other than those specifically prescribed by a doctor), or alcohol. JCC Maccabi is a smoke and vape free event/program. The use of tobacco products inclusive of e-cigarettes, e-cigars, e-hookahs, and e-pipes is prohibited during the duration of JCC Maccabi.

2. Participants must travel with their delegation. Participants must arrive by Sunday and depart on Friday when JCC Maccabi concludes in order to participate in 2020 JCC Maccabi. Any deviation from this policy MUST be submitted by your delegation head and then approved by JCC Association staff in advance and in writing.

3. Participants must be Jewish (see General Rules 1.2.2 for specific definition) in order to participate in JCC Maccabi.

4. Participants must be up to date with regards to all age-appropriate vaccinations.

5. Participants shall respect their fellow teens, and refrain from inappropriate or unwanted touching and other behavior, whether physical or verbal. Any reported complaints are taken seriously and participants are encouraged to report any type of inappropriate behavior.

6. Participants must adhere to curfews established by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership. This includes not only being in assigned dorms at the established curfew time but not leaving the assigned room after the established curfew times.

7. Participants shall not be in any dorm besides their assigned dorm.
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8. Participants, as representatives of their delegations and the JCC Maccabi movement, shall behave at all times in a manner that represents good sportsmanship and personal integrity.

9. Participants shall not fight, steal, or engage in any antisocial behavior, whether intentional or otherwise.

10. Participants shall report to scheduled practice, competition, and special event venues at the established times and shall remain at these locations until the conclusion of the scheduled event, unless specific permission to not attend or to leave early is granted by an official of the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership and the participant's delegation head.

11. No teen may deviate from the transportation plans arranged by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership. The use of Uber, Lyft and/or any other cab provider is strictly prohibited. JCC Maccabi is a kosher program, delivery of outside food by means of UberEATS and other delivery services is not permitted.

12. Participants shall not act in any manner, whether intentional or otherwise which may be detrimental to JCC Maccabi in any way whatsoever, conversely affect the success of JCC Maccabi in any manner, or otherwise conversely affect the integrity of the JCC Maccabi Campus Games.

13. Participants shall not in any way damage any property on the Pace University Campus or venues being used by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games. Should any property be damaged the participant(s) found responsible and their families will be held financially responsible.

14. Participants shall not leave campus, JCC Maccabi Venues, or their assigned dorms after curfew or during the day.

15. Participants shall adhere to the Pace University Residential Rules:

- Any external antennas, aerials, connecting wires, posters, signs or banners affixed to buildings are prohibited.
- Furnishings may not be removed from rooms as they meet our safety standards.
- Residents are responsible for all furnishings provided in their room and cannot remove university provided furniture from their unit.
- Furnishings and any item brought into the room must be arranged in a manner that does not obstruct clear access to exits.
- lofts, or homemade bunk beds are not permitted.
- Community and lounge furniture may not be removed or relocated.
- Participants are not allowed to alter University property and furnishings. Examples include painting, placing locks, command strips, stickers, nails, screws or any other items in or on the furniture or walls.
- It is unlawful and prohibited to tamper with the operation of any safety equipment. This includes, but is not limited to; smoke detectors, locks, fire extinguishers, window stops, sprinklers, emergency panic bars, stairwell alarms, fire pull stations, and exit signs. Such behavior may result in a monetary summons, disciplinary action, criminal prosecution, or any
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combination. All violators of this policy will be documented for a violation of university policy through the judicial process.

- Throwing objects from a window is strictly prohibited. The use of slingshots or other related items is not permitted. Tampering with or removal of window stops, screens, or other safety equipment is not permitted and will result in a fine.
- Entering residence halls or rooms by students or their guests via windows, or fire doors is prohibited.
- Speakers should not be placed on or played from windows.
- It is unlawful to play Sports in the Halls (reference University Guiding Principles 5 and 9).
  - Activities such as Frisbee, football, roller blading, dribbling a ball, etc. are not permitted in the residence halls. Disruption or damage caused by any such activity will be billed to the participants responsible.
- It is unlawful to have the following in the halls of residence at Pace University:
  - Extension cords, outlet adapters and outlet splitters
  - Possession of candles (including candles where wicks are removed) and incense
  - Kitchen appliances are prohibited in a residential bedroom or suite, beyond a K cup
  - coffee maker that has an automatic shutoff and blenders. Cooking appliances can only be stored and used in designated areas; (townhouse kitchens or shared community kitchens)
  - Lamps with a plastic shade, halogen lightbulbs and lava lamps
  - Lightbulbs with a higher wattage than suggested by the manufacturer of a specific lamp.
  - Combustible fluids
  - Fireworks or explosives
  - Fog and smoke machines
  - Portable Air conditioners and heaters
PARTICIPANT’S AGREEMENT AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I agree with the Code of Conduct Agreement and agree to adhere to its principles. I recognize that if I violate any of such principles, I am subject to disciplinary action as determined by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership. I understand that if it should be decided that I should return to my home city, I, my parents or guardians and the sponsoring delegation shall be responsible for the cost of all transportation and related expenses incurred in connection therewith, as well as the cost of any damage that I have caused. In addition, adult supervision must be provided during the transportation back home. I understand that no refund of fees will be made following any disciplinary actions.

I hereby agree that I will adhere to all of the rules and regulations to the JCC Maccabi, including without limitation, the medical procedures, established by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership.

I hereby unconditionally release the sponsoring Jewish Community Center and the Jewish Community Centers Association of North America, Maccabi World Union, Maccabi USA, Maccabi Canada, and any other sponsoring organizations and any of their officers, directors, executives, employees, agents, volunteers and anyone working under, through or in connection with any of them of any responsibility for or with respect to any incident, claim, occurrence, loss, injury, or damage whether known or unknown, present or future, foreseeable or not, that could or may arise out of such participation, including, by way of illustration and not limitation, travel to and from the JCC Maccabi, residence halls (including, by way of illustration and not limitation, competing in and/or against an older age bracket), use of the JCC or other facilities used in the Games for competition, social, cultural and other events (including, by way of illustration and not limitation, trips, opening or closing ceremonies), and any other events or activities in which I may participate or engage, whether or not the same may be deemed to be a part of the JCC Maccabi or not, from the time when I shall leave my permanent residence until the time when I shall have returned thereto.

I hereby agree to accept and abide by, and not to contest any decision of the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership or any of its subcommittees or the Operations and Support Team regarding my conduct or behavior during JCC Maccabi.

I further hereby grant permission for, and waive any rights to, the use of any photographs, motion pictures, recording, or any other record of my participation in JCC Maccabi or any events or occasion ancillary thereto, without consideration of any kind, for any legitimate purpose as determined by the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership, and/or the JCC Association. I understand that the information about me, including any pictures, is public and may be used by valid media representatives, sponsoring organizations, and/or the JCC Maccabi Campus Games Leadership. I hereby consent to such use without compensation to me or my family.

I hereby acknowledge that I am executing this instrument with the full knowledge of the purpose and effect of the contents hereof, that I have had the opportunity to seek legal advice and counsel of my own choosing, and that I execute the same freely and voluntarily, and on the basis that this instrument cannot be altered or revoked except in a writing approved and signed by me and an authorized officer of the Executive Vice-President or the Executive Director of the sponsoring Jewish Community Center, and of JCC Association of North America.