2018 PSWD Elementary/Family Camp Behavior Policies

- 1. By default, campers are housed in single-sex cabins.
- 2. Curfew is defined as the time after which all campers are to be in their own cabins. Curfew for Elementary Youth Camp is 9:00 PM to 7:30 AM. During this time, there is to be quiet in the cabin areas and on all trails.
- Campers may not leave the camp grounds at any time during camp without the permission and supervision of adult staff. No group smaller than four (4) people may leave the premises for any reason.
- 4. The water tower, staff housing, interior kitchen, pool pump room, maintenance buildings, propane tanks, sewer plant/leach fields and any construction sites are off limits to all campers. No use of Camp tools, power tools or machinery, including tools for craft projects is permitted. Use of the First Aid Station must be overseen by a trained adult staff member.
- 5. No visitors are allowed during camp. This includes unannounced family members, former campers, and former staff members. Any visits must be pre-arranged and approved by the Dean and/or Camping Ministries Director. All pre-arranged visitors must check-in upon arrival and wear a VISITOR BADGE while in camp.
- 6. Attendance at workshops, worships and meals is expected.
- 7. Campers are asked to respect each other and the belongings and privacy of other campers and staff. The camp facilities and camp equipment should be used in the intended manner. NO PRANKS.
- 8. Dangerous or disruptive behavior of any kind will not be tolerated; any camper engaging in such will be sent home. This includes the use of rude and abusive language.
- 9. Closed toed shoes must be worn when a camper is outdoors.
- 10. No tree climbing or rock throwing.
- 11. No Youth Camper may use the hot tub at any time, under any circumstances.
- 12. No one is allowed in the kitchen without a valid food handler's card.
- 13. No drugs, alcohol or weapons are allowed at camp. All prescription and over-the-counter medications must be turned in to our Camp Nurse during camp check-in. The use of all medications is to be monitored by the camp health professional and adult staff. Medications must be in their original packaging.
- 14. All campers must sign the Youth Code of Conduct Agreement (INCLUDED IN CAMPER PACKET and available on-line)
- 15. All parents must sign the Guidelines for Parents form (also INCLUDED IN CAMPER PACKET and available on line)
- 16. PSWD Youth Camps are SMOKE FREE. Campers and staff may not smoke at camp. This includes vape pens and e-cigarettes.
- 17. No hair dye or permanent inks or hennas allowed inside cabin bedrooms, bathrooms or kitchens. Use only at the arts/crafts area.

Any camper unable to abide by these policies will be asked to leave camp immediately, without benefit of any refund, and may be restricted from participating in future PSWD events.