HAITIAN MULTICULTURAL MINISTRY

Ministères Haïtiens | Tout Près de Vous.
Convention Baptiste de la Floride

2026 GENERAL EVENT RELEASE FORM

Parents/Guardians/Group Leaders: Provide a signed copy of this document for each Child (0-17yrs old) who are attending this event. Keep a photocopy for yourself in case of emergency at the event.

Child Information:

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____ Age: ____ Sex: _____ Grade Completed: ____
Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ZIP: _____
In case of an emergency notify: _____Relationship to child: _____
Phone Numbers: Home (_____) _____ , Mobile (_____) _____, Work (_____) _____

Church Information:

Name of Church: _____
Church Adress: _____, City: _____, State: _____, ZIP: _____
Pastor: _____ Pastor's Contact: _____

Medical Profile:

Generally, the participant's Health is: *(Check One)*: ☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor
If Fair or Poor, please explain the condition: _____
List any medical difficulties which are currently being treated: _____
List any medicines or substances to which child is allergic: _____

Permission For Medical Treatment, Photograph/Video Notice, and Release and Indemnity

In consideration of Participant's ability to participate in the event(s), I, the undersigned Participant, (and, if Participant is a minor, I the undersigned Parent/Guardian/Group Leader):

My permission is granted for the event or event director, church official, any event or event staffer, or adult present or in charge of first aid, to obtain necessary medical attention in case of sickness or injury to me or my child. Also, I understand that as a Participant, I or my child may be photographed or videotaped during normal event or event activities, and these photos/videos may be used in promotional materials. I, the undersigned, do hereby verify that the above information is correct, and I do hereby release and forever discharge the Florida Baptist Convention, Lake Yale Baptist Conference Center, the Church, event or event sponsors, Lifeway Christian Resources of the Southern Baptist Convention, Common Grounds, and their employees ("Released Parties") from any and all claims, costs, demands, actions or causes of action, past, present, or future, arising out of or caused by myself or by my child while participating in this event or while on property leased or owned by any of the Released Parties.

Assumption of Risk. I am aware of the risks associated with participation in the above event and do hereby voluntarily assume full responsibility for any risk of loss, property damage or personal injury, including death, that may result from participation in event activities. Recreation – The recreation programs at the event venues strive to offer fun, safe, and challenging activities that engage the whole person – body, mind and soul. Program staffs are trained and as a team committed to your rewarding experience with safety as their highest priority. However, there are inherent risks to participation in recreation activities, including but not limited to, initiative games, high and low challenge rope course, golf cart rides, outdoor education, paintball, and aquatics. You could experience any of the following – elevated heart and respiratory rates, uncomfortable group dynamics, climbing or descending unpredictable and possibly slick or uneven terrain, crossing narrow wires and logs, jumping, running, climbing/descending steep rock faces, traveling long distances in remote settings, carrying weight on your backs and shoulders, unforeseen forces of nature or weather, any of which could result in injury/illness that could result in loss of life, limb, and/or property.

Understanding – I represent and acknowledge that I have completely read and understand this document and all its terms and all matters referred to herein, and I signed voluntarily as my free act and deed, that I have had ample opportunity to obtain the advice of counsel and that, by signing this document, I understand that I am relinquishing all legal rights and remedies that may have otherwise been available to me. I understand that this Waiver and Release shall be construed as broadly and inclusively as is permitted by applicable law and agree that if any portion of this document is held invalid, the remaining portions shall continue in full force and effect. To the extent the restriction on filing lawsuits is deemed unlawful, I agree to submit any claims to a Christian conciliation/arbitration organization for binding resolution.

Copy to Event Venue. It is understood and agreed that a copy of this form shall be treated as authentic and binding as the original and that a copy of same shall be provided to the event venue.

The undersigned acknowledges that the Florida Baptist Convention and other leadership/staff of the Haitian Multicultural Event team are taking all reasonable steps to clean and sterilize the facilities in order to prevent the spread of COVID-19 virus (or any other communicable diseases). However, regardless of any steps taken to curb the spread of COVID-19, any gathering in public and/or use of public space carries with it the potential for infection. Therefore, the undersigned agrees to hold the Convention and the Haitian Family Camp harmless from any claims related in any way to COVID-19 and other diseases. Specifically, the undersigned shall hold-harmless the Convention (including its officers, directors, and other affiliated parties) against any and all claims, liabilities, losses, fines, penalties, damages, costs and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees and other costs of litigation, arising of damage or loss of any kind (including, but not limited to, injury or death to any person) as a result of the undersigned's participation in the Haitian Multicultural event. This covenant to hold the Convention harmless expressly includes any claims, causes of action or threats of claims, related in any way to COVID-19. The undersigned agrees and acknowledges that this hold-harmless provision is necessary and crucial to the Convention's decision to allow the undersigned (or their minor child) to participate in the Haitian Multicultural event.

Parent/Guardian's Signature: _____. **Date:** _____

Authorized Leader/Pastor's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____