

GRADUATION CELEBRATION PERMISSION SLIP/RELEASE FORM

**THIS SIGNED FORM IS ONLY
REQUIRED FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE
UNDER 18 ON THE DAY OF
GRADUATION: 5/15/26. ALL STUDENTS
MUST REGISTER ONLINE, INCLUDING
THOSE UNDER 18.**

My child _____ has my permission to participate in the Youth Advisory Board (YAB) activity described below. By granting permission for my child to participate in the YAB activity or program, I on behalf of my heirs, executors, assigns, and administrators, hereby release and discharge the City of Oak Ridge (COR), Tennessee, and any and all of its employees, officers, agents, and any other persons whether compensated or providing voluntary services, utilized by or associated with the COR in the organization, supervision, or conduction of the activity or program described below. They will abide by the Code of Conduct of the YAB and the special rules of any sponsor.

Name of Activity or Program: Graduation Celebration
Sponsors: City of Oak Ridge Youth Advisory Board
Date/Time: 10:00PM on 5/15/26 to 5:00AM on 5/16/26

I understand that the YAB, the COR, and any sponsor will not be responsible for the liability or insurance coverage of private or public carriers. I understand that the YAB, the COR, and any sponsor will not be responsible for personal injury to my child or loss or damage to his/her personal property. I will be responsible for the damage to the personal property of others or injury to other people caused by my child. If my child behaves in a manner unsuitable for the staff or chaperones, I agree to answer a phone call and to provide transportation for them to return to Oak Ridge.

EMERGENCY INFORMATION:

Please list any information about medical problems staff and chaperones should be aware of (allergies, prescriptions to be taken, diabetes, etc.): In case of an emergency, the YAB, COR, and/or sponsors have my authorization to obtain emergency medical aid for my child.

CODE OF CONDUCT OF THE YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD

The following Code of Conduct shall apply to all activities organized by the YAB:

1. ANY expression of physical or verbal abuse to any staff member or chaperone will result in automatic suspension from all COR-sponsored activities, programs, and facilities.
2. Proper identification must be presented upon request by a staff member/chaperone.
3. NO weapons will be permitted.
4. NO alcoholic beverages, tobacco use, drugs, or gambling will be permitted.
5. NO outside food will be permitted. Only unopened drinks in their original packaging will be permitted.

Any violation of the Code of Conduct or directives by staff members or chaperones may result in suspension from YAB activities or programs, as well as suspension from COR recreation facilities and/or activities. Once suspended, you lose the privileges of using the recreation facilities at the Civic Center (Recreation Center and Library), Municipal Pool, Scarboro Community Center, parks, etc. (including league play at all locations) for the duration of the suspension.

I give permission and consent for the City of Oak Ridge, its representatives, employees, and Graduation Celebration board and its representatives to take photographs and/or video of me/my child during Graduation Celebration activities. I further authorize the City and Graduation Celebration board to copyright, use, and publish such photographs and videos in any medium; and I give permission and consent that any such photographs and/or videos may be published and used by the City of Oak Ridge and/or Graduation Celebration board for any lawful purpose including but not limited to illustration and promotion of the experience, programs, and the City and Graduation Celebration in general. Published material may appear in print, online, and on television as well as City-owned and operated and Graduation Celebration-owned and operated social media accounts at any time in the future.

If a child is scheduled to be present for this activity and does not show up, the COR may contact the parent(s) to inform them that their child did not arrive for this activity. In no event, however, is the COR responsible for notifying a parent regarding whether their child has arrived for an activity, as it is the parent's responsibility to know the whereabouts of their child.

I have read the attached rules/policies for the Graduation Celebration event, as well as the YAB Code of Conduct listed above, and fully understand them. **If my child chooses to leave this activity before 5 AM, I understand that I will be notified by phone to give verbal permission for my child to leave.**

Participant Signature _____ Parent Signature (if under 18) _____

Date _____ Date _____

Please return to: Oak Ridge Recreation Center Front Desk or scan to jbohanan@oakridgetn.gov or hard copy to ORHS Student Affairs Office. Call 425-3450 if you have questions or concerns.