

Reality C.H.E.C.K. Code of Behavior

We are happy and excited that you are joining us as part of **Reality CHECK**. The *Code of Behavior* has been developed as a way of helping participants understand what is expected of them during the week, and of making the service-learning experience a healthy and growth filled one for all involved. Please read through the *Code* carefully, as you will be expected to honor and uphold it throughout your time with us.

- ◆ As necessary as rules are to maintain order, they can't and won't guarantee a successful **Reality CHECK** experience. Success depends on people's willingness to work together for the common good.
- ◆ Participants take part in **Reality CHECK** as a part of a parish or school team. The adult leader of each team maintains primary responsibility for the actions of his or her team members. The sponsoring parish or school, and the families of the team members assume responsibility for any damage done to the housing or work facilities.
- ◆ While away from the housing facility, youth participants must be accompanied at all times by an adult leader. Team members will travel to all program activities as a group.

Upon registration, Participants agree to attend the entire Work Camp Experience beginning at 8:30AM June 16th through 6:00PM June 20th, 2008.

- ◆ Participants are expected to attend all sessions unless explicitly excused by the Program Director. Name Badges are to be worn during all program activities.
- ◆ Dress throughout the **Reality CHECK** experience is casual, however shirts and shoes must be worn at all times.
- ◆ Smoking is prohibited for youth and adult participants and team.
- ◆ The purchase, possession or consumption of alcohol or drugs by participants will result in immediate dismissal from the program. Major infractions of the *Code of Behavior* will meet with the same consequences.

Parent or Guardian: I agree that my child shall abide by the rules and regulations outlined in the **Reality CHECK Code of Behavior**. I have reviewed it and discussed the *Code* with my child prior to signing this form. I agree that if my child fails to consistently abide by the *Code* or engages in a serious infraction of the *Code*, he or she may be immediately dismissed from the **Reality CHECK** program and sent home at my expense.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____

Youth Participant: I understand and agree to the **Reality CHECK Code of Behavior**. I also understand that my parent(s) or guardian will be notified at the time of any infractions requiring my dismissal from the program and that I will be sent home at my own or my parent's expense. **(Your signature must appear below in order to participate in the Reality CHECK Work Camp.)**

Youth Participant Signature _____ **Date** _____