

Consent Form

Famine 2012

Dear Parent/Legal Guardian,

Your son/ daughter has shown an interest in participating in World Vision's 30 Hour Famine. Participation means that your son/ daughter will:

- Sign up 30 Hour Famine sponsors and collect money to help those around the world who suffer from hunger, poverty, and a lack of hope.
- Miss three main meals by fasting for 30 hours.
- Drink only water and juice during those 30 hours.
- Turn in the Famine Student Guide and money raised to his or her Famine leader during the Famine event which is taking place on Friday, February 24th 6pm through Saturday, February 25th 6pm.

- * your youth will be in a car on Friday night traveling around for a photo scavenger hunt with groups of other youth- but driven by an adult
- * be going on ministry projects on Saturday morning-under adult supervision to one of the possible sites- listed on the back
- * youth will be expected to stay for the entire event, unless you make us aware of conflicts prior to drop off, also with the understanding that you will be providing the transportation if your son or daughter needs to leave at any time.

If your son/ daughter is not physically capable of fasting for 30 hours, he or she can still participate in a modified fast. Please contact me if you would like to discuss this option. Before I issue a Famine Student Guide to your child, I would like your acknowledgment that you support his or her participation.

Thank you.

In understand that my child will be fasting, or participating in a modified fast with Barb Chase and the Langhorne Presbyterian Church youth group.



I have no objection to my child, _____, participating in World Vision's 30 Hour Famine.

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Important: Read and Sign: New to the Famine- as of 2009- we will also be having the youth fast from Technology. Those we are fasting for do not have electronics- and so therefore we can more appreciate their environments if we take a fast from ours. So- the youth will be fasting from cell phones and all electronics. To participate in the Famine- means you agree to the terms of the agreement signed below.



We completely understand your need to be able to get in touch with your youth- upon check in- you will be given a complete list of cell phone numbers- so that you can contact your youth at any time with important info.

Thank you for your cooperation in this.
Please read and sign the following:

I _____ - (youth), date _____ agree to take a fast from technology- by not bringing a cell phone or any personal electronic to the 30 Hour Famine event. I understand that if I do not abide by these requirements- my items will be taken and will be returned at the end of the 30 Hour Famine events.

I _____ (adult), date _____ agree to inform and enforce the requirement that my youth does not bring a cell phone or any personal electronic to the 30 Hour Famine events. I understand that if my youth does not abide by these requirements- their items will be taken away- and given back to me, the parent, at the end of the 30 Hour Famine events.

World Vision is a Christian relief and development organization dedicated to helping children and their communities worldwide reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty.

Fasting is a physical benefit for most people. Exceptions are children under 12 years of age, the elderly, diabetics, those pregnant or nursing, and others who have had recent surgeries or have other specific medical problems. Most youth will have no problems completing the 30 Hour Famine; however, modifications can be made as necessary. If you have any health-related questions about your child's participation in the Famine, please consult your doctor. For more information on fasting, you can request a "Facts on Fasting" sheet from your Famine group leader. You can also obtain this sheet by calling **1-800-7-FAMINE** or finding it at **www.30hourfamine.org**. Please do not send this consent form to World Vision.

Supervised, pre-assigned ministry sites may be one of the following:

- Sunday Breakfast Rescue Mission- 302 North 13th Street, Philadelphia, 19107
- Aid for Friends- Philadelphia- 12271 Townsend Road, Philadelphia 19154
- Bucks County Housing- 349 Durham Rd, Pennndel
- Wood Services- Langhorne
- Langhorne Gardens Nursing Home- Langhorne
- Philadelphia Free Library, Logan Square, Penns Square and Love Park
- Who So Ever Gospel Mission- 101 E. Chelton Ave. Germantown, Pa 19144
- Old First United Church 151 North 4th Street, Philadelphia, Pa
- Hunting Park Christian Academy- 4400 North 6th Street, Philadelphia, Pa 19140
- Hope Ministries- 549 E. Cambia, Philadelphia, Pa 19120
- Bethesda Project- Spruce Street, Philadelphia
- Sunrise Assisted Living- 631 Stony Hill Road, Yardley, Pa 19067
- Mercy Hospice- 334 South 13th Street- Philadelphia, 19107
- Delaware Valley Veterans Home—2701 Southampton Rd, Philadelphia 19154
- ReUse Your Shoes- Langhore
- Trevors Place- 1624 W. Poplar Street- Phildelphia 19146
- Philabundance- 3616 S. Galloway Street, Philadelphia 19148
- Project Share- 2901 West Hunting Park, Phildelphia 19129
- St. Francis Soup Kitchen- - 2442 Kensington, Phildelphia 19125

In case of emergency or questions- please contact Barb Chase on her cell phone @ 215-779-0665. Additional names and numbers of other chaperones will be available upon request- Please keep one copy for your records, turn one signed copy in at the Famine- thank you.

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