JMJ HERNANDO 2022-2023 MEMBERSHIP AGREEMENT

& LIABILITY WAIVER

MEMBER INFORMATION:

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IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER INFORMATION:

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MEMBERSHIP FEES

JMJ’s annual membership dues are $50.00 and entitles the member and their immediate family as listed above access to JMJ activities, classes and/or services, etc.

REGISTRATION

Membership Renewal Fees are due on an annual basis and must be paid within the membership renewal period. JMJ Membership Registration for the 2022-2023 school year will open on March 21, 2022. All Membership Fees are due upon registration and must be paid to JMJ via check or PayPal.

JMJ POLICIES

Each member, as authorized representative of the family, must initial each one of the following items to show that you have read and understand these important JMJ policies.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 1. JMJ is a Catholic homeschool support group for homeschooling families. Our focus is to support the primary caregiver in the family, usually the mother.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2. I understand that JMJ follows the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, under the Bishop of Rome, Pope Francis. Non-Catholics are welcome, and all members must respect our Catholic teachings and traditions.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 3. While attending JMJ events, or while communicating on the JMJ Website Forums, I will NOT share information that is contrary to the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church, under the Bishop of Rome, Pope Francis.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 4. I have read and understand the JMJ Website Posting Guidelines and I agree to abide by them. I understand that it is imperative that all JMJ Website posts be sent to my email address and that it is not accessible to children to protect the confidentiality of members.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 5. I agree to regularly (at least weekly) check the JMJ Calendar and my emails from the JMJ Website Forum posts that are posted by the Service Council and other members.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 6. It is my responsibility to stay updated on all JMJ activities, events, classes, clubs, meetings, etc.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 7. The information contained in the JMJ Calendar, Website and Website Forum posts is solely for the use of JMJ members and for the purpose of fostering the community within JMJ. I will not use or share the information in the Calendar, Website and Website Forum posts for any other purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 8. It is my responsibility to understand the policies and procedures of all JMJ activities, events, classes, clubs, meetings, etc. before participating in them.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 9. The information contained in the JMJ Member’s Directory is solely for the purpose of fostering the community within JMJ. I will not use or share the information in the Directory for any other purposes. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 10. I understand that JMJ’s focus is on community and not on classes. JMJ is NOT A DROP-OFF PROGRAM. In order to register for classes or clubs, I agree that I MUST be a participating member of the JMJ community by building up, supporting and enriching JMJ with my gifts and talents. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 11. JMJ reserves the right to cancel classes and/or substitute teachers as necessary. If only one class is cancelled, the teacher will make up that class on the JMJ Makeup Class Day at the end of the school year. In the event that more than one class day is cancelled by the same teacher, a refund will be issued by the teacher for the remaining days of that class. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 12. All children should be supervised during and accompanied to/from JMJ classes, clubs, events, field trips, activities, etc. by their parent or legal guardian. I acknowledge it is NOT the responsibility of JMJ to supervise or monitor any of my child(ren) outside the classroom or other events, activities, etc. If I, or a legal guardian of my child(ren), is unable to attend JMJ classes, clubs, events, field trips, activities, etc. with my child(ren), please contact the Service Council in writing at [jmjhernandocounty@gmail.com](mailto:jmjhernandocounty@gmail.com).

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 13. Unless specified otherwise, children may NOT be dropped off for any JMJ activities. Parents MUST leave a responsible adult in charge of their child(ren) during any absence from the premises. JMJ is NOT RESPONSIBLE for any children left unattended at the playground, bathroom or any other venue. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 14. It is my responsibility to help my child(ren) attend and be on time for all classes, complete any required assignments and follow the class rules/guidelines. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 15. I understand that during Friday Classes/Clubs, students are not to have cell phones out and phones must be turned to silent. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 16. There will be four Class Tuition Payments, one for each quarter, paid directly to the teachers. I agree not to ask for special payment plans from the Service Council. All payment considerations are between parents and teachers. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 17. The first quarter tuition payment is due September 9, 2022. All subsequent payments are as follows: October 21, 2022, January 13, 2022 and February 24, 2022. All payments will be paid directly to the teachers. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 18. I understand that the classes are filled on a first come, first served basis, and there is a chance that my child(ren) will not get into the classes. If I do not pay the Class/Club Registration Fees during the Class Registration period, I may forfeit my child(ren)’s space in the class/es. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 19. If for any reason I need to remove my child(ren) from a class, I will forfeit the semester tuition payment that I have already paid. I also understand that my commitment to the teachers is for the full school year, and I will be expected to pay for the full year of classes, regardless of whether my child(ren) attends the class/es or not. Teachers may choose to refund semester class fees and/or release you from your payment obligation on a case-by-case basis. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20. I understand I will be responsible to refund JMJ for any bank fees charged as a result of my Membership dues payment (i.e., insufficient funds fee). \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 21. If I am coordinating an existing class/club, event, field trip, or activity, etc., I will contact the Service Council in writing at jmjhernandocounty@gmail.com within two (2) days regarding any change. I will not address JMJ members regarding any changes prior to advising the Service Council. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 22. I will contact the JMJ Service Council in writing at jmjhernandocounty@gmail.com regarding any new idea for a class, club, event, field trip, activity, meeting, etc. that I would like JMJ to see or coordinate, or with any concern I have regarding JMJ. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 23. The information included on my application will be available in a member only, secure, password protected section of the website. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 24. JMJ may use any photographs, videotapes, recordings or any other record of applicants participating in JMJ programs in print media, internet advertisements, or websites, television, radio, or any other public forum. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 25. JMJ is not responsible for, nor is its purpose to provide food and drinks, or ensure that the consumption of food or drinks from other JMJ members is appropriate, given a member’s medical condition or allergy. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 26. Any violation of JMJ’s membership agreement by a JMJ member may result in the revocation of the entire family’s membership with JMJ. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 27. Membership with JMJ is a privilege, not a right. A parent or child’s failure to abide by the regulations, rules, policies, procedures, and guidelines set forth by JMJ or the Roman Catholic Church, will result in immediate cancellation/revocation of the family’s membership with JMJ.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_28. I have read, understood, and agree to abide by the JMJ Bylaws. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_29. I commit to use my God-given gifts to build up, support and enrich my JMJ community with prayer, time, talent, and treasure.

My family and I agree to abide by the Bylaws, mission statement, charter, procedures, and guidelines, etc. set forth above by JMJ, the tenets of the Catholic faith and the Roman Catholic Church, under the Bishop of Rome, Pope Francis.

Member, as authorized representative of the family: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Service Council Member:

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Liability Waiver

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in becoming a member and participating in JMJ Hernando (“JMJ”). activities, clubs, or events, you will be waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, that you or your children might sustain including but not limited to those caused by the negligence of others. The terms “I”, “me”, and “my” includes parents or guardians as well as the children enrolled by them in classes, activities and/or events.

In registering for enrichment classes, activities and/or events, the undersigned, individually and on behalf of their spouse and child, recognize and acknowledge that a class or any sporting event may be an extreme test of a person’s physical and mental limits and that their child's participation in such events can cause potential death, serious injury, allergic reaction, or property damage, and that some courses, such as lab sciences, dance, and art may involve potential risks. With a full understanding of the potential risks from each class in which our child is participating, it is agreed as follows:

I, individually and on behalf of my child (or children), hereby take the following action for them and myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors and assigns:

1. I IRREVOCABLY WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE from any and all claims or liabilities for death, personal injury, allergic reactions, or damages of any kind, including but not limited to those caused by the negligence of others which arise out of or relate to my participation in any class, group, club or event involving THE FOLLOWING PERSONS OR ENTITIES: JMJ., and its officers, directors, teachers, representatives, volunteers and agents,
2. I INDIVIDUALLY AND ON BEHALF OF MY CHILD(REN) AGREE NOT TO SUE any of the released persons or entities listed above for any of the claims or liabilities that have been waived, released, or discharged herein including but not limited to those caused by the negligence of others and
3. I AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the persons or entities released herein from any such claims.

NOTICE TO THE MINOR CHILD’S NATURAL GUARDIAN

PURSUANT TO FLORIDA STATUTE 744.301

READ THIS FORM COMPLETELY AND CAREFULLY. YOU ARE AGREEING TO LET YOUR MINOR CHILD ENGAGE IN A POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS ACTIVITY. YOU ARE AGREEING THAT, EVEN IF JMJ, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, VOLUNTEERS OR AGENTS USES REASONABLE CARE IN PROVIDING THIS ACTIVITY, THERE IS A CHANCE YOUR CHILD MAY BE SERIOUSLY INJURED OR KILLED BY PARTICIPATING IN THIS ACTIVITY BECAUSE THERE ARE CERTAIN DANGERS INHERENT IN THE ACTIVITY WHICH CANNOT BE AVOIDED OR ELIMINATED. BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR CHILD’S RIGHT AND YOUR RIGHT TO RECOVER FROM JMJ, ITS OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, VOLUNTEERS OR AGENTS IN A LAWSUIT FOR ANY PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, TO YOUR CHILD OR ANY PROPERTY DAMAGE THAT RESULTS FROM THE RISKS THAT ARE A NATURAL PART OF THE

ACTIVITY. YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REFUSE TO SIGN THIS FORM, AND JMJ, ITS

OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, REPRESENTATIVES, VOLUNTEERS OR AGENTS HAS THE RIGHT TO REFUSE TO LET YOUR CHILD PARTICIPATE IF YOU DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM.

In signing this waiver, I certify that:

1. I have read and understand the Waiver and Release of Liability and have the authority to sign it on my own behalf and my child’s (or children’s) behalf.
2. I understand that I have given up substantial rights
3. I am at least (18) years old
4. I agree and consent to abide by the Waiver and Release of Liability set forth herein

Parent/Guardian’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_