

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Spouse: _____

Address: _____ City/State _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ (Circle Primary)

Email Address: _____

Child(ren) Name(s)	DOB	Grade
_____	____/____/____	_____
_____	____/____/____	_____
_____	____/____/____	_____
_____	____/____/____	_____

Do you have a student that will be graduating Kindergarten, 8th, or High School this year? Y N
Would you be willing to help coordinate the Graduation ceremony/festivities? Y N

**ALL GRASSROOTS MEMBERS ARE REQUIRED TO VOLUNTEER AT
GATHERING DAYS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR**

**PLEASE READ GRASSROOTS BYLAWS, PARTICIPATION AGREEMENTS AND ALL LIABILITY
WAIVERS PRIOR TO COMPLETING THIS NEXT STEP:**

*Supply fee subject to increase based on programs and participation.

By signing this document, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the policies set forth by the Grassroots Homeschoolers. I agree to fulfill both financial and participation expectations.

SIGNATURE: _____ Date: _____

Mail form and payment to: Grassroots Homeschoolers c/o Arlene Olson 918 Princeton Ave, Matteson, IL 60443

Make Checks Out to **Grassroots Homeschoolers**

(YOU will be responsible for all fees incurred by the bank for returned checks)

OFFICE USE ONLY:

- Paid in Full \$80
- \$0/50 (\$40 by _____ / \$40 by _____)
- Supply Fee \$10.00 per child *(ages 3+) \$ _____
- Raffle Credit \$ _____

Date: _____ Total Paid: \$ _____
 Check# & Amt: _____ Cash _____
Total Due by: _____
 Final Pmt Date: _____ Check#: _____
 Cash: _____ Credit: _____



RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE FOR PARTICIPANTS

We, the undersigned, understand that in order to participate in any activity of Grassroots Homeschoolers, agree that such participation is at our own risk. We agree not to hold Grassroots Homeschoolers, Saint Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Matteson Park District or the employees, directors, officers or executive committee members of all of them responsible, and we agree to assume, and release the Grassroots Homeschoolers, Saint Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Matteson Park District or the employees, directors, officers or executive committee members, from all responsibility for any injuries, harm, damages, losses, costs of expenses, including attorney fees, that might result to any family member, from any accidents or injuries that might occur or result from our participation in any Grassroots Homeschoolers activity.

We also agree to assume all responsibility for, and to release the Grassroots Homeschoolers, Saint Paul Lutheran Evangelical Church, Matteson Park District, their employees, directors, officers or executive committee members from any loss or damage to the property of ourselves that arises out of our participation in Grassroots Homeschoolers activities.

We agree and understand that the Grassroots Homeschoolers, Saint Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Matteson Park District or their employees, directors, officers or executive committee members, shall not be responsible for any such loss, damage, or injury of whatever sort and however it occurs, and further agree that in the event of such an injury, loss or damage we will assume on our own behalf, all responsibility for any loss, injury claims, suits or damage suffered by another person participating in any Grassroots Homeschoolers activity for whom we are responsible, and will protect, hold harmless and defend the Grassroots Homeschoolers, Saint Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church, Matteson Park District or the employees, directors, officers or executive committee members from any such loss, injury, claim, suit, or damages, without any cost or expense to them.

Signature

Date

Signature

Date

VIDEO/PHOTO RELEASE FORM

I give permission to Grassroots Homeschoolers to use and publish my photographs or videos for educational and promotional purposes without compensation.

Date: _____ Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Signature: _____

(If participant is a minor, signature of parent/guardian is necessary.)

Grassroots Homeschoolers Gathering Day Guidelines

Arrival and General Rules

- Member families should become familiar with the rules upon joining the group and remind their children as needed.
- All participants must sign a liability waiver for St. Paul's to use the gym.
- Park in the back lot during gathering day times.
- All members and visitors check in at the Welcome Table upon arrival.
- Members pay a \$3.00 per family fee for facility use at each gathering day.
- Visitors are required to fill out a visitor form and pay a \$13.00 visitor fee. **Visitor fee (\$10.00) will be applied toward membership fee at the first visit only. Two visits are the maximum without becoming a Grassroots member.**
- Only spouses and grandparents are included in the membership fee. Other guests must pay the visitor fee.
- Set up a table and chairs for your family or make arrangements to share this responsibility with friends. All tables and chairs, balls and toys must be put away.
- You must clean up any lunch mess your family makes and throw away all disposable lunch packaging. Please keep food in the table area only.
- Children are not allowed in the hallways, supply rooms or kitchen unless authorized and attended by an adult. When church members are using the kitchen we don't enter.
- Parents or guardians MUST remain with their children at all times. No drop offs allowed.

Programming Rules

- Because our Gathering Days are held in a gym, the noise levels can seem chaotic at times. PLEASE remind your children that work is being conducted in the church offices and we all must control behavior that affects the noise levels.
- If your child is not interested in the day's program or activities they are welcome to gather at the opposite end of the gym and play or talk quietly until the program has ended. Parents are asked to talk quietly during programs, as well.
- Parents need to help younger children during hands on activities.
- Families should help with clean up after activities and help us leave the gym clean.
- Open gym time is permitted only after the end of the day's program or activity, and is allowed only when announced.
- There is no wild running or ball throwing, chasing or rough play in the table area.

I have read and understand the rules for Gathering Days and will share them with my children.

Signature _____ Date _____