

WALDOBORO RECREATION VOLUNTEER CODE OF ETHICS AND RULES

1. Volunteers will portray a positive role model for youth by maintaining an attitude of respect, loyalty, patience, courtesy, tact and maturity.
2. Smoking or use of tobacco products in the presence of children is prohibited.
3. Using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs will not be tolerated.
4. Volunteers shall not abuse children including:
 - Physical Abuse-strike, spank, shake, or slap
 - Verbal Abuse-humiliate, degrade, threaten
 - Sexual Abuse-including inappropriate touching and exposure
 - Mental Abuse
5. Volunteers must treat children of all races, religions, and cultures with respect and consideration.
6. Volunteers shall abstain from humiliating or frightening discipline techniques.
7. Volunteers shall not use profanity in the presence of children or parents.
8. Volunteers will refrain from intimate display of affection toward others in the presence of children, parents and staff.
9. Volunteers must be free of physical and psychological conditions that might adversely affect children's health, including fever or contagious conditions.
10. Volunteers will do everything in their power to avoid being in a situation where they are alone with a child other than their own.

I understand that any violation of this code may be grounds for removal as a volunteer.

Volunteer's Printed Name

Signature

Date