Fit For Service AZ 2023 – 2024 Registration Form (Page 1 of 2)

(Must receive forms by September 28, 2023 to begin PE on October 3, 2023)

Fit For Service AZ (FFS AZ) is a Christian homeschool support group that meets at Freestone Park to strengthen our physical bodies, build healthy habits, make lasting friendships, and support each other in our homeschooling endeavors.

Parents share in the teaching responsibility by teaching 1 month (8 classes). Parents stay on- site during PE. We have classes for kids starting at age 5 through high school. Classes run from 2:00p - 3:00p and then all kids ages 9 and up do a 1 mile run which usually lasts until 3:30p. Different sports are taught each month. We provide encouragement, directions, and equipment needed. We also have seasonal parties. We meet weekly Tuesday and Thursday October through April, off in December. The cost for FFS AZ is \$105 per family for the year.

*Families must file an Affidavit of Intent to Homeschool or a current homeschool ESA Contract with the state for children 6 and older, and attend a mandatory orientation prior to participating in PE.

Mothers Name	Fathers Name	
Address		
City	Zip	
Home Phone	Cell Phone	
Email	Church	

Teaching Month Preference: Please rank in order 1 – 3. 1 = most desirable				
October		November		January
February		March		April

Teaching Age Preference: Please rank in order 1 – 3. 1 = most desirable			
5 Year Olds	6 Year Olds	7 Year Olds	
8 Year Olds	9 Year Olds	10 Year Olds	
11 Year Olds	12 Year Olds	13 Year Olds	
Teen Girls	Teen Boys		

Teaching Ag	Teaching Age Preference: Please rank in order $1 - 3$. $1 = most$ desirable			
Water Game	S	Relay Races, Tag Games	Kickball	
Soccer		Throwing Games	Party Games	
Tball/Whiffle	Ball	Basketball	Softball	
Volleyball		Ultimate Frisbee	Flag Football	

****We will do our best to honor your requests but it is a 1st come, 1st serve basis.****

Child's Name	Age	Date of Birth (MM/YY)	Male/ Female	Allergies/Medical Concerns

Make checks for \$105 payable to FFS AZ, PO Box 1458 Gilbert, AZ 85299-1458. Please include this registration packet. **No ESA or government funds will be accepted for FFS fees.** You can also Zelle your payment to FFSAZINFO@gmail.com and mail just your packet

Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality

We believe that God wonderfully and immutably creates each person as male or female. These two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the image and nature of God. (Gen 1:26-27.) Rejection of one's biological sex is a rejection of the image of God within that person.

We believe that the term "marriage" has only one meaning: the uniting of one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture. (Gen 2:18-25.) We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to occur only between a man and a woman who are married to each other. (1 Cor. 6:18; 7:2-5; Heb. 13:4.)

We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged in outside of a marriage between a man and a woman.

We believe that any form of sexual immorality (including adultery, fornication, homosexual behavior, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, and use of pornography) is sinful and offensive to God. (Matt 15:18-20;1 Cor. 6:9-10.)

We believe that in order to preserve the function and integrity of Fit for Service AZ Homeschool Group as the local Body of Christ, and to provide a biblical role model to the Fit for Service AZ Homeschool Group members and the community, it is imperative that all persons who serve as volunteers on the Fit for Service AZ Homeschool Group Board, agree to and abide by this Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality. (Matt 5:16; Phil 2:14-16; 1 Thess. 5:22.)

We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ. (Acts 3:19-21; Rom 10:9-10; 1 Cor. 6:9-11.)

We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect, and dignity. (Mark 12:28-31; Luke 6:31.) Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with Scripture nor the doctrines of Fit for Service AZ Homeschool Group.

I hereby affirm that I have read the Statement on Marriage, Gender, and Sexuality. I certify that I consent to, and will submit to all governing policies of Fit For Service AZ.

Father Signature Date

Mother Signature Date

Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability

2023-2024

I, _____, freely choose and request that I and/or my children

be permitted to participate in **FIT FOR SERVICE AZ HOMESCHOOL SUPPORT GROUP** ("FFS") for the 2020-2021 school year. FFS includes its officers, officials, employees, volunteers, students, agents, and assigns. In consideration of my child(ren)'s participation and/or my participation (collectively known as the "Participant") in FFS programs ("Program"), I agree as follows:

<u>Risks Involved in Program</u>: The Program anticipates that participants will be involved in various athletic activities including, by way of example and without limitation, running, jumping, kicking, throwing, stretching, exercising, climbing, tumbling, batting, water games, etc. Participation in the Program carries with it certain **<u>inherent risks</u>** that cannot be eliminated regardless of the care taken to avoid injuries. The specific risks vary from one activity to another, but the risks may include, but are not limited to: 1) minor injuries such as scratches, bruises, and sprains; 2) major injuries such as eye injury or loss of sight, joint or back injuries, heart attacks, broken bones, asthma attacks, and concussions; and 3) catastrophic injuries including paralysis and death.

Health and Safety: The Participant has been advised to consult with a medical doctor with regard to Participant's medical needs and limitations in participating in the Program. I state that there are no health-related reasons or problems that would preclude or restrict the Participant's involvement in the Program. I will inform the chairman of FFS and the Participant's class teacher promptly if the Participant cannot or should not participate in a scheduled activity because of health-related limitations.

I recognize that FFS is not obligated to attend to any of the Participant's medical or medication needs. I assume all risk and responsibility therefore. In case of a medical emergency during participation in the Program, I authorize the representative of FFS to secure whatever treatment is necessary, including the administration of an anesthetic and surgery. FFS may, but is not obligated to, take any actions it deems warranted under the circumstances regarding the health and safety of the Participant. Such actions do not create a special relationship between the Participant and FFS. I **release** FFS and its officers, officials, employees, volunteers, students, agents, and assigns **from all liability** for any bodily injury or damage the Participant may sustain as a result of any medical care the Participant may receive as a result of participating in the Program, as well as any medical treatment, decision, or recommendation made by an employee or agent of FFS. I agree to pay all expenses related to medical treatment and **release** FFS from any **liability** for any actions thereto.

Assumption of Rick and Release of Liability: Knowing the risks described above, and in voluntary consideration of being permitted to participate in the Program, the Participant, and/or his/her legal guardian, and the Participant's heirs, personal representatives or assigns agree to **release, indemnify, and defend** FFS including its officers, officials, employees, volunteers, students, agents, sponsors, and assigns from any claim that the Participant, and/or his/her legal guardian, or any other person may have for any losses, damages, legal expenses including attorneys' fees, or injuries, including the death of the Participant, that may arise out of or in connection with the Participant's involvement in the Program. The Participant specifically **assumes all risk** of injury, damage, or other loss that may arise out of or in connection with the Participant's involvement in the Program.

<u>Severability</u>: The undersigned further expressly agrees that this Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of Arizona. If any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

The parent(s) or legal guardian (or their representative) of a minor Participant agrees that s/he will remain on location with their minor Participant. A minor Participant's parent, legal guardian, or authorized representative will be entirely responsible for the minor Participant's safety. The parent or legal guardian of a minor Participant will provide a clearly **written** note to **each** child's teacher stating the name of their authorized representative.

It is agreed that the Participant and the Participant's family, legal guardian, or authorized representative will abide by the policies stated in the FFS current notebook, which may be updated periodically and agree to the responsibilities incumbent upon Participants, family members, legal guardians, and authorized representatives as members of this co-op.

The undersigned acknowledges that they have <u>carefully</u> read this Release and understands its contents and the legal implications thereof. The undersigned agrees to abide by the terms and conditions of this Release. No representation, statements, or inducements, oral or written, apart from the foregoing written, have been made. This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of Arizona.

Signature of Participant

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Minor(s)

Date

Fit For Service AZ Homeschool Support Group Code of Conduct for 2023-2024

As a FFS AZ member I will:

1) Engage in only God-honoring behavior, speech and activities at all times.

2) Be polite, considerate, and respectful and treat each other with dignity at all times, especially when there is a disagreement.

3) Demonstrate honesty, integrity, kindness and modesty in dress, according to the FFS AZ Dress Code.

4) Respect those in positions of authority.

5) Follow established rules and take responsibility for my own actions.

6) Have an attitude of compassion for the differences, needs or disabilities of others.

7) Disruptive or rude behavior will be subject to a meeting with board member(s) and possible suspension from class.

As a member of Fit for Service AZ Homeschool Support Group I pledge to uphold the group's guidelines and policies as stated. I will maintain behavior that exemplifies courtesy, kindness, morality and honesty. I agree to abide by the Fit for Service AZ Code of Conduct and other regulations expected of each child enrolled in the group.

The statement of faith does not exhaust the extent of our beliefs. The Bible itself, as the inspired and infallible Word of God that speaks with final authority concerning truth, morality, and the proper conduct of mankind, is the sole and final source of all that we believe. For purposes of FFS AZ's faith, doctrine, practice, policy, and discipline, our committee is FFS AZ's final interpretive authority on the Bible's meaning and application.

I have reviewed the statements above and agree to be governed by all the provisions herein.

Signatures:	
Student	Date
Mother	Date
Father	Date