

The
Tinian Teen Center
Membership
Application
Packet

This application belongs to:

TTC RULES& POLICIES

These rules are meant to be followed in or around the Tinian Teen Center

PLEASE INITIAL NEXT TO EACH RULE AFTER READING

1. ___ No drug use of any kind.
2. ___ No fighting, arguing, name calling, cursing or judging.
3. ___ No wrestling, roughhousing, pushing, or hitting.
4. ___ No sitting on tables, counters, or railings.
5. ___ No throwing items, such as pool sticks, balls or paddles.
6. ___ No littering, if you see trash, please pick it up.
7. ___ If you spill something, clean it up immediately.
8. ___ No outside food or drinks allowed inside the gates.
9. ___ No chewing gum inside the gates.
10. ___ No cell phones or bags allowed in the “members only” area including the kitchen (for volunteers)
11. ___ No food or drinks in the “members only” area.
12. ___ No climbing over the railing, ropes or the fences.
13. ___ No hard swinging of the hammocks.
14. ___ No standing on the tables, chairs, railing or benches.
15. ___ No stealing, borrowing, or taking of any TTC property.
16. ___ No lying, cheating or use of profanity.
17. ___ Only one person at a time is allowed in the bathrooms.

WHAT IF I BREAK THE RULES?

First offence will be a verbal reminder of the rule(s) that was broken.

Second offence will be 30 min wait period outside the “members only” area to review the rule(s).

Third offence, will result in being asked to leave for the day and return when you can abide by the rules.

MESSAGE FOR THE TEENS

Thank you and Congratulations on choosing to become a member of the Tinian Teen Center. You are now a part of the legacy of teenagers that started this program on June, 3rd 2016. We hope that while you are here you develop a sense of pride and confidence for your choice to be a drug-free teenager and adopt a healthy lifestyle that will carry on into your adulthood.

We hope that this program will set you up for a bigger and brighter future and keep you positive and safe from drugs and all other things that may hurt you. Our mission is to protect you from drugs, violence and especially crystal methamphetamines aka "ice". We are here to give you a place away from all this negativity and drama.

You can be yourself here and learn to appreciate your life and we hope that you enjoy your time while here. We really hope that you get the most out of this program and enjoy your time by making new friends and develop your skills in the sports and games that we offer to you. All that we ask is that you respect this place and all its rules and please take special care of all the equipment so that they may last for the future generations to come. During your time here if something breaks while using it, please report it right away to any of the volunteers or to the Director. Please do not be afraid, you will not be punished for your mistakes. This program is designed to help you become the best person that you can be and we hope that you enjoy the experience. Thank you for choosing to be a member and choosing to be drug-free.

As a member you have the choice of becoming a volunteer. Volunteers get a taste of real life work experience in a fun and exciting environment. Volunteers get special privileges, like using the standup paddle boards, skateboards, rollerblades and host volunteer only BBQ's. As a volunteer you may attend weekly meetings where decisions are made about the direction of the Tinian Teen Center. You get the opportunity to work with a team of dedicated members who work behind the scenes to make sure the Tinian Teen Center runs smoothly and effectively. Besides getting free pizza and iced tea, you get the chance to get your hands working in the kitchen or working outside in the DJ Booth. If you're interested in volunteering, please let one of our volunteers know and we will schedule you an interview with the Director.

Friday evenings are movie nights starting at around 8pm and Saturday evenings are our "Open Mic" nights scheduled to start at 8pm. We open up at 3:30pm and close at 7:30pm on Mondays to Thursdays. On Fridays and Saturdays we open at 5:30pm and close at 10:30pm.

YOUTH AGREEMENT & CONSENT

I _____ agree to refrain from using all drugs to include, tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, meth or any other drug to include vaping, chewing betelnut and chewing tobacco.

I agree to getting random monthly drug tests or any time the Director suspects drug use.

(Prescription drugs are authorized with a valid prescription by a medical doctor.)

If I use any drugs, I understand that all activities will be denied to me until the time that I become drug free and can prove it by taking a drug test.

These privileges include playing video games, shooting pool, playing ping-pong, using the bicycles, playing darts, helping in the kitchen and or any other activity with the Tinian Teen Center.

I understand that access to the music studio and the use of the musical instruments as well as the use of the stand-up paddleboards are for volunteers only.

I agree to follow the rules of the Tinian Teen Center and I will notify my parents when I am going to and leaving the Tinian Teen Center.

I sign this agreement freely without any reservations or intention of deceiving the drug-free policies or rules of this program.

Members Signature _____

Date _____

MESSAGE FOR THE PARENTS

The Tinian Teen Center is about helping youth stay off of drugs, one child at a time.

We empower our youth to make healthy lifestyle choices by educating them about their choices and offering them enjoyable activities in a “safe haven” away from drugs.

As a member, the teens can participate in activities that include billiards (pool table), table tennis (ping pong), darts, PlayStation (non-violent games), Nintendo Wii (non-violent games), musical performances and the chance to participate in tournaments in each activity for various prizes.

All of our activities are free to members who live up to their agreements and refrain from using drugs.

We drug test all of our members with parental consent to ensure they are living up to their agreements.

After passing our drug tests, our members will receive a picture ID to proudly show off their accomplishment of being drug free. If a member tests positive for drugs, they are not punished, labeled or ostracized. Instead we talk to the member and encourage them to make healthy lifestyle choices. Their parents are notified of the counseling they receive and are asked to work together to help their child make the right decisions.

We teach our members that “adults get to make adult decisions” and right now while they are not adults, they shouldn’t introduce any substances into their bodies that may negatively affect their growth into healthy adults.

We collect all cellphones and electronics prior to members entering the “members only” area where all the activities are held. This way our members can interact with one another without the distractions of their devices. Members may collect their cell phones at any time and use them in the designated “front area” only.

With parental consent, our members can sign up to volunteer in the kitchen and learn to make pizza, iced teas, fruit smoothies and other snacks to sell. 100% of the money earned by the program goes right back into the program to pay for utilities, rent, supplies and upgrading the Tinian Teen Center.

Volunteer members receive special privileges such as participating in standup paddle boarding at the beach on Saturday mornings and access into the music studio. Other special privileges enjoyed by volunteers include using the Teen Center’s bicycles, skateboards, and other sporting equipment.

We sincerely hope that your child will benefit from what the Tinian Teen Center has to offer. Thank you for allowing your child to be part of this program. Dankulunasi Yu'usma'ase para todunayudumu.

PARENTAL AGREEMENT & CONSENT

I _____ & _____

The parent(s) or legal guardian (s) of _____

allow my son/daughter to be randomly and regularly drug tested in order to comply with the drug-free policies of the Tinian Teen Center.

I understand that if my child is in violation of their agreement to be drug free, I will be notified to discuss how to proceed handling the situation.

I understand that I must call (670) 433-TEEN (8336) to speak to my child when they are at TTC because their cellphones will be turned in while participating in activities.

I understand that I can call or text (670) 788-0772 or send an email to tinianteencenter@gmail.com to contact the Director of TTC to revoke, change or update this consent form or suspend my child's membership at anytime for any reason.

I understand that I have the option to request the drug tests to give to my child at home granted I agree to use the tests for its intended purposes and provide the results of the tests to the Tinian Teen Center.

Please initial below **ONLY** if you **DO NOT** consent to allow any of the following:

____ I **do not** allow my child to volunteer at the Tinian Teen Center and work in the kitchen with knives.

____ I **do not** allow my child to use the bicycles, skateboards and rollerblades provided by the TTC.

____ I **do not** allow my child to use the standup paddle boards and go swimming at the beach with the TTC.

____ I **do not** allow my child to ride in the back of the personal vehicle of the Director of the TTC.

____ I **do not** allow my child to stay past curfew to help with duties at the TTC.

Parent or Legal Guardian(s) Signature(s):

_____ / _____

Contact # (____) _____ Email: _____