



May 20, 2013

Dear Participant,

Thank you for participating in the 8th Annual Gladiator Games! Once again, proceeds will benefit Operation Backyard (OBY), our minor home repair program.

In addition to awarding athletic skill, Knoxville Leadership Foundation will recognize teams' fundraising efforts; the Gladiator Games' grand prize will go to the team who raises the most money for OBY! Top prize in this category is four tickets to this year's SEC Football Championship in Atlanta.

This is a unique opportunity for organizations, churches and businesses to form several teams and get creative and competitive to raise funds for the program. We have made fundraising easier by using Teamgiving to solicit funds through email!

Team check-in begins at 7:00 am, August 24th at the West Hills Park Gazebo off N. Winston Road. The event will get under way at 8:00 am and continue until lunch at 1:00 pm.

Before the competition heats up on the field, we need the following things from you:

- ☐ **Medical Release and Liability Forms** – Complete for each team member and submit this at registration.
- ☐ **Pledge Form** – If you choose not to use online Teamgiving, please fill out the attached form and bring it with you, along with any cash/checks you raise.

If you know of anyone interested in forming a team, please pass along the registration website, www.knoxvillegladiator.org. Call or email Dan Myers with any questions you may have, dmyers@klf.org or call 865-524-2774.

The work and sacrifice you are making to be a part of this event will help KLF continue to make an impact in our city.

Sincerely,

Chris Martin
President

Enclosures: Schedule of Events
 Medical Release Information
 Pledge Form
 Directions to West Hills Park
 Additional information on how to fundraise

Operation Backyard Information for your Teamgiving page or personal emails:

- **About Gladiator Games:**

The Gladiator Games are a team sports challenge to benefit Knoxville Leadership Foundation's Operation Backyard. 2, 3 or 4-person teams, made up of all skill levels, have been challenged in swimming, running, basketball, kayaking and an obstacle course. Each year brings different challenges. But every year, only one team walks away with the bragging rights and the coveted sword and trophy! I plan to win that trophy!

- **About Operation Backyard:**

Proceeds from the Gladiator Games will benefit Knoxville Leadership Foundation's Operation Backyard Program, which provides free minor home repairs to low income families. In the 15 years that OBY has been in operation, 8,639 volunteers have worked on 777 homes. In 2011 alone, OBY utilized over 924 volunteers to transform our community!

- **Quote from Operation Backyard homeowner:**

"God sent you and your organization into our lives and we are more hopeful and so grateful for all you have done."

- **Optional Information**

Please help me raise money for Operations Backyard so they can continue to help homeowners in Knoxville in need of home repairs. \$100 repairs steps/porch, \$250 will paint a home, \$1,000 will build a wheelchair ramp and \$2,000 will roof a home! My goal is to raise \$_____!

Check out my website (your teamgiving link here) where you can make donations! The site is secure and you can watch me reach my goal!

For more information about Knoxville Leadership and all they do, check out their website at www.klf.org.

Please bring completed pledge form to registration at West Hills Park.
Teams may submit multiple forms.



TEAM NAME: _____

TOTAL PLEDGE AMT: _____

The Gladiator Games' GRAND PRIZE will be awarded to the team who collects the most money through pledges!

Gladiator Games' Pledge Form

As you receive pledges from individual sponsors or other methods, please use this form to record their **names, addresses and donations** or direct them to you Teamgiving page. All fulfilled commitments are tax-deductible and will be followed with a receipt from KLF. **All checks must be made payable to KLF or Knoxville Leadership Foundation.** \$100 per person or \$400 per team is the suggested fundraising goal.

#	SPONSOR NAME/EVENT	ADDRESS	Total Pledge Amt.	Comments
Ex	Bake Sale		\$75	cash included
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Who to ask for Donations

Accountant
Banker
Bunco Group
Business Venders
Church Leaders
Church Members
Civic Club Friends
Coaches
Community Leaders
Contractor
Co-Workers
Dentist
Doctor
Fishing Buddies
Fraternity Brothers
Friends
Friends of Friends
Golfing Buddies
Insurance Agents
Lawyers
Neighbors
Relatives
Small Group
Sorority Sisters

FOR MINOR PARTICIPANTS ONLY



Participant Information/Medical Release

This Medical Treatment Authorization authorizes Knoxville Leadership Foundation (KLF) staff and/or representatives to consent to medical treatment for any accident or illness occurring while you or your child is participating in Knoxville Leadership Foundation's Gladiator Games. KLF shall not be responsible for authorizing medical care.

Contact Information of Minor Participant

Parent/Legal Guardian(s): (List the names of both custodial parents; if only one custodial parent or for guardianships, enclose a copy of the most recent court order granting custody.)

Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
Cell Phone: _____	Cell Phone: _____
Home Phone: _____	Work Phone: _____
Emergency Contact: _____	Telephone: _____ Relationship to Child: _____

Authorization

I/We, _____ and _____, (names of all parents with custody of minor or all guardians), hereby represent and warrant that we are the sole parents or legal guardians of _____ (Minor's Name), that we have the authority to enter into this authorization for medical treatment of _____ (Minor's Name). I/we hereby authorize Knoxville Leadership Foundation to seek and obtain medical or dental treatment of the above named minor upon any circumstances in which they believe it is reasonably prudent or necessary. I/we hereby authorize any medical or dental services provider to provide consultation, treatment and services to the above named minor. In the event further or consent for consultation, treatment or services is required, I/we hereby appoint any employee of Knoxville Leadership Foundation as our/my agent and attorney in fact for the purposes of authorizing any consultation, treatment and services.

I/we hereby provide the following health information, which I/we believe is all the relevant information a medical provider should have with regard to the minor's condition in rendering treatment:

Date of last Tetanus shot: _____
Known Allergies: _____
Medications Currently Taking: _____
Any medical or health conditions: _____
Any prior significant medical history: _____

In the event any consultation treatment or services are rendered to the above named minor while participating in the Gladiator Games, I /we understand and agree Knoxville Leadership Foundation may not have an opportunity to contact me prior to obtaining medical consultation, treatment and services. I/we hereby supply the following health insurance information in order for any medical to obtain reimbursement for their services. I/we hereby agree to pay the provider for any services rendered to the above named minor for which the foregoing insurance does not pay.

Medical Insurance Company: _____
Policy Number: _____ Group Number: _____
Subscriber Name and ID No: _____
Authorization of Insurance Company: _____

This the _____ day of _____, 20____. Signed: _____
State of _____, County of _____ personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, _____, the within named bargainer, with whom I am personally acquainted (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence), and who acknowledged that such person executed the within instrument for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office on this the _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signed: _____ Print Name: _____

****Having this Authorization notarized may facilitate the timely provision of medical services to your child.***

MUST BE COMPLETED BY ALL PARTICIPANTS

Statement of Activities and Release of Liability Form

The Gladiator Games is a reality sporting event and fundraiser of Knoxville Leadership Foundation. Individuals participating in the Gladiator Games may compete in at least two of the following events including an obstacle course, running, kayaking swimming, throwing of baseballs and/or footballs, kicking, golfing and lifting weight up to 45 pounds.

Participants are not required to engage in any activity in which they feel they are not able to safely participate.

Minor Participants (17 years and under)

I (Adult age 21 and up) _____ **or** I/we _____ and _____, (parent(s) or guardian(s) with custody of student), hereby represent and warrant that we are the sole parents or legal guardians of _____ (minor's name), and that we have the authority to enter into this release. I/we have read the foregoing statement of activities, and understand the extent and nature of the activities in which I/my child will participate. On behalf of myself/ourselves, and on behalf of the above named minor, I/we hereby fully and finally release Knoxville Leadership Foundation, its respective directors, officers, employees, volunteers, agents, successors, and assigns (collectively referred to herein as "KLF"), from any and all claims, causes of action, assertions, and demands arising out of, related to, or otherwise connected with, howsoever remote, the participation of the above named minor in the Gladiator Games. I/we agree to indemnify and hold KLF harmless from any loss or damages incurred or resulting from any claim made against KLF on behalf of the above named student or on account of the above named minor.

Adult or Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

I, _____, (minor), hereby join in and agree to the release set forth hereinabove. I also promise and agree with KLF that I will, at all times, follow all directions and instructions with regard to participating in the Gladiator Games.

Signed (minor): _____ Date: _____

Adult Participant (18 years and older)

Participant Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Email: _____

Organization: _____ Phone: _____

I, _____ (self), have read the foregoing statement of activities, and understand the extent and nature of the activities in which I will participate. I hereby fully and finally release Knoxville Leadership Foundation, its respective directors, officers, employees, volunteers, agents, successors, and assigns (collectively referred to herein as "KLF"), from any and all claims, causes of action, assertions, and demands arising out of, related to, or otherwise connected with, howsoever remote, my participation in the volunteer programs of KLF. I agree to indemnify and hold KLF harmless from any loss or damages incurred or resulting from any claim made against KLF.

This is the _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signed: _____

Print Name: _____

Birth date: ____/____/____

Directions: To get to the west end of the park behind the YMCA: Take the West Hills exit off of I-40 to Kingston Pike; make a right onto Kingston Pike; turn right onto Winston right; after you cross the bridge, the park will be on right.

East end of the park for the ball fields: Take the West Hills exit off of I-40 to Kingston Pike; make a left onto Kingston Pike; then make a left onto Buckingham Drive by Walgreen's; at stop sign turn right onto Vanosdale; at next stop sign make a left onto Sheffield Drive; park will be on the left and also behind school.

West Hills/John Bynon Park is a diverse park located on the edge of West Hills neighborhood. Recreation venues include softball/baseball, basketball, tennis, playgrounds, and the 1.9-mile paved Jean Teague Greenway.

The park is also a host for the Knoxville Community Recreation Band's Summer Concerts in the Park.

