IASC State Conference Delegate

We are delighted that you will be attending the 2020 IASC State Conference. This conference is designed for school leadership teams of high school Student Council members and advisors. The IASC Board of Directors has developed the following guidelines that all delegates are required to accept.

**Semi-formal Attire (Thursday evening):**
1. Gentlemen- wear a button up shirt (tie optional), Docker type slacks, or a suit (opt.).
2. Ladies semi-formal or formal wear with skirt length to be no shorter than 5 inches from the top of the knee (length of an index card). Clothing should not have low or no backline, low neckline or be see through. This is the only time thin strap and bare shoulders will be permitted at the conference.

**Conference Attire (Friday and Saturday):**
1. Display the appropriate attire that is representative of your role as a student leader. “Conservative school dress code” type attire is appropriate. School colors and shirts are recommended with modest embellishments. As a guideline the following clothing is NOT considered appropriate and students wearing such apparel should be asked to change by their advisor:
   - Any clothing that reveals bare shoulders, backs or torsos. These may include, but are not limited to - crop tops, cut outs, tops with half or no backs or low cut necklines, tank tops, spaghetti straps, muscle T-shirts, etc.
   - Cut out or frayed jeans. Clothing designed to be transparent, mesh, or sheer when worn alone.
   - Shorts, 5 inches above the knee will not be allowed to any of the sessions or events.
   - Clothing with ads for alcohol, tobacco, drugs, or with profanity, sexual pictures, or inference to these items.
2. Undergarments, shirts, and shoes must be worn at all times. Skirts or dresses should be no shorter than 5 inches as per an index card size from the top of the knee. Tanks should have at least a 3inch wide strap. Each advisor will have an index card in their registration packet.

**Dance/Activity Attire (Friday evening):**
1. Boys and Girls MUST wear school appropriate clothing. As there are active areas, shorts are permissible, but they must be no shorter than 5 inches from the top of the knee and tops must have straps at least 3 inches wide. Advisors are responsible to make sure their leadership team is appropriately dressed before entering the venue.
2. Shoes are to be worn, unless participating in games that require them to be removed, due to equipment use rules.
3. Bring a water bottle to keep hydrated as the venue gets quite warm.

**Session Etiquette:**
1. Attend all conference sessions at the designated times and places. Please be on time for all sessions.
2. Be courteous of other delegates during meetings and general sessions by not using electronic devices (cell phones, games, etc.) or noisemakers. Food and drink are not allowed in meetings or general sessions.

**Advisors:** Please retain these completed forms for reference during the conference.
**Student:** Please submit this signed form to your advisor.
Hotel Etiquette:
1. Be courteous to other hotel guests, their privacy and need for rest. Quiet time in sleeping rooms and halls begins at 11:00 p.m.
2. Respect the property of others. Students are not to take objects from hotel rooms, conference areas, or any other property visited.
3. Theft and vandalism will not be tolerated. Delegates must obey the rules of these facilities. The facilities have the right to ask a delegate or delegates to leave. Individuals are responsible for damages to property or furnishings and will pay for its repair or replacement.
4. Do not throw anything out of windows or over balconies. Do not run down hallways. Noise should be kept at a low, reasonable volume, especially in the hotel.
5. Trash (including pizza boxes, bottles, cans, etc.) must be placed in the proper receptacles and not left on guest or meeting room floors.

Conference Guidelines:
1. Respect the rights and safety of others. This includes exhibiting irresponsible behavior that endangers the health, safety, or welfare of him/herself/others or creating an intimidating, hostile, harassing, or offensive environment.
2. Observe the conference-stipulated curfew. Each member must be in his or her own assigned room at curfew. The advisor and other designated chaperones are responsible for supervision of their students. If there are any disruptions reported to the hotel, the advisor will be notified to correct the situation.
3. Under no circumstances are students permitted to be in the hotel room of a student of the opposite gender without an adult advisor present.
4. Understand that the use of alcohol, tobacco products, or illegal drugs is strictly prohibited. Any student found in possession or under the influence of any illegal drug or alcohol.
5. Stay in a safe, supervised environment. Unsupervised students should not leave the hotel at any time.
6. Wear the IASC Conference name tag to all conference activities.
7. Keep your advisor informed of your activities and whereabouts at all times. Accidents, injuries, and illnesses must be reported to the conference advisor immediately.

A violation of any of these guidelines could result in a student being expelled from conference activities for the duration of the conference and remanded to the custody of his or her advisor. The IASC office will notify both the student’s school principal and parents of all such incidents. Signatures below indicate that you have read the above guideline, are in agreement to comply with these expectations, and have permission to engage in the events and activities sponsored by the conference.

Conference advisors are responsible for the supervision of delegate conduct.

* Please print in blanks unless a signature is required.

Student Name: ______________________________ Signature: ______________________________

Parent/Guardian Name: __________________________ Signature: __________________________

School Name: __________________________ Principal Name: __________________________

Advisor Name: __________________________ Advisor Signature: ________________________

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