Parent Production Agreement

Bright Lights Theatre 2025

Please read all portions of the agreement and reach out to BLT's staff at <u>brightlightstheatretx@gmail.com</u> if you have any concerns of questions before registering your student for programming.

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Values/Beliefs

Bright Lights Theatre values:

- We value Jesus Christ and work to reflect Him in our thoughts, words, and actions.
- We value passion for the art of storytelling.
- We value a standard of excellence that cultivates mastery of the theatre arts.
- We value our shared responsibility to care for one another.
- We value the ongoing development of character traits that empower personal growth.
- We value community fueled by acceptance, encouragement, and support.

Bright Lights Theatre hold to the following Christian Doctrines:

1. God is Trinity- One God in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit

2. Jesus as Savior- He is 100% God and 100% man. He was born of a virgin, lived a sinless life, died a substitutionary death to take away the sins of the world, was physically resurrected from the dead, reigns at the right hand of the Father today, and will one day return to judge the living and the dead.

3. Authority and Inerrancy of Scripture- All 66 books of the Bible are true in all they affirm and have ultimate authority.

4. Creation- In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth and all that is within them and it was good.

5. Imago Dei- Humanity is created in the image of God. God created each person with intentional purpose.

*5a. Homosexuality: We believe that God created marriage to be between one man and one woman. God created man for woman and woman for man and any

variation of this goes against God's design for humanity being created in His image. Bright Lights recognizes that the fallenness of this world results in bent and broken human desires, but we believe the faithful response to those desires is a celibate life devoted to Christ.

*5b. Transgenderism: God created man and woman distinctly and saw that it was very good. Therefore, we believe that a faithful life is lived in light of a person's God-given gender at birth.

6. Sin- Sin is disobedience to the will of the Father that began with Adam and Eve, was imputed upon all humanity thereafter, and fractured all created things.

7. Salvation- Salvation is by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone.

*These topics will not be raised or discussed by the staff at Bright Lights Theatre with any student under 9th grade. While you can see our core beliefs on these issues above and the topics may be raised depending on the theatrical content being discussed, we will ultimately encourage high school students to look to their parent/guardian as their primary source of information and guidance.

Parental Authorization, Consent, and Release Waiver

1. I certify and affirm that I have been completely and thoroughly informed that my Child, as a participant in one of Bright Lights Theatre's quarterly production (the "Event"), will participate in certain activities which carry with them a degree of risk and danger. Examples of risky and dangerous activities and hazards both foreseeable and unforeseeable include, but are not limited to: indoor physical activities; games, both informal and organized; snack; crafts; and dancing on an elevated stage.

2. If my Child is injured or need medical attention while participating in this Event, I give Bright Lights, its employees, agents, and volunteers, permission to seek medical diagnosis and treatment which in their best judgment they deem to be necessary or appropriate under the circumstances.

3. In cases of emergency, I further consent to the examination or treatment of my Child by a physician duly licensed to practice medicine, or any health care professional duly licensed to provide health care services, in the State of Texas or my location, for medical care and services deemed necessary by Bright Lights, its agents, servants, and employees.

4. I give permission to the physician or health care professional to provide any and all medical care they deem, in their professional opinion, to be necessary. I agree to pay for any and all medical expenses incurred as a result of the use of this consent.

5. I also agree to fully release Bright Lights and hold its teachers, employees, agents, volunteers, borrowed servants, contractors, and other workers, paid or volunteer, harmless from any and all injuries, claims, liabilities or causes of action which may arise from the transportation or participation of my Child in the Event. I also acknowledge and understand that Bright Lights may offer other activities not listed above that present similar risks or dangers to my Child.

6. I consent to my participation in these activities. I acknowledge and understand that this PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION, CONSENT AND RELEASE has the same force and effect regardless of whether the activities engaged in are free or if a fee is charged.

7. Further, I personally assume, on my Child's behalf, all risk in connection with said activities for any harm, injury, or damages that may befall my Child as a result of my Child's participation in the activities, whether foreseen or unforeseen, and I still wish to allow my Child to proceed with the activities.

8. I understand that it is my obligation to inform the management of Bright Lights of any and all health considerations or medical conditions that would restrict my Child's participation in the Event.

9. I acknowledge that I am not aware of any condition or limitation that would dictate not having my Child participate in the Event. My Child will not participate in the Event should he or she become aware of any such condition or limitation and will not participate in the Event should he or she have any illness or disease which I reasonably understand to be contagious to others or would put others in jeopardy of contracting such illness or disease.

10. I agree that I have screened my child for COVID-19 symptoms. I certify that we as a household have not come into close contact with a person diagnosed with coronavirus or have traveled out of the country in the past 14 days. I agree that my child/ren have been free of a temperature over 100 degrees in the past 72 hours with no fever suppressing medicines. I certify that my child/ren does not have a cough, chills,

headache, sore throat, loss of taste or smell, or any other symptom that might indicate COVID-19. I understand that my child could be exposed to coronavirus even if proper social distancing and PPE is practiced during this event and I waive Bright Lights of responsibility if my child is exposed.

11. Should the need for medical attention arise, a representative of Bright Lights will attempt to contact you, as soon as practicable under the circumstances.

12. By agreeing below, I acknowledge that if anyone is hurt or property is damaged during my Child's participation in these activities, I may be found by a court of law to have waived my right to maintain a lawsuit against Bright Lights, separately or together, on the basis of any claim from which I have released them herein.

13. I agree that if any portion of this Agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

14. I have fully informed myself of the contents of this PARENTAL AUTHORIZATION, CONSENT AND RELEASE by reading it before agreeing to it.

Photo/Video/Audio Release

I consent to the use of my Child's photograph, likeness, image, voice, or performance on Bright Lights Theatre's Internet website, podcast, videotape or film clips, advertisements, or other official publications of Bright Lights Theatre, at the sole discretion of the board, and to be used in whole or in part for any and all broadcasting, audio/visual, and/or exhibition purposes in any manner or media throughout the world.

Bright Lights Theatre will never use a promotional picture of your student in conjunction with their full name.