

Welcome Pathfinder Staff and Volunteers,

We are excited that you have decided to join our 2022 - 2023 Pathfinder group!

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### Club Leadership/Staff/Volunteers

Director

Adam Chancy

Assistant Director Byron Hylton

Secretary/Treasurer Emma Rivera

Drill Instructors

Jonah McFall

Terrance Jenkins

Food Service and Coordinator Damian Jackson

Fundraising Specialist
Marquita McKinley

Media Assistant/Club Photographer Shawn Williams Daniel Rodney

Counselors

Friend 5<sup>th</sup> Grade
Kaylan Wilhit
Ranger 8<sup>th</sup> Grade
TBD

Companion 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
Daniela Williams
Sharon Coleman

Voyager 9<sup>th</sup> Grade
Rahul Venkataiah

Explorer 7<sup>th</sup> Grade
Raj Venkataiah
Guide 10<sup>th</sup> Grade
Dominique Ricketts

# Garland Jaguar Pathfinder Club 2022 - 2023

Date	Day	Time	Event
10-Dec	Sabbath	1 PM	Kick-off Meeting
14-Jan	Sabbath	At Sunset	Registration
5-Feb	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
19-Feb	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
5-Mar	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
15-Mar	Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 PM	Induction Practice
17-Mar	Friday	6:30 - 8:00 PM	Induction Practice
18-Mar	Sabbath	Church Service	Induction
19-Mar	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
2-Apr	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
6-Apr - 9-Apr	Thursday - Sunday	TBD	Pathfinder Camporee
16-Apr	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
7-May	Sunday	8 - 12 PM/ TBD	Pathfinder Club Meeting/ Olympics
21-May	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
4-Jun	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting
14-Jun	Wednesday	6:30 - 7:30 PM	Investiture Practice
16-Jun	Friday	6:30 - 8:00 PM	Investiture Practice
17-Jun	Sabbath	TBD	Pathfinder Day/Investiture
18-Jun	Sunday	8 - 12 PM	Pathfinder Club Meeting

<sup>\*</sup>Schedule days/times subject to change

### Garland Jaguar Pathfinder Club Schedule

8:00 – 8:20 AM - Opening/Worship

8:25 – 9:25 AM - Class 9:30 – 10:30 AM - Drill 10:35 – 11:35 AM - Honors 11:40 – 11:50 AM - Closing 11:50 – Lunch

On a rotating schedule, each Pathfinder class will be responsible for the opening and closing.

### Pathfinder Aim & Motto

Aim: The Advent Message to All the World in My Generation

Explanation: My relationship to Jesus Christ is of such a nature that it compels me to share with any who will receive it, the gospel—the good news of His soon return

Motto: The Love of Christ Compels Me

Explanation: I am drawn to Him by His exemplary life, the symbolic act of His crucifixion, His conquering resurrection, and His promise of an earth made new in the pattern of the original creation. The closer I find myself to Him, the closer I find myself identifying with the needs of my fellow human beings.

### Pathfinder Pledge & Law

By the grace of God, I will be pure, and kind, and true. I will keep the Pathfinder Law. I will be a servant of God and a friend to man.

The Law is for me to:
Keep the morning watch
Do my honest part
Care for my body,
Keep a level eye
Be courteous and obedient
Walk softly in the sanctuary
Keep a song in my heart
Go on God's errand.

Explanation:

By the grace of God Only as we rely on God to help us can we do His will.

I will be pure

I will fill my mind with everything that is right and true and spend my time in activities that will build

a strong, clean character.

I will be kind I will be considerate and kind, not only to my fellow man, but also to all of God's creation.

I will be true.

I will be honest and upright in study, work and play and can always be counted upon to do my very

best.

I will keep the Pathfinder Law.

I will seek to understand the meaning of the Law and will strive to live up to it's spirit, realizing that

obedience to law is essential in any organization

I will be a servant to God I will pledge myself to serve God first, last, and best in everything I am called upon to be or do.

I will be a friend to man. I will live to bless others and do unto them as I would have them do unto me.

Keep the Morning Watch. I will have prayer and personal bible study each day.

Do my honest part. By the power of God, I will help others, and do my duty and my honest share, wherever I may be.

Care for my body I will be temperate in all things and strive to reach a higher standard of physical fitness.

Keep a level eye. I will not lie, cheat or deceive, and will despise dirty talk or evil thinking.

Be courteous and obedient. I will be kind and thoughtful of others, reflecting the love of Jesus in all my association with others.

Walk softly in the sanctuary. In any devotional exercise I will be quiet, careful and reverent.

Keep a song in my heart I will be cheerful and happy and let the influence of my life be as sunshine to others.

Go on God's errands. I will always be ready to share my faith and go about doing good as Jesus did.

### Pathfinder Song

Oh, we are the Pathfinders strong; the servants of God are we. Faithful as we march along, in kindness, truth, and purity. A message to tell to the world; a truth that will set us free! King Jesus the Savior is coming back for you, and me!

### Pledge to the Flag & Bible

Pledge to the Christian Flag: I pledge Allegiance to the Christian Flag and to the Savior for whose kingdom it stands, one brotherhood uniting all mankind in service and love.

Pledge to the Bible: I pledge to the Bible God's Holy word, and will take it as a lamp unto my feet, a light unto my path, and hide its words in my heart that I may not sin against God.

### Class A Uniform

#### A. Beret

Description: When used, the Pathfinder logo must go on top of the left eye. When is not being worn, it must be held under the belt at the right front side, and not on the shirt epaulettes.

#### B. Shirt

Color: Tan

Style: Short sleeve

Description: Pocket flaps and shoulder epaulets.

#### C. Scarf (Neckerchief)

Description: Yellow with black edges and the Pathfinder World logo printed on the back. It shall be worn above the shirt collar.

#### D. Slide

Description: Cloth, black background with Pathfinder World. Slip-up parallel to the class tab, or just above the pocket level.

#### E. Honor Sash

Color: Black

Description: Shall be worn over the right shoulder down across to the left hip side with length no longer than the tip of the fingers on the left hand.

#### F. Pants/Skirts

Color: Black

Style: Dress Slacks, no jean type, BDU's, cargo or baggy pockets, (hidden or visible);

Style: Skirt, A-line, pleated front, belt loops

Description: With belt loops. NOTE: Uniform within Club. Consider also the tone shade and style.

Females: Avoid tight slacks at any time when uniform is in use or skirts that are above the knee.

#### G. Belt

Color: Black

Style: Web military style with the Pathfinder slide buckle. NOTE: Belt end tip should not be shown out of the buckle edge.

#### H. Shoes

Color: Black

Style: Men's Uniform Hi-Gloss Oxford Black Dress Shoes, Black - Panama Sole Military Jungle Boots - Leather

#### I. Socks

Color: Black for boys and girls

- Items A H may be purchased at adventsource.org;
- Item G, Black Dickie pants (without cargo pockets), can also be purchased at <a href="https://www.dickies.com">https://www.dickies.com</a> or at <a href="https://www.walmart.com">https://www.walmart.com</a>
- Item I, Uniform Hi-Gloss Oxford Black Dress Shoes or Black Panama Sole Military Jungle Boots Leather, can be purchased from <a href="https://galaxyarmynavy.com">https://galaxyarmynavy.com</a>

### Class B Uniform

Club T-shirt, black slacks, black socks and high gloss shoes

### Field Uniform

Club field shirt (club t-shirt)

Jean pants/shorts (no shorts can go above the knee)

Pathfinder belt

Tennis shoes

### Class A Uniform



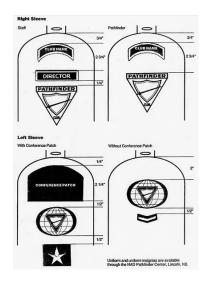




\*No cord will be needed\*









### International Pathfinder Camporee August 5 – 11, 2024 – Gillette, Wyoming

- Ticket cost for International camporee in Gillette Wyoming is \$225
- Payment deadline for the International Camporee is July 16, 2023
- Payment can be made in full or can be made in 5 monthly installments of \$45.00 on each of the following dates:
  - o March 19, 2023
  - o April 16, 2023
  - o May 21, 2023
  - o June 18, 2023
  - o July 16, 2023
- Estimated total trip cost is \$500\* per person plus the cost of registration (\$225)
- Additional information regarding trip details will be provided at a later date

<sup>\*</sup>Estimated total trip cost subject to change

	OFFICE USE C	DNLY		
Date received:				
Recommended with condition	ns noted:			
Conference Children's/Youth	Ministries Director Signature:	Date Approved:		

## CHILDREN'S/YOUTH MINISTRIES STAFF VOLUNTEER SERVICE INFORMATION FORM

The Texas Conference will use the information in accordance with the Faith Credit Reporting Act and will use it solely for the Conference's immediate need of verification for initial or continuing service. The information obtained will not be forwarded or submitted to other organizations or agencies.

In the interest of preserving the dignity and integrity of its employee and volunteer work force, the Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists may perform a background check on any person employed or volunteering for service in any entity of the Texas Conference. The purpose of a background check will be to verify the qualifications presented by the employee or volunteer. Any person in either category may request a background check, for which the person will be financially responsible, to verify or vindicate the person's good name.

SECTION I	BASIC INFORMATION	I								
Name:		Birth Da	ate:		Socia	ıl Secu	ırity No			
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Home Phone:		Work Phone:		Ministry: (circle one	) Adv	PF	MG	Other		
Church Name:			Club N	ame:				-		
Marital Status: (circ	ele one) Married Single	Divorced	Separated	Name of Spouse	:					
	Children's Names			Childre	n's DOB	(mon	th/day/	year)		
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2.										
3.										
4.										
SECTION II	HEALTH HISTORY									
Do you have or ha	ave you any injury/sickness that it hinder:	•		en's/Youth Ministrie	s activition	es?		Yes	No	
SECTION III	EDUCATIONAL RECO	RD								
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SECTION IV	EXPERIENCE									
Please list all exp	eriences (VBS, Sabbath School	, Adventurer or Pa	thfinder club, etc.)	that might qualify yo	u to worl	k with	childre	n and/or y	outh.	
Position			Type o	f Work						
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SECTION V SPECIALS	SKILLS OR INTER	RESTS					
Please list the areas in which you	ı are interested in helnir	na or teachina (divis	ion leader niano nl	aver assistant etc.)			
Circle: T = capable of teach	•		learning to teach	ayer, assistant, etc.)			
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Have you ever been accused, ch	arged or disciplined for	any unlawful condu	ct, child abuse, and	or child sexual abuse	? (circle	e) Yes	No
Date:	Place:						
Type of Conduct:							
If possible, please give the name				ou are now suitable fo	r Children's	/Youth Mini	stry work:
Name of Reference				Phone:			
Street		City			State	Zip	
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Please list below church memb							
Current Church/Past Churches (r	nost current first)	City, State			Pasto	r	
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SECTION VIII STA	ATEMENT OF ACC	CURACY/BACK	GROUND CHE	CK AUTHORIZA	ΓΙΟΝ		
The above information is accur services and time volunteered.	. I am aware that if the		n's/Youth Ministries	Department should re			
Applicant's Signature				 Date			

### Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists Medical Consent & Release Form



### **Guardian and Emergency Contact Information**

This for Please print.	form must be filled out at A copy of each sti		ning of every year m must be taken or				e year.			
Attendee's Name		S.S.#			A	Age D.	O.B/	Gender: N	И F	
AddressStreet							Month Day	Year		
Parent/Guardian Name			- 3			Relationship				
Father/Guardian			Work Phone				Home Phone			
Mother/Guardian			Work Phone				Home Phone			
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	Attendee's H	ealth Re	ecord and Med	dical I	nfor	mation				
Attendee's Physician's Name							Phone ( )			
Insurance Carrier			Health Card No.				Group No			
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I am applying to participate in an activity all Texas Laws, rules, regulations, policies taped during this event. I hereby give to trights for publication of said materials for permission to select a medical treatment fr	s and directives of the of the Texas Conference You for future promotions an acility, physician, and al	ficials of the outh Minis and advertis all necessary	the Texas Conference etries my permission ing. Further, I con y emergency medic	ce. I und on to use nsent an cal care	derstar e this id give requir	nd that as an att material and re e the Texas Co red in case of a	tendee, I may be elease them from onference Youth on accident or em	photographed and all liability and gi Ministries authori ergency illness for	video- ve the ty and me/or	
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Parent/Guardian Signature:						1	Date			

### TEXAS CONFERENCE OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS

Parents: Please complete and return as soon as possible.



### Safe Driver Pledge

Understanding the need for extreme caution when transporting people and the liability involved, I have not had any "reckless driving" violations or accidents in the past three years. I understand how to drive this vehicle safety and will do so to the best of my ability.

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Signature:	
Date:	
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Nombre:	
Firma:	
Fecha:	

### TRIP PERMISSION SLIP



Parents: Please complete and return as soon as possible.

<del>Child's <mark>Name:</mark></del>	
Activity:	
Activity Date:	
Departure Time:a.m./p.m.	Return Time:a.m./p.m.
Transportation:	
Sponsor:	
Cost: \$	
Texas Conference of Seventh-day Adventists ar injury occurring during this trip. This specifical those mentioned above. This recognizes a share does not include gross negligence on the part of	to indemnify and hold harmless the sponsoring institute, and sponsors from liability arising from any accident or a sponsors from liability arising from negligence on the part of the ded responsibility among church, student and home. This is those mentioned above. This does not waive coverage trance, which covers church-sponsored activities.
(Signature of Parent/Guardian)	(Date)
Mother's Name:	Father's Name
	Father Home Phone:
	Father Work Number:
	Father Cell Phone:
Alternate Emergency Contact:	
Family Physician:	
	Phone Number:
	Phone Number:
Insurance Coverage Policy:	Phone Number:
Please check if any of the following apply:  My child needs medication. (Parent is recand correctly authorized container.)  My child is allergic to insect bites to the empty of the many child is allergic to (medications or othem.)  My child has special dietary requirements	quired to furnish medication in the original, properly labele extent that he/she needs medical treatment.

### CHILD PROTECTION PLAN RESOURCES

### Seventh-day Adventist Church in North America





#### NAD - YOUTH/CHILDREN'S MINISTRY VOLUNTEER CODE OF CONDUCT

#### Acknowledgment

Because I want the best possible environment for our children and youth to grow up in, it is important that those working with children have guidelines for conduct in order to protect both themselves and those under their care. As a ministry volunteer, I want parents and others to feel comfortable and confident with me.

## My Commitment to Volunteer Ministry As a Youth/Children's Ministry Volunteer, I will:

- 1. Provide appropriate adult supervision at all times for the children for whom I am responsible.
- 2. Have at least one other adult, eighteen (18) years of age or older, to help with the supervision of children. If I find myself in a situation where I am the only adult present, under no circumstances will I allow myself to be alone with one child (the "two-person rule"). This protects the child as well as protecting the adult from possible allegations.
- 3. Ask a child's permission before physically touching him/her anywhere, even when responding to an injury or problem. This is especially true for any areas that would normally be covered by a T-shirt and/or shorts. If an injury is within this area, make sure another adult works with you as care is provided.
- 4. Refrain from physical and verbal attacks and corporal punishment which are inappropriate behaviors and should never be used as discipline. "Time outs" or "sit-in-that-chair" may be helpful discipline methods to use with children.
- 5. Affirm children with appropriate touching by keeping hugs brief and "shoulder-to-shoulder" or "side-to- side." I will keep hands at (not below) the shoulder level. For small children who like to sit on laps, I will encourage them to sit next to me.
- 6. Provide extra care when taking small children to the restroom. I will take another adult along, or leave the door open.
- 7. Be aware of conducting activities in rooms that do not have an interior viewing area, or I will leave the door open during the activity to allow easy observation by others.
- 8. Cooperate with the volunteer screening process and complete the Volunteer Ministry Information form, as required by the church.
- 9. Be aware of the signs and symptoms of child abuse and aware of the legal requirements for reporting suspected cases of abuse. In addition to any legally required reporting, I agree that if I become aware of any behavior by

another individual whicl	h seems abusive or i	nappropriate towards	children I am supervising,	I will report that
behavior to the church	pastor, elder, or direc	tly to the Conference	Treasurer's or Risk Mana	gement Director.

- 10. Cooperate with church leadership in conducting children and youth ministries by being a volunteer who is loving, kind, firm, and always a thoroughly professional person. Working with children and youth is not only a privilege; it is also a serious responsibility that must be approached with utmost care.
- 11. Participate in orientation and training programs conducted by the church.
- 12. Uphold the standards of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.
  - \* In the event I find it impossible to comply with the above, I will comply as closely as possible with the Code of Conduct and act in good faith for the welfare of the people involved.

Thank You for your service as a Youth/Children's Ministry Volunteer Please retain a copy of this document and keep it for reference.



### Registration Instructions **Adventist Child Protection Screening**

Click here for a detailed video on the registration process

#### (PREFERRED BROWSER: GOOGLE CHROME)

Step 1: Go to https://ncsrisk.org/adventist and click on the first-time registrant button

Step 2: Select the Union and Conference where you work or volunteer (SOUTHWESTERN UNION & TEXAS CONFERENCE)

Step 3: Create a user ID and a password you can easily remember. It's recommended to use your email address for your

Please create a user id and password that you will use to access your account ames like Mary and John are not good choices as they are most likely already in mon abbreviations like "jernith" and "mjones" are also likely to already be in use, ng your full name (without spaces) or email address as they are move likely to Create a Password:

Step 4: Please provide the information requested on the screen. (Note: Do not click the back button or your registration will be lost).

Step 5: Select the primary location where you work or volunteer and click continue. If you work or volunteer in another location, please select 'Yes' and then select the location.



**Step 6:** Select your role(s) within the organization (multiple may be selected).

Step 7: Click on the green circle to begin the online training.



#### Additional Details:

Once the online training and the submission of your background check is completed, you can login to your account and click on 'My Report' to view your online training and view your background check completion date. You can also access 'Update My Account' to update your personal information.

Step 8: Please read the instructions regarding the details of the online training and then proceed. Select 'Click Here' to begin the online training (Note: Training can take up to one hour).



# Registration Instructions Adventist Child Protection Screening

### Click here for a detailed video on the registration process

**Step 9:** Upon completion of the online training, you will be instructed to complete a background check. Please complete the steps within the background check process (Note: The background check will only take 5-10 minutes).



**Step 10:** Consent Form (please read and fill out the information requested). The consent form will look like this: (depending on the background check package associated with your role)



#### Additional Background Check Information:

- Enter your full LEGAL name Not an alias or nick name
- You will be giving consent to run the background check on Step 3
- The Fair Credit Reporting Act governs all background checks – We are NOT checking your credit report. Use of the word "credit" references the law. You can print a copy of that consent form.

\*\*\* On the digital signature portion, kindly make sure to enter the same name format that you have entered initially on the Registration Process as the system is made to be very case sensitive.

**Step 12:** Confirm the information is correct and click submit. Once the background check has been successfully processed you will be notified via email (please check junk/spam folders).