



# MICHIGAN CONFERENCE

## PATHFINDER CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

### Pathfinder Pledge

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

### Pathfinder Law

1. Keep the Morning Watch
2. Do my honest part
3. Care for my body
4. Keep a level eye
5. Be courteous and obedient
6. Walk softly in the sanctuary
7. Keep a song in my heart
8. Go on God's errands

I would like to join the Berrien Springs Spanish Golden Eagles Pathfinder Club. I am in the 5th grade or above. I will attend club meetings, hikes, camping and field trips, missionary adventures and other club activities. I agree to be guided by the rules of the club and the Pathfinder Pledge and Law.

*Pathfinder Signature:* \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Fee \$ <u>40</u>	Club Dues \$ <u>20</u>
Name _____ Age _____ AY Class _____	
Address _____ City _____ State _____	
School _____ Grade _____ Church _____	
Baptized? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Home Phone _____ Email _____	
My dad is a Master Guide Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	My dad has been a Pathfinder Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
My mother is a Master Guide Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	My mother has been a Pathfinder Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

### APPROVAL BY PARENTS OR GUARDIANS

We have read the Pathfinder Pledge and Law and are willing and desirous that the applicant become a Pathfinder. We will assist the applicant in observing the rules of the Pathfinder organization. In consideration of the benefits derived from the membership, we hereby voluntarily waive any claim against the club or the Michigan Conference of Seventh-day Adventists for any accidents which may arise in connection with the activities of the Pathfinder Club.

As parents, we understand that the Pathfinder Club program is an active one for the applicant. It includes many opportunities for service, adventure, and fun. We will cooperate:

1. By learning how we can assist the applicant and club leadership.
2. By encouraging the applicant to take an active part in all club activities.
3. By attending events to which parents are invited.

We hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_ was born \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of father or guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Father's or guardian's occupation*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Signature of mother or guardian*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Mother's or guardian's occupation*

Date of application \_\_\_\_\_

## Consent to Treat & Health Insurance Information

**Name of Pathfinder Club:** Berrien Springs Spanish Golden Eagles

We/I the undersigned parents/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor, do hereby give our/my permission for him/her to participate in this year's Pathfinder Club. We/I am aware that by my child's participating in this activity, there is the possibility that there may occur a need for emergency medical treatment as a result of accident or sickness.

**Complete the following.**

If yes to any of the following, please check and elaborate below.

### Health History

_____ Frequent Sore Throats	_____ Diabetic	_____ Convulsions/Seizures
_____ Frequent Ear Infections	_____ Rheumatic Fever	_____ Asthma/Lung Problems
_____ Heart Defects/Disease	_____ Stomach Problems	_____ Bleeding/Clotting
_____ Sickle Cell Disease/Treat	_____ Kidney Problems	_____ Sleepwalking
_____ Mononucleosis	_____ False/Capped Teeth	_____ Bed-wetter
_____ Glasses/Contacts	_____ Sinusitis	_____ Other _____

**Allergies** - Describe type of allergy and reactions and specify drug/medication names.

**Current Medications:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Date of last Tetanus Immunization/Booster:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Permission to administer (Y/N):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physical restrictions/Abnormalities** – Describe: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Family Physician:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Emergency Phone#** \_\_\_\_\_

In the event emergency medical treatment becomes necessary for my child, we/I grant to \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Pathfinder Director) or his or her assistants, authority to obtain such emergency medical assistance.

We/I also consent to my child's being transported from the Pathfinder meeting premises by private car, church-owned bus, or other modes of transportation for the purpose of the activity. We/I further grant permission for medical personnel to administer emergency medical treatment. This consent shall remain in continuous effect until revoked in writing and delivered to the above-named director or to the club entrusted with the custody of said minor.

Pathfinder insurance is coordinated with the Pathfinder's personal health care plan. Therefore, the above named Pathfinder's family health insurance is:

**Present Health Insurance Company** \_\_\_\_\_

**Policy Number** \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# GOLDEN EAGLES PATHFINDER CLUB PHOTO/VIDEO WAIVER

I, \_\_\_\_\_, grant permission to the Berrien Springs Spanish Golden Eagles Pathfinder Club to take photos and videos of my child, \_\_\_\_\_, during any and all Pathfinder functions. I understand and agree that these photos and videos may be used in any manner that the Pathfinder staff/Church deems appropriate. I further understand that any such use of the above mentioned materials would be done in a responsible and Christian manner and with the best interest of my child always in mind.

I also agree to relieve the Berrien Springs Spanish Golden Eagles Pathfinder Club and the Berrien Springs Spanish Church and its staff of any legal responsibility for any issues arising from the use of my child's photos and videos.

Pathfinder's Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print) \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# Berrien Springs Golden Eagles Expectations

*The Pathfinder law is for me to:*

<p>1. Keep the morning watch Joshua 1:8</p>	<p>--- Bring your Bible on all outings for use in worships and personal devotions ---- keep God on your mind throughout the day</p>
<p>2. Do my honest part Eph 6:6-7 Luke 2:52</p>	<p>--- Attendance at regular meetings is expected. Please be on time ---Participation in extra programs (such as campouts) is dependant on your attendance record (illness, emergencies are excused) - 75% of points are needed ---- help others who need you. Be responsible for the tasks assigned. ---- keep your area clean at club meetings, bus, and tents. --- Stealing, or destruction of property or belongings are not allowed. Parents will be responsible for replacing any damaged or stolen items.</p>
<p>3. Care for my body Eccl 12:13 1 Cor 6:19-20 Eph 5:3</p>	<p>--- Modest and appropriate dress is expected at all times (no shorts above the knee, tank tops, no leggings etc) --- Field uniform (Club T-shirt or hoodie, jeans and sneakers) is to be worn for regular meetings. ---Full dress uniform (including scarf, sash and beret, and belt) is to be worn for official pathfinder events such as: Camporee, Fair, outreach activities, investiture, Pathfinder Sabbath, and others as designated by the club director. ---For swimming activities: Females are to wear modest one piece swimsuits and males are to wear modest boxer type swimsuits. --- Pathfinders are allowed to buy snacks (with their own money) at rest stops on trips but caffeine will not be allowed.</p>
<p>4. Keep a level eye Col 3:23 Matt: 6:22</p>	<p>--- Control your temper. Keep your goals in sight. --- In order to stay focused on Pathfinders, electronic entertainment devices (smart phones, computers, tablets, etc) are not allowed. They will be collected at the beginning of each event and returned at the end of each event. In case of an emergency ask your counselor or your director to call home.</p>
<p>5. Be courteous and obedient Josh 24:15 Gal 5:22-23 Titus 3:1</p>	<p>--- Be polite to others, Negative conversations about others, foul or crude language, inappropriate jokes, picking on someone, racism etc... will not be allowed at any time. We will not tolerate any sexual, verbal, and/or physically aggressive behaviors in any of our activities. Remember you are representing Christ as well as Pathfinders. --- Don't forget to be courteous and keep your hands to yourself. --- The staff are here to teach you and help you through your Pathfinder experience. Please show them respect, and pay attention to their instructions. Do not leave the group without telling your counselor or TLT.</p>
<p>6. Walk softly in the Sanctuary Lev 26:2</p>	<p>---Reverence is expected during worship, devotionals, church services, and in the entire church building.</p>
<p>7. Keep a song in my heart Eph 5:19</p>	<p>---Be cheerful, no matter what you are doing! --- Listening or reciting lyrics of inappropriate songs and videos are not permitted.</p>
<p>8. Go on God's Errands Isa 5:8</p>	<p>--- Jesus Christ is the center of all that we do in Pathfinders. --- We need to follow His lead and be ready to help whenever possible.</p>

### Behavior - 3 Warnings Policy

First warning	--- Will be issued when an unacceptable behavior (breaking any of the expectations mentioned on page 1) takes place.
Second Warning	---All Good Behavior points for that meeting will be lost. However if after the second warning, the Pathfinder turns their behavior around, their counselor may return up to 4 of the Good Behavior points.
Third Warning	--- The Pathfinder will be sent to the Director. The Director will determine whether or not to call the parents to come and pick up the Pathfinder and take him/her home.

The third time during the Pathfinder year that a third warning has been given, the Director may ask the Pathfinder to withdraw from the club. A Pathfinder who is asked to withdraw from the club may reapply the following year. Acceptance will be determined by the club director in consultation with the staff and the Pathfinder's parents. If a Pathfinder is asked to withdraw; there will be no refund of any kind for past or upcoming events.

### Point System:

*Points are awarded to each Pathfinder at each event:*

Attendance 2 points	--- if arrived on time --- 1 point will be given if the pathfinder arrived later (after fall in) and left early (before closing prayer)
Supplies 3 points	Bible 1 pt Journal 1 pt Pen(cil) 1 pt
Uniform 2 points	--- will be given for complete uniform --- 1 point for incomplete uniform
Participation 3 points	--- volunteering to lead out in the pledge, law, song, prayer, helping set up/take down, cleaning etc,, --- participating in discussions --- engaging during class time
Behavior 5 points	--- abiding by the expectation mentioned in page 1. --- having a good attitude

If homework was assigned and completed on time an added 5 Bonus Points will be given.

**TO EXCUSE AN ABSENCE TEXT: LILLY (269) 208-6012**

I have read these expectations on \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) and agree to abide by them.

Pathfinder Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_