

#### HISTORY

Upper Bucks Alliance for Creative Expression (UBACE) was formed to enrich the lives of people in the communities of Upper Bucks County and surrounding areas. We provide young people with opportunities that enable awareness of, appreciation for, and active participation in the performing arts in a safe, drug-free environment.

## **OUR MISSION**

To foster, inspire, and celebrate personal growth opportunities for area youth and adults through creative expression in a safe, vibrant, nurturing environment.

## **OUR VALUES**

Creativity, Respect, Courage, Joyfulness, Caring, and Unity

## **PHOTOGRAPHY & PUBLICITY RELEASE**

I grant UBACE and its fiscal agent permission to use my name, likeness, image, voice, and/or appearance as such may be embodied in any pictures, photos, video recordings, audiotapes, digital images, and the like, taken or made on behalf of UBACE activities. I agree that UBACE will have complete ownership of such pictures, etc. including the entire copyright, and may use them for any purpose consistent with the UBACE mission. These uses include, but are not limited to illustrations, bulletins, exhibitions, videotapes, reprints, reproductions, publications, advertisements, and any promotional or educational materials in any medium now known or later developed, including the internet. I acknowledge that I will not receive any compensation, etc. for the use of such pictures, etc. and hereby release UBACE and its agents and assigns from any and all claims which arise out of or are in any way connected with such use.

# Enriching Life Through The Arts!

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## CODE OF CONDUCT

It is the policy of UBACE to ensure that all members, volunteers, musical directors, and officers promote artistic expression through a collaborative approach that exemplifies respect, cooperation, teamwork, and honesty. At all times, members are required to cooperate with and respect fellow members, musical directors, volunteers, officers, and parents.

As a UBACE member you are expected to abide by the following Rules and Code of Conduct:

- Arrive for practice, events, and fundraisers on time and prepared to play at the designated start time.
- Wear appropriate non-revealing clothing at all UBACE activities, including practice.
- Speak to others as you would want to be spoken to. Profane language, arguing and/or verbal abuse towards fellow members, musical directors, volunteers, officers, and parents will not be tolerated.
- Show the utmost respect for all other members, musical directors, volunteers, officers, and parents regardless of their gender, disability, sexual orientation, cultural background, or religion.
- Be responsible for member dues, if any, or meet any fundraiser obligations promptly.
- Members are not permitted to smoke, at any time while engaged in UBACE activities, including but not limited to practice, UBACE events and/or fundraising actives.
- Members may not use, ingest, or otherwise be under the influence of alcohol, and/or illicit drugs at any time.
- Members are required to be responsible for their own actions and to respect the artistic abilities, interests, and musical equipment of fellow members, volunteers, musical directors, and officers.
- Members are prohibited from bullying, abusing, or otherwise touching, harassing, or intimidating fellow members, volunteers, musical directors, officers, and/or parents.
- Cooperate with musical directors, volunteers, officers, parents, and community members at all times, including while representing UBACE at any performance and/or fundraising activity.
- Cooperate with, respect and abide by all decisions, including artistic decisions, made by the musical director.
- Members must behave appropriately at all times and avoid behavior which may inconvenience or upset other members, musical directors, volunteers, and/or officers or portray UBACE in a bad light within the community.
- Accept both artistic success and failure in a noble and selfless way.
- Respect and care for property belonging to UBACE or any member, musical directors, volunteer, officer, or parent.
- Do not leave practice, shows or UBACE functions without communicating your departure with the UBACE volunteer, officer, or individual in charge.
- Be responsible and care appropriately for your own musical equipment, clothing, and property.

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## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I acknowledge that I have received the UBACE Code of Conduct (Code). I understand that should I need further clarification on a particular aspect of the Code, it is my responsibility to ask the musical director and/or UBACE officers.

I understand that UBACE retains the right to change the Code as it deems advisable.

I understand that I must comply with all the provisions contained in the Code. I also understand that if I do not comply with all provisions contained in the Code, I may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including discharge from UBACE.

Member Signature

Full Name (PRINT)

Parent Signature

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Date

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## **PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION FORM**

Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name	Last Name	
Nick Name	Date of Birth	
School District	Grade	
Primary Instrument	Secondary Instrument	_
Do you take lessons? Y N		
Do you read music? Y N Do you read tabs? Y N		
Cell Phone	Email	
Mailing Address:		
Allergies or Medical Conditions:		
GUARDIAN/EMERGENCY	CONTACT:	
Primary	Secondary	
Relationship	Relationship	
Cell Phone	Cell Phone	
Email	Email	

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