



CLAY 2023

Community Endorsement Form

Home Team # _____

As an official representative of

Name of Endorsing Community: Parish, Congregation, Lutheran Synod or Anglican Diocese

I, _____ holding the office of
Print Name

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Name of title or office (ie. clergy, parish or congregational officer)

- I affirm that this community is endorsing the participation of a Home Team at the Canadian Lutheran Anglican Youth (CLAY) gathering in Waterloo, ON
- The following persons have been selected as Home Team Leaders in order for our community to participate in CLAY:
(PRINT THE FULL NAME OF EACH HOME TEAM LEADER)

Primary Home Team Leader: _____

Additional Home Team Leader: _____

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- I certify that I am of the opinion and belief that the Home Team Leader(s) listed above is/are capable of carrying out the responsibilities of a Home Team Leader and in my opinion will be responsible and dedicated Home Team Leader(s) for the youth at this gathering (Find list of responsibilities here: <https://claygathering.ca/hometeams/>)
- I certify that the Home Team Leader(s) listed above have been screened and endorsed by our community to work with youth, in accordance with our protection policies for vulnerable persons.
- I certify that the Home Team Leader(s) listed above have completed a criminal record check, including vulnerable sector check, and that a favourable result was received.
- Our community leaders understand that all Home Team Leaders are directly responsible and accountable to their home parish, congregation, synod or diocese through its leadership and accepts the responsibilities outlined in the materials posted on the CLAY website.
- We have reviewed with the Home Team Leader(s) listed above, the ELCIC Policy for the Protection of Children, Youth and other Vulnerable People, as well as all relevant protection policies of our congregation, parish, synod and/or diocese. We have taken appropriate steps in order to ensure these policies are adhered to.

- We have made the parents and guardians of all youth participants aware of the leadership, travel and accommodation arrangements for this event.

Signature of official representative from endorsing community

Date