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## **Permission Form**

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Boys Council is a structured support group for adolescent boys that live in Colusa County. It is designed to foster self-esteem, help boys maintain authentic connections with peers, and other adults in their community. The group allows boys a safe place to share their feelings verbally and creatively as they gain a deeper understanding of themselves and those around them. This program does not provide counseling but gives students a place to give and receive support from their peers. We will discuss a variety of teen issues and may occasionally have guest speakers.

The group meets during the school year once and may meet during the regarding the Council or your son's involvement, please feel free to call (	
My son,, has my permission academic school year session of the Boys Council. I understand that verbal expression and that the guidelines established in group provide Information shared in group will be safeguarded as private statements/behaviors/evidence of things posing a risk of real harm to you	the Boys Council encourages creative and the foundation for group communication. information with the exception of
We may conduct a pre and post survey to all youth who attend group to participating in Boys Council.	that will measure some of the outcomes of
Photos may be taken during group activities/field trips for the use of pronwill be kept confidential.	moting the Boys Council program. Identities
I give my son permission to be transported by probation personnel for Boys Council activities. I understand that I may contact the facilitator with questions or comments about the Boys Council. Covid-19 safety precautions will be followed during all group activities.	
I agree to the above information and would like my son to participate in	Boys Council.
Student Signature	Date
Parent Signature	Date

Facilitator Name: Sarah Regnani, Counselor Phone Number: (530) 701-6475, (530) 458-5871

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