

USCHS U-THON Permission Form

April 17th – 18th 9:00 p.m. - 5:00 a.m. Upper St. Clair High School

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Student Email: _____ T-shirt size: _____

UTHON is an 8-hour event held annually for USCHS students where they dance, play games, eat, and raise money for children stricken with childhood disease through Children's Miracle Network.

The event starts at 9 p.m. and all participants must arrive by 9:30 p.m.

All proceeds from this event will be donated to Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh.

Rules, Guidelines, and Expectations:

This form verifies that both the parent/guardian and student participant have a firm understanding that this event is a "lock-in". Unless otherwise indicated by the early release section, students participating in U-THON will not be permitted to leave the building after 9:30 p.m. unless specified on the back of this form. Once checked in, participating students are required to remain within the designated U-THON area of USCHS until the end of the event at 5:00 a.m.* This is a school event; therefore, all school rules apply and must be followed. In the event of inappropriate behavior, the parent/guardian indicated below will be notified and the student will need picked up immediately.

**All participants will be on their feet without sleep during the 8-hour event. Studies have shown that sleep deprivation performance is similar to being under the influence of alcohol. We strongly recommend arranging a ride home at 5 a.m.*

PRICE

cash or checks made out to USCHS

Registration: *(guaranteed t-shirt size, dancing, grade games, small activates, crafts, food, fun!)*

- Feb 13 – March 20 \$25 registration
- March 23 – April 16 \$35 late registration *(not guaranteed a t-shirt during this timeframe)*

STUDENT AGREEMENT

By signing below, I confirm that I understand what U-THON is and what will happen during the event. I understand that this is a school-organized event and all school rules regarding acceptable behavior will apply. I understand that any disrespectful behavior will be followed up with my parent/guardian and the USCHS Assistant Principals. I agree to arranging a ride home for myself at 5:00 a.m. with my parents/guardians. Finally, I agree and am excited to be awake and on my feet for the duration of the night ... for the kids!

Student Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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PARENTAL/GUARDIAN CONSENT

I give permission for _____ to participate in Upper St. Clair's U-THON on April 17 from 9:00 p.m. (*must arrive by 9:30 p.m.*) until 5:00 a.m. at USCHS. By signing below, I understand that participants will be active through the night (8 hours), and I have considered the recommendation from the USC U-THON leadership team for participants to arrange a ride home following the conclusion of the event. I will coordinate a ride home for my child at 5 a.m.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____ **Phone Number:** _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____

Emergency Contact (in the event parent cannot be reached):

Name: _____ **Relationship to student:** _____

Phone number: _____

Our menu for the night is based on donations from families and local businesses. Please contact Brooke Tarcson (btarcson@uscscd.k12.pa.us) with any questions, comments, or concerns regarding food at U-THON. While we cannot base our menu on specific allergies, we are willing to ensure all participants a fun event with food they can eat.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Late Arrival / Early Release

****if applicable****

We understand that there may be extenuating circumstances requiring your student to arrive after check-in at 9:30 p.m. or leave earlier than 5:00 a.m. Please fill out the form below if you have a circumstance in which you are unable to participate in the full length of U-THON.

Once you have completed this section, please see Mrs. Tarcson in the Activities Office to receive final approval.

Late arrival (after 9:30 p.m.): _____

Please circle which early release time you will be departing:

We are limited departure times due to the confusion of previous years. It is very hard to keep track of what time students depart.

12:00 a.m.

2:00 a.m.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Activities Office (Mrs. Tarcson's) Signature: _____

Mrs. Tarcson only needs to sign this if you are leaving early – if you are staying all night – skip this section!