SMCHS WINTER FORMAL GUEST CONTRACT 2027

Completed contract due to SMCHS Activities Office by 3:00pm on Thursday, January 14, 2027

SMCHS DEANS OFFICE SIGNATURE REQUIRED: _____Date: _____

All students and guests must show a current student/government ID card to check in at the dance.

Winter Formal 2027
Saturday, January 23, 2026, 7:30 PM – 10:30 PM
Aquarium of the Pacific
100 Aquarium Way, Long Beach CA 90802
All students must check in by 8:30 PM and will not be allowed to leave before 9:30 PM

Guest Name _____Grade_____

SMCHS Student Name_____ Grade:_____

FOR SMCHS STUDENT & PARENT/GUARDIAN:
I request that SMCHS allow my son/daughter to attend the SMCHS Winter Formal. I understand that this is not a mandatory activity and I agree to direct my student to cooperate and conform to the directions of the supervisory personnel at this school function. I am aware of the rules and consequences should my son/daughter violate these rules. **I understand that random drug/alcohol screenings may be conducted. I consent to the testing of my son/daughter if he/she is selected. I understand that all vehicles and persons entering or leaving the event are subject to search and inspection. I understand that his/her personal belongings and those of his/her guest may be searched. Guests must also comply with this policy and consent to such a test and search.** Inappropriate dancing will result in being asked to leave the dance, parent contact, and loss of dance privileges.

My son/daughter and I have read and understand the rules and consequences in force for this school function. In case of emergency, supervisory personnel have my permission to seek any medical treatment deemed necessary.

SMCHS Student Parent Name _____

SMCHS Student Emergency Phone Number Night of _____

_____ _____
SMCHS Parent/Guardian Signature **SMCHS Student Signature**

Guest's School of Attendance: (if applicable): _____

Guest's Emergency Contac First & Last Name : _____

Guest's Emergency Contact Phone Number Night of Winter Formal: _____

DRESS CODE

All attire must be modest and appropriate for a Catholic Christian environment. Winter Formal is formal dance, and thus you are expected to follow the SMCHS guidelines for formal attire. Students and *their*

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guests must adhere to the following dress code. It is the responsibility of the SMCHS student to clearly communicate these guidelines to their guests if they do not attend SMCHS. SMCHS requires that students keep their shoes on during the dance.

Men:

- Full tuxedo or formal suit must be worn at entrance (no denim or leather)
- Dress shirt with tie (mandatory)
- Dress shoes (hard soled) or sneakers (i.e. Converse, Toms, etc.) and socks
- Hair well-groomed
- Dress shirts and shoes must be worn at all times

Women:

- Dresses must be knee length or longer.
- Slits on the dress can be no higher than 6 inches above the knee
- Dress length is measured from the bottom of solid material
- Slips and/or sheer extensions are not considered part of dress length
- Any modifications / alterations of a dress or jumpsuit, (that includes safety pins, tape, etc.), will not be approved.
- Modest cleavage, no plunging necklines, no plunging backs and visible bandeaus not allowed.
- No bare midriffs or cutouts
- Bandage/body conforming, stretchy skirts/dresses made out of material such as lycra, spandex, or similar material are prohibited.
- Dress shoes/dress sandals or sneakers (i.e. Converse, Toms, etc.) are required and must be worn at all times.

Please review the SMCHS Formal Dress Code guidelines on page 46-47 of the 2026-2027 Parent Student Handbook. Attendees (guest included) unable to comply with the Dress Code will be refused admittance. Students with concerns about the appropriateness of their attire may submit a picture of themselves wearing the outfit (front and back) to the Deans Office for approval prior to the event. Questions, email Deans@smhs.org

BEHAVIOR CODE

SMCHS rules and consequences will be enforced at this event. Please refer to the parent/student handbook for all policies and consequences for conduct. **Certain types of dancing (moshing, freaking) are considered inappropriate or dangerous and are therefore prohibited. Attendees who engage in these types of dancing will be subject to school consequences – removal, parent contact, loss of future dance privileges.** Use or possession of alcohol, drugs or any other illegal mood-altering substance is strictly prohibited before/during this event. **Attendees deemed to be in possession or under the influence of any banned**

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substance will be removed from the dance. School consequences will be implemented. Law enforcement officials may be contacted.

GUEST VERIFICATION

Guests must be at least sophomores in high school and under 21 years of age. All students wishing to attend Winter Formal and bring a non-SMCHS guest must **complete this form, attach a legible copy of guest photo ID and submit it to the Dean of Attendance and Discipline by the announced deadline date.** The deadline date is not flexible and the school will not approve late guest passes. I have read and understand the dance contract, rules & consequences in addition to dress code requirements on page 2.

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- **IF THE GUEST IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE, A PARENT OR GUARDIAN MUST ACKNOWLEDGE AND SIGN THE FOLLOWING:**

_____ _____ _____

Guest Parent/Guardian Signature | Guest Parent/Guardian Name (printed) | Parent/Guardian Phone # Night of WF

- **IF THE GUEST IS OLDER THAN 18 AND UNDER 21 YEARS OF AGE, THE GUEST MUST ACKNOWLEDGE AND SIGN THE FOLLOWING:**

I understand that I am responsible for my conduct at this SMCHS school function. I will abide by the rules and consequences in force for this school function. I understand that the student sponsoring my attendance is held accountable for my behavior**. I understand that if my behavior is deemed uncooperative or inappropriate, I will be asked to leave this SMCHS school function.**

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Guest Signature | Guest Name (Printed)

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Assistant Principal/ Dean/ Administrator Recommendation/ Verification (To be completed and signed by an Administrator at the Guest's school. College students do not need to complete this section)

The above-mentioned student has been asked by an SMCHS student to attend an SMCHS school function on January 23, 2027. Please verify the status of this student.

Student Name _____ Grade _____

I certify that this student is in the grade stated and that he/she is a student in good standing at our school.

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Guest School | Contact Number

_____

Administrator's Name (printed) | Title

_____

Administrator's Signature | Date

Attach business card of recommending Assistant Principal/Administrator here

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