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Guideline Type: Junior Program

1. PURPOSE

The creation of a Junior Program at South Jefferson Rescue Squad, Inc. is intended to provide our community with the following:

- Well rounded individuals with experience in Leadership and Citizenship
- Giving young people the opportunity to explore career options while learning life skills
- Improving the future of volunteer recruits for S.J.R.S.

2. RESPONSIBILITY

The Board of Directors or designee will directly supervise the Junior Program.

3. PROCEDURE

- a. The Junior Program will consist of students between the age of 16 and less than 18.
- b. A junior member must maintain a 2.0 grade point average at all times while a member of the Junior Program and be in good standing with their school. When reports cards are distributed to the school, the junior member must present the original to the Board of Directors or designee who will make a copy for their file. Failure to turn in a signed statement will result in suspension until the statement is presented.
- c. A parent and/or guardian may request that his/her child be temporarily removed from the Junior Program due to poor performance at school. A signed statement must be submitted to the Board of Directors as soon as possible.
- d. Should a student be suspended or expelled from school, they will notify the Junior Program Supervisor immediately. The member will be suspended from responding to call pending an investigation and review by the Board of Directors.
- e. Responding to ambulance calls is prohibited between 9:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. Monday through Thursday during the school year.
- f. Responding is prohibited between midnight and 6:00 a.m. Friday through Sunday and during school vacations.
- g. Junior members are not permitted to spending the night at the station.
- h. Junior members are not permitted to be in the building unless there is a regular member at the station.

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- i. At no time will a junior member be removed from school by South Jefferson Rescue Squad, Inc. for the purpose of responding to a call or assisting on a call.
- j. If a Junior member is found skipping school, or a required school event, to respond or to assist on any call, that Junior member will be suspended immediately from the Junior Program for a time to be determined by the Board of Directors. Expulsion from the program could result.
- k. No junior member shall, under ANY circumstances, drive any apparatus owned or operated by S.J.R.S.
- l. At no time is a junior member permitted to use a green light or hazard lights while en route to the station for a call.
- m. S.J.R.S. is in no way responsible or liable for any moving violations received while en route to the station for any reason.
- n. At the discretion of the Crew chief, a junior member may not be allowed to respond to certain ambulance calls (based upon dispatch information provided).
- o. All junior members must abide by the By-Laws adopted by South Jefferson Rescue Squad Inc.

4. FORMS

| Form Name | Form Number |
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| Application for Junior Membership | 11-032 |
| Recommendation Form | 96-51 |