

# Warrior Guides and Braves

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**Description:** The **Warrior Guides** is a Henderson High School mentoring club which is open to every Henderson High School student who understands the **Mission** and **Aims** of the club and is willing and able to meet its **Expectations**, and follows the **Rules** of the club. The club is currently working with 6<sup>th</sup> grade students from Widener Partnership Charter School and 7<sup>th</sup> grade students from Chester Community Charter School. These **Braves** also understand the **Mission** and **Aims** of the club and are willing and able to meet the **Expectations** set for every mentee and will follow the **Rules** of the club.

**Mission:** The **Mission** of the Warrior Guides club is to form one-on-one relationships between Henderson High School students and local children in need of role models, and to create events that will give opportunities for the mentors (Warrior Guides) and mentees (Braves) to have experiences together which can grow their relationships and foster mutual respect, honesty and trust.

**Aims:** The **Aim** of the Warrior Guides club is to grow leadership in each mentor, developing a sense of value and responsibility in each high school student, encouraging them to raise the bar in their own moral and ethical conduct. The club also **Aims** to have each mentee better understand their personal worth and potential, seeking to make righteous choices for themselves while believing that their mentor will reliably encourage and support them and challenge them to greater achievements.

**Expectations:** There are a few **Expectations** for the members of the Warrior Guides club:

1. Every mentor will attend at least 5 club-organized and scheduled events with their mentee during the course of the 2011-2012 school year.
2. Every mentor will make a minimum of three “personal touches” throughout the school year. These “personal touches” can include a birthday card, a personal phone call, or a personal communication such as a text or email.
3. Every mentor will attend the culminating activity at the end of the school year.
4. Every mentor will display role-model behavior and show respect at every event.
5. Every mentor will bring a positive, encouraging attitude and patience to every event.

There are also a few **Expectations** for the members of the Brave program:

1. Every mentee will attend at least 5 club-organized and scheduled events with their mentor during the course of the 2011-2012 school year.
2. Every child will attend the culminating activity at the end of the school year.

3. Every child will show respect at every event.
4. Widener Partnership Charter School or Chester Community Charter School Rules apply at every event.

**Rules:** All mentors must adhere to the following rules:

1. All mentors who will be turning 18 years old prior to 9/1/12 must complete the following:
  - a. Criminal Background Check (\$10)
  - b. Child Abuse Clearance (\$10)
  - c. Name check against the National Sexual Offenders Registry
2. Absolutely no Facebook friendships with any of the children in the Warrior Guides program.
3. Absolutely no personal visits with any children in the Warrior Guides program.
4. No alcohol, tobacco, weapon, or fire arms can be brought to any Warrior Guides event.
5. No foul language will be used at any Warrior Guides event.

All mentees must adhere to the following rules:

1. Absolutely no Facebook friendships with any of the Henderson High School students.
2. Absolutely no personal visits with any high school student in the Warrior Guides program.
3. No alcohol, tobacco, weapon, or fire arms can be brought to any Warrior Guides event.
4. No foul language will be used at any Warrior Guides event.