



Job's Daughters

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Dear US and Canadian GGCs and Bethels,

We know that many states and provinces have begun to open back up and we wanted to provide you some information about any decisions you make about 'in person' activities with regard to insurance coverage.

JDI has a liability policy that protects JDI for all US and Canadian normal activities. That is what the Daughters pay each year from their dues. It protects all levels of the organization including GGCs and Bethels. As the governing body for business affairs, the Board of Trustees is the insurance holder on your behalf.

Once the Board and ESGC line voted to suspend in person activities through August 31, the liability shifted to your GGC or EBGC should something happen during an unrecommended 'in person' activity. This is no different than you deciding to hold a non-recommended activity such as an organized bounce house during 'normal' times.

Right now, the JDI liability insurance would view 'in person' activities as not recommended and therefore not cover us should something happen. That something could be anything someone might sue us for - injury, illness, accident, etc. This would also include things like organized Bethel participation in an 'in person' community event.

We cannot force you to not do 'in person' activities since we don't control your day to day activities, but the risk to your GGC and/or your Bethel concerns us greatly and why we strongly recommend you continue to not hold 'in person' activities until such time as the Board of Trustees lifts the recommendation.

The Board of Trustees will meet at the beginning of August and communicate with you further on the ongoing situation.

We all are feeling the frustration and sense of loss about our normal activities, but the creativity we have seen across the JDI world has given us renewed hope that we will emerge from this with new appreciation for this special organization. Please make all possible efforts to keep your Daughters and adult volunteers virtually connected during this time. Please stay safe and well.

Sincerely,

John Coulter
PASG 2015 2016; Chairman Board of Trustees
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