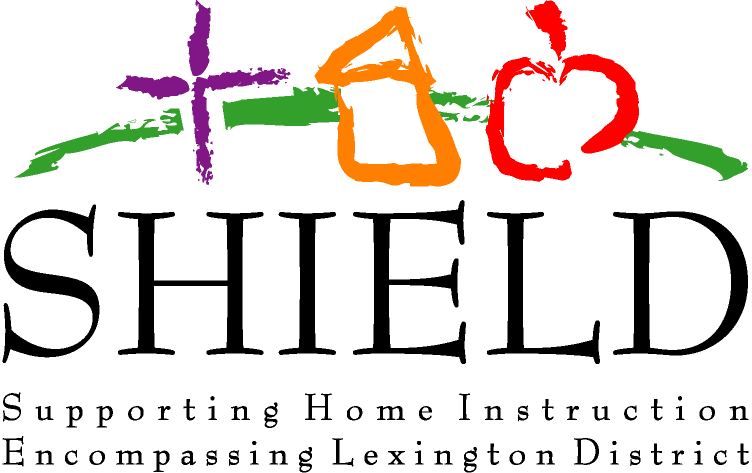
**SHIELD Membership Application**

**2011-12**

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| **Check One: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Returning Member \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ New Member (New to homeschooling?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_)  ALL** members must sign and include a copy of the SHIELD Statement of Faith. | |
| **Date** |  |
| **Parents' Names** |  |
| **Street Address** |  |
| **City, State, Zip** |  |
| **Home Phone** |  |
| **Cell Phone (optional)** |  |
| **Email Address** |  |
| **Church Name** |  |
| I understand that SHIELD is a local homeschool support group and does NOT fulfill the legal requirements for homeschooling in SC. I also understand that SHIELD is for families homeschooling according to SC law (S.C. Code § 59-65-40(A)/§ 59-65-45/§ 59-65-47). Virtual Charter Schools do not fall under this homeschool law and are therefore not eligible for SHIELD membership.    \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  *Signature Date* | |
| The above information will be included in our SHIELD Directory. This list is given only to SHIELD members and we ask that it not be shared. If you do NOT want your information included, please check here: ­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ | |

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| **Child’s Name**  **(as it should appear in yearbook)** | **Grade**  **(for yearbook)** | **Homeschool Accountability**  Statutes 59-65-40, 59-65-45, and 59-65-47 | | | **Not home schooled** (public, private, or Virtual Charter School) |
| **Option 1 (does not include VCS)**  (list local school district) | **Option 2**  (check box for  Scaihs) | **Option 3**  (list “3rd Option”  group) |
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**\*\*WE NEED YOUR HELP!** SHIELD depends on parents to serve as leaders, coordinators, and volunteers in various areas. We could not do it without you! What areas of SHIELD would most interest you? (We encourage dads to get involved too!)

1st choice:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 2nd choice: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Mail to:**   
SHIELD  
c/o Beth Martin  
301 Foxhall Drive  
Lexington, SC 29073

**MEMBERSHIP DUES: *(Make checks payable to SHIELD)***

**$30 – Total Cost for Membership**

Includes: $15 for SHIELD Membership and

$15 for SCHEA Membership

**$10 Late Fee** will be charged for membership *renewal* **after August 31, 2011 *(NEW members do not pay late fee)***

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| ***To be completed by SHIELD*** | |
| **Amount Paid** | **$** |
| **Cash or Check #** |  |

*Already a SCHEA member for 2011-12? (deduct $15)*

*SCHEA member number\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_*

**SHIELD Areas of Service**

**SHIELD Leadership Team Member**

**Academic Presentation Day(s)**

**Mid-Year Meeting**

**Achievement Night**

**Talent Night**

**Activities**

Field Trips for Older Students

Field Trips for Younger Students

Field Day Planning/help

Park Days Planning/help

**Student Clubs**

Boys Club Coordinator

Kindergarten

1st/2nd Grade

3rd/4th Grade

5th/6th Grade

Girls Club Coordinator

Kindergarten

1st/2nd Grade

3rd/4th Grade

5th/6th Grade

Other Club-

**Yearbook Advisory Panel**

Assist with SHIELD Formal

Chaperone SHIELD Formal

Assist with Yearbook layout

Assist with Photography

**THRILL Advisory Panel (Teen community service group)**

**SHIELD Statement of Faith**

We believe that the Bible is the Word of God written without error (2 Tim. 3:16, Matt. 5:18, John 17:17, Heb. 4:12).  We believe that the Bible is our sole authority which reveals God, the fall of man, the way of salvation through the blood of Jesus Christ, and God’s plan and purpose for the ages (Hebrews 1:1-3, James 2:19, 1 Peter 2:24, Leviticus 17:11, Hebrews 9:22, 1 Corinthians 15:22).

We believe in one God, eternally existent in 3 persons:  Father, Son, and Holy Spirit – the same in essence (Gen. 1:26, Deut. 6:4, Isaiah 45:18, Matt. 28:19, II Corinthians 13:14, 1 Peter 1:1-2, Jude 20-21).

We believe that salvation is by grace (Ephesians 2:8).  The conditions of salvation are confession and belief in Jesus Christ, who knew no sin, but died a substitutionary death on Calvary for the whole world, being made sin for us (Romans 8:32, John 3:16).  He arose bodily from the grave, ascended into heaven, and is now our Advocate and High Priest at the right hand of the Father (John 11:25-26, 1 Cor. 15:1-4).

We believe that men are justified by faith alone, and are accounted righteous before God only through the merit of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ (Romans 10:17, Romans 5:1-2, Romans 3:21-26, Acts 16:3, Acts 20:21).

I have read the Statement of Faith and agree with it.

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(Signature)

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(Date)