

## YOUTH COMPUTER USER AGREEMENT

Please read the Computer Access Policy and then sign this User's Agreement.

### **I. Mission Statement for Computer Use.**

Internet Access to computers and the internet at the Broadview Public Library District is an extension of the Library's commitment to meeting the community's information needs. The library does not guarantee the security of individual Internet sites and is not responsible for or liable for any resulting damage. In addition to using the Internet as an information resource the library also seeks to provide the opportunity for Internet use to members of the public. We make internet service available as part of our mission to provide materials, information and services responsive to the evolving needs of our diverse community.

### **II. Children and the Internet**

- a. Children may access the computers without a parent or legal guardian being present with a valid library card and a signed computer access user agreement on file. All parents or legal guardians are encouraged to discuss with their children appropriate use of computers.
- b. Parents or legal guardians, not the library or its staff, are responsible for the Internet information accessed by their children. Parents or legal guardians may restrict their children and only their children, from access to Internet resources available through the library. If a parent or legal guardian decides that their child may no longer have access they must request that their child's card be blocked at the circulation desk.
- c. Non-Resident children will be charged \$1 per session.

### **III. Unlawful Use**

Unlawful use of the Internet is prohibited and may result in the loss of internet privileges or legal prosecution. Users who violate these terms of service will forfeit their computer time and risk losing future computer and/or Library privileges. Illegal acts that involve the Library's computers are subject to prosecution by local, state or federal authorities, and Internet activity can be traced to an individual computer station. Please be considerate of the individual right and privileges of other computer users. Minor library patrons and their parent/guardians assume personal responsibility and liability, both civil and criminal, for unauthorized or inappropriate use of the internet through the Library's computers.

**I have read and agree to follow the library's policies regarding Computer Access and use. I accept responsibility for:**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_