The Roxbury Township School District is proud of the many successes that students and staff achieve every day within Roxbury Township’s seven area schools. The Roxbury Township School District regularly announces and publicizes achievements, activities, and events. Achievements, activities and events include, but are not limited to, academic presentations, art exhibits, athletic events, awards, community service activities, concerts, contests, district presentations, honors, honor roll(s), music, outstanding academic work, outstanding educational initiatives, plays, special programs, sports, student(s) of the month, and/or teams.

At various points throughout the school year, or during summer programs, your child may have an opportunity to be photographed or videoed for publicity and/or announcement purposes. Achievements, activities, and events are announced through area publicity and media outlets, as well as presentation venues. Publicity and media outlets include, but are not limited to, printed and/or on-line newspapers and/or magazines, radio and/or television news sites and/or social media platforms, as well as the Roxbury Township Public Schools’ website, teacher webpages, the district’s newsletter, email and social media platforms, and/or public presentations or displays in buildings throughout the district and the greater community, such as, but not limited to, your child’s school, other district buildings, government buildings and/or area malls and/or universities.

**Media Consent grants:**

- Permission for a photo/image that includes student without any other personal identifiers to be published on the district and/or school’s web site and social media platforms, as well as sent in press releases to area media and publicity outlets and publications, and/or public presentation venues or displays.

- Permission for photo/image, name, and/or school, and/or grade to be published on the district and/or school’s web site and social media platforms, as well as sent in press releases to area media and publicity outlets and publications and/or public presentation venues or displays.

- Permission for student name, photo/image, and/or school, and/or grade, as well as images of student’s outstanding art work and/or outstanding academic work to be published on the district and/or school’s web site and social media platforms, as well as sent in press releases to area media and publicity outlets and publications and/or public presentation venues or displays.

By granting permission, you also: 1) Release the school district from any liability that might be incurred as a result of granting this permission, as well as waive and give up any and all claims related to the foregoing; 2) Understand the district is not responsible or liable for another person’s postings or online sharing of your child’s likeness or personally identifiable information; 3) Understand that no home address, email address, or telephone number will appear with your child’s picture or work on any district communication platforms. Additionally, locations and times of class trips will not be released.

Pursuant to law, we will not release any personally identifiable information without prior written consent from you as parent or guardian, unless as part of an athletic and/or academic team, performing arts group, and/or other public performance based activity, or as part of a large group photograph submitted without names. As you are aware, there are potential dangers associated with the posting of personally identifiable information on a web site since global access to the Internet does not allow us to control who may access such information. These dangers have always existed; however, we as schools do want to celebrate your child and his/her work. The law requires that we ask for your permission to use information about your child. This Media Consent Form is to both inform you and to give you the option to “opt-out” of giving Media Consent permission.

(Check one)

_____ **YES, I DO grant permission** to acknowledge my child’s achievements, activities, and/or event participation, through media, websites, publicity, presentations and/or within school and/or district and community presentation venues.

_____ **No, I DO NOT** grant permission to acknowledge my child’s achievements, activities, and/or event participation, through media, websites, publicity, presentations and/or within school and/or district and community presentation venues.

Student Name: _______________________________ Grade: _____ Date: ________________

Parent/Guardian: (print) _________________________ Signature: __________________________

Relation to Student: ____________________________

If you, as the parent or guardian, wish to rescind this agreement, you may do so at any time in writing. This signed consent form shall be in effect for the time period in which the student is enrolled in the district. In the event the student is an adult, all references to “my (our) child” shall be deemed to apply to the adult student.