



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF WHATCOM COUNTY
FERNDALE BRANCH

After School Transportation 2018-2019 School Year (Ferndale)

First Come First Serve Sign Ups At the Whatcom County Boys & Girls Club Ferndale Branch

The Boys & Girls Club of Whatcom County – Ferndale Branch is committed to ensuring safe transportation to the clubhouse after school through a transportation program with The Ferndale School District.

Sign Up

Sign-ups are on a first come first serve basis. If more than 90 members sign up, a wait-list will be created. Attendance records will be audited periodically to ensure that members enrolled are attending the Clubhouse at least three times per week.

Prioritization

Due to the limited number of spaces on the bus, transportation eligibility for both elementary and middle schools is restricted to families who need after school transportation from school to the Clubhouse **3+ days a week**. Club members who ride the bus and attend the Club less than 3 times a week may forfeit their place on the bus, and the next single person on the waitlist will be offered the space (will not apply to siblings).

Bus Service

Bus service will begin on the first day of school, Wednesday, September 5th. We follow the the Ferndale School District calendar so there will be no transportation on school closure days. *Club members must be enrolled in after school transportation in order to be eligible for transportation on early release days.*

Behavior

Student expectations while riding the bus are no different than that of The Whatcom County Boys & Girls Clubs or Ferndale School District. Students are expected to make smart, safe, responsible choices and show respect for all others on the bus, bus equipment, and be mindful of following all safety rules outlined by the bus driver. Students who make poor choices or those who don't follow all behavior expectations will lose bus privileges.

2018-19 After School Transportation Agreement

Club Member Name/Names:	School:	Grade:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Parent Agreement:

By signing below, you the parent/guardian understand that:

- The after school transportation program is operated by the Ferndale School District and managed by the Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County.
- My child/ren understands the behavior expectations outlined by their school standards and by the Boys & Girls Clubs Parent/Club Member Handbook.
- In order to maintain placement on the bus, my child/ren must ride the bus & attend the Clubhouse at least 3 times a week.
- You do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless The Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County, the organizer, sponsors, supervisor, participants and person transportation my/our child/ren from the Ferndale Clubhouse to their school.

Parent/Guardian Name (print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____