



## KRUSADER COMMUNITY LITERATURE & ARTS INITIATIVE ENDORSEMENT LETTER

We thank you for your endorsement of the Krusader Community Literary & Performance Arts Program (Kru-munity). This form was created to make the process easier by formatting your endorsement letter(s). This form does not hold you liable for any donations, contributions, or participation in our initiatives; it is specifically used for administrative purposes.

### **The Purpose**

Kru-munity is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Your endorsement allows us to facilitate our literary & mentoring programs in a variety of different institutions, venues, and events. They may also be used to procure contributions, materials, and services to aid in this initiative.

### **Endorsement Types**

Choose the program you would like to endorse by placing your initial on that form. You may endorse either, or both.

- **Option A:** Children's literature, mentoring, and performance arts programs; providing literature & entertainment for children in community events & parades.
- **Option B:** Inmate book clubs; prison mentoring; cultural literature, informative entertainment through books & magazines.

### **Signature**

Entities require that endorsements are provided by authorized officials. Please submit your title in accordance to your position. We also request that you enter correct contact information for validation purposes.

Once completed, please print the form, sign pg. 4 and fax (or email) the document to us.

### **Mailing Address**

Krusader  
3400 W. 111<sup>th</sup> Street – Unit #360  
Chicago, IL. 60655

## **OPTION A**

### Children Literacy & Mentoring Initiative

The Kru-sader Community Initiative Program (Kru-munity) has my endorsement. I have reviewed the materials and am impressed with the content of the materials and equally importantly, the emphasis that the program places on the encouragement of childhood literacy. The Kru-munity materials actively engage young learners in the learning process. The activities are not only pedagogically sound but also of high interest to young learners. Of special note is the fact that the Kru-munity materials are culturally inclusive to the greatest extent possible.

It is also honorable that Kru-munity supports performing arts programs – such as music and dancing – in an effort to entertain children while enriching their concentration and cognitive thinking skills.

We believe that the Kru-munity program has the ability to increase the youth's interest in Literature & Performance Arts, and we endorse to their efforts.

Initial:

## OPTION B

### Inmate Book Club Endorsement

I support Kru-munity in its quest to offer literature and mentoring to jails & prisons in the form of books, magazines, and inmate book clubs. I am aware that the literature disseminated to inmates shall include one (or more) of the following subject matter: Culinary Arts, Legal Advice, Transitional Services (that assist with their reintegration into society), Political News (and how it relates to them), Stories & novels, Concentration Games & Puzzles, Current Events, Interviews (with people they can relate to), Congruent Careers Exposé.

Through their literature content and mentoring, they broaden horizons and give information & referrals to counseling, education, and employment, and community organizations that will aid them in successfully reintegrating with society.

We believe that the Kru-munity program encourages inmates to embrace reading by supplying informative literature with subject matter that they can relate to, in a format that they customarily enjoy.

We endorse Kru-munity's inmate literature initiatives in \_\_\_\_\_ County; the county in which I reside.

Initial:

## Signature Authorization

I declare under the penalties of perjury that I am authorized to sign this application on behalf of the organization below and that I have examined this form, initialed and entered all fields applicable, and to the best of my knowledge it is true, correct, and complete.

Endorser Information:	
Name:	Date:
Street Address:	Business/Organization:
City:	Position/Title:
State:	Telephone number:
Zip:	Signature:

Please print this form, sign the signature box, and return by:

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