

Informed Consent & Liability Release Form

THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY. PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING. DO NOT SIGN OR INITIAL THE RELEASE, IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR DO NOT AGREE WITH ITS TERMS.

- 1) I have asked to participate in camp activities with Horn Creek Conference Grounds (HCCG). I understand that the outdoor activities may include rock climbing, indoor or outdoor rock climbing walls, high or low ropes course, alpine swing, swimming, waterslide, hiking, horseback riding, tubing, water rafting (with qualified company). I understand that these activities may involve the risk of exposure to inclement weather, which can result in personal injury, death, and property damage. I understand that accidents or illness can occur in remote places without medical facilities. I understand that all of these activities can be strenuous activities, which should not be participated in by persons with heart or cardiovascular ailments or other serious illnesses. I represent that myself and my family is in good health and physically, and mentally capable of participation in said activities. I understand that any route or activity, chosen as a part of our outdoor adventure, may not be the safest but has been chosen for its interest.
- 2) I understand that rock climbing, indoor or outdoor rock climbing walls, high or low ropes course, alpine swing, swimming, waterslide, hiking, tubing, water rafting, or horseback riding involve the risk of falls or other injury; encounters with manmade and natural obstacles or conditions; and equipment or guide failure which may result in personal injury, death, and property damage.
- 3) I understand that participation in climbing walls, ropes course, and alpine swing activities includes the use of ropes and other climbing equipment. I understand that the use of their equipment carries with it the risk of equipment failure and of necessity requires a participant to rely on the cooperation, skill and ability of other participants or an instructor which can result in personal injury, including death and property damage.
- 4) I understand that participation in any activity with horses carries with it the risk of equipment failure and possibility of injury or death from the horse. I also understand that helmets are optional, and with the signing of this form, you release HCCG from any liability for a minor or adult from injury for not wearing a helmet.
- 5) I understand that participation in any water activities (on HCCG property or with a qualified white water rafting company) is done at my own risk. A minor may only participate in water activities if supervised by a certified lifeguard or a legal parent or guardian. I understand that even under supervision an adult or minor may suffer from injury or death.
- 6) I expressly assume the risk of personal injury, death and property damage set forth in paragraphs 1-5 above, which may result from my participation and my minor children's participation in the above activities on my behalf and on behalf of my minor children or wards and waive any claims based on negligence or breach of warranty I might assert on my own behalf or on the behalf of my minor children or wards against HCCG, its owners, board, agents, guests, and employees for personal injuries, death, and/or property damage sustained while participating in the fore mentioned activities with HCCG.
- 7) I further agree on my own behalf and on behalf on my minor children to hold HCCG, its owners, board, agents, guests, and employees harmless and to indemnify them for personal injuries to others and property damage which results from my own participation or my minor children's participation in any of the above activities.
- 8) I understand that the signature of the parent or guardian of a minor child on this agreement shall make all provisions of this release and agreement applicable to and binding on the minor child.
- 9) **I understand by signing this release that I give permission for pictures to be taken of me and or my minor children and for those pictures to be used for HCCG promotional items.**
- 10) This agreement shall be legally binding upon heirs, my assigns, legal guardians, personal representatives, and me. I have carefully read this agreement and understand its contents. I am aware that I am releasing certain legal rights that I otherwise may have and I enter into this agreement on behalf of myself, and/or my minor children of my own free will.

_____ Date

_____ Signature of Parent, Guardian, or Participant (if over 18)

Participant's Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Full Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Please check box if you *do not* want to be added to our mailing list.

Group attending with: _____ Occupation: _____

Each participant must have their own release form.

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