



VOLUNTEER WAIVER & RELEASE

“providing fun social connections, valued experiences & leadership development”

PREAMBLE

This TRIP is a valuable recreational volunteer opportunity, but it is not without potential risks, dangers, hazards, and liabilities to all Participants. These include, but are not limited to, personal injury, death, property damage, delay or inconvenience, expense and other loss, and cancellation or curtailment of the TRIP itself. All persons taking part in the TRIP are required to accept these and all other risks as a condition of their participation. The Society, its volunteers, employees, servants, agents, successors, administrators, assigns, and contractors, (hereinafter referred to as the Society) will not accept any liability for injury, loss, damage or expense suffered by any Participant as a result of participation in the TRIP. The information set forth in this agreement is intended to enable the Participant to better understand and accept the various risks involved. All Participants will be required to sign this Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risks and Indemnity Agreement, which will release the Society from any future claims which might arise as a result of participation in the TRIP.

STATEMENT OF PHYSICAL AND MENTAL FITNESS, INSURANCE

I am in good physical and mental health and I am able to fully participate in the TRIP and make informed, objective decisions. I am covered by appropriate personal accident and personal liability insurance coverage, or can and will personally pay for all costs and liabilities that I may incur by virtue of participation in the TRIP. I agree to purchase appropriate Medical insurance.

UNDERSTANDING AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISKS

I understand and acknowledge that participating in the TRIP will involve risks to me, both anticipated and unanticipated, that could result in injury, disease, illness and death to me and others involved in the TRIP, and as well as damage to or loss of property. Potential risks may include but are not limited to: cuts, bruises, sprains, strains, burns, fractures, disease, illness, heat injuries, paraplegia, quadriplegia, brain injury, assault, physical and mental injury, and death which may arise from accidents or incidents associated with the TRIP.

ACCEPTANCE AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK:

I am aware that the TRIP involves risks, dangers, hazards and potential liabilities including, but not limited to those referred to in this agreement as well as those not specifically described herein, whether anticipated or unanticipated. I freely accept and fully assume all such risks, dangers and hazards and the possibility of personal injury, death, property damage, or loss, resulting there from. I am covered by appropriate personal accident and personal liability insurance coverage, or can and will personally pay for all costs and liabilities that I may incur by virtue of participation in the TRIP. I agree to purchase appropriate medical insurance prior to departure.

I accept and assume all risks both listed and not specifically described - (initial box)



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RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of the Society allowing my participation in the TRIP, I agree as follows:

- a. To waive, release, and forever discharge the Society from any and all manner of action, causes of action, suits, demands, debts, contracts, claims, damages, interest, costs, and expenses, that I have, or may in the future have against the Society as a result of any loss, injury, disease, illness, death, and damage that I may suffer, by reason of or arising out of or, in any way connected with or resulting from participation in the TRIP, due to ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE, BREACH OF CONTRACT, OR BREACH OF ANY STATUTORY OR OTHER DUTY OF CARE, by the Society.
- b. To indemnify the Society and hold the Society harmless from all costs and expenses, including legal fees, incurred by me or on my behalf, in defending or in connection with any claim, action or proceeding which may be brought against me for any reason resulting from my participation in the TRIP.
- c. To agree, promise, and covenant not to sue, or assert any claim against the Society for any reason whatsoever arising from or in any way connected with my participation in the TRIP or from any claim brought against me by other participants or third parties.
- d. That this agreement shall be effective and binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators, assigns and representatives.
- e. That this agreement and any rights, duties and obligations as between the parties to this agreement shall be governed by and interpreted solely in accordance with the laws of the Province of British Columbia; and
- f. Any litigation involving parties to this agreement shall be brought solely within the Province of British Columbia and shall be within the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Province of British Columbia.

I understand and hereby release the Society from all liability, waive all claims against the Society and agree to indemnify the Society as listed above - (initial box)



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ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE EFFECT OF THIS AGREEMENT:

I have read and understand this agreement and agree that by signing this document I have given up certain legal rights which I or my heirs, executors, administrators, assigns and representatives may have against the Society. In entering into this agreement, I am not relying upon any oral or written representations or statements made by the Society with respect to the safety or value of the TRIP. I understand that I have the right to seek legal advice before executing this agreement.

PARTICIPANTS SIGNATURE

PRINT PARTICPANTS NAME

PARTICIPANTS ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBER

WITNESS SIGNATURE

PRINT WITNESS'S NAME

WITNESS ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBER

OFFICE USE

COMPLETE

INCOMPLETE

WAVIER & RELEASE RECVIDED DATE: _____

MEMBER #: _____ FILED BY: _____