



University of Missouri System

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LIABILITY WAIVER AND RELEASE TO BE SIGNED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN OF MINOR PARTICIPANT

THIS IS AN IMPORTANT LEGAL DOCUMENT. DO NOT SIGN IT WITHOUT READING IT!

I, _____, the undersigned parent or guardian of the minor child named _____ (“My Child”) hereby agree to the following terms and conditions, and make the indicated representations, in consideration of and as a condition My Child's participation in the following identified program, event or activity (the “Activity”), which Activity is being organized, produced, managed or permitted by The Curators of the University of Missouri (the “University”) at the indicated location(s) (the “Location”) on or during the indicated dates.

Activity:
Specific Risks include but are not limited to:
Risks includes provided transportation
Location(s):
Date(s):

1. Representation of Authority/Grant of Permission: I represent to the University that I am the lawful parent or guardian of My Child and am authorized to agree to the following terms and conditions of this agreement both on behalf of My Child and myself. I represent to the University that I have familiarized myself with the schedule of events and activities for the Activity and hereby grant permission for My Child to participate in the Activity and all events and activities associated therewith. Additionally, I understand the risks associated with the Activity as listed above and am assuming such risks.

2. Obligation to Follow Rules/Instructions: I understand and agree that: a) My Child must follow all published Activity rules and the instructions of University representatives associated with the Activity; b) if I participate in or am present with My Child at the Activity, I must follow all published Activity rules and the instructions of University representatives associated with the Activity; c) if I am present with My Child at the Activity, I shall ensure that My Child follows all published Activity rules and the instructions of University representatives associated with the Activity; and d) in the event that either I or My Child fails to obey those rules and instructions of the Activity, the University can remove either or both of us from the Activity.

3. Release of My Claims and Indemnity Agreement: In consideration of the above and of My Child’s participation in this Activity, I hereby waive, release, and forever discharge the University and its curators, officers, agents, employees, volunteers, representatives, successors and assigns (“Released Parties”) from and against any and all claims that I may have and that arise out of to: a) My Child’s participation in the Activity and that seek to recover for any injury to or death of My Child, or for any damage, loss and expense suffered by My Child, due to the negligence or fault of the Released Parties; b) my being present at the Activity and that seek to recover for any injury to or death of me, or for any damage, loss and expense suffered by me, due to the negligence or fault of the Released Parties. In addition to the foregoing, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, damages, losses and expenses (including attorneys’ fees) that arise out of my or My Child’s participation in or attendance at the Activity and that are claimed to be due to the negligence or fault of the Released Parties.

Assumption of Risk: I understand that the Activity involves certain risks, hazards and conditions, including those indicated above, that may be dangerous to My Child’s life, limb and property and that those risks, hazards and condition can arise in a variety of unforeseen or foreseeable ways, which may include: bodily injury, death or property damage. With such knowledge of the risks and dangers involved I am allowing My

Child to participate in the Activity and on my and My Child’s behalf agree to assume and do assume the risks associated the Activity.

4. Image/Media Release: I understand that the University may have photographs and recordings taken of persons present at the Activity. On behalf of myself and My Child I hereby: a) irrevocably grant permission to the University to make photographs, films, videos, reproductions, transcriptions and recordings (collectively, “Recordings”) and to use, display, publicly perform, distribute, transmit, broadcast, publish, duplicate and post, through any type of media and in any form, including through and on the internet and websites, Recordings, whether in whole or part, of me and My Child while present at the Activity, provided that such Recordings are not directly sold; and b) waive any right to inspect or approve Recordings prior to or after their use, display, public performance, distribution, transmission, broadcast, publication, duplication or posting. I understand that neither I nor My Child will receive monetary compensation in exchange for use of Recordings as stated in this agreement.

5. Health Care and Emergencies: I affirm my understanding that, by allowing me and My Child to participate in or attend the Activity, the University is not responsible for providing health care services or health care insurance for me or My Child. I certify that I will be responsible for the payment of any fees and charges that may be imposed by any doctor or medical facility for the provision of medical care for any injuries, illness or condition involving me or My Child during the Activity. I agree to indemnify and hold the University harmless from any claim that may be made by a doctor or medical facility for such fees and charges.

6. Health and Safety Policy Guidelines: Both before and during the Activity, the University may make decisions as necessary to comply with health and safety laws, orders, regulations, ordinances and guidance pertaining to epidemic or pandemic level communicable diseases. These public health concerns may result in a disruption, alteration, or other modification to the Activity schedule including, but not limited to, capacity restrictions, re-scheduling, shortening and re-locating of activities, social distancing requirements and changes to format of Activity presentations and events. The Activity is subject to change as deemed necessary by the University to address public health concerns. I understand the risks associated with potential exposure to contagious infections and diseases, and I, on behalf of My Child and myself, release the University, its curators, officers, employees, agents and authorized representatives from any and all claims related to the potential or actual exposure to contagious infections and diseases related to or arising from My Child’s participation in the Activity.

7. Laws of the State of Missouri: I understand and agree that this Agreement is governed by the laws of the State of Missouri. I further agree that if any part of this Agreement is determined to be unenforceable, all other parts shall be given full force and effect.

8. Acknowledgment: I certify that: a) I am the parent or legal guardian of My Child; b), that I have read this document; c) I am relying wholly upon my own judgment about the risk of harm, injury or death to My Child due to My Child’s participation in the Activity; d) I am over the age of 18; e) I am not signing this document based upon any oral representations, statements or inducements that have been made to me that are not stated in this document and f) am voluntarily signing this agreement as my own free act fully intending for me and My Child to be legally bound by it.

Parent/Guardian Signature:		Date:
Typed/Printed Name:		Relationship: