

Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

*****PLEASE READ CAREFULLY*****

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, provincial, and local governments such as the Halifax Regional Municipality (“HRM”) and federal and provincial health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

CHP has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19 at its facility; however, CHP cannot guarantee that you or the members of your association or sports league who are participating in the recreation, organized sports or similar activities will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending CHP to participate in organized sports or similar activities could increase your participants’ risk of contracting COVID-19.

HRM recommends that each person completing a booking inform each individual participant of this agreement. Those who are booking may wish to obtain waivers from each individual participant.

We understand that this Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability agreement is in addition to, and is not a substitute for, any other rental agreement, documentation or registration information that we might be required to execute by HRM and CHP in order to permit us to rent and use the facility.

By signing this agreement, we acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assumes the risk that its participants may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending the facility and participating in the organized sports or similar activities and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. We understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending the facility and participating in the organized sports or similar activities may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of our team/or group and others, including, but not limited to, HRM, CHP including its employees and volunteers, and program participants and their families.

WE VOLUNTARILY AGREES TO ASSUME ALL OF THE FOREGOING RISKS AND ACCEPTS SOLE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY INJURY TO THOSE ATTENDING THE FACILITY AND PARTICIPATING IN THE ORGANIZED SPORTS OR SIMILAR ACTIVITIES (INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, PERSONAL INJURY, DISABILITY, AND DEATH), ILLNESS, DAMAGE, LOSS, CLAIM, LIABILITY, OR EXPENSE, OF ANY KIND, THAT WE OR THOSE ATTENDING THE FACILITY AND PARTICIPATING IN THE ORGANIZED SPORTS OR SIMILAR ACTIVITIES MAY EXPERIENCE OR INCUR IN CONNECTION WITH THE PARTICIPANTS ATTENDANCE AT THE OUTDOOR FACILITY OR PARTICIPATION IN THE ORGANIZED SPORTS OR SIMILAR ACTIVITIES (“CLAIMS”). WE RELEASE, COVENANTS NOT TO SUE, DISCHARGES, AND HOLDS HARMLESS THE HALIFAX REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY, ITS MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, AND REPRESENTATIVES, OF AND FROM THE CLAIMS, INCLUDING

ALL LIABILITIES, CLAIMS, ACTIONS, DAMAGES, COSTS OR EXPENSES OF ANY KIND ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING THERETO.

WE UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT THIS RELEASE INCLUDES ANY CLAIMS BASED ON THE ACTIONS, OMISSIONS, OR NEGLIGENCE OF HRM, ITS MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, AND REPRESENTATIVES, WHETHER A COVID-19 INFECTION OCCURS BEFORE, DURING, OR AFTER PARTICIPATION IN ANY HRM DAY CAMP OR SIMILAR PROGRAM.

Insert Name of Sports Association or League

Signature

Print Name

Date