

Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk, and Indemnity Agreement 2017

In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way in the Western PA Orienteering Club event, I and/or my minor child, our personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin:

1. Acknowledge that I understand that there are risks associated with orienteering activities and that I am in good health and if at any time I believe conditions to be unsafe, I will immediately discontinue further participation in the activity. The risks may cause minor injuries, serious injuries or in extreme circumstances even death.
2. Fully understand that the risks associated with orienteering may be caused by me through my own actions, or inaction, or the actions or inaction of others participating in the activity and that there may be other risks either not known to me or not readily foreseeable. I fully accept all such risks and responsibility for losses, costs and damages, I incur as a result of my participation in the Activity.
3. Hereby accept and assume all such risks, and assume all responsibility for the losses, costs and/or damages following such injury, or death, even if caused in whole or in part, by the negligence of any and all of those involved with the running of the event and hold them harmless.
4. Hereby release, discharge and covenant not to sue the member club, their respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, officials, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, Orienteering USA, host third party operators and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "releasees" herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the "releasees" or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations, and I further agree that if, despite this release and waiver of liability, assumption of risk and indemnity agreement I and/or my minor child, or anyone on my and/or my minor child's behalf, makes a claim against any of the releasees I will indemnify, save and hold harmless each of the releasees from any litigation expenses, attorney fees, loss, liability, damage, or cost which may incur as the result of such claim.
5. I have read this agreement, fully understand its terms, understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and have signed it freely without the inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be invalid the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect.
6. The undersigned, if not already a member of Orienteering USA, is granted a one-time guest membership to Orienteering USA for the date stated below. Please note that this membership does not entitle you to the entire list of benefits of an annual member.

Event Site: _____

Date: _____

Print Name of 1st Minor Child

Print Parent/Legal Guardian Name

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Print Name of 2nd Minor Child

Mother - Father - Guardian

(Circle One)

Print Name of 3rd Minor Child

Telephone _____
(where we can contact you on this date if needed)

E-mail address (only if you want added to our mailing list) _____