

Carnegie Mellon University Explorers Club

This is a (check one or both, as applicable): _____ membership form _____ trip waiver

(If a membership form) Dues collected by: _____ Date: ____ / ____ / ____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK & GENERAL RELEASE

I want to participate in the Carnegie Mellon University Explorers Club and associated activities including, but not limited to, rock and ice climbing, mountaineering, spelunking/caving, hiking, backpacking, horseback riding, skydiving, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, whitewater rafting, cross-county/alpine skiing, (“Activities”). I understand that there are many risks, as well as benefits, associated with these Activities. **I understand that these Activities are inherently dangerous as well as physically strenuous and may cause serious physical injury, disability and death and I voluntarily assume all the risks.** In consideration of the benefits, I, on behalf of myself and those acting on my behalf, irrevocably and unconditionally release, waive, and promise not to sue Carnegie Mellon University, the Carnegie Mellon University Explorers Club and those acting on their behalf, from /for any and all liability for injuries, damages, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, including, but not limited to, suffering and death, connected with participation in the Activities, and transportation to and from the Activities. The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall apply to this release; if any of its provisions are declared illegal, unenforceable or ineffective they shall be deemed severable and all other provisions shall remain valid and binding. **I have read this release and I understand its contents.** I am signing it voluntarily and intend to be legally bound by it. I am an adult (18 years of age or older) OR I am a minor and my parent/guardian is co-signing below.

Signature

Date

Print Name

Date of Birth

School address: _____

Phone: _____ *E-mail address:* _____

I am a (please check all that apply):

CMU undergraduate student *CMU graduate student* *CMU alumnus/a*

CMU staff/faculty person *other (describe)* _____

Person to notify in the event of an emergency:

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Relation: _____

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Parent/Guardian Release Form for Students Under the Age of 18

PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18 MUST HAVE PARENTS/GUARDIANS CO-SIGN BELOW:

I want my son/daughter to participate in the Carnegie Mellon University Explorer Club and associated activities including, but not limited to, rock and ice climbing, mountaineering, spelunking/caving, hiking, backpacking, horseback riding, skydiving, canoeing, kayaking, sailing, whitewater rafting, cross-county/alpine skiing, (“Activities”). I understand that there are many risks, as well as benefits, associated with these Activities. **I understand that these Activities are inherently dangerous as well as physically strenuous and may cause serious physical injury, disability and death and I assume on behalf of my son/daughter all the risks.** In consideration of the benefits, I, on behalf of myself, my son/daughter and those acting on our behalf, irrevocably and unconditionally release, waive, and covenant not to sue Carnegie Mellon University and those acting on its behalf, from/for any and all liability for injuries, damages, claims, demands, actions and causes of action, including, but not limited to suffering and death, connected with participation in these Activities, and transportation to and from the Activities. The laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall apply to this release; if any of its provisions are declared illegal, unenforceable or ineffective they shall be deemed severable and all other provisions shall remain valid and binding. **I have read this release and I understand its contents.** I am signing it voluntarily and intend to be legally bound by it. I am an adult (18 years of age or older).

Signature

Date