

YOUTH WAIVER

INFORMED CONSENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

WARNING! THIS IS A BINDING LEGAL AGREEMENT

By signing this document, you will waive certain legal rights, including the right to sue. Please read carefully and clarify any questions or concerns before signing this document

1. As a participant in the sport of curling ("Curling") and the programs, activities and events of the Abbotsford Curling Club (the "Curling Activities"), I, _____ (the "Minor Curler") and I, _____, Parent/Guardian of the Minor Curler (the "Parent/Guardian"), acknowledge and agree to the following terms:

Disclaimer

2. The Abbotsford Curling Club and its directors, officers, committee members, employees, coaches, volunteers, officials, participants, agents, sponsors, owner/operators of the facility, and representatives (the "Releasees") are not responsible for any injury, property damage, expense, loss of income, damage or loss of any kind that the Minor Curler may suffer during, or as a result of, Curling or any of the Curling Activities, whether caused by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.

Inherent Risks of Curling Activities

3. The Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian acknowledge and understand that Curling and Curling Activities have some inherent risks. The combination of physically active participants, heavy moving stones, sudden movement, physical exertion, a cold environment, and slippery surfaces, on or off the ice, may create conditions where the potential for physical injury to the Minor Curler is very high.

4. The Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian further acknowledge that the Minor Curler is in good physical health and does not suffer from any known disability or condition which would prevent or limit the Minor Curler's voluntary participation in Curling or in any of the Curling Activities and the Minor Curler's participation could result in injury.

5. The Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian are aware:

- (a) That injuries in Curling and the Curling Activities can be severe and include, but are not limited to, concussions, other head injuries, heart attacks, stroke, muscle strains, muscle pulls, muscle tears, general muscles soreness, broken bones, injuries to knees and other joints of the body, injuries to the back;
- (b) That the Minor Curler's risk of injury is reduced if the Minor Curler follows all the rules established for participation in Curling and the Curling Activities; and
- (c) That the Minor Curler's risk of injury increases as the Minor Curler becomes tired.

Assumption of Risk

6. In consideration of the Releasees allowing the Minor Curler to participate in Curling and the Curling Activities, the Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian acknowledge:

- (a) That the Releasees have strongly recommended that the Minor Curler wear a CSA-approved helmet designed for ice sports (the "Helmet") to limit the risk of concussion or other head injury (the "Helmet Recommendation");
- (b) That the Minor Curler in choosing not to wear a Helmet, contrary to the Helmet Recommendation, is at risk of injury;
- (c) That the Parent/Guardian in permitting the Minor Curler to participate in Curling and the Curling Activities without a Helmet, contrary to the Helmet Recommendation, is aware that the Minor Curler is at risk of injury .

7. In further consideration of the Releasees allowing the Minor Curler to participate in the Curling Activities, the Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian agree to voluntarily accept and fully assume all risks, danger and hazards and possibility of personal inputs, death, property damage, expense and related loss, including loss of income, resulting from the Minor Curler's participation in Curling and the Curling Activities.

Photo Release

8. The Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian give their respective permission for the free use of the Minor Curler's name, voice, and image in broadcast, telecast or written account of Curling and/or any of the Curling Activities.

(Please turn over to sign waiver)

9. The Minor Curler and the Parent/Guardian acknowledge that they have read this agreement and understand it, that they have executed the agreement voluntarily, and that this agreement is binding upon themselves, their heirs, executors and representatives.

Printed Name of Participant:

Signature of Participant:

Printed Name of Guardian:

Signature of Guardian:

Date: dd/mm/yyyy
