

**MCCS YOUTH ACTIVITY PROGRAMS**  
**MARINE CORPS BASE HAWAII at KANEOHE BAY**  
**PARTICIPATION CONSENT AND LIABILITY RELEASE**

As parent/guardian of the herein below named Minor Participant (hereinafter referred to as "Minor"), I grant my permission for him/her to participate in all Marine Corps Community Service (MCCS) Youth Activity Programs at Marine Corps Base (MCB) Hawaii at Kaneohe Bay (hereinafter called, "the Event"). I further grant my permission for Minor to participate in Field Trips associated with the Event to areas other than MCB Hawaii at Kaneohe Bay, using transportation provided by MCCS. In consideration for allowing Minor to participate the Event, I hereby take the following actions for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors and assigns, or anyone else who might claim or sue on behalf of Minor:

- (a) I acknowledge that the Event will test the Minor's physical and mental abilities and carries with it the potential for death, serious injury, and property loss;
- (b) I certify as follows: (1) that Minor is properly equipped for the Event, including equipment required by Event rules, and will at no time participate in the Event without it; (2) that Minor is physically fit and able to participate in the Event; has reported all unusual medical conditions to MCCS; and (3) that Minor has not been advised against participation in the Event by a qualified health professional.
- (c) I acknowledge as follows: (1) that Minor has read and understands all applicable Event Rules and agrees to abide by them; (2) that Minor will obey all posted Event safety signs and will obey instruction of Event instructors while participating in the event; (3) that Minor agrees to follow safe procedures and to avoid unnecessary hazardous situations; and (4) that Minor has received the instruction from Event instructor personnel necessary to participate in the event safely.
- (d) I agree that, prior to the Event, I will inspect the facilities, equipment, and areas to be used and, if I believe any are unsafe, I will immediately advise a person supervising the Event;
- (e) Minor and I assume all risks associated with the Event, including, but not limited to, death; concussion; neck/spinal trauma; broken bones; loss of teeth; loss of vision; sprains; strains; cuts; bruises; mental anguish; and trauma as a result of all physical contact accidentally or intentionally inflicted by other participants; falls; contact with equipment; wet floor; effects of weather including heat or humidity; defective equipment; the condition of the premises; Minor's personal fitness level; and Minor's lack of hydration.
- (f) In connection with the Event, I forever release, acquit and discharge from all known obligations, losses, damages, liabilities, injuries, claims, demands, actions, causes of action and expenses, including without limitation, attorney's fees and costs, the following persons or entities: United States Government; MCB Hawaii, MCCS, and all volunteers, officers, directors, employees, representatives and agents of the above;
- (g) In connection with the Event, I agree not to sue any of the persons or entities mentioned in paragraph (f) above for any of the claims, losses or liabilities that I have waived released and discharged therein;
- (h) In connection with the Event, I indemnify and hold harmless the persons or entities mentioned above in paragraph (f) above from any and all claims made or liabilities assessed against them as a result of my actions and the actions of other participants.
- (i) In connection with the Event, I hereby authorize emergency medical treatment for Minor in the Event of injury or illness. I also authorize trained health care providers, including, but not limited to physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, and hospital corpsmen to administer routine and/or emergency medicines and treatments to Minor, as needed;
- (j) In connection with the Event, I grant permission to MCCS for the use of Minor's name and/or likeness relating to my participation in the event, and waive all rights to any future compensation to which Minor may otherwise be entitled as a result of the use of his/her name or likeness.

I certify that I have read all the provisions of this participation consent and liability release form and fully understand all of the same. I intend for this participation consent and liability release form to be effective during each of Minor's participations in the Event until it expires three years from the date of my signature below. If any provisions contained in this participation consent and liability release form are held to be invalid, void or illegal by any court of competent jurisdiction, the same shall be deemed severable from the remainder of this form and shall in no way affect, impair or invalidate any other provision herein contained.

Printed Name of Minor Participant \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Participant's Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_