

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in Journey Homeschool Co-op activities, the undersigned:

1. Agree that the parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) of the participant should inspect the facilities and equipment to be used, and if the parent or guardian believes anything is unsafe, he or she should immediately advise the leader of such conditions(s) and refuse to participate.
2. Acknowledge and fully understand that each member/participant will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from their own actions, inactions, or negligence but the action, inaction, or negligence of others, or the condition of the premises or of any equipment used. Further, that there may be other risks not known to us or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
3. Assume all foregoing risks and accept personal financial responsibility for the damages following such injury or other loss sustained during participation in all activities.
4. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue Journey Homeschool Co-op (or the overseeing ministry, Desert Breeze Community Church), its affiliated clubs, their respective administrators, directors, agents, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners or lesser premises used to conduct the event/activity, all of which are herein referred to as "releases," from any and all liability to each of the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses, or damages on account of injury, including death and damage of property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releases or otherwise.
5. If a dispute over this agreement or any claim for damages arises, parent(s) and/or legal guardians(s) of the participant agrees to resolve the matter through a mutually acceptable alternative dispute resolution process. If the parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s) of the participant and Journey Homeschool Co-op cannot agree upon such a process, the dispute will be submitted to a three-member arbitration panel for resolution to the rules of the American Arbitration Association.
6. Agree that the participant(s) will abide by the following:
 - a. Listening to and following instructions regarding when to begin or end activities, technique and proper form, ask questions when unsure about instructions
 - b. Adhere to all safety measures, respect the facility, equipment, other students and adults. This includes reporting injuries to teachers/staff and participating

within the scope of what is safe for the participant to avoid further injury- even if this means sitting out from activities.

- c. Use common sense during class participation.
 - d. Dress code: due to the nature of food handling services, all participants agree to wear closed-toed shoes, shirts with sleeves (no tank tops), pull back hair longer than shoulder length. Food handler's cards are *not* required at this time.
7. Understand that participants who do not follow expectations outlined within Item 6 will be disciplined as per the Journey Homeschool Co-op Family Handbook, up to and including removal from class.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND IT, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.

Name of Participants (print) _____

Name of Parent/Guardian (print) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____