

ALYESKA SKI AND SNOWBOARD CLUB

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK AND RELEASE

I, _____, acknowledge that alpine skiing, snowboarding, snowblading, associated training, racing, coaching and participating as a volunteer in any assigned capacity are action sports carrying significant risk of serious personal injury, death or property damage. I also know that there are natural, mechanical and environmental conditions and risks which independently or in combination with my activities may cause property damage, or severe or even fatal injuries to me or to others.

I agree that I am alone and in responsible charge for (a) my safety while acting as a volunteer for, or participating in any competitive events and/or training for competitive events, and (b) providing, utilizing and maintaining the equipment necessary for the safe enjoyment of my participation in such events and specifically acknowledge that the following persons or entities including Alyeska Ski & Snowboard Club, United States Skiing Association-Alaska Division, Alyeska Snowboard Club, United States of America Snowboard Association (USASA), The Tanaka Foundation, Glacier Valley Ski Educational Foundation, Alyeska Resort, the promoters, the sponsors, the organizers, the promoter clubs, the officials and any coach, volunteer, representative, officer, director, employee member or affiliate of any person or entity named above are not responsible for my safety.

I specifically RELEASE and DISCHARGE in advance, all parties from any liability, whether known or unknown, even though the liability, may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of persons or entities mentioned above. I agree to accept all responsibility for the risks, conditions and hazards that may occur whether they now are known or unknown.

Being fully aware of the risks, conditions and hazards of the proposed activity as a competitor, coach, official, or volunteer I HEREBY AGREE TO WAIVE RELEASE AND DISCHARGE any and all claims for damages for death, personal injury or property damage which I may have or which may hereafter accrue to me as a result of any participation in competitive events or training for competitive events against any person or entity identified above whether such injury or damage was foreseeable or not, including such claims regarding the design or condition of any equipment utilized by me in such competitive events without regard to whether such equipment is specified or recommended by such persons or entities above.

I further agree to forever HOLD HARMLESS and INDEMNIFY all persons or entities identified above, generally and specifically, from any and all liability for death, personal injury or property damage, resulting in any way from my participating in competitive events or training for competitive events.

I currently have, and I agree to maintain throughout the time that I participate, valid and sufficient medical and accident insurance. I understand that this medical insurance is my sole responsibility and release all persons and entities identified above from providing this coverage for me.

Primary Medical Insurance Company Name: _____

Policy #: _____ Group #: _____ Phone #: _____

As a volunteer coach or volunteer course worker I may receive a season pass or daily passes (chits) in order to gain access to the ski lifts. I may also be reimbursed for approved documented expenses incurred while traveling for an event. Any passes or reimbursements received shall not cause me to believe, have forethought, or in any way be considered an employee of the persons or entities identified above, and shall not entitle me to any other benefits including Worker's Compensation Insurance.

I will accept and abide by the rules and regulations of the Alyeska Ski & Snowboard Club, the Alyeska Snowboard Club, and any other rules or regulations imposed by the organizers of any particular competition.

This Acknowledgement and Assumption of Risk and Release shall be binding upon my heirs and assigns.

Date and Signature of Participant, or Parent or guardian signature if participant under the age of 18