

# PITTSBURGH DRAGON BOAT CHALLENGE

## CONSENT AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY (ADULT)

In consideration of my being permitted to participate in the Pittsburgh Dragon Boat Challenge (the "Challenge), I, for myself, my heirs, successors and personal representatives, acknowledge, understand and agree that:

1. I have no known physical or mental condition that would impair my ability to participate in the Challenge,
2. I will abide by the general rules of conduct prescribed for my participation in the Challenge,
3. My participation in the Challenge, despite reasonable precautions implemented for my safety as a participant, does carry a risk of serious bodily injury, including permanent disability and death. I further acknowledge that I, as a participant in the Challenge, have a responsibility to control said risk,
4. By my participation, I voluntarily and knowingly assume the risk of injury, disability or death resulting from my participation,
5. I hereby release, discharge and forever waive any causes of action, lawsuits, claims and demands whatsoever, excepting any causes of action or claims arising from gross negligence or willful misconduct, which I, my heirs, successors or personal representatives, may assert against the Three Rivers Rowing Association its affiliate member, the Pittsburgh Paddlefish, Three Rivers Regatta, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, ISM USA LLC, Steel City Dragon Boat Association, United States Dragon Boat Federation (USDBF), City of Pittsburgh, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, EQT INC, Sports and Exhibition Authority of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County, Rivers Casino, Port of Pittsburgh and all other 2010 Pittsburgh Three Rivers Regatta corporate sponsors and media partners, co-sponsors ("Co-Sponsors") of the Challenge, including the Co-Sponsors' employees, officers, directors, governors, advisors, agents, members or volunteers.
6. I consent for Co-Sponsors to provide, at my expense, medical and/or athletic training services, including emergency transportation, if needed. If I choose to receive these services from others than those provided to me, I accept full responsibility for such services and their consequences, including financial responsibility for any personal losses not covered by my health or other insurance.
7. I permit Co-Sponsors to photograph me while engaged in Challenge activities and to use such photographs, video tapes, etc. for Co-Sponsors' promotional and fund raising activities such as Co-Sponsors internet web sites, brochures, magazines, television newspapers, newsletters, etc., in Co-Sponsors' sole discretion.

Name (print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### PARENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT – MINOR (PARTICIPANT UNDER 18)

I have been given the opportunity to review and to explain to my son/daughter/ward the above terms and conditions and their ramifications and I thus consent to his/her participation in the Challenge pursuant to these terms and conditions.

Minor's name \_\_\_\_\_

Signer Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to minor \_\_\_\_\_