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INFORMED CONSENT FORM
For participants at 2024 Alberta Winter Games (the “Games”)
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ THIS FORM, YOU UNDERSTAND THE NATURE OF THE ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE AT THE GAMES AND THEIR INHERENT RISKS, AND YOU AGREE THAT YOU AND/OR YOUR CHILD PARTICIPATE IN THE GAMES AT YOUR/THEIR OWN RISK.

I, _____ declare that I and/or my child, _____, (if signing as a parent or guardian) intend(s) to participate in some or all of the activities (herein called “Activities”) offered at the Games. The Activities include but are not limited to: activities such as sport events and competition, opening ceremonies, cultural events, transportation, food services and accommodation around the Games.

1. I understand that different people have different capacities for participating in the Activities. I assume full responsibility, during and after my participation in such Activities, for my choices to use or apply at my own risk any portion of the instruction or guidance that I receive while participating. I further understand that I have the responsibility of determining whether or not I and/or my child is/are capable of participating in the Activities.
2. I understand that the risk involved in undertaking any of the Activities is related to my own state of fitness or health, and the awareness, care and skill with which I conduct myself in any of the Activities. I also understand that I am free to withdraw from, reduce or modify my involvement in any of the Activities at any time and that I should do so on recognition of any signs of physical discomfort. Both of the foregoing statements apply equally to my child.
3. I understand that Activities at the Games may involve **inherent risks** that could cause serious personal injury, illness, property damage or loss and possible death to myself and/or my child.
4. I understand that the design of rules, policies and regulations are for the safety and protection of participants and that it is my responsibility to follow these rules, policies and regulations of the Activities and to ensure that my child do(es) the same. I understand that, prior to participation in the Activities, the rules, policies and regulations are available from my provincial sport organization and the Government of Alberta.
5. I understand that I and/or my child must abide by the Code of Conduct while traveling to, participating in, and returning from the 2024 Alberta Winter Games and/or playoffs/selections. I understand that if I and/or my child do not abide by this Code of Conduct it may result in disciplinary sanctions against me and/or my child by the Alberta Games - Discipline Committee and/or my provincial sport organization.
6. I understand and give my permission for the free use of my and/or my child’s name and picture in broadcast, telecast or written accounts of the Games.



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DISCLAIMER CLAUSE

The 2024 Alberta Winter Games Host Society, His Majesty the King in Right of Alberta, as represented by the Minister of Tourism and Sport, being the Government of Alberta, and their respective employees, volunteers and representatives are not responsible for any death, injury, loss or damage of any kind sustained by any person while participating in the Activities or attending the Games to the extent resulting from the failure of such or any other person (participating in the Activities or attending at the Games), or their parent/guardian, to adhere to the Code of Conduct, rules, policies and regulations, of the Games or to exercise reasonable care taking into consideration the inherent risks of the Activities and the Games and the other cautions and warnings set out above.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS CONSENT and that I understand, appreciate and accept the risks associated with my participation and/or my child’s participation in the Activities. As the parent/guardian for the participant(s), I consent for my child’s participation in the above noted Activities.

Adult Participant and/or Parent/Legal
Guardian 1- Print Name

Adult Participant 1 and/or Parent/Legal
Guardian - Signature



ALBERTA GAMES CODE OF CONDUCT

The Code of Conduct identifies the standard of behavior which is required of all participants (athletes, coaches, managers/chaperones) while traveling to, participating at and returning from the Alberta Games. Any breach of this Code of Conduct may result in immediate or future discipline or sanctions against me by the Alberta Games – Discipline Committee and/or my provincial sport organization.

ALL Alberta Games Athletes, Coaches, and Managers/Chaperones (Participants) Shall:

1. Represent your Zone team as goodwill ambassadors; with dignity and personal integrity within the spirit of good sportsmanship at all times both in and out of competition. Also, make no detrimental statements in public (radio, television, print or electronic media) in respect to the performance of any Alberta Games or Host society personnel and volunteers, technical officials, participants, or any actions or policy decisions of the Alberta Games program.
2. Respect the:
 - Members of your Zone team and the contingent representing your Zone;
 - Members of all teams competing from other Zones;
 - Technical officials, judges and/or referees decisions;
 - Facilities and equipment of the provincial sport organization and Games Host society; and
 - Games Host Society volunteers, staff, spectators, and local business personnel.
3. Abide by the rules, policies, conduct and standards set by the provincial sport organization, the Games Host Society, and the Alberta Games - Mission Staff;
4. Abide by the Accommodation regulations requiring all athletes, coaches and managers/chaperones to:
 - reside in their assigned Alberta Games Village (Accommodation) the nights of July 20-23, 2023); and
 - adhere to the 11:00 pm curfew set for the nights of the Alberta Games.
5. Attend the Opening Ceremonies for the Alberta Games and wear the Alberta Games Zone identification. Zone identification should be worn during medal presentations and throughout the Alberta Games, where appropriate.
6. Avoid individual or collective behaviour deemed to be harassment, bullying, discriminatory, offensive or abusive. Additionally, do not use information technology to make or post inappropriate comments deemed to be harassment, bullying, discriminatory, abusive or offensive. Information technology includes, but is not limited to, email, instant messaging, text messages, phone messages, digital images, website postings (including social media such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat and/or blogs)
7. No Alberta Games athlete shall possess or consume alcohol, marijuana or illegal drug substances (as defined by the Criminal Code of Canada).
8. Furthermore, tobacco & marijuana, alcohol or illegal drug substances (as defined by the Criminal Code of Canada) may not be possessed, nor consumed in any Alberta Games - Athletes' Village, Venue or Vehicle.

Additionally, all Coaches and Managers/Chaperones Shall:

9. Set a positive example for their athletes.
10. Act in the best interest of the athletes, avoiding all unsafe and unacceptable circumstances. Respect the advice of certified medical personnel if an injured or ill athlete is recommended to be withdrawn from competition.
11. Supervise and be responsible for the conduct of their Zone team (athletes, coaches and managers/chaperones) at all times during the Alberta Games.