

Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement ("Waiver Agreement")

CANADIAN GAELIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, hereinafter referred to as the "CGAA"

WAIVER AGREEMENT, to be signed by all Adults, participating in Gaelic Games in Canada, including CO-ED Recreational Gaelic Games, (Football and Camogie).

Club Name: _____ Hereinafter referred to as the "Club"

*** READ BEFORE SIGNING ***

IN CONSIDERATION of my participation in Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games and related activities and events, I HEREBY IRREVOCABLY AND UNCONDITIONALLY WAIVE AND RELEASE, indemnify, hold harmless and forever discharge the CGAA, Divisional Committees and the Club, its members, guests, employees, emergency volunteers, officers, directors, affiliates, successors and assigns (such parties collectively referred to as the "Released Parties"), from any and all claims, demands, debts, contracts, expenses, causes of action, lawsuits, damages and liabilities, of any kind and nature, whether known or unknown, in law or equity, that I have or may have, arising from or in any way related to my voluntary participation in Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games and related activities and events, even if arising from the negligence of the released parties; provided, however, that this waiver of liability does not apply to acts of intentional misconduct. I confirm that I am over eighteen (18) years old, and I understand and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from activities involving Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games is significant, including the potential for bodily injury or harm, paralysis, disability, contraction or transmission of infectious disease, fatality and damage to personal property, and while particular skills, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce these risks, the risk of injury does exist; and
2. I acknowledge and accept that the foregoing activities may also place me at risk for becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 or other infectious, contagious or transmissible viruses, bacteria, pathogens or other agents or contaminants or vectors of illness or disease all of which risks, conditions and outcomes I acknowledge and accept to be included, released, waived, assumed and indemnified by and as a part of this Waiver Agreement, in connection with which I further agree and undertake to abide by all standing health and safety mitigation practices, guidelines, guidance, rules, restrictions and risk warnings, including those as from time to time issued or amended by provincial health authorities and others; and
3. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASED PARTIES or others, and I ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY for my participation; and
4. I agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual, significant hazard during participation, I will remove myself from participation and promptly bring such to the attention of the Club administrators
5. I certify that I have no physical or mental condition that would prevent me from safely participating in Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games, and I acknowledge that I am responsible to, and will, inform the club of any illness (including the onset or manifestation during or after participation of COVID-19 or other like symptoms) or medical condition I may have; and
6. If injury occurs in connection with the event, I agree that anyone who provides medical assistance to me shall not be liable even if by such medical assistance they increase the injury or cause additional injury or death; and
7. The CGAA requires the use of mouth guards in Gaelic Football, and requires the use of helmets with full faceguards in Hurling and Camogie. I understand that the use of mouth guards, helmets and faceguards may reduce the likelihood of injuries. Any questions I have asked have been answered to my complete satisfaction. I understand the risks of participation in Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games and related activities and events.

I have read, understand and fully agree to the terms of this waiver and release. I understand and confirm that by signing this waiver and release that I have given up substantial future legal rights, including the right to sue, and my signature is proof of my intention to execute a complete and unconditional waiver and release of all liability to the full extent of the law. I am signing this waiver and release freely and voluntarily without any inducement and under no duress or threat of duress. I hereby CONSENT to my participation in Gaelic Games, including participation in CO-ED recreational Gaelic Games, activities and related events.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ GAA Management System Membership #: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): _____

Email: _____ Phone #: _____

Club Secretary Name: _____ Date: _____