



**City of Revelstoke
Parks, Recreation & Culture
Youth Programs**

Assumption of Risk and Permission Form - Informed Consent

(GENERAL CHILD PROGRAMS/SERVICES) – PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURE CITY OF REVELSTOKE

Child's Name: _____ **Male:** _____ **Female:** _____ **Child's Age:** _____
(The "Child")

Home Phone: _____ **Parent's Email:** _____

Programs Enrolled: _____

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND SIGN BELOW

Participation Agreement, Release, and Acknowledgment of Risk

On behalf of my child:

I hereby certify that I am the adult parent or guardian of _____, a minor child under the age of eighteen years. I consent to his/her participation in recreational activities/programs/events at the Revelstoke Community Centre located at 600 Campbell Ave, operated and maintained by the City of Revelstoke, and am aware that the programs may take place outdoors in surrounding areas. I am not aware of any health or medical conditions the Child may have that would suggest to me that the Child should not be a participant in the Activities operated or provided by the Parks, Recreation & Culture Department. I have not been advised that the Child should not participate by a qualified health care provider, or otherwise.

I expressly agree and promise to accept and assume all of the risks existing in these activities. Participation in these activities is voluntary. I elect to have my child participate with full understanding of the risks. I certify that my child has no medical or physical conditions which could interfere with their safety in these activities, or else I am willing to assume - and bear the costs of - all risks that may be created either directly or indirectly through participation in these activities. I understand that care and attention will be given to the safety of all participants but that City of Revelstoke cannot be held liable for any injury or loss. I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document. By signing below I acknowledge that I have read, understood and accept the above waiver of liability. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Revelstoke from any and all Claims which are brought by, or on behalf of my child which are in any way connected with such use or participation.

I represent and warrant that I am the parent, natural guardian and/or legal guardian of the Child, who is a minor, and who is also seeking permission to participate in the Activities at my request and, in such capacity, on my behalf and on the behalf of the minor participant, the Child, I irrevocably agree to the terms and conditions set out above.

I, the undersigned parent/guardian, give permission for my child _____ (please print child's name) to participate in the City of Revelstoke Programs & Services.

I hereby acknowledge that this indemnity agreement, waiver and release of liability is valid for one full year (beginning on date indicated below) for all City of Revelstoke Parks, Recreation & Culture youth programs in which my child will be registered.

Initial: _____



COVID-19 Assumption of Risk & Permission Form

By signing this document, your and your child's legal rights may be affected

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

Dr. Bonnie Henry stated on May 16, 2020 that "COVID-19 is new for all of us". We at the City of Revelstoke responded to the direction from our public health officials to first close our facilities and cease offering services. We are now responding to the direction to reopen our facilities and offer services to our community cautiously, with the safety of our staff and community being our priority.

COVID-19 remains a worldwide pandemic and a threat to our local health and safety. We know the following (this list is not intended to be exhaustive):

1. The infectious agent, SARS-CoV-2, has caused community transmission of a serious communicable and potentially fatal disease known as COVID-19 amongst the population of the Province of British Columbia;
2. Our public health officials have determined this constitutes a regional event as defined in section 51 of the *Public Health Act*;
3. A person infected with SARS-CoV-2 can infect other people with whom the infected person comes into contact with; and
4. The gathering of people in close contact with one another can promote the transmission of SARS-CoV-2 and increase the number of people who develop COVID-19.

We cannot be certain that a person (of any age) will not contract SARS-CoV-2 at one of our facilities and/or while participating in one of our programs, but we have taken the steps required to develop our COVID-19 Safety Plan, which is available for your review at www.revelstoke.ca. We have also developed COVID-19 policies and procedures, which are available for your review here www.revelstoke.ca. We have implemented our COVID-19 Safety Plan and will be applying our policies and procedures, but **the risk remains that a COVID-19 outbreak could occur despite our best efforts.**

It is vital that no person who feels sick in any way visit any of our facilities and/or utilize any of our services. We do not employ health professionals and do not screen for potential illness. It is also vital that no person bring a child to any of our facilities if the child is feeling unwell or showing any symptoms of illness. Again, we do not screen for same.

For our camps and other programs for children, we will not be enforcing physical distancing amongst the children. We will be reducing the number of children in each program compared to our standard practices. We will emphasize hygiene and provide for handwashing as children begin and end their days in our programs. However, it is vital that children be permitted to play and this includes games where there will be touching (such as tag) and use of playground equipment. Most or all activities will take place outdoors. If your preference is solely for outdoor activity, please select a program for your child that provides the same.

It is vital that any person who believes that they may have become ill or their child may have become ill within 14 days of visiting one of our facilities and/or while taking part in one of our programs report this immediately to us by contacting prc@revelstoke.ca and seek appropriate medical attention by first calling 8-1-1. We will share

Both parents/guardians (if applicable) must initial and sign this form. Thank you.



COVID-19 Assumption of Risk & Permission Form

By signing this document, your and your child's legal rights may be affected

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

personal information for the purposes of contact tracing if the need arises. To attend our facilities and/or take part in our programs and/or send a child to same, you must consent to the same.

Please do not allow your child to participate in any of our activities or programs if your child has:

- experienced cold or flu-like symptoms within the last 14 days;
- been in close contact with anyone else who has had these symptoms in the last 14 days; or
- been in close contact with anyone else who has travelled outside of Canada in the last 14 days.

Please note: If your child is displaying symptoms of respiratory distress or illness, they will be asked not to participate.

Lastly, it is vital that we all be calm and compassionate throughout this pandemic. Any person who exhibits any aggression towards our staff or any other person in one of our facilities and/or programs will be asked to leave and not return.

If you would like more information regarding the risks associated with COVID-19 for children, please review the following BC CDC publications:

[COVID-19 Public Health Guidance for K-12 School Settings](#)

[COVID-19 Public Health Guidance for Child Care Settings](#)

I/we have read, understand and agree to the Assumption of Risk and Permission Form.	INITIAL HERE
I/we have reviewed the Assumption of Risk and Permission Form with my/our child and have instructed our child to listen to and follow the instructions provided.	INITIAL HERE

Name of Child

Date

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Print name clearly

Print name clearly

Telephone Number

Email Address

Both parents/guardians (if applicable) must initial and sign this form. Thank you.



ADDITIONAL RELEASE PERMISSIONS

MINOR (CHILD) PHOTO RELEASE PERMISSION

This permission form allows the use of photo likenesses of your child to be used in community publications. I give me informed consent that photos of my child may be published.

Yes No

SUNSCREEN APPLICATION PERMISSION

This permission form allows the application of sunscreen to my child when in outdoor programming. I give permission for sunscreen to be applied to my child.

Yes No

COMMUNICATION PERMISSION

I, give permission to the City of Revelstoke Parks, Recreation & Culture to consult with the local schools regarding my child's care. This communication between organizations will only be required on an information need to know basis and occurs in accordance with the FIOP (Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act).

Confidentiality of this information is respected at all times.

Yes No

EXCURSION PERMISSION

I give my child permission to walk to, and participate in all activities, field trips, workshops, and offsite excursions in the general area surrounding the program location while accompanied by a minimum of 1 instructor.

Yes No

Child's Name (please print): _____

Parent/Guardians Name (please print): _____

Parent Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

This personal information is being collected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FIOP) Act, Section 33(c). This information will be used in the administration of this program. If you have any questions regarding the collection and use of this information, please contact the City of Revelstoke admin@revelstoke.ca

