WEST HOUSTON WATER POLO, INC.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING!
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1. **In consideration for _____, born _____/_____/_____**
(Print Youth's Name) (mm/dd/yy)
Hereafter referred to as MINOR CHILD, being allowed to utilize the programs, water polo programs, services, facilities, and equipment available in the West Houston Water Polo, Inc., I voluntarily agree to assume all risks involved in my MINOR CHILD participating in or using the programs, services, facilities, and equipment of West Houston Water Polo, Inc. **I understand that direct supervision by West Houston Water Polo, Inc. staff may not be provided and by participating in or using West Houston Water Polo, Inc. programs, services, facilities, and equipment**, my MINOR CHILD is exposed to the risk of injuries including but not limited to temporary or permanent muscle soreness, sprains, strains, cuts, abrasions, bruises, ligament and/or cartilage damage, head, neck or spinal injuries, loss of use of arms and/or legs, eye damage, disfigurement, drowning or death. **I also recognize that there are both foreseeable and unforeseeable risks of injury or death that may occur as a result of my MINOR CHILD's participation in or use of the programs, services, facilities, and equipment of that the West Houston Water Polo, Inc. that cannot be specifically listed. Further, I recognize that the actions of other users of the West Houston Water Polo, Inc. may cause harm or loss to my MINOR CHILD's person or property**.
2. **I, my heirs and assigns hereby release West Houston Water Polo, Inc., and the employees, agents, or representatives of West Houston Water Polo, Inc. from any and all liability, claims, costs, expenses, injuries, or losses INCLUDING THOSE RESULTING FROM ACTS OF NEGLIGENCE BY THE WEST HOUSTON WATER POLO, INC. that I, or my MINOR CHILD may otherwise sustain as a result of my MINOR CHILD's participation in or using West Houston Water Polo, Inc. programs, services, facilities, and equipment. I also release the West Houston Water Polo, Inc. from loss or damage to the person or property of my MINOR CHILD caused by other users of West Houston Water Polo, Inc. facilities**.
3. If any part or portion of this Assumption of Risk and Release of liability is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, the remaining parts or portions shall be enforceable to the fullest extent permitted by law.
4. By signing as the parent or guardian of the MINOR CHILD, I represent that I am the legal parent or guardian of the MINOR CHILD. I, the undersigned parent or legal guardian, acknowledge that I am also signing this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability on behalf of the MINOR CHILD and that the MINOR CHILD shall be bound by the terms of this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability.
5. In the case of an emergency where I cannot be reached, I hereby give authorization to West Houston Water Polo, Inc., its employees and the treating physician to obtain or provide what medical treatment is deemed necessary for the immediate welfare of my MINOR CHILD as named above.
6. I have carefully read this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability and full understand its contents. I am aware that this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability is a contract between West Houston Water Polo, Inc. and myself and on behalf of my MINOR CHILD (as named above), I sign it of my own free will.

THIS DOCUMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED EFFECTIVE FROM THIS DATE FORWARD.

_____	_____	_____
Printed Name of LEGAL Parent or Guardian #1	Signature of LEGAL Parent or Guardian #1	Date
_____	_____	_____
Printed Name of LEGAL Parent or Guardian #2	Signature of LEGAL Parent or Guardian #2	Date

(If available and applicable, we request the name and signature of two legal parents or two legal guardians on this document.)

NOTE: It is strongly recommended that as parents/legal guardians you consult a physician prior to allowing your child to participate in physical activity to determine any potential conditions that may adversely affect the child's participation. We encourage parents/legal guardians to ensure that those with pre-existing conditions wear a medical alert bracelet or neck tag indicating the appropriate medical information. We strongly recommend that all parents/legal guardians have a medical insurance policy that will cover injuries or illness that may occur due to your child's participation in or use of West Houston Water Polo, Inc. programs, services, facilities, and equipment.