CHILD WAIVER - 2013-2014

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1. This WAIVER, RELEASE & INDEMNITY AGREEMENT is valid for any and all Bay Area Ski Bus Trips between Nov 15, 2013 and May 31, 2014.
2. We voluntarily desire to participate in any and all BASB activities, which include, but are not limited to, bus ride to and from ski resort in Lake Tahoe, skiing or snowboarding or sightseeing (the "Activities").
3. I UNDERSTAND that the pick up location, time and directions will be listed on our Registration Confirmation (and are listed on the Bay Area Ski Bus website) and that it is our responsibility to follow those directions and to be on time - have our gear loaded and be on the bus by the departure time. If not, we will be left behind. We are also responsible for knowing where the next pick up location and time is (if any) so that we can try to meet the bus there. I UNDERSTAND that I will not receive a Refund or Credit if we miss the bus.
4. I UNDERSTAND that our scheduled pick up location could be canceled due to low enrollment and we will either switch to another pick up location, transfer to a future trip OR cancel and receive a refund. Though it is very rare, I also understand that the trip could be canceled due to low enrollment and I would receive a refund. I further understand that the Bay Area Ski Bus will not be responsible for any equipment rental fees that we may incur/lose as a result of a trip cancellation.
5. I UNDERSTAND that there are NO Refunds for cancellations within 5 days of the trip. Cancellations credits (that can be used for up to one year) will be: the cost of the trip minus the bus portion. There are NO Credits for "Bus Only" registrations NOR REFUNDS OR CREDITS for Cancellations within 24 hours of the trip or if we miss the bus.
6. I UNDERSTAND that the Ski Bus travels "snow or shine", so rain/snow storms DO NOT justify cancellations of trips. As long as CalTrans and CHP deem that the road is safe for travel, we go. If the road is closed to the scheduled resort, we will re-route to another resort on another freeway. I Understand that if I learn that the road to the scheduled resort is closed in the am prior to departure, I WILL NOT receive a refund if we do NOT show up. If you have special plans at the original resort, sorry, you will have to accompany the bus at the new resort OR arrange your own transportation to the originally scheduled resort. If it is stormy at the resort, any credits on lift tickets will need to be taken up with the resort staff. If we cannot reach a ski resort we will return home and everyone will receive a refund minus a $30 transportation charge. If we reach the resort and the resort is closed or closes after a short time and the bus returns home early, the full bus expense will be exhausted. The bus, fuel and river expense are still incurred.
**Be assured that when Hosts make a decision to re-route your bus to another freeway or resort or even turnaround, it is made with the advice of management and staff on the ground in Lake Tahoe. Our decision will be based on current road and weather conditions, lift operations status, weather forecast and of course customer safety. If the originally scheduled destination/resort is unreachable, not reachable at a reasonable time or has limited lift operations, we will re-route the bus to the best possible option. With over a thousand bus trips under our belt, staff in Tahoe with accurate weather info - we have and will make the correct choice 99% of the time.
7. I UNDERSTAND that the bus will be LOCKED and inaccessible during the day as the driver needs to rest/sleep. I understand that it is NOT recommended to leave any valuables on the bus because the Bay Area Ski Bus cannot guarantee the integrity of all of its customers. :(Wallets, purses, Mp3 players, etc. should be brought with you and/or put in a locker in the lodge. THE BAY AREA SKI BUS WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE OR LIABLE FOR ANY LOST OR STOLEN ITEMS.
8. In the event of any emergency at any time during the Trip involving our physical well-being or health, I AUTHORIZE BASB and trip leaders to secure from the ski trip location medical personnel or a local licensed hospital any treatment deemed necessary for our immediate care and agree that I will be responsible for payment of any and all medical services rendered.
9. WE AGREE to be respectful and courteous to Ski Bus staff and other customers. Any obnoxious, lewd, intoxicated, abusive or other inappropriate behavior may result in removal from the bus and I will be responsible for our own transportation home, I UNDERSTAND that No refund or credit will be given and we may be prohibited from future trips. I UNDERSTAND that any and all damages caused by us shall be paid by me to owners of damaged items.
10. I UNDERSTAND that if we are not at the bus at the stated departure time from the ski resort (typically 4:30pm), we may be left behind and I will be responsible for our transportation home! If we are left behind, I understand that we will have been reported "missing" and we MUST notify the ski resort staff and/or the local sheriff of our status when found. Failure to do so could result in a substantial fine from local authorities for search and rescue costs.
11. I ACKNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTAND that BASB Trips, a service of RCI., involve physically active outdoor sports that test a person's physical and mental limits and carry with them the potential for death, serious injury, and property loss. I/we understand the inherent dangers of skiing and snowboarding, which include falls, collisions with natural hazards, other people or objects and injuries due to cold temperatures. I/we also understand that potential injuries include strains, sprains, breaks, cuts, punctures, abrasions, broken limbs and even accidental death. I AM AWARE THAT THESE ACTIVITIES ARE HAZARDOUS AND THAT MY CHILD COULD BE SERIOUSLY INJURED OR EVEN KILLED. I AM VOLUNTARILY ALLOWING MY CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED, AND AGREE TO ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISKS OF PROPERTY DAMAGE, PERSONAL INJURY, AND DEATH.
12. As consideration for being permitted by BASB to participate in the Activities, I hereby AGREE to forever release and discharge BASB, RCI, its agents, owners, shareholders, directors, partners, employees, volunteers, hosts, participants, subsidiaries, related and affiliated entities, successors, and assigns (the "Released Parties"), on behalf of myself, my spouse, my children, my parents, my heirs, assigns, agents, personal representative, and estate, for personal injury, property damage, or death related to (1) our participation in the Activities, (2) the alleged negligence or other acts, whether directly connected to the Activities or not, and however caused, by any Released Party, and (3) the condition of the premises where the Activities occur, whether or not my child is then participating in these Activities.
13. I AGREE to indemnify and defend BASB and RCI against all claims, causes of actions, judgments, damages, attorneys' fees, and any and all other costs or expenses, which may in any way arise from our participation in the Activities.
14. I certify that we are in good physical condition and that the activities of skiing, snowboarding and other activities associated with Bay Area Ski Bus Trips require participants to be properly clothed and equipped.
15. No term of this Agreement may be changed or waived in any way, and any such purported waiver or amendment or modification, whether by telephone, facsimile or email or otherwise, is ineffective and null and void, unless approved in advance by an authorized person within BASB.
16. I HERE AFFIRM THAT I AM EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER AND I AM THE PERSON NAMED ON THIS REGISTRATION, AND, I AM THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN ANY MINORS NAMED ON THIS REGISTRATION, AND I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, AND I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO ITS CONTENTS

Signature of Parent	Date	Home Phone #	Cellular #

Special Health Conditions that Recreation Connection, Inc Staff should be aware of (ie. Allergies, heart conditions, diabetes, etc.)