



## **PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION FORM** **(This form to be used for persons under the age of 18 only)**

I hereby grant permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in whitewater rafting biking, kayaking, camping, or canoeing at (Mountain Streams & Trails) on (date) \_\_\_\_\_, and I hereby agree as follows:

I fully understand and acknowledge that: (a) risks and dangers exist in my child's use of rafting, biking, kayaking, camping or canoeing equipment and my child's participation in rafting, biking, kayaking, camping or canoeing activities; (b) my child's participation in such activities and/or use of such equipment may result in injury or illness or death or damage to personal property (c) these risks and dangers may be caused by other participants, or by accidents, or by the forces of nature or other causes. Risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes including, but not limited to, selection of trail or river route, water level, weather conditions, risks of falling out of a raft, kayak, or canoe, and such other risks, hazards and dangers that are integral to recreational activities that take place in a wilderness, outdoor or recreational environment; and (d) I hereby accept and assume these risks and dangers.

I have been advised that my child must wear an approved personal flotation device at all times while on the water. I affirm that my child will not be under the influence of alcohol or controlled substance, and will not carry, use, or consume these substances before or during her/his scheduled activities. Any claims or dispute arising from my child's participation in Mountain Streams & Trails activities or use of Mountain Streams & Trails equipment shall be venued in the Monongalia County Supreme Court of the State of West Virginia.

My child is in good health and is at or above the minimum age stated in Mountain Streams & Trails advertising for each activity in which he/she will participate. I understand that strenuous physical exertion may be required and my child has no known physical disabilities or health problems, which will present any risk to his/her participation in the activities. I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in these programs as provided above, **EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES**, to the fullest extent permitted by law. I permit the use of any photos, slides, films, or sketches of him/her taken during the day's activities for publicity, advertising, promotion or other commercial purpose. The above agreement shall be binding on my heirs, successors, assigns, administrators and executors.

**I HAVE READ THE ABOVE AND BY SIGNING IT AGREE. IT IS MY INTENTION TO GRANT PERMISSION FOR MY CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN MOUNTAIN STREAMS & TRAILS RAFTING ACTIVITIES, AND TO ASSUME AND ACCEPT ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED THEREWITH.**

Group Name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name (Print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Street and Apt. Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Trip Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**DO NOT LOSE-PLEASE GIVE COMPLETED FORM TO YOUR GROUP LEADER**