



CRAWDADDY OUTDOORS LC



TRIP/ACTIVITY SIGN UP FORM & PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

You have requested to participate in an outdoor recreation activity sponsored by CrawDaddy Outdoors LC. All outdoor activities involve risks, and it is important for you to have information about your selected activity and to provide CrawDaddy Outdoors LC with information about yourself before participating in your selected outdoor recreation activity. This Participation Agreement must be read carefully and signed by all participants who take part in the activities offered by CrawDaddy Outdoors LC.

PLEASE READ THIS AGREEMENT CAREFULLY.

IT IS A LEGAL CONTRACT AND EFFECTS ANY RIGHTS YOU MAY HAVE IF YOU (OR YOUR CHILD) ARE INJURED OR OTHERWISE SUFFER DAMAGES WHILE PARTICIPATING IN AN OUTDOOR RECREATION ORIENTED ACTIVITY.

In consideration of CrawDaddy Outdoors LC allowing me to participate in the outdoor recreation activity stated below:

_____ (Activity/Trip)

_____ (Activity/Trip Date)

I agree and understand the following:

Nature of Outdoor Recreation Activity: Outdoor recreation activities are strenuous and require educational information about the necessary skills involved before the activity may be completed in the safest manner possible. Prior to your participation in your specified outdoor recreation activity, you will attend a mandatory pre-trip meeting where you will receive additional activity information and have the opportunity to ask questions and participate in an on-site instructional session taught by the CrawDaddy Outdoors LCs' staff.

Initial Date

Inherent Risks and Dangers of Outdoor Recreation Activity: I understand and appreciate that risks and dangers are inherent when participating in outdoor recreation activities. The specific recreation activity I have requested has additional risks associated with it. In addition to the inherent risks involved when I undertake physical activity, outdoor recreation activities may include, but are not limited to, the following additional hazards that might cause injury: falls from a height, human error, falling rocks and debris, steep and or rocky trails, animal attacks, insect bites, poisonous plants, weather conditions (lightening, hypothermia, frostbite, heat stroke, sunburn, etc.), Giardia (intestinal parasite found in untreated water), slippery or wet surfaces, burns, campfires, and dehydration. I understand that these risks and dangers could result in property damage and personal injury, including death, and I agree to accept all risks associated with the recreation activity whether present or future, known or unknown, arising from, or as a result of my voluntary participation in the specified outdoor recreation activity. I also understand all of the risks involved in traveling to and from, and participating in, the specified outdoor recreation activity, and I hereby elect to voluntarily participate.

Initial Date

Behavior Expectations of the Participant: Successful participation in an outdoor recreation activity requires all participants to abide by rules and regulations of this outdoor recreation activity in general and to the specific activity selected by the participant. I know it is most important to follow the directions of the activity leader(s) at all times. I understand that as a participant I have the responsibility to help make the activity a safe experience for me and all other participants through behavior and conduct that adheres to the standards set by CrawDaddy Outdoors LC. I also understand the danger associated with deviating from the planned recreation activity and agree not to deviate from the plans as outlined in the following paragraph and by the activity leader(s).

I realize that I represent CrawDaddy Outdoors LC. The safety and welfare of the group and CrawDaddy Outdoors LC take precedent over individual concerns. Conduct jeopardizing them will not be tolerated and can result in expulsion from the activity/trip, and future CrawDaddy Outdoors LC activities/trips. I certify that I have read the contract and will abide by all aspects of the contract.

Initial Date

Participants on outdoor recreation activities/trips are responsible for their own physical conditioning prior to the activity/trip and for using their gear ahead of time to assure proper functionality. Personal floatation devices are required anytime a participant is in a canoe/kayak/paddle boat. When paddling or hiking there should be an activity leader at the front and the back of the group. When not in direct line-of-site of one of the activity leaders, participants are expected to use a buddy system where they are in contact with at least one other participant. Outdoor recreation activities/trips also include cooking over an open flame and camping out-of-doors.

Please initial and date the following statement:

I am familiar with, and will obey, any and all rules and regulations for the specified outdoor recreation activity. If I violate any of the rules and regulations, I understand that my participation in the activity may be terminated.

Initial Date

Health Condition of the Participant: Participants must be healthy and reasonably fit to safely participate in outdoor recreation activities. By signing this participation agreement, you agree:

- That you have the physical fitness, ability, and skill level to participate safely in the specified outdoor recreation activity;
- To furnish the CrawDaddy Outdoors LC medical information form that includes health history, emergency medical permission signatures, and health insurance information;
- To inform the program leader of any medication, ailment, condition, or injury that may affect your performance in the activity; and
- That you must supply your own health insurance and will bear all financial responsibility for any medical treatment arising from participation in the specified outdoor recreation activity.

Initial Date

(Initial) I will allow CrawDaddy Outdoors LC to use any photographs taken during the activity/trip for promotional purposes.

(Initial) I certify that I can swim. (circle one) Yes No

(Initial) I realize that my payment is non-refundable following the registration deadline and that all information provided is complete and correct. (Refund Policy: 100% if notified 14 days prior to activity/trip. 50% is notified 10 days prior to activity/trip. 0% if notified within 10 days of activity/trip.)

This CrawDaddy Outdoors LC Participation Agreement shall be governed by and construed under the laws of the State of Iowa, which shall be the forum for any lawsuits arising from or incident to this Agreement.

Participant Printed Name

Participant Signature

Date

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date

(Must be signed by the parent or guardian if the participant is under the age of 18.)

