

Grand Bend Youth Centre

Release and Waiver of All Claims

I hereby apply to participate in the Grand Bend Youth Centre Programs (the Program) at the Grand Bend Youth Centre (the Centre), the Grand Bend Public School Community Gym (the Gym) and/or other locations utilized by the Centre to be held throughout 2009/2010.

I understand that participating in the Program will expose me to above normal risks of injury or harm. These risks include potentially hazardous playing surfaces, physical contact or collisions with other players, spectators or inanimate objects on or about the court, and outdoor play. I understand that the sports are in themselves hazardous and may result in injury to me, my child(ren) and/or other players. I agree that I am responsible for my own safety.

I hereby assume all risks associated with my attendance and participation in the Program. I further agree that my attendance, play and participation in the Program shall be at my sole risk and decisions to whether or how I play shall rely entirely on my responsibility.

I hereby fully and forever release, discharge and agree not to sue the Grand Bend & District Optimist Club or any other sponsors (herein after called "Program Sponsors"), their officers, directors, agents, employees, representatives, volunteers and successors for any and all claims, causes of action or liability for any injury, loss or damage sustained or incurred by me arising out of or in any way associated with my attendance at or participation in the Program, including all claims, causes of action or liability arising out of the negligence of Program Sponsors, their agents or representatives. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Program sponsors, their agents, or representatives from any loss, damage or expense sustained or incurred by them arising from such claims, cause of action or liability whether brought to me, anyone acting on my behalf or by anyone else because of contact attributed to me.

I agree that this agreement shall be construed and interpreted according to the laws of the Province of Ontario. I understand and agree that this Release and Waiver shall be binding upon my heirs, assigns and any personal entity acting upon my behalf, including a parent, guardian or next friends. I have read the above items of Release and Waiver, understand them, agree to abide by them and hereby acknowledge that I have read and understand this Release and Waiver.

Participant 18 years and older

Date: _____

Participant: _____
please print

Parent/Guardian: _____
please print

Participant less than 18 years

Witness Signature: _____

Signature: _____

Signature: _____