

**STUDENT FIELD EXPERIENCE AND SPECIAL ACTIVITIES  
PARENTAL CONSENT AND WAIVER FORM (Special/Unique)**

**Please Return This Completed Form by:** Friday March 14, 2013

Name of School: Vedder Middle School Activity Date: March 27, April 2, April 11, April 15 and possibly June 6.

Purpose: Learning the skills of rock climbing while also completing a rock climbing safety belay course.

Departure Time: 12:00 PM, all days Return Time: 2:30 PM, all days

Destination(s): Project Climbing Centre, Abbotsford

Travel Arrangements: Bus Cost to student: Covered by academy fees

Students will need to bring: Gym strip, water and lunch

Sponsor Teacher(s): Chris Falk, Jason Shea

Supervision Provided by: Chris Falk, Jason Shea

[Signature]  
Principal's Signature

[Signature]  
Sponsor Teacher(s) Signature(s)

I give \_\_\_\_\_ (full name of student) permission to participate in the field trip to \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_ (mm/dd/yy).

**Student's Care Card Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy)** \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Information (please include any medical or health concerns): \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

In the Event of an Emergency, the family member to be notified is:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph # \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Emergency Contact:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Ph # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph # \_\_\_\_\_

My child and I understand that the school's Code of Conduct applies during this field trip. I will be responsible for any costs caused by my child's failure to abide by the Code of Conduct, including any costs to send my child home. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial Here)

I am aware and understand that participation in this field trip involves certain and inherent risks, dangers and hazards which may result in serious personal injury or death or other loss or damage to property. I am aware that accidents can occur with or without any fault on either the part of the student, or the Board of Education or its employees or agents, or the facility where the activity is taking place. I am aware that the above named activity can be dangerous and that in addition to the usual risks in these activities certain additional dangers and risks including, but not limited to:

Injuries related to vehicle crashes en route to and from activity area. Falling while climbing. Injuries related to slips, trips, and falls in the climbing area. Injuries related to collisions with moveable or immovable objects. Injuries related to objects falling from above. Injuries related to equipment malfunction or becoming tangled in apparatus. Psychological injury due to anxiety or embarrassment.

By allowing my child to participate in this activity, I am accepting the risk of an accident occurring, and agree that this activity, as described above, is suitable for my child. I am aware that supervision will be provided, but that my child will not necessarily be supervised by an adult at all times. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial Here)

I waive any and all claims I may have against, and release from all liability and agree not to sue The Board of Education of School District #33 (Chilliwack) and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers and representatives, and the Ministry of Education for any personal injury, death, property damage or loss sustained as a result of my child's participation in the field trip, arising out of any cause whatsoever, including negligence. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial Here)

In signing this Consent and Waiver, I am not relying on any oral or written representation or statements made by the Board of Education and its servants, agents, employees, or authorized volunteers, or the Ministry of Education, to induce me to permit my child to take the trip, other than those set out in this Consent and Waiver. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial Here)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yy)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone #      /      /      /  
Work Phone #      Cell Phone #



# AMATEUR ATHLETIC WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

Name of Climber: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth: dd\_\_\_\_/mm\_\_\_\_/yyyy\_\_\_\_ Age:\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov: \_\_\_\_  
 Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Project Climbing Centre athletic/sports program, related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

1. **The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant**, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. **I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS**, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. **I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation.** If however I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY **RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS Project Climbing Centre**, their officers, officials, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event ("Releasees"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
 PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
 PARTICIPANT NAME (printed)

X \_\_\_\_\_  
 WITNESS

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE**  
 (UNDER AGE 18 AT TIME OF REGISTRATION)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release as provided above of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in these programs as provided above.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
 PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE

Date Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

X \_\_\_\_\_  
 PRINT NAME OF SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
 PARTICIPANT NAME (printed)

X \_\_\_\_\_  
 WITNESS

\_\_\_\_\_  
 EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER



**PROJECT**  
CLIMBING CENTRE

## **GYM RULES AND SAFETY POLICIES**

- 1) All new climbers and belayers must get an orientation of the gym prior to using the facility.
- 2) All belayers on the climbing floor must have passed a belay test. All lead climbers and lead belayers on the climbing floor must have passed a lead belay test. Belay techniques and equipment must conform to standards set by Project Climbing Centre.
- 3) Please do not run in the gym or swing on the ropes in the gym.
- 4) No bouldering past the yellow line unless in designated bouldering areas with mats beneath you.
- 5) Always use a spotter while bouldering, move smaller mats to where they are needed, and ensure that all mats are set up properly to cover the fall zone of your climb.
- 6) No sitting or lying down on bouldering mats.
- 7) Spectators must be aware of their surroundings and stay out of the way of climbers. Be aware of standing in an area where the climbs are steep, and a falling climber may take a large swing.
- 8) Any gear brought down to the floor must be kept between the stairs and the yellow line. Please do not bring food or drinks other than water in a re-sealable bottle on to the climbing floor.
- 9) No bouldering while wearing a harness that has any belay device, carabiners, or other hard climbing tools attached to it
- 10) Top rope and lead climbers may not attach anything to their harness while climbing other than what is needed to do the climb, e.g. chalk bags are fine, but unnecessary water bottles and carabiners are not.
- 11) Secure any loose objects before climbing, e.g. shoes, chalk.

Please also be aware of activities around you, act in a safe and responsible manner, look out for the safety of others, and report any dangerous activity to the front desk or any employee. Do not hesitate to stop what you feel is a dangerous situation.

**Project Climbing Centre staff reserve the right to remove your climbing privileges if these rules are not followed. It is the responsibility of the clientele to know and follow these rules.**

**Thank You**