

POLAR BEAR RUGBY CAMP AGREEMENT

Participant Name _____

Polar Bear Rugby Camp LLC is owned and operated by Head Coach MaryBeth Mathews, is held at Bowdoin College, and uses some of the College's facilities. However, Polar Bear Rugby Camp is not owned or operated by the College, and the Head Coach and Coach's assistants are not employees or agents of the College in their operating of the camp.

Please read the following agreement carefully before signing. Although camp participation is encouraged, it is encouraged only if health and safety are considered. Students under 18 years of age must have parent or legal guardian sign and date below.

CERTIFICATION OF PHYSICAL FITNESS TO PARTICIPATE:

1. I understand that a risk of participating in any sport, including Polar Bear Rugby Camp, is the risk of injury, including but not limited to serious permanent injury, paralysis, and death. To minimize the risk of injury, I agree to obey/tell my child to obey all safety rules and to report/tell my child to report fully any problems related to my/his or her physical condition to the summer camp coaches or assistants as soon as the problem begins.

2. By signing below, I certify the following:

--That I am not, or my child is not, currently under the care of a physician for an injury or illness that would prevent his/her safe participation in the summer camp;

--That I am not, or my child is not, currently being treated for or recovering from an orthopedic injury that would prevent his or her safe participation in the summer camp;

--That I have, or my child has, no history of fainting or other problems related to strenuous exercise; and

--That I am, or my child is, in good health and there is no reason he or she cannot safely participate in strenuous physical activity.

Camper or Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

CONSENTS:

1. By my signature below, I hereby give permission for Polar Bear Rugby Camp and its employees and agents to obtain medical treatment for me or my child, _____, in the event of accident or illness during his/her presence at the camp.

2. By my signature below, I hereby give consent to have me or my child be photographed or video- or audio-taped during camp activities, and I agree that the images so obtained may be used for educational and public relations purposes by Polar Bear Rugby Camp.

Camper or Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____

RELEASE:

1. In consideration for accepting me or my child into Polar Bear Rugby Camp, which uses College facilities, I do hereby agree that I am and shall be responsible for all costs associated with any injury or loss that may be sustained by me or my child as a result of my, his, or her participation at the camp. I also certify that I have health insurance that provides adequate coverage for injuries or illness that I or my child may sustain while participating in Polar Bear Rugby Camp.

2. By my signature below, I also agree to release and promise not to sue the State of Maine, Bowdoin College, or their employees or agents, for any damages, loss, injury, or death arising from my or my child's participation in Polar Bear Rugby Camp, unless such damages, loss, injury, or death are caused by willful and wanton conduct of such employees or agents.

Camper or Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date: _____