



Cross Bar X Youth Ranch Retreat Waiver and Release

Acknowledgement & Assumption of Risks

Cross Bar X Youth Ranch and its owners, officers, directors, volunteers, agents, employees, counselors, and guides (collectively, "Cross Bar X") allows campers to participate from time to time in numerous adventure experiences on and off the Cross Bar X Youth Ranch premises, including but not limited to participating in high and low ropes courses, and zip lining; canoeing, horseback riding;; engaging in indoor and outdoor games and individual and team; participating in other recreational activities in an outdoor setting, including activities involving campfires; and other activities common to a youth camp, summer camp, or adventure experience or setting.

I recognize that there are significant risks inherent to all camp activities. I understand that persons with certain medical conditions should not participate in these activities without the advice of a physician. I acknowledge that a complete listing of risks is not possible, and that risks may exist that cannot be anticipated. I understand that supervision by Cross Bar X may not be provided at all times. I also acknowledge that Cross Bar X uses its best judgment in determining how to react to circumstances present in these activities, including the risks associated with natural and manmade conditions, animal behavior, and a participant's abilities, but may misjudge such circumstances.

I understand that participation in these activities is not required. Knowing these risks, I authorize participation by myself and my child in camp activities, and assume responsibility for myself and my child for any and all bodily injury, illness, death, damage to or loss of personal property, and all expenses thereof, which may occur as a result of participation in such activities.

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING. THIS DOCUMENT INCLUDES A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND WAIVER OF CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS.

I, as parent or legal guardian of my son/daughter/ward ("Child"), have examined the program that Cross Bar X Youth Ranch ("Cross Bar X") offers and I understand that an important part of the program is my Child's participation in Bible study and church attendance. I encourage such participation. I authorize my Child to participate in numerous adventure experiences on and off the Cross Bar X Youth Ranch premises. I will provide medical insurance for my Child for the entire period while at Cross Bar X. Authority is granted without limitation to Cross Bar X, its directors, employees and agents in all medical matters to hospitalize, treat, and order injection, anesthesia, and/or surgery for my Child. I am responsible for advising/providing to Cross Bar X, its directors, employees and agents all pre-existing medical conditions of my Child, out-of-camp medical, surgical, hospital, pharmaceutical, allergy expenses and for providing adequate quantities of necessary medications and allergy serums to Cross Bar X in pharmacy containers with doctor's instructions. I hereby state that my Child is in good, normal health and has no abnormal physical, emotional or mental handicaps. I understand that Cross Bar X does not provide secondary accident insurance. I understand that I assume full financial responsibility for any medical treatment rendered for myself, or for my Child. I therefore represent that I have and the Child have, adequate health, disability and life insurance, or I have made adequate alternate arrangements for myself and my Child to cover any such expenses.

In consideration of the right to participate in Cross Bar X Youth Ranch activities, I release and agree not to sue Cross Bar X for any and all claims, actions, demands, damages, causes of action or suits of any kind or nature whatsoever ("Claims") which may be asserted by or on behalf of myself or my child have as a result of bodily injury, illness, death, damage or loss to person or property which may result from participation in any activity carried out at or by Cross Bar X, including the Equestrian and Ropes Course Programs, whether or not caused by the negligence of Cross Bar X. In addition, I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold Cross Bar X harmless from and against any and all liability, loss or damage Cross Bar X may suffer as a result of Claims which may be asserted against Cross Bar X arising out of the activities carried out at Cross Bar X Youth Ranch or by Cross Bar X.

I hereby give Cross Bar X and its representatives and agents absolute permission to use photographs, videotapes and other images, quotations from comment/evaluation forms and voice reproductions of me, or my Child, for any purpose and media, and waive any proprietary, personal or other right to inspect and pre-approve such use.

I have had a chance to ask questions and seek advice before signing this document.

PARENT

I authorize my child to participate in the Retreat and all camp activities except the following:

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

PARTICIPANT

If I attend Cross Bar X Youth Ranch, I agree to the following:

1. I will participate in all activities such as games, sports, lessons, work/chores, and attending church.
2. I will not bring contraband, including valuables, alcohol, tobacco, weapons, electronics, or drugs.
3. I will obey all camp rules and regulations.
4. I will participate in worship sessions and be attentive during Bible lessons.

Camper Applicant Signature _____ Date _____