

RVR Retreat/Outdoor Education **RELEASE AND WAIVER AGREEMENT**



In consideration of being allowed to participate in activities at River Valley Ranch for the date(s) of _____ (*dates*) I, for myself and any minor children for whom I am parent, legal guardian, or otherwise responsible and for my/our heirs, personal representatives or assigns, hereby acknowledge the risks of injury or damage (to property, personal injury and/or death) involved in participating in the activities offered by River Valley Ranch including, but not limited to: paintball, archery tag, zip line, giant swing, high and low ropes course elements, climbing activities, bouldering, hiking, and horseback riding. I further understand that participation in these activities contains risks we each appreciate and voluntarily assume because the minor and we choose to do so. I further agree to require said minor to participate in all safety training and wear all safety equipment provided by River Valley Ranch for any of the above activities that require it.

I, for myself and any minor children for whom I am parent, legal guardian, or otherwise responsible, hereby release, acquit and forgive Peter & John Radio Fellowship, Inc. and River Valley Ranch, L.L.C., its principals, directors, officers, agents, employees, and volunteers (Releases) from any and all liability of any nature for any and all injury or damage (including property damage, personal injury, illness, paralysis, and/or death) to me or said minor children as the result of my/our participation in the activities listed above and below at River Valley Ranch.

I, for myself and any minor children for whom I am parent, legal guardian or otherwise responsible, and for my/our heirs, personal representatives or assigns, also hereby expressly waive any claim, lawsuit, complaint, charge, or cause of action against Peter & John Radio Fellowship, Inc. and River Valley Ranch, L.L.C., its principals, directors, agents, employees and for any and all injury or damage, to me or any such minor children and other persons as a result of my/our participation in the activities listed above and below at River Valley Ranch.

I, for my/our heirs, personal representatives and assigns also hereby expressly agree to indemnify and hold harmless Peter & John Radio Fellowship, Inc. and River Valley Ranch, L.L.C., its principals, directors, and employees, including costs, expenses and counsel fees, from and against all claims, lawsuits, complaints, charges or causes of action arising from the participation in the activities listed above and below at River Valley Ranch, and the activities for which this Release and Waiver Agreement is given.

I, for myself and any minor children for whom I am parent, legal guardian or otherwise responsible, give permission and consent to be photographed and/or filmed during activities and while on premises at River Valley Ranch (RVR). I further give permission and consent that any such photographs may be published and used by River Valley Ranch and the American Camp Association® and its agents, to illustrate and promote the camp experience, River Valley Ranch and its programs, or the American Camp Association.

Paintball Activities

I understand that my attendee, as a registered guest may participate in a variety of activities, which *may* include, but are not limited to: paintball (including the use of compressed air paintball markers) and Archery Tag (bows and arrows with large foam tips on the end). Paintball and Archery Tag both involve shooting projectiles at other participants and may include running. I affirm that I, and/or my child is in sufficient health to participate in the above activities. I give my permission to River Valley Ranch to transport my child, within the RVR's campus, from one activity to another by an authorized member of the RVR staff and within an authorized RVR vehicle, if deemed necessary. I understand that participation in these activities contains risk and I give my express permission for my attendee to participate in the program as designed by RVR.

Adventure Activities

I understand that my attendee, as a registered guest, may participate in a variety of activities, which *may* include, but are not limited to: zip line, high and low ropes course elements, climbing activities, giant swing, bouldering, Ninja Barn (warped wall, bouldering, balance elements), hiking (some of which may be strenuous) and camping out. Adventure activities are not suitable for pregnant women or participants over 250 pounds. I affirm that I, and/or my child is in sufficient health to participate in the above activities. I give my permission to River Valley Ranch to transport my camper, within RVR's campus, from one activity to another by an authorized member of the RVR staff and within an authorized RVR vehicle, if deemed necessary. I understand that participation in these activities contains risks and I give my express permission for my attendee to participate in the program as designed by River Valley Ranch.

Horse Activities

I understand that my camper, as a registered guest, may participate in a variety of activities, which *may* include, but are not limited to: horseback riding or horsemanship ground lessons. Horseback riding is not suitable for participants weighing over 230 pounds. I affirm that I, and/or my child is in sufficient health to participate in the above activities. I understand that participation in these activities contains risks associated with riding live animals and I give my express permission for my attendee to participate in the program as designed by River Valley Ranch.

Name of Participant: (printed) _____ Age: _____

IF Participant is OVER 18:

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____

IF Participant is UNDER 18:

Signature of Legal Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Minor: _____ Date: _____