ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND WAIVER AGREEMENT

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ATTENTION: PLEASE USE BLUE OR BLACK INK ONLY

W**ARNING** – BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU GIVE UP IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS! PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!

Participant Information		**D.O.B. Month**	**Day**	**Year**
Last Name:		**First Name:**		
Street Address:	**City:**		**Province:**	
			Postal Code:	
Phone Number: ( )		**Email Address**		
Emergency Contact: First Name:		**Last Name:**		
Relationship:		**Phone Number: ( )**		

ASSUMPTION OF RISKS

In consideration of the college allowing my use of the GPRC Peak Climbing Gym, I hereby acknowledge that I am aware of the risks associated with or related to sport climbing and to the use of the Climbing Wall (INCLUDING THE RISK OF SEVERE OR FATAL INJURY). These risks include, but are not limited to:

- All manner of muscular injuries, bruises, scrapes, cuts, sprains, dislocations, broken bones, and head, facial or dental injuries which might result from falling and hitting the floor, climbing wall faces, protruding holds or ledges, or other climbers;
- Rope abrasion, entanglement and other injuries resulting from activities such as climbing, belaying, rappelling, rescue systems and any other rope technique;
- Injuries resulting from failure of ropes, slings, harnesses, climbing hardware, anchor points and any part of the climbing structure;
- Injuries resulting from falling climbers or dropped items such as ropes or hardware and climbing holds;
- Cuts and abrasions from skin contact with climbing panels and various holds, ledges, edges and any fixtures, including injuries to the joints and knuckles of my hands.

I acknowledge that if I choose not to wear a helmet while using the Climbing Wall and climbing equipment that I am exposed to an increased risk of injury.

RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION

I understand that the participation in athletics and recreation involves the possible risk of death or personal injury. The use of the equipment, facilities, and premises of the Climbing Gym at Grande Prairie Regional College (herein known as "the college") by persons participating in athletics and recreation activities shall constitute acceptance of that risk regardless of the nature of the injury. The college, its officers, and employees shall not be liable for any death, injury, loss or damage sustained or suffered by persons participating in athletics or recreation activities at the college, whether caused either directly, or indirectly by the negligence or fault of the college, its officers, or employees. This waiver shall be binding upon all heirs and my personal representatives. I confirm that I have read and understand all of the terms set out in this document.
I confirm that I am 18 years of age; and that I am aware that this waiver and release is binding upon my heirs and personal representatives.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS AGREEMENT, that I have executed this agreement voluntarily, and that this agreement is to be binding upon me, my heirs, executors, administrators and representatives.

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT

Signature of PARENT/Legal Guardian if climber is under 18 years

Print name of PARENT/ Legal Guardian

Staff Use

GPRC STUDENT: FALL WINTER

ROC COURSE DATE: _____

BELAY COURSE DATE: _____

LEAD COURSE DATE: _____

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