

The Vancouver Skiers Cross Country & Touring Club Membership Application 2018-19

Membership Fees** Single \$35 Family** \$60 (For Office Use: Payment \$_____ Date: _____)
(* Family rate is based on 2 people at the same address, \$10 fee for each additional family member)

Cheques payable to: "The Vancouver Skiers" Mail to: 2207 – 2020 Bellevue Ave, West Van V7V 1B8

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Date: _____ Membership Type: Single ____ Family ____

Adult 1: Renewing member _____ or New Member _____

Print First Name: _____ Last Name _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Prov: _____ PC: _____

Home Tel: _____ Work Tel: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

Check if you **DO NOT** want your phone number, etc. published in the club list: _____

Gender: M / F (circle one) Date of Birth: Day ____ Month ____ Year _____ (for insurance purposes)

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Tel: _____

How did you hear about us? (check one) Past/present member ____ website ____ word of mouth ____

Adult 2: Renewing member _____ or New Member _____

Print First Name: _____ Last Name _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Prov: _____ PC: _____

Home Tel: _____ Work Tel: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

Check if you **DO NOT** want your phone number, etc. published in the club list: _____

Gender: M / F (circle one) Date of Birth: Day ____ Month ____ Year _____ (for insurance purposes)

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Tel: _____

How did you hear about us? (check one) Past/present member ____ website ____ word of mouth ____

Minor 1 - Name: _____ Gender: M / F (DoB: Day ____ Month ____ Year _____)

Minor 2 - Name: _____ Gender: M / F (DoB: Day ____ Month ____ Year _____)



CROSS COUNTRY CANADA INFORMED CONSENT AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

By signing this document you will assume certain risks. Please read carefully.

1. This is a binding legal agreement. As a Participant in the sport of cross-country skiing and the programs, activities and events of **Cross Country Canada including all of its registered Divisions and Clubs and Canadian Snowsports Association** (hereinafter called **CCC/CSA**), which include without limitation cross-country skiing competitions, camps, clinics, and related activities such as roller-skiing, road cycling, running and hiking (hereinafter called the **Activities**), the Participant and/or the Parent/Guardian of the Participant (hereinafter called the **Parties**), acknowledge and agree to the following terms:

Description of Risks

2. The Participant is participating voluntarily in the **Activities**. In consideration of the Participant's participation in the **Activities** sanctioned by **CCC/CSA**, the **Parties** hereby acknowledge that they are aware of the risks, dangers and hazards associated with or related to the **Activities**, and may be exposed to such risks, dangers and hazards. The risks, dangers and hazards include, but are not limited to, injuries from:
 - a) training whether indoor or outdoor including strength training, running, hiking, and cycling;
 - b) overusing, exerting and stretching various muscle groups and strenuous cardiovascular workouts;
 - c) vigorous physical exertion, rapid movements and quick turns and stops;
 - d) falling to the ground due to slips, trips or uneven, slippery or irregular terrain or surfaces;
 - e) contact, colliding or being struck by skis, ski poles, equipment, trees, other individuals or other fixed objects;
 - f) failing to participate within one's abilities, skill and within designated areas;
 - g) becoming lost or separated from the group or the group becoming split up;
 - h) failure to properly use any piece of equipment or from the mechanical failure of any piece of equipment;
 - i) extreme weather conditions which may result in frostbite, hypothermia, snowstorms, sunstroke or lightning strikes;
 - j) encounters with animals or plants including allergic reactions;
 - k) travel to and from training, competitive events and associated non-competitive events which are an integral part of **Activities**; and
 - l) other risks normally associated with participation in the **Activities**.
3. **Furthermore, the Parties are aware:**
 - a) that injuries sustained may be severe, paralyzing or fatal;
 - b) that the Participant may experience anxiety or embarrassment while challenging themselves during the activities, events and programs of **CCC/CSA**,
 - c) that the risk of injury is reduced if the Participant follows all rules established for participation; and
 - d) that the risk of injury increases as the Participant becomes fatigued.

Disclaimer

4. In consideration of **CCC/CSA** accepting the Participant's application for membership in the **Club** or allowing the Participant to participate, the **Parties** agree that **CCC/CSA**, and its respective directors, officers, committee members, members, employees, volunteers, participants, agents and representatives are not responsible for any injury, personal injury, damage, property damage, expense, loss of income or loss of any kind suffered by the Participant during, or as a result of, any of the **Activities** sanctioned by **CCC/CSA**, caused by the risks, dangers and hazards associated with the **Activities**.

Acknowledgement

5. The **Parties** confirm that:
 - a) the Participant's physical condition is sufficient to allow participation in the sport of cross-country skiing and the activities, events and programs of **CCC/CSA**;
 - b) they have been provided sufficient information about **Activities** and the associated risks and hazards so that they are aware of the effect of this agreement;
 - c) the Participant agrees to abide by the Rules and Regulations imposed by **CCC/CSA**, in association with the **Activities**, and to follow the instructions of the officials during the **Activities**; and
 - d) they have read this agreement understand it, have executed this agreement voluntarily, and that this agreement is to be binding upon the **Parties**, their heirs, executors, administrators and representatives.

6. In addition, the **Parties**:

- a) authorize **CCC/CSA**, to collect and use personal information about the **Parties** which relates in any way to the **Activities**, including without limitation the publication of photographs in newsletters and promotional materials, and the posting of photographs, videos, articles, rosters, statistics, images and results on the **CCC/CSA** websites;
- b) grant permission to **CCC/CSA**, to photograph and/or record the **Parties** image and/or voice, and to use this material to promote **CCC/CSA**, through any form of and agree that the audio/visual material and copyright will remain the sole property of **CCC/CSA**, and waive any claim to remuneration for use of audio/visual materials used for these purposes; and
- c) understand that they may withdraw such consent at any time by contacting Cross Country Canada at 403-678-6791. Cross Country Canada will advise the implications of such withdrawal.

We do not sell or distribute your personal information to any other third party not listed herein.

I, the Participant and/or Parent/Guardian, have read and agree to be bound by this agreement.

Name: _____
Date: _____
Signature: _____

NOTE: if the Member/Participant is under 19 years of age, parent or legal guardian MUST sign below.

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____
Date: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

NOTE:

All Informed Consent and Assumption of Risk Agreements are to remain with the **Club Executive for a minimum of three years.**

DO NOT submit these forms to **CCC/CSA** or the **Division** Office