

Waiver and Release

Skater's Name (Last, First, Initial) _____

Street Address _____ City _____

State/ZIP _____ / _____ Home phone # _____ Date of Birth _____

Email _____

US Speedskating Membership # _____

Emergency contact (Name/Phone) _____

NOTE: THIS FORM MUST BE READ AND SIGNED BEFORE THE PARTICIPANT IS PERMITTED TO TAKE PART IN ANY BAY STATE SPEEDSKATING CLUB PRACTICE, DRYLAND, OR LEARN TO SKATE SESSION.

In consideration of my involvement in the sport and activities under the auspices of the Northeast Speedskating Association and/or the Bay State Speedskating Club, I acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. **I RISK BODILY INJURY INCLUDING PARALYSIS, DISMEMBERMENT, DISABILITY, AND DEATH** and while particular rules of my sport, equipment, and personal training, and discipline may reduce this risk, **THIS RISK OF INJURY DOES EXIST, AS WELL AS THE RISK OF DAMAGE TO OR LOSS OF PROPERTY.**
2. **I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISK**, both known and unknown, **EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERS.**
3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual or unnecessary hazard during my presence or participation, I will bring such to the attention of the nearest official and:
4. **I, FOR MYSELF AND ON BEHALF OF MY HEIRS, ASSIGN, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES, AND NEXT OF KIN, HEREBY RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS, AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE THE NORTHEAST SPEEDSKATING ASSOCIATION, THE BAY STATE SPEEDSKATING CLUB OR OTHER SPONSORING ORGANIZATIONS, THEIR OFFICERS, VOLUNTEERS, STAFF, SPONSORS, AND/OR AGENTS ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY AND LOSS ARISING FROM MY PARTICIPATION, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, EXCEPT THAT WHICH IS THE RESULT OF GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WANTON MISCONDUCT.**

I have read this Release of Liability and Waiver Agreement, fully understand its terms, and sign it freely and voluntarily.

Participant's Signature _____ Date _____

Participant's Name (Printed) _____

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (under 18 at the time of registration)

This is to certify that I/we as parent(s)/guardian(s) with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree not only to his/her release, but also for myself/ourselves, and my/our heirs, assigns, and next of kin to release and indemnify the Releases from any and all Liability incident to my/our minor child's involvement as stated above.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Name (Printed) _____