

Westminster Woods Camp  
Paintball Waiver and Release Form

Valid: January 1, 2018 – December 31, 2018

Camp 7 <sup>th</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup> or High School Grade completed _____
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Parents/Guardians: **If you do not want your child to participate in Paintball Activities, do not sign this waiver.**

In consideration of the participation (of any kind) in the sport and activities of paintball at Westminster Woods, I acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. THE RISK OF INJURY FROM THE ACTIVITY AND WEAPONRY INVOLVED IN PAINTBALL IS SIGNIFICANT, INCLUDING THE POTENTIAL FOR BODILY INJURY, PERMANENT DISABILITY AND DEATH, and while particular protective equipment and personal discipline will minimize this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist;
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE of those persons released from liability below, and assume full responsibility for my (or my child's) participation; and,
3. I understand that the activities of paintball are physically and mentally intense. I UNDERSTAND THE RULES OF PLAY AND WILL COMPLY WITH ALL RULES AND REGULATIONS, as follows:

- Face masks must be worn properly at all times while in the area designated as the playing field
- Participants will not argue with the field judges, chaperones, or youth pastor
- If a player is within 25 feet, participants must first give the option to surrender (which the player signifies by raising his gun in the air over the head)
- Physical contact is prohibited
- Barrel socks are required on all paintball guns when off the playing field, even guns with no CO2 and no paintballs
- Absolutely no gun firing, including dry-firing, when outside the territory designated as the playing field
- Failure to comply with the above rules and regulations will result in suspension from the game. If I observe any unusual or unnecessary hazard during my participation, I will bring such to the attention of the nearest official as soon as practical; and, If I observe any unusual or unnecessary hazard during my participation, I will bring such to the attention of the nearest official as soon as practical: and

4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY VOLUNTARILY AGREE TO RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND HOLD HARMLESS WESTMINSTER WOODS, its trustees, instructors, agents, representatives, staff, and members whose property is used to conduct the paintball activities (i.e. the Releasees), FROM ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, ACTIONS OR LOSSES with respect to any and all injury, disability, wrongful death, loss or damage to person or property, or otherwise, which may arise out of my use and/or participation in Paintball activities and its equipment, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE.

5. I understand and agree that this Release of Liability Agreement covers each and every paintball activity, including those in which I participate hereafter.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE. BY SIGNING IT, I AGREE IT IS MY INTENTION TO EXEMPT AND RELIEVE WESTMINSTER WOODS CAMP FROM LIABILITY FOR PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE OR WRONGFUL DEATH CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR ANY OTHER CAUSE.

I further state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this affirmation and release; that I understand the terms herein are contractual and not a mere recital; and that I signed this document of my own free act and volition. I FURTHER STATE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS AFFIRMATION AND RELEASE BY READING IT BEFORE I HAVE SIGNED IT.

I have executed this affirmation and release on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_\_.

Participants Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian's Signature (if under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Print Parent or Guardian's Name Here \_\_\_\_\_