HARRISON WILDCATS ATHLETICS

ATHLETIC MISSION: "EMBRACE CHALLENGES, OVERCOME ADVERSITIES, & LEAD BY EXAMPLE!"



WAIVER/RELEASE FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASES INCLUDING COVID-19

ASSUMPTION OF RISK/WAIVER OF LIABILITY/INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

As a result of the highly contagious novel coronavirus, COVID-19, federal, state and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Southwest Local School District has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19 including following the directives and guidelines from the Governor, the Ohio Department of Health, and our county health department. However, the Southwest Local School District cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending and participating in ______ ("Activity") could increase your risk and your child(ren)'s risk of contracting COVID-19.

You and/or your child(ren)'s participation and attendance at Activity is voluntary. Further, you and your child(ren) are required to abide by directives designed to lower the risk of COVID-19 exposure which may include wearing masks, social distancing (6 feet apart), washing hands, non-sharing of equipment, wiping down all shared equipment after each use, limitations on spectators, etc. These directives will be provided to you by _______. If you fail to follow these directives, you will forfeit you and your child(ren)'s right to continued participation in the Activity.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in the Activity the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

- 1. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to MRSA, influenza, and COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and,
- 2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
- 3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as regards protection against infectious diseases. If, however, I observe any unusual or significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,



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