

2022-23 Outside Now Summer Camp Participant Waiver and Release

_____ has my (our) permission to participate in
Program: **Outside Now Nature Connection Programs and Events**

Camp Season Start Date: **June 1, 2023** Camp Season End Date: **August 31, 2023**

Program Locations: **Countywide Public Parks and Private Wild Lands. Indoor & Outdoor Settings**

Estimated Hours of Program Day: **Typically, 4-6 hours/day depending upon the specific program/event. Additionally, 24-hour extended experiences on the land.**

As the parent(s) and/or legal guardian(s), I/we remain legally responsible for any personal actions taken by the above-named minor.

I/we understand and acknowledge that I/we have voluntarily enrolled the above-named minor in a program that may involve activities that can be considered hazardous and pose risks to my/ our child, including the risks associated with hiking and outdoor play such as crossing streams, encountering poison oak, climbing trees and rocks, water play, fire making and managing campfires, using tools for construction and gardening, using knives as tools, primitive cooking, encountering poisonous insects and plants/snakes/ ticks/wild animals, and being outside in inclement weather, which may result in serious injury or death.

I/we understand that if the above-named minor fails to abide by behavioral guidelines and safety requirements regarding any of the programs that may be established by Outside Now or its agents, s/he may immediately be discharged from any of the programs and Outside Now facilities without any reimbursement for any payment to Outside Now. I/we further understand that I/we may be called to pick him/her up and will be solely responsible for any associated costs.

I/we certify that to the best of my/our knowledge and belief the above-named minor is in good health and/or any specific medical or behavioral needs have been shared and an accommodation plan created with O.N. staff. I/we hereby certify we have provided Outside Now with a current Medical Emergency Release Form. In addition, I/we acknowledge that novel coronavirus (COVID-19) infections remain throughout the United States, including cases in California and San Luis Obispo County.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in Outside Now Nature Connection programs and related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not

limited to MRSA, influenza, and COVID-19 (and variants). While particular guidelines and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist.

As consideration for being permitted by Outside Now to participate in any of its programs and use of facilities, I/we, as the parent(s) or guardian(s) of the minor(s), do hereby, for my child/ children, myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators, release and forever discharge and hold harmless Outside Now or any of its affiliated organizations and all officers, directors, employees, agents, guest property owners and volunteers of the organization, acting officially or otherwise, from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action which in any way arise from the minor's participation and/or my/our participation in any of the Outside Now programs and events.

I acknowledge that I have carefully read this **Waiver and Release** document and understand the information herein. I agree to each of the terms and acknowledgments included in this document and agree to permit my child to participate in the Outside Now Nature Connection program(s) described above.

Parent #1 Full Name:

Parent #2 Full Name:

Address, City, State, Zip:

Phone (with area code):