

INFORMED CONSENT AGREEMENT – COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION

In order for any student to participate in the **Recreation and Healthy Active Living Leadership** program through **ASK Online Canada**, it is a requirement for both the student and a parent/ guardian to complete the following **Informed Consent Agreement – Community Participation** form, signed by the parent/guardian of each student participant or by the student if over the age of majority (18).

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

I understand that certain activities require a minimum level of fitness and health (physical, mental and emotional) and that each person has a different capacity for participating in these activities. I agree that my child, ward or self is able to participate in all community-based activities outlined in the **Recreation and Healthy Active Living Leadership** program available through ASK Online Canada’s website and has completed the Town of Aurora Waiver.

The risk of sustaining injuries, resulting from the nature of physical activities, can occur without any fault of either the student, or the school, its’ employees/agents or the facility where the activity is taking place. The potential inherent risks of participating in any physical activity include but are not limited to: collision with natural or man-made objects or other persons; hard surfaces; flying objects; physical agility including rapid movements and quick turns and stops; physical exertion; exposure to weather conditions; and site conditions.

By choosing to take part in the Recreation Leadership program indicated below, I am accepting the risk that my child, ward or self may be injured. The following includes but is not limited to the types of injuries that may result from participation in this activity: bumps, bruises, sprains, strains, scrapes, lacerations, spinal injuries, broken bones or head injuries.

If there is a suspected or known concussion or injury before, during, or after participation, my child, ward or self will suspend participation immediately and follow any relevant policies and procedures.

ACCIDENT COVERAGE:

Please be advised that the ASK Online Canada does not provide accident coverage for student injuries that occur in community-based facilities or during school-related activities. There is an inherent risk when taking part in any physical activity that may result in injury. Certain injuries may require medical, dental or other expenses that are not covered by provincial health care or group benefit plans. As a parent/guardian, you are responsible for these expenses. To take the worry out of unexpected costs, parents/ guardians may purchase coverage under a Student Accident Insurance Policy. Participation is voluntary but highly recommended.

I have read and understand the **Informed Consent Agreement – Community Participation** and consent to participate acknowledging all of the above.

Name of Student (PRINT): _____

School: **ASK Online Canada**

Program: **Recreation and Healthy Active Living Leadership**

Name of Parent/Guardian (OR student over 18) (PRINT): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (OR student over 18): _____ Date: _____

Student Accident Insurance has been/will be purchased: Yes No