

Rubicon Adventures

Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk Agreement for Rafting Trips - Read Before Signing

* Print, Fill Out, Scan & Email to bill@RubiconAdventures.com or Mail with Payment to:
9743 Pocket Canyon Rd, Forestville, CA 95436

In addition, fill out Rubicon's [Application/Reservation](#) & send prior to the trip.

This is a release. Read it carefully and sign below. This release essentially says that I know I am going on a whitewater rafting trip, not a Disneyland ride or to an air conditioned shopping mall. If I die, get hurt, or damage my belongings, I will not make a claim, sue or expect Rubicon Adventures, its owners, operators, agents, employees, and associates to be legally responsible or pay for any damages.

I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily chosen to go on this whitewater rafting trip with Rubicon Adventures. I know and fully understand that a whitewater rafting trip, whether on a raft, an oar boat, a kayak or any other type of vessel, is an outdoor adventure activity that has inherent risks and hazards where serious accidents can occur, participants can die, sustain injuries and property damage. I acknowledge and willingly assume all risks and hazards in whitewater rafting and river related camping, including but not limited to, loss of control of the raft, collision with other participants, rocks, trees and any portion of the interior of the raft, other rafts and any other man made or natural obstacles whether they are obvious or not: submission in water, drowning, encounters with animals, wildlife and insects, exposure to extreme temperatures and inclement weather, wilderness terrain and unavailability of immediate medical attention in case of injury.

I recognize that the risks associated with whitewater rafting are increased in class III-V. My participation in this activity is purely voluntary and I elect to do so at my own risk.

In consideration for Rubicon Adventures allowing me to participate on this trip, I voluntarily agree to release, discharge and hold harmless Rubicon Adventures and their owners, officers, employees, agents and regulating agencies including but not limited to California State Parks, U.S. Forest Service, Sonoma County, Yolo County, Mendocino County, Humboldt County and riparian land owners for any and all claims of liability arising out of their negligence, recklessness, strict liability, breach of contract, or any other act or omission which causes the undersigned illness or injury, death, and damages of any nature in any way connected with my participation in this activity. I also expressly agree to release and discharge Rubicon Adventures, their owners, officers, agents, and employees from any act or omission of negligence in rendering or failing to render any type of emergency or medical services. In signing this document, I fully recognize and understand if I (or any minor on whose behalf I am signing this release) is hurt, die, or my property is damaged, I am giving up my right to make a claim or file a lawsuit against Rubicon Adventures, its agents, employees and all other parties and affiliates named herein even if they negligently or by some other act or omission cause injury or damage.

I understand that all river trips are dangerous and in consideration of being allowed to participate in whitewater activities, I hereby release, waive, and relinquish all claims and legal actions for personal injury, wrongful death or property damage against the R.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Land Management, Bureau of Reclamation (U.S. Government), State of California, its Department of Parks and Recreation (state) or its permittee's arising as a result of my participation in the whitewater river trips, and related

activities described herein, my use of permittee's equipment or any activities incidental thereto including rescue activities; this release applies even if permittee and /or state and/or U.S. Government are negligent or otherwise at fault. I also agree to protect, hold harmless, defend and indemnify permittee, state, counties and U.S. Government and hold them harmless from all claims and legal actions for personal injury, death or property damage arising from my conduct: These indemnities apply even if permittee, state and U.S. Government are negligent or otherwise at fault.

I hereby give Rubicon Adventures the irrevocable right to use my name, picture, photograph, portraits, visual likeness, or voice in all forms and media in all manners, including photo, film, digital, audio and video representations, on this rafting trip, or SUP activities for its promotional and or commercial purposes. I hereby waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product that may be created. If wish to not have my photo or photo of a minor I am signing for used please contact Rubicon Adventures directly.

As a parent or legal guardian of a participant under 10 years of age, I have read and voluntarily agreed that the said minor may participate in this whitewater rafting trip and I sign this release on their behalf. In addition, I give Rubicon Adventures, its owners, employees or associates permission to treat the said minor in case of illness, injury, emergency, or accident. Should emergency medical services become necessary, for the undersigned participant or minor, the expenses are the sole responsibility of the participant and not that of Rubicon Adventures. Personal medical and travel insurance is strongly advised.

Rubicon Adventures reserves the right to accept or deny service to any person. I hereby agree to follow all rules, regulations, and instructions of Rubicon Adventures while on this trip. I also certify that I and any minor, on whose behalf I am signing, are physically and mentally capable of participating in these activities.

I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT. I UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS A RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS. I UNDERSTAND I AM ASSUMING ALL RISKS INHERENT WITH WHITEWATER RAFTING. I VOLUNTARILY SIGN MY NAME AS EVIDENCE OF MY ACCEPTANCE OF THE ABOVE PROVISIONS.

RIVER _____ DATES OF _____

TRIP _____

NAME _____

TELEPHONE _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

ZIP _____ EMAIL _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

* We have extras Release Forms on site if you forget yours.

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