

UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events (January 26 - April 12, 2024) University of Alberta Hide and Seek Club

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISKS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

BY SIGNING THIS FORM, YOU ACCEPT CERTAIN LEGAL OBLIGATIONS AND GIVE UP IMPORTANT
LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE
INITIALS

Name of Participant	Last Name:		First Name:
Identification Number: (UAlberta ID, if applicable)		Email Address:	
Address:			City, Province:
Emergency Contact:	Last Name:		First Name:
Relationship:		Phone Number:	

The UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events include: Hide and Seek Club - Lister Centre Event and UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events.

Assumption of Risks

In consideration of my participation in the UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events, I acknowledge that I am aware of, and freely accept **all risks, dangers and hazards** associated with being a participant in the UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events, including the possible risk of severe or fatal injury to myself or others. These risks include but are not limited to:

- 1. The risks associated with traveling on commercial, public, or private vehicles to and from locations to be visited, including but not limited to a vehicle accident resulting in severe physical injuries or death;
- 2. Injuries, incident or property damage resulting from travel to and from all locations, venues and destinations in relation to the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events;
- 3. General health risks such as allergic reactions to food, animals, environment;
- 4. Injuries or illness resulting from failure to follow directions, instructions and guidelines provided by those in charge of the activity;
- 5. Injury or loss arising from falls on the ice or on steep, slippery or uneven terrain during travel;
- 6. Injury and/or illness resulting from exposure to weather conditions, including but not limited to cold, snow, ice, wind, hail, rain, sleet, fog, etc;
- 7. Sunburn, heat exhaustion, heat stroke, or heat-related injuries of any nature resulting from exposure to weather conditions, including but not limited to high temperatures, sunlight, high humidity, etc.;
- 8. The possibility of bodily injury from physical activity including broken bones, muscle strains and sprains, soft tissue injury such as cuts and abrasions, and dental damage from falling or being knocked down;
- 9. Injury resulting from impact with obstructions, equipment, other participants or spectators;
- 10. An increased load on the heart, which may result in dizziness, shortness of breath and in extreme circumstances, may result in a heart attack:
- 11. Potential exposure to infectious and communicable disease, including but not limited to COVID-19.

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Release of Liability and Indemnification

In consideration for the University allowing me to participate in the UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events, I agree:

- 1. that the Governors of the University of Alberta, University of Alberta Hide and Seek Club, their officers, employees, and volunteers (hereinafter referred to as the "University") are not responsible for any loss, damage, injury or expense of any kinds sustained by me while participating in the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events and all related activities, including to the extent that any loss, damage, injury or expense that might result from the negligence of the University;
- 2. to **WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS** that I have or may in the future have against the University arising out of any aspect of my participation in the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events and **to RELEASE** the University from any and all liability resulting from any loss, damage, injury (including death) or expense that I may suffer as a result of my participation in the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events, due to any cause whatsoever, including without limitation, negligence, breach of contract, or breach of any statutory or other duty of care, as well as any duty of care owned under the *Occupiers' Liability Act* (Alberta) on the part of the University;
- 3. to **INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS** the University in relation to:
 - a. any damage to University property caused by me;
 - b. any and all liability for any damages to the personal property of, or personal injury to, any third party resulting from my participation in the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events; and
 - c. any and all claims, demands, actions and costs which might arise out of my participating in the UofA Hide and Seek Club Weekly Events, even though such claims, demands, actions and costs may have been caused by the University.

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Acknowledgement

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS AGREEMENT before signing it, that I have executed this Agreement voluntarily, and that this Agreement is to be binding upon myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and representatives. Further, I acknowledge and agree:



- 1. To follow all rules and guidelines set out by the University and its representatives related to the UofA Hide and Seek Club - Weekly Events and all related activities.
- That students of the University of Alberta are subject to the University of Alberta's Code of Student Behaviour and Student Conduct Policy and that I will conduct myself accordingly at all times.
- 3. That I will participate safely and within my abilities. I hereby state and verify that I am physically and mentally fit to participate.
- 4. That I will wear appropriate attire, including footwear, for outdoor activity and weather conditions.
- 5. I will follow all guidelines for infection prevention and control as required, including social distancing, hand hygiene, and wearing personal protective equipment (eg. gloves, masks) to prevent the spread of COVID-19 and other communicable diseases.
- I will follow health authority self-isolation guidelines and stay home if I feel ill.

SIGNED THIS day of	, 20, at Edmonton, Alberta.
Signature of Participant (must be over 18)	Signature of Witness
Print Name	Print Name

Protection of Privacy - The personal information requested on this form is collected under the authority of Section 33(c) of the Alberta Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and will be protected under Part 2 of that Act. It will be used for the purpose of administering the activity and/or to communicate with the emergency contact in case the participant is seriously injured or ill. Direct any questions about this collection to: Office of the Dean of Students, 5-02 Students Union, 8917-116 Street NW, 780-492-4145, dosdean@ualberta.ca

Note: This waiver must be copied (in colour, if possible) to a single double-sided page and completed in full (initialed, signed, dated, witnessed) before any participant may begin this activity. No changes to the document may be made except by the Dean of Students or Insurance & Risk Assessment staff. Signed documents will be kept for a minimum of ten years.