



**I. Limited Purpose Power of Attorney: Consent to Treatment of Minor (Must be signed by parents or legal guardians)**

- A. By signature below, the undersigned appoints the Camp Director or Nurse each to act alone, or delegate to another person, the power to consent on our behalf to all emergency treatment and/or medical care (except elective surgery) of (child's name) \_\_\_\_\_, determined necessary or desirable by the attending physician at the hospital.
- B. This Power of Attorney shall continue until revoked by the undersigned, or until September 3, 2008, whichever is earlier. Physicians or the hospital's medical staff may assume and rely on this authorization being current and in effect during such period unless notified otherwise.
- C. The undersigned certify that they have read this Power of Attorney (or had it read to them), that they understand this Power of Attorney, and sign it voluntarily.

**II. Photo Release & Follow Up**

By signature below, I certify that photographs or videotape pictures of my child participating in the Mount Hermon youth camp programs may be reproduced and utilized by Mount Hermon in promotional materials for the camp. I certify that for purposes of following up on my child's camp experience, Mount Hermon may release my child's name to a church or other youth organization.

**III. Release and Indemnity Agreement for Mount Hermon Youth Camp Participants (Age 17 and under)**

By signature below, I certify the following: (1) that my child's participation in Mount Hermon youth camp activities and programs, and my authorization of my child's participation in Mount Hermon activities and programs, is completely voluntary, and (2) that I have familiarized myself with the Mount Hermon activities and programs in which my child will be participating. I further recognize and have instructed my child in the importance of knowing and abiding by Mount Hermon's rules, regulations and procedures for the safety of camp participants.

I recognize that certain hazards and dangers are inherent in camping and sporting events and in the activities and programs conducted by Mount Hermon, including, more specifically, but not limited to, the activities of swimming, diving, surfing, zipline, paintball, ropes course, and inline skating. I acknowledge that although Mount Hermon has taken safety measures to minimize the risk of injury to camp participants, Mount Hermon cannot insure nor guarantee that the participants, equipment, premises and/or activities will be free of hazards, accidents and/or injuries. Moreover, I understand that participation in any such activities may involve the risk of injury and loss, both to person and to property, and that the risks may include the possibility of permanent disability or death, I assume all such risks connected with my child's participation in Mount Hermon's activities and programs.

I understand that in the unlikely event of a serious illness or injury, reasonable effort will be made to notify the parents or legal guardians at the earliest possible time without jeopardizing the care of the camper or minor staff. Parents or guardians will be notified if their child receives treatment for an injury/illness that requires a physician.

In consideration of Mount Hermon's accepting and permitting my child to attend camp and participate in camp activities and programs, I release Mount Hermon and its trustees, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers from any and all liability (excluding liability for intentional or reckless misconduct) for, and waive any and all claims for injury, loss, or damage, including attorneys' fees, in any way connected with my child's participation in Mount Hermon activities and programs, whether or not caused in whole or in part by the negligence (or other misconduct) of Mount Hermon, its trustees, officers, employees, agents and volunteers. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless (in other words, to reimburse and to be responsible for) Mount Hermon, its trustees, officers, employees, agents and volunteers for and from any and all claims for any liability, injury, loss, damage, or expense, including attorneys' fees (including the cost of defending any claim I might make or that might be made on my or my child's behalf, that is released and waived by this instrument), in any way connected with or arising out of my child's participation in Mount Hermon activities and programs, whether or not caused in whole or in part by the negligence or other misconduct of Mount Hermon, its trustees, officers, employees, agents, or volunteers.

I represent that I am the parent or legal guardian of (child's name) \_\_\_\_\_, that I am at least eighteen (18) years of age and I am under no mental or legal disability which would prevent me from signing and executing this agreement. I further represent that I have read (or have had read to me) and understand the terms of this agreement.

**Note:** If this form is being signed for a child or minor participant at the camp, it must be signed by both parents unless one is deceased, mentally incompetent, has had parental rights terminated, there has been a divorce, or parents are unmarried. In case of divorced or unmarried parents, the parent having physical custody of the child should sign. (The signing parent should understand the indemnification clause above defending Mount Hermon Camps against claims by other parties on behalf of the child.) If neither parent has legal parental rights, or both are deceased, this form must be signed by the legal guardian of the child. Each signature must be witnessed by a person 18 years or older, and not the camper. This agreement will be enforced in accordance with the law of the State of California.

**Two Parent signatures are required. If there are not two parent signatures below, please indicate the reason why by checking the appropriate box.**

- Missing parent is deceased.
- Missing parent is mentally incompetent or has had parental rights terminated.
- Parents are divorced or unmarried and signing parent has physical custody of the child.
- Both parents are deceased, and a legal Guardian is responsible for the child.
- Parental rights have been terminated, and a legal Guardian is responsible for the child.
- Missing parent is on active duty in the military.

Date: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_, 2008

Father's or Legal Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's or Legal Guardian's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Return by May 15, 2008**

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**Mail to:** Mount Hermon Association, Inc.

attn: Youth Camp Registrar

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