



**2025 VOLUNTEER WAIVER
BARRIE DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL**

NOTE: All applicants must complete and sign the following waiver to volunteer at the Barrie Dragon Boat Festival

In consideration of receiving permission to volunteer/participate in the Barrie Dragon Boat Festival and/or practice sessions prior to the Festival, I, for myself and my heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns hereby **RELEASE, WAIVE, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE** the Barrie Public Library, The Corporation of the City of Barrie, Alkame Dragon Boat Services, Corporate Recess and all their respective directors, members, trustees, agents representatives, officers, sponsors, licensors, associations, sanctioning bodies, servants, employees, contractors, successors, coaches, instructors, volunteers and assigns **OF AND FROM ALL** claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, actions, and causes of action, whether in law or equity, in respect of death, injury, loss or damage to my person or property **HOWSOEVER CAUSED**, arising or to arise by reason of my participation in the said event and/or practice sessions, whether as a volunteer, spectator, participant, competitor or otherwise, whether prior to, during or subsequent to the event or any practice session, **AND NOTWITHSTANDING** that same may have been contributed to, or occasioned by, the negligence of any of the aforesaid. I **INDEMNIFY** all of the aforesaid from and against any and all liability incurred by any or all of them arising as a result of, or in any way connected with, my participation in said event and/or practice sessions.

I and my next of kin are duly aware of the risks and hazards inherent in both the sport of dragon boat racing and entering the premises used for the purpose of launching, docking and storing equipment used in the sport of dragon boat racing, and specifically in participating in the Barrie Dragon Boat Festival and/or practice sessions offered prior to the Festival, and I acknowledge that conditions may be hazardous and dangerous and that obstructions may exist, and that high winds may cause rough water, and that I hereby give notice that I am a competent swimmer and that I voluntarily assume all risks of loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me or to any property in connection with my participation in the event and/or practice sessions.

By **SUBMITTING** this form, I **ACKNOWLEDGE HAVING READ, UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED** on the above **WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNITY**, and I **WARRANT** that I am physically fit to volunteer/participate in the event and/or practice sessions. Further, I hereby grant full permission to any and all of the aforesaid to use any photograph, videotape, motion picture, recording or any record of the event for any legitimate purpose.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

NAME: _____

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Signature of parent/guardian if under 18: _____

WITNESS: _____ DATE: _____

YES! Please contact me again for future Barrie Dragon Boat Festival volunteer opportunities

Please email (volunteers@barrielibrary.ca) or drop this form off to any Barrie Public Library Branch prior to Friday August 8, 2025