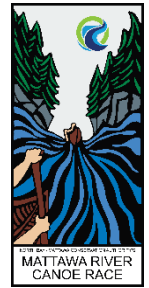




Mattawa River Canoe Race
Family/Junior/Adult Race (13km), Marathon Race (64km)



WAIVER, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am a participant in the Mattawa River Canoe/Kayak Race on June 8, 2024.
(Name of Participant)

As a competitor in the Mattawa River Canoe/Kayak/SUP Race in the 13km or 64km race on June 8, 2024, (or the legal guardian of a Race competitor under the age of 18), I hereby agree to the following:

- 1. In entering this agreement, I acknowledge, agree, and represent that I understand the nature of the event and am aware of the risks, dangers, and hazards associated with canoe/kayak racing including risk of injury, whether serious or not and possibly death, and I freely accept and fully assume all such risks, dangers, and hazards and the possibility of personal injury, death, property damage or loss resulting therefrom. Initial
2. I acknowledge that I have/will be provided with the Participant's Package, which includes the Emergency Plan and identifies the risks associated with canoe/kayak/sup racing, and the fact that as a participant I share a role ensuring my own safety and mitigating these risks by being suitably prepared to participate in this event. Initial
3. I warrant that I am in good health and proper physical fitness to enable participation and have conditioned myself to participate in the Race division I have chosen. Initial
4. I warrant that I am a competent paddler and am equipped to compete in the division that I have chosen. Initial
5. I agree to immediately discontinue further participation in the Race if at any time during the Race I believe that any equipment I am using is unsafe, that I am incapable of continuing, or if requested by any Race Official or any medical personnel to discontinue. Initial
6. I confirm that I have attended the Virtual Safety Briefing on June 6 at 7 pm given by the North Bay-Mattawa Conservation Authority. If I was not able to attend the briefing, I have been briefed by my Race partner (name or N/A) Initial
\_\_\_\_\_ who attended the safety briefing.
7. I hereby consent to receive medical treatment in the event of my injury, accident and/or illness, during this event. Initial
8. I, for myself, heirs, executors, administrators, successors HEREBY RELEASE, WAIVE, and FOREVER DISCHARGE the North Bay-Mattawa Conservation Authority, City of North Bay, Town of Mattawa, OMCKRA, race officials and all other associations, event suppliers, sponsoring companies, OF AND FROM ALL claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, actions and causes of action, whether in law or equity, in respect to death, injury, loss or damage to my person or property however caused, arising by my participation in the said event. Initial

- 9. I FURTHER HEREBY UNDERTAKE TO HOLD SAFE AND HARMLESS AND AGREE TO IDEMNIFY 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 the said event. Initial
  
- 10. I give permission to the NBMCA to photograph and/or videotape me and/or my child (competing in the Race) and use the photograph and/or video recording in promotion of the Mattawa River Canoe Race, NBMCA and its activities in print and electronic mediums including its website, in promotional literature, social media, media releases, signage and at events. I transfer to the NBMCA any and all rights, including copyrights which I may have on this material. And further consent to the publication of my name, municipality of residence, and race time with respect to Race results. Initial
  
- 11. Personal data and information collected by the organizers is for registration and results purposes only and may not be shared with other companies or organizations without my consent. Initial

I CONFIRM THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS AGREEMENT PRIOR TO SIGNING IT, AND THAT I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, ASSIGNS AND REPRESENTATIVES MAY HAVE AGAINST THE RELEASEES.

I hereby acknowledge that I am 18 years of age, or older, or that I am legally authorized to consent to the participation of my above-named child in the Race, and that I have read this document, and I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO THE CONTENTS.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

Signed this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if participant is under the age of 18)