

Release, Waiver and Assumption of Risks

I, _____, hereby acknowledge and agree that in consideration of being permitted to participate in the Joseph Howe Century Tour organized and operated by the Velo Halifax Bicycle Club:

I do hereby release Velo Halifax Bicycle Club, its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents from all liability and do hereby waive as against Velo Halifax Bicycle Club, its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents all recourses, proceedings, claims, and causes of action of any kind whatsoever, in respect to all personal injuries or property losses which I may suffer arising out of, or in connection with, my preparation for, or participating in the aforesaid Joseph Howe Century Tour, notwithstanding that such injuries or losses may have been caused solely or partly by the negligence of Velo Halifax Bicycle Club or any of their members, their officers, directors, volunteers, and agents.

2. And, I do hereby acknowledge and agree:

- a) That the sport of cycling exposes participants to many risks and hazards, some of which are inherent in the very nature of the sport itself, other which may result from human error and negligence on the part of the persons involved in preparing, organizing and staging the Joseph Howe Century Tour.
- b) That, as a result of the aforesaid risks and hazards, I as a participant may suffer serious personal injury, even death, as well as primary loss.
- c) That some of the aforesaid risks and hazards are foreseeable, but others are not.
- d) That I nevertheless freely and voluntarily assume all the aforesaid risks and hazards, and that, accordingly, my preparation for, and participation in the aforesaid Joseph Howe Century Tour shall be entirely at my own risks.
- e) That I understand that neither Velo Halifax Bicycle Club nor any of its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents assume any responsibility whatsoever for my safety during the course of my preparations for or participation in the aforesaid Joseph Howe Century Tour.
- f) That I have carefully read this Release Waiver and Assumption of Risk Agreement, that I fully understand the same and that I am freely and voluntarily executing the same.
- g) That I understand clearly that by signing this release, I will be forever prevented from suing or otherwise claiming against Velo Halifax Bicycle Club or any of its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents for any loss or damage connected with any property loss or personal injury that I may sustain while participating in or preparing for any of the above mentioned Joseph Howe Century Tour whether or not such loss or injury is caused solely or partly by the negligence of Velo Halifax Bicycle Club or any of its members, officers, directors, volunteers, or agents.
- h) That I understand clearly that Velo Halifax Bicycle Club would not permit me to participate in the Joseph Howe Century Tour unless I signed this Release Waiver and Assumption of Risk Agreement.
- i) That I am at least eighteen years of age, and/or a member of Velo Halifax Bicycle Club.

_____ Participant

_____ Witness

Parental Acknowledgement, Release and Agreement to Indemnify

I/we, _____ and _____ being parents of _____ who is under the age of eighteen, do hereby agree and acknowledge:

1. That I/we have read and understand fully above Release Waiver and Assumption of Risks Agreement;
2. That I/we have explained to my/our child the consequences of signing the said release
3. That I/we do hereby release Velo Halifax Bicycle Club, its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents all resources, preceeding, claims and causes of action of any kind whatsoever, in respect of damages I/we might suffer as consequences of my child sustaining personal injury, death or property loss while participating in the Joseph Howe Century Tour
4. That I/we do hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Velo Halifax Bicycle Club, its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents from any and all claims, demands, causes of action of any kind whatsoever including those involving negligence on the part of the said Velo Halifax Bicycle Club, its members, officers, directors, volunteers, and agents, that may be made or initiated by, or on the behalf of my child, arising out of or connected with my said child's participation in the Joseph Howe Century Tour.

_____ Parent

_____ Witness