

Name of participant

As the parent or legal guardian of the child named above, I hereby certify that, in consideration of the benefits to our child/ward, and other children to be gained through their participation in the athletic activities sponsored by Ridge Youth Sports, Inc., I give my full consent and approval for my child to participate as a team member of the sport designated above. I understand that there are certain risks of injury in the practice and play of this sport, as well as in traveling and other related activities incidental to my child's participation, and I am willing to assume these risks on behalf of my child. I hereby certify that my child is healthy and has no physical or mental disabilities or infirmities that would restrict participation in these activities. In addition to giving my full consent for my child's participation, I do hereby waive, release and hold harmless the following: Ridge Youth Sports, Inc, Bernards Township and all of their trustee's officers, employees, and coaches, sponsors, supervisors, volunteers and representatives from any and all claims arising out of such injury that may be suffered by my child or myself as a participant or spectator in the normal course of participation in the designated sport and the activities incidental thereto, whether the result of negligence or any other cause. Any equipment issued to my son/daughter will be returned as directed by the team coaches or officials and I agree that I am liable for the replacement of any lost equipment issued to my son or daughter. I have read and understand all points contained in the Parental Code of Conduct and Player Code of Conduct.

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, participating at Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. or any activities or teams associated with Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. could increase your risk and your child(ren)'s risk of contracting COVID-19. By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by participating at Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 with my participation may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. coaches, volunteers, and program participants and their families. I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s participation with Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless Ridge Youth Sports, Inc., its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Ridge Youth Sports, Inc., its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Ridge Youth Sports, Inc. activity.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Name of Parent or Guardian (printed) _____ Date



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