

– Jue Tao Martial Arts Center –
**Waiver And Release of Liability And
Agreement to Participate**

Name of Participant: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Activities: Sparring, Board breaking, Kicking practice, Skit/self-defense demo and Other martial arts related practice and training

In consideration of participating in the activities described above, I, the undersigned, do hereby:

1. Acknowledge and fully understand that I will be engaging in a contact sport that might result in serious injury including permanent disability or death, and severe social and economic losses as well as property damage due not only to my negligence, action or interaction, but also the actions of others. Furthermore I acknowledge that there may be risks, known to me or not reasonably predictable.
2. Acknowledge all risks involved in the practice of martial arts. I assume risk and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent liability or death.
3. Enter on my own free will into premises and classes, demonstrations, training and competition understanding and abiding by the rules promulgated by instructors and coaches including wearing all safety equipments as required by the rules.
4. Agree that prior to participating, I have a right and duty to inspect the equipments and facilities to be used, and if I believe anything is unsafe or beyond my ability, I will immediately advise my coach or supervisor of such condition(s) and decline to participate.
5. Certify that I am in good health, general physical condition with no limitations to impair my performance, mentally or physically of the prescribed activities of myself and of others.
6. Assure that I am under the coverage by a personal medical insurance.
7. Grant permission in the event of my injury to have medical assistance administered by instructors, coaches and other associates in case of injury.
8. For myself, and for my heirs, children, parents, guardians, executors, personal representatives, assigns and administrators, I forever release, acquit, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue Jue Tao Martial Arts Center, its affiliated clubs or any coaches, instructors, other participants, their parents/guardians, directors and volunteers of the organization, and sponsors/sponsoring agencies, all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "releasee". I further agree to hold each of them harmless and to indemnify each of them from liability arising from any and all claims (including for the negligence of any of them that may result in personal injury, accident, illness or death), demands, costs, damages, actions, causes of action, or suits of any nature or kind that are in any way related to my training.

I HAVE READ THIS LIABILITY WAIVER, RELEASE, AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT, AND I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS. I UNDERSTAND THAT BY ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT I AM GIVING UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE. I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I AM SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY, AND INTEND BY MY SIGNATURE TO MAKE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND. IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD INVALID, I AGREE THAT THE BALANCE OF IT SHALL NEVERTHELESS CONTINUE IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.

PARTICIPANT'S PRINTED NAME

PARTICIPANT'S SIGNATURE

DATE

FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER 18)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT I, AS PARENT/GUARDIAN WITH LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THIS PARTICIPANT, DO CONSENT AND AGREE TO HIS/HER RELEASE, AS PROVIDED ABOVE, OF ALL THE RELEASEES, AND FOR MYSELF, MYHEIRS, ASSIGNS, AND NEXT OF KIN, I RELEASE AND AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASEES FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES INCIDENT TO MY MINOR CHILD'S INVOLVEMENT OR PARTICIPATION IN THESE PROGRAMS AS PROVIDED ABOVE, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW. I HAVE INSTRUCTED THE MINOR PARTICIPANT AS TO THE ABOVE WARNINGS AND CONDITIONS AND THEIR RAMIFICATIONS.

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S PRINTED NAME

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE

DATE