

Waiver for Visitors to the Halifax Rowing Club
*** PLEASE READ CAREFULLY***
RELEASE OF CLAIMS AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I have paid \$10 dollars to the club manager or presiding coach for access to the HRC equipment & facility. This fee is paid for each use of the club.

Please select **one** of the following:

I am a registered member in good standing with Rowing Canada or an equivalent international organization.

I was **NOT** a registered member in good standing with Rowing Canada or an equivalent international Organization and so have registered for the Visitor Rower program on the HRC website and have included the extra \$10 RCA fee and the \$10 RowNS fees.

In consideration of my request to engage in a rowing/sculling (accompanied or unaccompanied by a safety boat), I, the undersigned, agree to this Release of Claims and Waiver of Liability.

I understand that participation in rowing/sculling involves certain risks and dangers, not all of which can be listed here. Among the more obvious and frequent are:

1. Unfamiliar country and waters where the participant may become lost, get off route or separated from the rest of the party.
2. Hazards related to travel on the ocean, which include unpredictable weather, boat traffic, and cold water.

I accept all of the risks and the possibility of death, personal injury, property damage and loss resulting from my participation in rowing/sculling whether I am using Halifax Rowing Club equipment or private equipment.

I Further Agree and Acknowledge:

1. I have read the Club rules and assume the responsibility to abide by these.
2. I acknowledge and confirm that I am in proper physical condition to participate in rowing/sculling and that I can swim well.
3. I understand the danger associated with cold weather and water, specifically hypothermia, and I confirm that I know how to deal with any event should any accident occur.
4. I agree to notify the Club Manager or, in his/her absence, the Club Official of all accidents or accidents within my knowledge.

I HEREBY RELEASE the Halifax Rowing Club and the Saint Mary's Boat Club, and all respective Directors, Officers or Agents (including coaches) for any injury, death, loss or damage to my person or property however caused arising out of or in connection with my rowing/sculling activity on water or land notwithstanding that such injury, death, loss or damage to my person or property may have been contributed to or caused by the **NEGLIGENCE** of the Halifax Rowing Club and the Saint Mary's Boat Club, or any respective Directors, Officers or Agents (including coaches).

I confirm that I have read over this agreement before signing, that I understand it and that it will be binding not only on me but also on my heirs, my next-of-kin, my executors, administrators and assigns.

Visitor

Parent/Guardian If visitor is under 18 years of age.

Visitor: Print Name

Minor Visitor: Print Name

Visitor's Signature

Visitor's Parent/Guardian's Signature

Date

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Manager's Signature Approving Visit

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Please note that visitors are insured through the Rowing Canada Aviron (RCA) liability insurance policy. Visitors **MUST** have, and be able to produce, a valid RCA membership number (or equivalent) to be able to use the facilities and equipment of the Halifax Rowing Club.