

**VISITOR'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RISK**

In consideration of the services of Adrift Adventures, Inc., their officers, agents and employees, and stockholders, and all other persons or entities associated with those businesses (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Adrift") I agree as follows:

Although Adrift has taken reasonable steps to provide me with appropriate equipment and skilled guides so I can enjoy a rafting activity for which I may not be skilled, Adrift has informed me this activity is not without risk. Certain risks are inherent in each activity and cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of the activity. These inherent risks are some of the same elements that contribute to the unique character of this activity and can be the cause of loss or damage to my equipment, or accidental injury, or in extreme cases, permanent trauma or death. Adrift does not want to frighten me or reduce my enthusiasm for this activity, but believes it is important for me to know in advance what to expect and to be informed for the inherent risks. The following describes some, but not all of those risks.

1) Whitewater rapids will be encountered. You can be jolted, jarred, bounced, thrown to and fro, and otherwise shaken during rides through some of these rapids. It is possible that you could be injured if you come in contact with other passengers, paddles held by a passenger, food boxes, frames, or other fixed equipment necessary for the operation of the expedition and the outfitting of the raft.

2) Boats could turn over or you could be "thrown" overboard as a result of unexpected wave action or your guide's misjudgment of the rapid or the terrain. This could result in "mental anguish" or trauma; injuries sustained from collision with the raft and its supplies and/or equipment, or from items in the river bed; prolonged exposure to cold water (hypothermia) leading to impaired health, or in extreme cases, death. Accidental drowning is also a possibility.

3) Accidents can occur during off-river hiking excursion. Trails are not maintained and you can slip or fall during a hike, resulting in damage to equipment or personal injury.

4) Accidents can occur at camp and when getting on and off the raft. Rafts are slippery when wet and can drift a distance when you try to climb on. You might slip and fall, in which case you might damage or lose equipment you are carrying (such as camera or day pack), you might injure yourself by falling against some object, or fall into the river. River currents are swift so all persons, especially children, must wear a life jacket when on or near the river.

5) Exposure to the natural elements can be uncomfortable and/or harmful. You should be aware that this exposure could cause sunburn, dehydration, or heat exhaustion and heat cramps.

6) Rafting trips often occur in wilderness settings a long distance from roads and medical services. Evacuation and medical treatment may be delayed, causing additional trauma.

7) Some rafting trips use one and two person inflatable kayaks. Operation of these boats requires quick and vigorous paddling. There is no guide in these boats and participants are on their own when maneuvering. Therefore, riding in kayaks has a greater risk of injury than in guided rafts.

I am aware that whitewater rafting entails risks of injury or death to any participant. I understand the description of these inherent risks is not complete and that other unknown or unanticipated inherent risks may result in injury or death. I agree to assume and accept full responsibility for the inherent risks identified herein and those inherent risks not specifically identified. My participation in this activity is purely voluntary, no one is forcing me to participate, and I elect to participate in spite of and with full knowledge of the inherent risks.

I acknowledge that engaging in this activity may require a degree of skill and knowledge different than other activities and that I have responsibilities as a participant. I acknowledge that the staff of Adrift has been available to more fully explain to me the nature and physical demands of this activity and the inherent risks, hazards and dangers associated with this activity.

I certify that I am fully capable of participating in this activity. Therefore, I assume and accept full responsibility for myself, including all minor children in my care, custody, and control, for bodily injury, death or loss of personal property and expenses as a result of those inherent risks and dangers identified herein and those inherent risks and dangers not specifically identified, and, as a result of my negligence in participating in this activity.

I have carefully read, clearly understood and accepted the terms and conditions stated herein and acknowledge that this agreement shall be effective and binding upon myself, my heirs, assigns, personal representative and estate and for all members of my family, including minor children.

PRINT PARTICIPANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
(If under 18, guardian signature required)

PRINT Address: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT NAME/ PHONE IN CASE OF EMERGENCY: \_\_\_\_\_



# adrift adventures™

Please Complete One Passenger Profile Per Person

Please Return to: 24070 County Rd. 301, Buena Vista, CO 81211

River Trip: \_\_\_\_\_ # Days: \_\_\_\_\_ Departure Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. FIRST NAME

2. LAST NAME

3. ADDRESS

4. CITY

5. STATE  6. ZIP CODE -

7. DAY PHONE  -  -

8. NIGHT PHONE  -  -

9. EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like to receive our e-newsletter: YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

10. BIRTH DATE  -  -

Prior Experience: No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ River Rafted: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Conditions: No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications Taken: No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ Medication: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Interests: \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Considerations: \_\_\_\_\_

Vegetarian: \_\_\_\_\_ Allergic: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person who made reservation: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about us: \_\_\_\_\_

# of adults in group: \_\_\_\_\_ # of children under 12 in group: \_\_\_\_\_

Rental Equipment: Tents: \_\_\_\_\_ Sleeping Bag & Pads: \_\_\_\_\_

Duckies: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact (Not on Trip): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_