



Official Waiver for Golden Heart Ranch for Social Living Club (SLC) Activities and Overnight Stays

Please Read Carefully. This is a Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk

OFFICIAL RULES AND DISCLAIMER: In consideration for the opportunity to participate in any and all of The Golden Heart Ranch Activities, including but not limited to, Overnight stays/camp, I agree as follows for myself, and any who participate and/or attend with me:

1. *I, the undersigned am the parent/legal guardian of _____ who is participating in the Golden Heart Ranch Activities and Overnight stays/camp. By signing this Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk, I certify that I am the adult with legal responsibility for this participant and freely enter into this agreement on his/her behalf.*

2. *I hereby waive and release, for myself, my child, my heirs, executors and administrators, any and all rights, claims, liabilities costs, injuries, damages and causes of action whatsoever I may have against Golden Heart Ranch and its respective officers, directors, employees and agents relating to or arising from my/our participation in the Activities and Overnight stays/camp, including but not limited to personal injury. **Initial Here** _____*

3. *I recognize the Activities and Overnight stays/camp have inherent risks of injury and I hereby knowingly and freely assume that risk, on behalf of myself and my child. I also recognize that the Golden Heart Ranch property is located in an area where there are abundant wildlife such as but not limited to, coyotes, deer and rattle snakes that might cause injury and I hereby knowingly and freely assume that risk. If I or my child causes injury to any person or damage to any property while participating in the Activities and Overnight stays/camp, I hereby indemnify and hold harmless Golden Heart Ranch from and against any and all claims, suits, actions, loses, damages and expenses related to or arising from such injury or damage. **Initial Here** _____*

4. *I certify that I have read and hereby waive on behalf of myself and my child/the participant the application of the following provision of Section 1542 of the California Civil Code which states:*

*“A general release does not extend to claims which the creditor does not know or suspect to exist in his or her favor at the time of executing the release, which if known by him or her must have materially affected his or her settlement with the debtor.” **Initial Here**_____*

5. *I understand that pursuant to the Golden Heart Ranch Activities there may be times that I or my child may spend the night at Golden Heart Ranch in order to participate in the Activities. I understand that there may be dangers inherent in camping on the property and I hereby waive any and all costs, injuries, claims, damages and causes of action or other liabilities that may arise out of any overnight camping at Golden Heart Ranch. I further acknowledge and agree that I will indemnify and hold harmless, Golden Heart Ranch from any liability for injuries or damages arising out of such overnight stays at Golden Heart Ranch. **Initial Here** _____*



6. I understand that pursuant to the Golden Heart Ranch Activities there may be times that **transportation is provided to the child/participant** to attend field trips or other activities. I hereby give my consent to such transportation and assume all risks involved in such transportation. I hereby waive any and all costs, injuries, claims, damages and causes of action or other liabilities that may arise out of such transportation. I further acknowledge and agree that I will indemnify and hold harmless, Golden Heart Ranch from any liability for injuries or damages arising out of such transportation. **Initial Here** _____

7. I hereby give my consent on behalf of myself and my child to Golden Heart Ranch and its affiliates to use my name and photographs, video and film ("Photos") of me before, during or after the Activities in advertising and promotional materials for Golden Heart Ranch, including but not limited to the Internet, without compensation. I agree that no advertising or other material need be submitted to me for approval. I agree that all Photos of me used by Golden Heart Ranch and its affiliates are owned by Golden Heart Ranch and they may copyright material containing same. I hereby release, discharge, and agree to save harmless Golden Heart Ranch and its affiliates from any liability, including, without limitation, any claims for libel or invasion of publicity/privacy, by virtue of any use of mine or my child's name and/or Photos, including, any alteration of such Photos, whether intentional or otherwise. **Initial Here** _____

I have read and understand this Release, and declare all information is truthful and accurate

Parent/Guardian Print Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____

GOLDEN HEART RANCH OFFICIAL SWIMMING POOL WAIVER

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT. BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU WILL WAIVE CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE.
ASSUMPTION OF RISK:

I, _____, wish to play at the Golden Heart Ranch Swimming Pool; I recognize and understand that playing at the Swimming Pool involves certain risks. Those risks include, but are not limited to, the risk of injury resulting from possible malfunction of the equipment used in the pool and injuries resulting from tripping or falling over obstacles in the pool area, and the possibility of injury or death from drowning.

Initial Here _____

RELEASE OF LIABILITY, WAIVER OF CLAIMS AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT:

In consideration of participating in pool activities, I hereby agree as follows:

1. TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS that I have or may in the future have against Golden Heart Ranch, their directors, employees, agents, and representatives (all of whom are hereinafter referred to as "the Releasees");
2. TO RELEASE THE RELEASEES from any and all liability for any loss, damage, injury or expense that I may suffer or that my next of kin may suffer as a result of my participation at the Swimming Pool due to any cause whatsoever, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE ON THE PART OF THE RELEASEES;
3. TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY THE RELEASEES from any and all liability from any damage to property of, or personal injury to, any third party, resulting from my participation at the Swimming Pool;
4. That this Agreement shall be effective and binding upon my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators and assigns, in the event of my death.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS AGREEMENT, AND I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY HEIRS, NEXT OF KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS AND ASSIGNS MAY HAVE AGAINST THE RELEASEES.

(Please print name clearly)

Date of Birth

Address

Name of Parent/Guardian if participant is a minor or unable to consent

City, State, & Postal Code

Phone Number

X _____

Participant/Guardian Signature

Date





GOLDEN HEART RANCH PICK UP AND DROP OFF PROCEDURES FOR PROGRAMS AT AGOURA HILLS

- You may park in the gravel lot across from the Center for drop off/pick up. Please refrain from parking on the drive it is a fire hazard. Longer term parking is located in the lower lot. If raining - please park in the front lot and use the pedestrian bridge.
- The attendance sheet is located at the table located just inside the Center. Please confirm the information is accurate and initial to sign in and out.
- Emergency information must be kept up to date in the event we are unable to contact parents directly when a Rancher becomes ill, injured or an emergency arises. This includes current phone numbers and names of people authorized to drop off/pick up your Rancher.
- Please make every effort to drop-off and pick up your Rancher on time.
 - Ranch Day: 10:00AM – 3:00PM
 - L.I.F.E. Programs: 3:30PM – 6:00PM
 - Camp Days: 9:30AM – 3:00PM
- The following policy will be implemented whenever a Rancher is picked up late or dropped off early:
 - If you know you are running early/late please contact Jeni at 616.283.8433
 - Early drop off/late pick up will be billed at the rate of \$5/15minutes, \$20/hour. **This must be paid via cash or check the same day as the extended time occurred.**
- If registering for a program within 48 hours of the start please contact Jeni at jeni@goldenheartranch.org
- **CANCELLATIONS:** We request a minimum of 24 hour cancellation notice for a full refund. Cancellations with less than 24 hour notice or *no show* may not be refunded. Exceptions will be made for illness, however if this becomes a continued practice refund(s) will not be issued.

Rancher Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Sunscreen and Shoe Policy

Golden Heart Rancher participants may spend extended periods of time outdoors, exposed to the sun. To ensure participants are protected from sun exposure, please read the following Sun Protection Policy:

- It is strongly recommended that all Ranchers wear sunscreen with an SPF of at least 30 on all exposed skin (including lips) daily.
- Parents/legal guardians are responsible for applying an initial layer of sunscreen, prior to drop off.
- Parents/legal guardians are responsible for providing their Rancher(s) with enough sun screen to apply multiple applications throughout the day. Sun screen should be in a sealed container, labeled with the Rancher's first and last name.
- Each Rancher will be responsible for personally applying sunscreen to his/her skin under staff supervision. When necessary, a GHR staff member will assist Ranchers with areas of exposed skin that are out of reach, when another GHR staff member is present.
- If sunscreen is needed and a Rancher has not provided their own, GHR may provide sunscreen unless there is a written notice to the contrary from a parent or guardian.
- Ranchers will be reminded to apply sunscreen at least twice during each day. If your Rancher(s) requires sunscreen more often, parents must provide written instructions on how often your Rancher(s) should apply their own sunscreen.
- It is recommended that Ranchers wear proper clothing to prevent sunburns, such as broad brimmed hats, rash guards, and light long-sleeve shirts.
- The Golden Heart Ranch staff will make every effort to watch Ranchers for sunburns but cannot be held responsible for Ranchers who forget or refuse to apply their sunscreen.
- Golden Heart Ranch is situated in the Santa Monica Mountains with rough and variable terrain. Ranchers need protective, comfortable and appropriate footwear to explore the environment. Closed toe is the best choice. Flip flops, platform or heeled shoes, slip on shoes, and fancy dress shoes may impede participation and impact safety. Slips on and flip flops may be worn within the gated pool area.

I verify that I have read, understand, and agree to follow Golden Heart Ranch's Sun Protection Policy.

I verify that I have read, understand, and I do not want sunscreen applied to my Rancher's skin

Rancher's Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Printed Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____