

BIG CAT RESCUE PARENT/GUARDIAN RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

In consideration of myself, my children or other minors for whom I am guardian, or whom I have brought with me, if any, being admitted to visit Big Cat Rescue Corp. (BCR) or volunteer at BCR, on behalf of myself, my spouse, heirs, distributees, guardians, agents, legal representatives, children, persons for whom I am guardian, and assigns ("the Releasers"), I agree as follows:

1) **DANGERS AND RULES:** I understand the animals contained at BCR are wild and dangerous and I run the risk of death or serious injury if I come into contact with one of them. I: a) will not touch, reach over, step over or reach through the barricades or perimeter wire around the cages or make any attempt to touch the cages or animals and if I violate this rule I am a trespasser not a guest and authorize BCR staff or volunteers the right to physically remove me from inside the barricade; b) will stay with and keep up with my group; c) will obey all verbal instructions that may be given from time to time by BCR staff or volunteers, d) understand the premises are uneven and there may be holes, trenches, building materials and other physical hazards so I must exercise caution to avoid injury. If I brought minors with me, I will supervise them and be fully responsible for their behavior and adherence to BCR rules. If for any reason I am asked to leave the property, I will do so promptly without protest. I understand photography or filming may be going on during my visit and I hereby consent to the unlimited use of my image, or that of my children or other minors for whom I have legal guardianship or whom I have brought with me, by BCR without compensation.

2) **RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS - AGREEMENT NOT TO SUE:** For myself and on behalf of my children or other minors for whom I have legal guardianship, I hereby release, waive, indemnify and agree not to sue BCR, and any predecessor, successor, subsidiary or affiliated corporation, their present or former partners, agents, employees, volunteers, stockholders, directors, officers, attorneys, members, successors and assigns, jointly and severally (hereinafter "Released Parties"), for any and all losses, damages, injuries, rights, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action, of any nature whatsoever, whether arising at law or in equity, which Releasers may have had, may now have, or may hereafter have, against the said Released Parties by reason of any matter, cause, happening or thing, arising out of any visit to BCR, **including any injuries caused solely or in part by the negligence of one or more of the Released Parties. In simple terms, this means if I, my children or any other minors for whom I have legal guardianship get hurt at BCR, we cannot sue or recover for our injuries, and neither can anyone else if we die.**

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, I CONFIRM I HAVE CAREFULLY READ ITS PROVISIONS AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND BCR. I AM SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT OF MY OWN FREE WILL AND I HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE MEANING OF THE DOCUMENT AND THE DANGERS INVOLVED IN VISITING BCR. I UNDERSTAND IF I VIOLATE THIS CONTRACT I AM SUBJECT TO PENALTY, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO LEGAL FEES AND OTHER COSTS INCURRED BY BCR AND ANY OF THE OTHER RELEASED PARTIES. I ALSO AGREE TO INDEMNIFY BCR FOR ANY DAMAGES, COSTS OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING ALL ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS, THAT MAY ARISE FROM THE VISIT TO BCR BY ANY MINORS I HAVE BROUGHT WITH ME.

PLEASE FILL OUT COMPLETELY AND SIGN

IF YOU ARE A PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNING FOR A MINOR CHILD OR CHILDREN WHO ARE ATTENDING A FIELD TRIP AT BIG CAT RESCUE, PLEASE FILL OUT THIS SECTION (ONE SHEET PER CHILD, PLEASE):

PARENT SIGNATURE _____ **(REQUIRED OR CHILD CANNOT GO ON TOUR)**

PARENT NAME (PRINT) _____

DATE OF TOUR _____ PARENT PHONE # _____

FIRST AND LAST NAME OF YOUR CHILD ATTENDING TOUR:

I AM ATTENDING TOUR WITH MY CHILD **circle one:** YES NO

----- **OR** -----

IF YOU ARE A TEACHER/STAFF PERSON (OVER AGE 18) ATTENDING THE TOUR WITHOUT YOUR CHILD, PLEASE FILL OUT THIS SECTION:

NAME _____ SIGNATURE _____

DATE OF TOUR _____