

Mackinac State Historic Parks

Waiver of Liability

Adventure Tour – Historic Mill Creek Discovery Park

Disclaimer:

There are elements of risk and hazards to participants using the zip line, climbing wall and canopy bridge which constitute the “Adventure Tour” at Historic Mill Creek Discovery Park. The Mackinac State Historic Parks has made every effort to provide a safe environment with trained staff, but cannot eliminate all of the elements of risk and danger given the nature of these activities. All participants must submit a signed Assumption of Risk and Release form; a parent/legal guardian must sign for participants under 18 years of age.

Risks:

The risks involved in using the Adventure Tour elements (zip line, climbing wall and canopy bridge) include but are not limited to:

- Failure of equipment
- Failure to follow the safety policies and procedures;
- Misuse of equipment or facilities, failure of ropes or cables, harness, climbing hardware, anchor points or any other associated equipment;
- The presence, action or falls of other participants;
- Injury from falling from high elevation;
- Cuts, bruises, abrasion, muscle and tendon strain, rope burns, paralysis and death;
- Injury from falling debris;
- Getting dirt or material in the eyes;
- Slips, trips or painful crashes while using the facilities or equipment or in bordering areas.

Assumption of Risk and Release

I hereby certify that I have full knowledge of the risks involved in use of the zip-line, climbing wall and canopy bridge and that given the nature of the activity not all risks can be eliminated. Further, I expressly agree and assume all of the related risks. My participation is purely voluntary. I understand the importance of listening to the staff instructors and properly wearing the required safety harness. I understand the importance of following all safety regulations and properly using all equipment.

I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge, agree to indemnify and hold harmless and covenant not to sue the State of Michigan/Mackinac Island State Park Commission, its board members, employees, its volunteers and agents (“Releasees”) for any and all claims, demands, causes of action, damage, personal injury, cost and expense which are in any way connected with my use of the Mackinac State Historic Parks equipment or facilities whether caused by the negligence, omissions, or carelessness of the Releasees. This release shall be binding on my family, heirs, estate, administrators, personal representatives and assigns.

My signature below indicates that I have been made aware of the risks involved and/or given a copy of the Disclaimer and Risks that I have read and understand this Assumption of Risk and Release.

Participant Signature

Date

Participant Printed Name

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name

Participant Address

City

State

Zip