

Release/Waiver of Liability/Hold Harmless
Relating: Coronavirus/COVID-19

On March 11, 2020, The World Health Organization declared the novel coronavirus, COVID-19, a pandemic. COVID-19 is highly contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing. **Gospel Projects, Inc. and Gospel Projects Youth Athletic Club, hereinafter referred to as “GPYAC”** has put precautions in place to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, **GPYAC cannot guarantee** that you or your family, including your child(ren) (“Participant”), will not become exposed to or infected with COVID-19. Further, because of the number of individuals involved in youth sports and the fact that many infected individuals appear to be asymptomatic, **attending this activity could increase your and your child(ren)’s risk of contracting COVID-19.**

By signing this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19. I also acknowledge that by attending GPYAC, such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, disability, and/or death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Gospel Projects, Inc., and GPYAC may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, GPYAC employees, contractors, volunteers, members, and participants and their families. With that understanding, I further acknowledge and agree to the following:

- _____ 1. I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole
Initials responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death, illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense of any kind that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)’s attendance at Gospel Projects, Inc., its Youth Athletic Club, or participation in GPYAC. On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby voluntarily release, waive, covenant not to sue, forever discharge, and hold harmless Gospel Projects, Inc., and GPYAC, its employees, agents, and representatives, of and from any such claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind, including attorney fees and court costs, arising out of or relating thereto. **I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THIS RELEASE INCLUDES ANY AND ALL CLAIMS BASED ON THE ACTIONS, OMISSIONS, OR NEGLIGENCE OF GOSPEL PROJECTS, INC., GPYAC, ITS EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, AND REPRESENTATIVES, WHETHER A COVID-19 INFECTION OCCURS BEFORE, DURING, OR AFTER PARTICIPATION IN ANY PROGRAM OR EVENT. THIS RELEASE, WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT HAS LEGAL EFFECT FOR EACH AND EVERY TIME PARTICIPANT ENGAGES IN SUCH ACTIVITY WHEREVER THE ACTIVITY IS BEING CONDUCTED, AND THIS RELEASE, WAIVER AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT INCLUDES, BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO, A RELEASE OF GOSPEL PROJECTS, INC., AND GPYAC’S OWN NEGLIGENCE.**

_____ 2. I further agree that this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement
Initials shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida, and the venue for any legal proceeding or lawsuit relating to this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement shall be in Santa Rosa County, Florida.

_____ 3. I agree that in any event that any clause or provision of this Release, Waiver of
Initials Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provisions of this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless which shall continue to be enforceable.

_____ 4. In signing this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, I
Initials acknowledge and represent I have read the foregoing Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, understand it, and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed; no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written statement, have been made, I am fully competent; and I execute this Release, Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement for full, adequate and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Print Name of Parent/Guardian

Name of Participant(s)

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