

**NIA Ski Trip
Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability**

By participating (or by allowing any minor child of mine to participate) in the 2016 NIA Ski Trip to Mount Snow, Vermont on March 5, 2016 (the "Trip"), I acknowledge that the sports of skiing and snowboarding are potentially dangerous and life threatening activities. I understand that snowboarding, skiing, etc., including jumping and/or the use of terrain parks, includes inherent, man-made and other risks of death or injury that reasonable care, caution, instruction, and expertise cannot eliminate. I also recognize that injuries are common and ordinarily occur during these activities.. I, for myself and for each minor child or ward of mine who participates in the Trip (each such minor or ward, a "Participating Minor"), hereby knowingly and voluntarily accept sole and exclusive responsibility for, and assume the full risk associated with, any injuries, regardless of severity (including death), that I or any of my Participating Minors may sustain and all damage to or loss of property that may occur as a result of participation in the Trip. I agree that, in the event I am injured, or if any of my Participating Minors is injured, and that such injuries require services beyond those available from Mount Snow, I will be responsible for transportation to any and from any medical treatment facility. In the event such injuries prevent me or any of my Participating Minors from returning home on the NIA chartered bus, I will be responsible for my own transportation home.

I, for myself and for each of my Participating Minors, hereby forever release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue Nichols Improvement Association, Inc., its officers and directors (hereinafter referred to as "releasees") from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or relating to any loss, damage or injury, including death, that may be sustained by one or more of us, or to any property belonging to any of us, whether caused by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise, while participating in the Trip, or while in, on, or upon the Mount Snow property, while in transit to or from Mount Snow, or in any place or places connected with the Trip.

I acknowledge that the consumption of alcohol by Participating Minors and the use of drugs is strictly prohibited on the Trip.

I have carefully read this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability and understand it fully. I have also read and fully understand the General Information form. I am aware that this is a binding contract, which provides a comprehensive release of liability. I understand that if any part of this agreement is held unenforceable that the remainder will stay in effect. With respect to each of my Participating Minors, I hereby verify that I have the authority to enter into this agreement on their behalf, and that the release of liability contained herein is bind upon each of my Participating Minors.

Signature of Participant (all adults 18 and over must sign)

Date

I verify that I am the parent or legal guardian of _____ and that he/she has my permission to participate in the Trip. I have the authority to enter this agreement on his/her behalf agree on behalf of myself, the aforesaid Participating Minor, and any other parent or guardian to all of the terms of this agreement, including the indemnity agreement and medical release.

Signature of Parent./Guardian/ and/or Adult Chaperone