

# Waiver and Assumption of Risk

*2022 Blaise Games*

*St. Michael's Park, Mont Clare, PA*

*Saturday, July 9, 2022*

By registering ("Participant") for the 2022 Blaise Games ("Tournament") hereby represents, covenants and agrees as follows:

- (i) The Participant acknowledges that participating in the Tournament and taking part in the physical activities associated therewith involves certain risks (some of which the Participant may not fully appreciate) and injuries, death, property damage or other harm could occur to me or others. The Participant hereby accepts and voluntarily incurs and assumes any and all risk of any injuries, damages or harm which may arise during or as a result of participating in the Tournament;
- (ii) The Participant hereby waives any and all claims against The Blaise Games, St. Michael's and The For Infinity and Beyond Foundation and/or its or their administrators, departments, volunteers, affiliates, employees, officers, directors, trustees, agents, representatives, heirs, executors, administrators, successors and insurers ("Released Parties") of and from any and all actions, causes of action and/or claims, whether known or unknown, which arise from or during the Tournament and/or which are caused by or relate to the undersigned's participation in the Tournament. The Participant hereby releases and forever discharges the Released Parties from all such actions, causes of action and/or claims; and
- (iii) The Participant hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all claims, damages, losses and expenses, injury, death, or accident, including court costs and attorneys' fees, incurred by any of the Released Parties as a result of the Participant's participation in the Tournament.

## COVID-19 Liability Release Waiver

The World Health Organization has declared the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) a worldwide pandemic. Due to its capacity to transmit from person-to-person through respiratory droplets, the government has set recommendations, guidelines, and some prohibitions which The Blaise Games. (the "Organization") adheres to comply.

**In consideration of my participation in the foregoing, the participant acknowledges and agrees to the following:**

- I am aware of the existence of the risk on my physical appearance to the venue and my participation to the activity of the Organization that may cause injury or illness such as, but not limited to Influenza, MRSA, or COVID-19 that may lead to paralysis or death.
- I have not experienced symptoms that of fever, fatigue, difficulty in breathing, or dry cough or exhibiting any other symptoms relating to COVID-19 or any communicable disease within the last 14 days.
- I have not, nor any member(s) of my household, traveled by sea or by air, internationally within the past 30 days.
- I have not been, nor any member(s) of my household, diagnosed to be infected of COVID-19 virus within the last 30 days.

**Following the pronouncements above I hereby declare the following:**

- I am fully and personally responsible for my own safety and actions while and during my participation and I recognize that I may be in any case be at risk of contracting COVID-19.
- With full knowledge of the risks involved, I hereby release, waive, discharge the Blaise Games Organization, For Infinity and Beyond Foundation and St. Michael Byzantine Catholic Church, their board, officers, independent contractors, affiliates, employees, representatives, successors, and assigns from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever, directly or indirectly arising out of or related to any loss, damage, injury, or death, included in those that may be sustained by me related to COVID-19 while participating in any activity while in, on, or around the premises or while using the facilities that may lead to unintentional exposure or harm due to COVID-19.
- I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Blaise Games Organization, For Infinity and Beyond Foundation and St. Michael Byzantine Catholic Church from and against any and all costs, expenses, damages, lawsuits, and/or liabilities or claims arising whether directly or indirectly from or related to any and all claims made by or against any of the released party due to any injury, loss, or death including those from or related to COVID-19.

By completing registration, I acknowledge that I have read the foregoing Liability Release Waiver and understand its contents; that I am at least eighteen (18) years old and fully competent to give my consent; That I have been sufficiently informed of the risks involved and give my voluntary consent in signing it as my own free act and deed; that I give my voluntary consent in signing this Liability Release Waiver as my own free act and deed with full intention to be bound by the same, and free from any inducement or representation.

This waiver will remain effective until laws and mandates relevant to COVID-19 are lifted.