

**Release and Emergency Medical Form (Please use a separate form for each child.)**

I, the parent or guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ agree to have my child participate in the program(s) indicated on this form. I assume all risks to my child associated with the program held in Ancil Hoffman Park or alternate meeting sites and field trips. The program may include wading in a pond, hiking, and other nature, craft, and outdoor adventure activities including rafting as indicated on the program description. All natural areas contain poisonous plants and animals as well as other natural hazards. I agree to hold harmless the American River Natural History Association and County of Sacramento, their officers and employees and any cosponsor of the activity, from and against all liability for accident or injury to my child arising out of participation in this program.

If \_\_\_\_\_ should become sick or injured, and her/his parents cannot be contacted, a licensed physician has my permission to treat the sickness or injury.

Parent or Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please note any allergies, physical limitations, or special conditions your child has for which program leaders should be aware. \_\_\_\_\_

**Summer Fun Days Behavior Policy Please Sign & Include with Registration**

Please read this behavior policy with your child and sign at the bottom that you have both read and understand the policy. Mail, or bring to the Effie Yeaw Nature Center during registration.

Child's Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

**Cooperation** - Courtesy and cooperation are an important part of learning together. Behavior from children who are continually disruptive, who use inappropriate language or tease in an unfriendly manner will not be allowed. Consequences for this behavior will be as follows: the child will be given a verbal warning, if the behavior continues, the child will be removed from the class and the parent/guardian notified. After a conference with the parent/guardian a decision may be made by the instructor to dismiss the child from the program and no refund will be made.

**Violent Behavior** - Violent behavior such as hitting a class mate or instructor, pushing or shoving, harming wildlife or destructively breaking items that do not belong to the child will not be allowed. The child will be removed from the class and the parent/guardian notified. After a conference with the parent/guardian a decision may be made by the instructor to dismiss the child from the program and no refund will be made.

**Safety** - Class activities such as rock climbing and rafting require that participants are able to immediately understand and follow verbal instructions given by class instructors. If a child disobeys the safety rules a verbal warning will be given. If the child continues to act in an unsafe manner, he or she will be removed from the class and the parent/guardian notified. After a conference with the parent/guardian a decision may be made by the instructor to dismiss the child from the program and no refund will be made.

**My child and I have read and understand the behavior policy. (Both signatures are required.)**

Parent/guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_