

# Berwick Boys Foundation

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## HAUNTED HOUSE FUNDRAISER PERMISSION SLIP

I have requested the Berwick Boys Foundation (Berwick) to allow my child \_\_\_\_\_ (a minor) to participate in Berwick's Haunted House Fundraising event (Event) between October 10<sup>th</sup> through October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2009. As a condition of receiving this benefit, I the undersigned, do hereby agree to the following:

I, the parent/person having legal custody/guardianship of the above said minor, give permission for the minor to participate in the Berwick Event. I have familiarized myself with the Berwick program and with the details of the Event. I understand that participation in this event will require my child to dress in costume including the application of makeup and/or the use of a mask. I understand that my child will actively participate in activities designed to frighten visitors. These activities may be carried out in complete darkness or in areas with unusual or strobe lighting. I acknowledge that hazards and dangers are inherent in the Berwick Event from both known and unknown risks. I represent that the minor is physically able and mentally prepared to participate in all activities of the Berwick Event.

I understand that part of the Event experience involves activities and interactions that may be new to my child, and that they come with certain risks and uncertainties beyond what my child may be used to dealing with at home. I am aware of these risks, and I am assuming them on behalf of my child. I realize that no environment is risk-free, and so I have instructed my child on the importance of abiding by the Berwick's rules, and my child and I both agree that he or she is familiar with these rules and will obey them.

I hereby, knowingly, assume full responsibility for any and all risks from such hazards and dangers. I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue Berwick for any and all loss or damage on account of injury to my child or his or her property arising out of or related in any way to his or her participation in the Berwick Event whether caused by the negligence of Berwick, its officers, directors, agents or employees or otherwise.

In addition, I hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue Berwick for any and all loss or damage on account of injury to myself or my property arising out of or related in any way to my participation in the Berwick Event in any capacity including but not limited to being a coach, instructor, aide and/or spectator, whether caused by the negligence of Berwick, its officers, directors, agents or employees or otherwise. I hereby, knowingly, assume full responsibility for any and all risks from my participation in the Berwick program.

I give my permission to Berwick to use my and/or my child's picture or other likeness of any of my children in any of Berwick's general publicity and campaign materials without compensation to me or my children. It is agreed that any dispute or cause of action arising between the parties, whether out of this agreement or otherwise, can only be brought in a court of competent jurisdiction located in the county of Plymouth in the State of Massachusetts, and shall be construed in accordance with the laws of Massachusetts.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Minor \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide us with information about another person to call in case you cannot be reached in an emergency:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

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