



## **Informed Consent and Assumption of Risk Agreement, Release, Waiver and Indemnity**

### **Great Northern Trail Race – Required by the Great Northern Trail Association Inc. Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk**

All race participants must complete this waiver. Parent/legal guardian signature is required if the participant is under the age of 18. This is a binding legal agreement. Please clarify any questions or concerns before signing. In consideration for being permitted to participate in the Great Northern Trail Race (the “Race”) offered as one of its programs and services by the Great Northern Trail Association Inc. (GNTA), I, the undersigned, being the Participant and the Participant’s Parent/Guardian (the “Parties”), acknowledge and voluntarily agree to the terms outlined in this document.

I, for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns hereby release, waive and forever discharge the Great Northern Trail Association Inc. (GNTA), the Iceberg Festival, event sponsors, partners, supporters, race organizers, volunteers, and all affiliated persons and entities (collectively referred to as “Released Parties”) of and from any and all liability, claims, demands, causes of action, whether in law or equity or costs (including attorneys’ fees) arising out of or relating to any injury, illness, permanent disability, paralysis, death, property damage, or other loss I (or my child) may suffer howsoever caused, as a result of my (or my child’s) participation in the Race.

#### **I understand and accept that trail running/hiking is a hazardous activity that carries with it inherent risks, including but not limited to:**

- Uneven, rugged, slippery, or unstable terrain;
- Falls, trips, collisions, or other accidents;
- Exposure to wildlife, insects, and natural elements;
- Changing and extreme weather conditions;
- Dehydration, heatstroke, hypothermia, or other medical emergencies;
- Equipment failure;
- Remote locations without immediate medical assistance.

I knowingly and voluntarily assume all such risks and responsibilities for any injury, accident, damages or losses, whether foreseen or unforeseen, connected to participation in the Race or while I (or my child) am on the premises of the Race. I hereby hold harmless the Great Northern Trail Association Inc. (GNTA), the Iceberg Festival, any sponsors, race organizers, from any injury to my (or my child’s) person, property damage, death, expense, loss of income, theft of any articles, damage or loss of any kind suffered by during the course of and as a result of the Race.

I acknowledge that neither GNTA, the Iceberg Festival, nor any sponsor, organizer, or volunteer carries insurance for participants in the Race, and that I am solely responsible for my own (or my child’s) medical, disability, or life insurance coverage.

I certify that I am (or my child is) physically fit to participate in this event, and I have not been advised otherwise by a qualified medical professional.

I understand that this document is a binding contract and by signing it, I am waiving substantial legal rights, including the right to sue the Released Parties.

### **Medical Consent**

In the event of an injury or medical emergency during the Race, I authorize GNTA and its representatives to secure medical treatment on my behalf. I agree to be responsible for any medical or emergency expenses incurred.

### **Publicity Release**

In consideration of my (or my child's) participation, I grant permission to the GNTA, the Iceberg Festival, and event sponsors to use in good taste photographs, videos, recordings, or any other record of my (or my child's) participation for promotional purposes in any media without compensation. I release the GNTA from all liability of any nature in using any electronic or film image and/or audio for the GNTA advertising and promotional purposes.

### **Consent for Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal Information**

The GNTA understands the importance of protecting your personal information and compliance with government legislation and regulations. The GNTA collects "public" and "personal" information such as contact information, gender, and date of birth to enable us to contact and maintain communication with you and provide accurate results and statistics. This is a public event. Event results, including the Participant's name, gender, year of birth, and performance, may be posted on the GNTA website/social media and may be made available to local media. Your name, gender, age category, and finishing time may appear in the event print and online results, as well as the on the online registration/confirmation site.

By submitting this registration, the Parties acknowledge that they have read this Agreement and understand it, that they have executed this Agreement voluntarily, and that this Agreement is to be binding upon themselves, their heirs, their spouses, parents, guardians, next of kin, executors, administrators and legal and personal representatives.

### **Refund Policy**

Full refunds (minus the processing fee) are offered up to April 6th 2026, after that no refunds will be issued. No rollovers or transfers will be offered or allowed.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian (*if under 18*): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_