

# Waiver of Liability

The Waterville Playshop is a non-profit, equal opportunity, volunteer organization offering diverse opportunities of theatrical involvement ranging from set construction and properties handling to acting and a variety of technical supporting roles. These activities range from very passive to sometimes very strenuous in nature. There are no paid positions; therefore you will be responsible for your own actions. You will not be asked to engage in activities which are not advised by your doctor, providing you have notified us in advance of any such restrictions. In as much as we do not currently have our own theatre facility, we are using rented or donated facilities. Your volunteer participation in our activities could expose you to back stage, dressing room, prop room, and carpenter areas, on stage and light booth hazards common and inherent to such confined and crowded areas. These hazards include, but are not limited to, purposely dimmed lighting, multiple electric chords and outlets, all shapes and sizes of stage properties, darkened staircases, undersized door openings and stage entrances, and not to exclude the physical height of the unprotected stage itself.

The Waterville Playshop strives to give competent and proper supervision to all program participants. Every effort will be made to keep all facilities and equipment in a safe, workable condition with steps and hazardous areas plainly marked. Our group has had few injuries, but accidents can occur causing injuries including, but not limited to, bruises, cuts, broken bones, quadriplegia and even death.

To avoid injuries, participants are expected to obey all posted and expressed rules and regulations as devised by the Waterville Playshop, Directors and/or Theatre Manager. It is also the responsibility of the participants to inform the Director and/or Theatre Manager of any situation that may cause injury to oneself or to others, including, but not limited to, defective equipment, hazardous conditions, not feeling well or fatigued, inability to perform, etc. Additional responsibilities of the participants include offering specific instructions of any change in health status which may affect participation. Following the posted or expressed rules and regulations established by the Waterville Playshop, Director and/or Theatre Manager are further responsibilities of the participant. If an accident should occur during participation, the Director and/or Theatre Manager should be informed, however, the injured party is responsible for all financial obligations incurred in this process including ambulance and subsequent treatment expenses.

I, as a participant in a Waterville Playshop production or activity am signing this Waiver of Liability verifying that I am 18 years old or older and have read and understand my responsibilities as a participant...agreeing to hold harmless the Waterville Playshop organization, it's officers, Board Members, production Directors as well as the officials and representatives of the organization and facility we are renting or using for this production. **Sign and date below:**

Participant \_\_\_\_\_

If under 18, Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Witness \_\_\_\_\_

WATERVILLE PLAYSHOP  
MEDIA PERMISSION FORM

I understand that Waterville Playshop and/or media representative s may interview, photograph or videotape actors/actresses and other volunteers for publicity and/or promotional purposes.

I hereby consent that any information or images obtained from these activities may be reproduced by Waterville Playshop and/or the public media for use in advertising, publicity, or educational activities including but not limited to Waterville Playshop, publications, videos, website, and print, radio and/or television.

I hereby waive any claims I may have and release Waterville Playshop and its volunteers from any liability or claims arising out of such activities.

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Name (please print legibly)

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Address

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City, State, Zip

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Phone Number

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Signature

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Date

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If under 18, signature of Parent/Guardian

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Date