

## Felida Bible Church Dodgeball Club Agreement

### Participant'(s) Information

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Phone # (If under 18) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Insurance Provider \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_

### Participant Agreement, Release and Assumption of Risk

I have voluntarily elected to participate in or, if applicable, to allow my minor (under 18 years old) child identified above to participate in the Felida Bible Church Dodgeball Club at 3027 NW 119<sup>th</sup> St. Vancouver, WA 98685. This includes participating in the activities and using the equipment and facilities of Felida Bible Church from the moment you step on church property for this event, until the moment you step off church property when you or your child are through with the event. In order to be allowed to participate in the Felida Bible Church Dodgeball Club, I represent, acknowledge and agree as follows:

#### GENERAL RELEASE

I acknowledge and agree that this agreement covers and is intended to release and provide other benefits, legal protections, and consideration to Felida Bible Church and their respective volunteers, employees, and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their respective or collective behalf (collectively Felida Bible Church).

#### BEHAVIOR

I, or my child, agree to cooperate with the Felida Bible Church volunteers and staff and to comply with Felida Youth Ministry's behavioral standards. I or my child agree to conduct ourselves in a manner conducive to biblical ethics. I or my child understand that inappropriate dress, appearance, or behavior which disrupts the purpose of Felida Bible Church is not permitted. Furthermore, I or my child understand that should I or my child be unwilling to cooperate with the Felida Bible Church staff or volunteers, or comply with Felida Bible Church behavioral standards, I or my child will be sent home at our expense.

#### TRANSPORTATION

If I am a parent or guardian, I acknowledge that I am responsible for the transportation my child to and from the Felida Dodgeball Club event. If I refuse to take responsibility for my child's transportation, Felida Bible Church is not responsible to transport my child.

#### NON-YOUTH EVENT

If I am a parent or guardian, I acknowledge the fact that the Felida Bible Church Dodgeball Club is not a youth event and that my child will be participating in the event with participants over the age of 18. I acknowledge that any sort of special supervision will not be given to my child other than the limited supervision given in the gymnasium by the Dodgeball Club Leader.

#### RELEASE OF POTENTIAL INJURIES

I acknowledge and agree that the use of dodge balls, wall balls, and the other equipment at Felida Bible Church and that participating in the game of dodgeball and other activities is inherently and obviously dangerous. These risks include serious physical or emotional injury, paralysis, death, damage to myself, or my child, or third parties, and damage to personal property of any or all such persons. I understand that such risks simply cannot be eliminated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the activity, which I further agree is for recreational purposes and completely voluntary. I acknowledge and agree that, while the game of dodgeball and other activities that take place at Felida Bible Church are monitored by the Felida Bible Church Dodge Ball Leader, but it is not feasible for such person to monitor the activities and actions of all participants at all times. They might be unaware of various participant's health or abilities. They may give incomplete warnings or instructions, and the equipment being used might malfunction.

#### VOLUNTARY ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I acknowledge and agree that I or my child are participating voluntarily at our own risk. I acknowledge and agree that the actions or activities of other participants, or the actions or inactions of the Felida Bible Church Dodgeball Leader could cause me or my child significant bodily injury (as described in this agreement), and that Felida Bible Church is not responsible for the actions or activities of participants using the Felida Bible Church facility or the negligence of its volunteers or employees in supervising Felida Bible Church or its usage,

including actions, activities, or omissions that result in such harm. Some of the risks include, but are not limited to, the following:

- a) Participants may die or become paralyzed, partially or fully, through their use of the Felida Bible Church facility and participation in Felida Bible Church activities.
- b) Participants may suffer cuts, scrapes, bumps, bruises, the transmission of disease strains and allergic reactions through use of the Felida Bible Church facility, equipment or contact with other participants or surfaces they have contacted.
- c) Participants may sprain, pull, break or otherwise seriously externally or internally injure their head, face (including nose and teeth/jaw), neck, torso, spine, arms, wrists, hands, legs, ankles, feet or other body parts as a result of falling, or making contact with other participants. As noted in paragraph a) above, such injuries can lead to paralysis, disfigurement or death. Participation may result in heat stroke, heart attacks, dehydration and other exertion-related medical events.
- d) Observing, standing, sitting or taking photographs at or near a dodgeball game or activity can result in similar physical injury (even if the observer is not himself or herself participating at the time).
- e) Participation during reduced or altered lighting events can affect depth perception and visibility and may cause me or my child to fall, slip, misstep, collide with other participants, or collide with equipment which can result in a greater risk of serious physical or emotional injury, paralysis, or death.
- f) Participants may have an allergic reaction from the food that is served during the event.

**AGREEMENT TO PAY MY OWN MEDICAL EXPENSES**

I acknowledge, accept, and assume the risk of any and all medical conditions, limitations, or disabilities (whether temporary or permanent) that I or my child possess, whether known or unknown, which might contribute to or exacerbate any injury I or my child might sustain as a result of using the Felida Bible Church facility or any of its equipment. I acknowledge and agree that if medical assistance (of any form, including emergency care, hospitalization, out-patient care, or physical therapy) is required or performed as a result of any injury I or my child sustain while using the Felida Bible Church facility, such assistance shall be at my own expense.

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

The Releasing Parties hereby forever, irrevocably and unconditionally release, waive, relinquish, discharge from liability and covenant not to sue Felida Bible Church and their volunteers, employees, and insurers (collectively, the "Releasees") from any of the potential dangers or potential losses listed in this agreement or other dangers or potential losses outside of this agreement. I understand and fully acknowledge and agree that all of the risks identified herein and any other risks associated with use of the Felida Bible Church facility and its equipment are sometimes beyond the control of the Releasees. I agree and acknowledge that should Felida Bible Church or any other Releasee or anyone acting on their behalf, be required to incur attorneys' fees or costs to enforce this agreement, I agree to immediately defend, indemnify and hold Felida Bible Church and any other Releasee or them harmless for and against all such attorneys' fees or costs.

**PHOTO/VIDEO/SOCIAL MEDIA WAIVER**

I agree to allow Felida Bible Church to take pictures and video of me or my child during this event and post them on social media pages

**By signing this document, I am stating that I have read through, represent, acknowledge and agree with everything that is written above:**

**Participant Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**If under 18**

**Parent Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_