



2024 Ottawa Polo Club Release of Liability, Waiver of Claims, Assumption of Risks and Indemnity Agreement and Photo Release Form

Name Of Releasor (Name of adult or child to whom waiver and photo release relates)*

First Name	Last Name

BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT YOU WILL GIVE UP CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SUE. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY.

ACTIVITIES: POLO COMPETITION, POLO INSTRUCTION, POLO TRAINING OF PLAYERS AND HORSES, HORSE TRAILERING/TRANSPORTING and HORSEBACK RIDING (hereafter referred to as "Polo Activities")

RELEASEES: Ottawa Polo Club, a not-for-profit corporation #888324-6 incorporated under the laws of Canada (hereafter referred to as the "Club" or "OPC), its directors, officers and members, past, present and future, jointly and severally and any other person or corporation who might associate with the OPC to carry any of the activities related to the activities for which the Club is incorporated.

I am aware that Polo Activities and horseback riding in general involve many inherent risks, dangers and hazards, including, caused by, but not limited to, changing weather conditions, variations in ground terrain, unruly horses, falling from horseback, impact with sideboards and other obstructions both on and off the polo field, including indoor arenas, collision with other polo players, collision with other horses, the failure to ride safely or within one's ability, negligence of other polo players and negligence on the part of the Club or its directors, officers and members.

Health, Medical and Physical Condition. I represent and warrant that I am in appropriate and sufficient good health and medical and physical condition to participate in the Polo Activities during the 2024 season in my capacity as a player, official, groom, coach, staff member or spectator, as the case may be, and that I have had no medical problems or issues that would endanger me or others due to such participation.

COVID 19 and Other Communicable Diseases. I acknowledge that participating in the Polo Activities will invariably put me in close proximity with other individuals and in contact with surfaces or areas that may have been handled, touched, or otherwise contacted by other individuals. Due to the nature of the Polo Activities, as well as the participation of other players, officials, coaches, grooms, staff members and spectators and acknowledge that social distancing may not be followed during Polo Activities and that surfaces and other areas or items with which I may come in to contact with may not be free of viruses, pathogens or other contaminants. I acknowledge that cases of the disease known as COVID 19, caused by contraction of the novel coronavirus, have been confirmed throughout Canada and that the virus is highly contagious. By electing to participate in the Polo Activities, I acknowledge and fully assume all risk that I may be exposed to and contract COVID 19 or any other communicable disease or illness, including as a result of actions or inactions by the Club, other participants or third parties.



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I FREELY ACCEPT (and this includes parents and guardians) AND FULLY ASSUME ALL RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS ARISING FROM HORSEBACK RIDING, POLO INSTRUCTION AND POLO COMPETITION, INCLUDING THE RISKS, DANGERS AND HAZARDS REFERRED TO ABOVE, AND I FREELY ACCEPT AND FULLY ASSUME THE POSSIBILITY OF PERSONAL INJURY, ILLNESS, DEATH AND PROPERTY DAMAGE OR LOSS RESULTING THEREFROM.

In consideration of the Club permitting my use of its farms, fields, horses, instruction and all other facilities (collectively called the “Polo Club Facilities”) and/or accepting my application to participate in polo competition, polo instruction, polo training of players and horses, horse trailering/transporting and horseback riding I agree:

- 1. TO WAIVE ANY AND ALL CLAIMS** that I have or may in the future have against the Club; and
- 2. TO RELEASE THE CLUB** from any and all liability for any personal injury, illness, death, property damage or loss that I may suffer or that my next-of-kin may suffer; arising out of or as a result of my use of the Polo Club Facilities or my involvement or participation in Polo Activities due to any cause whatsoever.
- 3. TO HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY THE CLUB** from any and all liability for any personal injury, illness, death, property damage or loss, arising out of or resulting from my participation in any of the aforesaid Polo Activities.
- 4. TO ALLOW THE CLUB TO USE PHOTOGRAPHS** taken during Polo Activities royalty-free for promotional purposes.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS RELEASE PRIOR TO SIGNING IT, AND I AM AWARE THAT BY SIGNING IT I AM WAIVING CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS WHICH I OR MY CHILDREN NAMED ABOVE OR MY OR THEIR HEIRS, NEXT-OF-KIN, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, ASSIGNS AND REPRESENTATIVES MAY HAVE AGAINST THE CLUB, ITS EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, VOLUNTEERS, DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS.

<input type="checkbox"/>	I have read this waiver carefully, and have had an opportunity to ask questions of an Ottawa Polo Club representative, and any such questions have been answered. Check box at left.
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Please Enter Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

Month	Day	Year
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Please fill in Address, E-mail and Cell Phone

Street	
City	
Province	
Postal Code	
E-mail	
Cell Phone	

E-Signature of Releasor (Or Parent/ Guardian if Releasor is under 18 years)*

E-mail your completed form to durogoff@gmail.com. Thank you!