Terms and Conditions for Participation in the TFAA State Championship

Refund Policy

There is a 15% cancellation fee for refunds, due to the cost of credit card processing. In order to qualify for a refund, you must notify TFAA by email or phone no later than the Thursday before the scheduled shoot date. Cancellations after this time will not be refunded.

Change Requests

Any changes to your registration (Time/Style) must be submitted to TFAA (<u>info@texasfieldarchery.org</u>) prior to the close of registration. TFAA events are usually fully booked and any such request will be granted only if space is available for the change. Changes to shooting times once the event starts will be accommodated at the discretion of the TFAA staff and only if space is available. ONCE THE EVENT STARTS, CHANGES TO SHOOTING DIVISION/STYLE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Archer and Spectator Conduct

TFAA is committed to holding all tournaments in a safe and professional environment. All archers and spectators are expected to conduct themselves accordingly. If any archer or spectator is rude or abusive to event staff, other archers or spectators, or are otherwise a distraction to the participants, they are subject to disqualification from the event. If the offending party is the parent of a participant, the child participant may be disqualified. The TFAA Field Governor or other TFAA official in charge of the event may make this determination.

If an individual has two such disqualifications, they will be ineligible for participation in TFAA events for a period of two years.

Rules of Competition

Texas Field Archery Association events are conducted in accordance with the rules established by the National Field Archery Association. Participants are expected to be knowledgeable of these rules and to ensure their equipment and shooting conduct are in compliance with these policies. Information on the rules for shooting styles, etc. may be found at either of these two websites. Texasfieldarchery.org or nfaausa.com

Waiver and Release of Liability

The TEXAS FIELD ARCHERY ASSOCIATION WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY is posted on the following page. By registering for this event and paying the entry fee, archers and their associated spectators are agreeing to the terms of this waiver.

Waiver/Release TEXAS FIELD ARCHERY ASSOCIATION WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in <u>Texas Field Archery Association</u> events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

- 1. The risk of injury from archery and other known and unknown events and activities and/or the use of related buildings, structures, equipment, automobiles, firearms, weapons, ATVs, boats, tree stands, roads, bodies of water, land, and all other real and personal property, whether owned by archery club or others is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury exists: and,
- 2. I acknowledge and agree that the use of archery equipment, firearms, and other weapons by myself or others on club premises or otherwise are inherently dangerous and high-risk activities whether such archery equipment, firearms, or weapons are discharged by myself or others; and,
- 3. I KNOWLING AND **FREELY** ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN **IF** ARISING FROM THE **NEGLIGENCE** OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
- 4. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
- 5. I for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives, and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS **Texas Field Archery Association**, its officers, directors, officials, agents, employees, owners, and lessors of real property and personal property used to conduct the events and activities ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PROVIDED BY LAW.
- 6. I FURTHERMORE ATTEST THAT I HAVE NOT KNOWNINGLY BEEN EXPOSED TO COVID-19 OR ANY OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASE WITHIN THE PAST FOURTEEN (14) DAYS AND THAT I AM NOT SHOWING SYMPTOMS OF ANY SUCH DISEASE. I further agree to abide by any current social distancing precautions established by the Texas Field Archery Association, the host club, and/or the political jurisdiction with authority over the matter.

THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIG	GNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT
Participant's Name	
Participant's Signature	 Date Signed

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND

FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT THE TIME OF PARTICIPATION)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and agree to his/her release as provided above of all the Releasees and for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child's involvement or participation in these events and activities and/or the use of related real and personal property as provided above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE.

Name of Parent/Guardian	
Parent/Guardian Signature	 Date Signed
Emergency Contact Phone Number ()	

Completed Waiver/Release forms should be kept on file by the club for at least seven years and indefinitely in the event of a significant injury to a particular participant.