



## LIABILITY WAIVER AND PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

1. I am fully aware of the unusual risks involved and hazards connected with any kind of use of the NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC studio and the materials, and equipment within the studio, especially the operation of needle tools, ceramics wheel and other machine tools.
2. I also understand that participating in an indoor group activity may potentially increase the risk of contracting COVID-19 and other illnesses.
3. NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC takes the health, safety and wellbeing of all individuals participating in activities at the studio very seriously, and all participants are expected to act according to the studio's "Code of Conduct" and abide by policies and procedures within the studio manual. This manual is available on our website and in paper form at the studio, and is available upon request.
4. Knowing the risks involved in these activities, and that information on how to safely operate within the studio, and participate in studio activities, has been made available to me, I hereby elect to voluntarily participate, or allow my minor child or children to participate, in said activities, and assume any and all risks associated with participation in these activities.
5. I also hereby **waive, release and discharge** any and all claims and damages for personal injury, death, or property damage which I, or my minor children, may sustain or which may occur as a result of my own participation, or that of my minor child/children, in activities at the NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC studio. I understand that this does not, however, pertain to situations involving intentional tortious acts or gross negligence.
6. I further agree to indemnify and hold NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC harmless from any loss, liability, damage, cost or expense, including litigation, which may incur as a result of any injury and/or property damage which myself or my minor children may sustain while participating in said activities;
7. I further understand that where minor children are participating in activities at NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC, such activities are not "child care" as defined by the State of Oregon, and NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC is not responsible for unattended children who are not participating in designated activities, but who are on the studio premises.
8. This agreement extends to NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC, its owners, officers, employees, contractors, directors, agents and successors.

9. This agreement is binding on me and my heirs and assigns.

10. **PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE.** I expressly allow, and hereby waive any objection to NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC photographing and/or videotaping of me and/or my minor children when I and/or my minor children are participating in NORTHWEST CERAMICS LLC programs. I understand and agree that all photographs and videotapes will remain the property of CLAY AND CRAFT LLC, and that CLAY AND CRAFT LLC may use such photographs or videotapes for archival and promotional purposes.

INITIAL HERE IF YOU DO NOT AGREE TO PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have read this document and fully understand its contents. I am 18 years of age or older and voluntarily agree to the terms and conditions stated above.*

*If participant is a minor, minor's parent or guardian fills out this section:*

Date: _____	Printed Name: _____
	Signature: _____

*If participant is a minor, fill out the following additional section:*

<b>Emergency contact:</b>
Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Contact Phone Number: _____
<b>I give my permission for the following people to pick up my child/children from class/camp:</b>
Name and relationship: _____
Contact Phone Number: _____