

Parent/Guardian Consent Form

At Mar-Lu-Ridge, we are concerned for the safety of all who visit. We strive to reduce risks and to avoid injuries. Our camp programs include activities which have a degree of risk. Campers at Mar-Lu-Ridge may participate in some or all the following activities:

Swimming, hiking, running, bouldering, active sports, archery, arts & crafts projects, group challenge course, night hikes, sleeping out, cooking over a fire, sleeping on a bunk bed, playground games, meals, transportation to different areas of camp, hayrides, and cleaning cabins.

Campers in our Adventure, Horseback, Jr. High & Sr. High programs may also participate in *whitewater rafting, rock climbing, high rope course, horseback riding, and canoeing*. Adventure campers will receive separate waivers for whitewater rafting, rock climbing, canoeing, and high ropes course.

Mar-Lu-Ridge will inform the Parent/Guardian in pre-camp information if the camper will be transported by Mar-Lu-Ridge as part of the program.

These activities, and others, inherently involve some degree of risk of injury to participants. In the event of any accidental injury, the Parent/Guardian will be promptly notified, and Mar-Lu-Ridge has permission, in its discretion, to treat the injured person medically as may be necessary.

Mar-Lu-Ridge may also offer remote camping experiences using a digital, web-based program. Parents/Guardians should know that use of the internet by children involves risks including phishing and other scams, identity theft, cyberbullying, and malware. Parents/Guardians must be responsible to teach their children to avoid these risks, and to monitor their child's on-line activities.

I have read the preceding information and am aware of the possible risks associated with attending a camp program. I am informed of the activities in which campers may participate. I give permission for my camper to participate in all camp activities. I have read, understand, and agree with all the articles in the "Parent/Guardian Handbook" – registration; refunds, scholarships, phone, visit and mail policies; what not to bring; health care policies; camp store; birthdays and care packages; gratuities; roommates; dismissals, and other Mar-Lu-Ridge policies. By registering my child for the program and signing this form I am acknowledging the risks and giving permission and consent to Mar-Lu-Ridge for my camper to participate in all camp activities.

Camper Name (Please Print)

Date

**Parent/Guardian Name (Please Print)

**Parent/Guardian Signature