



Whiskers & Tails

...for the love of animals

Volunteer Application

Date: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____ iPhone or Android (circle one)

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Over the age of 18: Yes / No (If no, a guardian's permission is required)

Birthday (month/day): _____

Fluent Languages: _____

Referred By: _____

Please list any restrictions, conditions or limitations that you may have, along with any special accommodations needed:

List special skills or experience that could help us match your talents with our organization:

Please list any current or previous volunteer experience:

Please provide 2 current references that we may contact:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Driver's License or ID number (original copy needed): _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? If yes, please explain:

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Relationship to you: _____ Address: _____

Availability*

Monday (open 10-3)	Tuesday (open 10-3)	Wednesday (open 10-3)	Thursday (open 10-3)	Friday (open 10-3)	Saturday (open 10-3)	Sun (*for special events)

*Occasionally we have special events that could be outside of regular hours. Also, during the winter holiday season, our Christmas/Holiday Store will be open longer hours. All schedules outside of the hours above will be planned for in advance.

If you are a student, what school do you attend? _____

Is this for community service credits? (Yes / No)

How many hours are you seeking to volunteer with us? _____

ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Project: **Volunteer work for Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop (the "Project")**

Participant's Name (Please print): _____ (the "Participant") **Participant's Age:** _____

In consideration for permitting Participant to participate as a volunteer in the Project as directed by the relevant staff, the undersigned, for themselves, and for their respective heirs, personal representatives and assigns, agree as follows:

Assumption of Risk: The undersigned hereby acknowledge and agree that they understand the nature of the Project; that Participant is qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate therein; that there are certain inherent risks and dangers associated with the Project; and that, except as expressly set forth herein, they, knowingly and voluntarily, accept, and assume responsibility for, each of these risks and dangers, and all other risks and dangers that could arise out of, or occur during, Participant's participation in the Project.

Release and Waiver: The undersigned hereby **RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE** Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop staff and volunteers, their officers and employees, (collectively, the "Releasees"), from and for any liability resulting from any personal injury, accident or illness (including death), and/or property loss, however caused, arising from, or in any way related to, Participant's participation in the Project, except for those caused by the willful misconduct, gross negligence or intentional torts of the above parties, as applicable.

Indemnification and Hold Harmless: The undersigned also hereby agree to **INDEMNIFY, DEFEND AND HOLD the Releasees HARMLESS** from any and all claims, actions, suits, procedures, costs, expenses, damages and liabilities including, but not limited to, attorney's fees, arising from, or in any way related to, Participant's participation in the Project, except for those arising out of the willful misconduct, gross negligence or intentional torts of the above parties, as applicable.

Permission to Use Likeness/Name: The undersigned further agree to allow, without compensation, Participant's likeness and/or name to appear, and to otherwise be used, in material, regardless of media form, promoting Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop.

Severability: The undersigned expressly agree that the foregoing Assumption Of Risk, Release And Waiver Of Liability And Indemnity Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of California and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

Acknowledgment of Understanding: The undersigned have read this Assumption Of Risk, Release And Waiver Of Liability And Indemnity Agreement, and have had the opportunity to ask questions about the same. The undersigned fully understand that by signing this Assumption Of Risk, Release And Waiver Of Liability And Indemnity Agreement, that the undersigned are giving up substantial rights in connection therewith, and that its terms are contractual, and not a mere recital. The undersigned acknowledge that they are signing this agreement freely and voluntarily.

Confidentiality and Right to Terminate:

Participant acknowledges and understands that they may learn confidential financial and/or personal information related to customers, other Participants, and Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop business operations. Participant agrees to maintain the confidentiality of all such information. Additionally, Participant agrees to speak, act, and in appearance, maintain a respectful and professional demeanor at all times when working (with), volunteering or representing Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop, including any of its employees, volunteers, customers or in the general public in any way. Whiskers & Tails Resale Gift Shop has a strict policy against any behavior by staff or volunteers which it deems to be a misrepresentation, misleading, intimidating, or causing harm in any way to any person, animal or object intentionally.

Signature of Participant: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Minor (if Participant is under the age of 18):

_____ **Date:** _____