**Participation Agreement**

IN CONSIDERATION of allowing my minor child/ward and/or myself to participate in the programs, activities and events of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD.

I ASSURE TO YOU THAT:

1. I am the individual or the parent/guardian of the registrant named in the registration form, and I have full legal responsibility for decisions regarding this registrant.
2. I believe that I and/or my minor/ward is physically, emotionally and mentally able to participate in the programs, activities and events of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD.
3. I hereby acknowledge that I am aware of the risks and hazards associated with or related to athletics and sports activities. The risks and hazards include, but are not limited to injuries from:
	1. Executing strenuous and demanding physical techniques in volleyball, basketball and soccer;
	2. Indoor training including weights, running and massage;
	3. Ground, floor, turf and other surfaces including bacterial infections and rashes;
	4. Falls to the floor, ground due to uneven or irregular terrain or surfaces;
	5. Collisions with walls and equipment;
	6. Failure to properly use any piece of equipment or from the mechanical failure of any piece of equipment;
	7. Extreme weather conditions which may result in heatstroke, sunstroke or hypothermia;
	8. Contact, colliding or being struck by other participants, spectators, equipment or vehicles;
	9. Vigorous physical exertion and strenuous cardiovascular workouts;
	10. Exerting and stretching various muscle groups; and
	11. Travel to and from competitive events and associated non-competitive events that are an integral part of the organization’s activities.
4. Furthermore, I am aware that I and/or my child/ward may:
	1. Sustain injuries in athletics that can be severe, cause spinal cord injuries and even be fatal:
	2. Experience anxiety while challenging myself/himself/herself during the activities, events and programs;
	3. Come into close contact with other participants, including the possibility of accidental and unexpected contact;
	4. Risk of injury is reduced if I/he/she follows all rules established for participation; and
	5. Risk of injury increases as I/he/she becomes fatigued.

I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE, on behalf of myself, my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin that my submitting the Registration Form online or in person constitutes:

1. I am registering myself and/or my child/ward willingly, and I and/or my child/ward is participating voluntarily in these activities, events and programs.
2. I agree that there are risks in athletics and sports activities as described above and I and/or my child/ward will be exposed to these risks and hazards.
3. I agree to accept all these risks and hazards and be responsible for any injury or other loss that I and/or my minor child/ward might receive while participating in these events, activities and programs.

If something happens to myself and/or my child/ward, I release the organizers of responsibility for any claims, demands, actions and costs that might arise out of my own and/or my child/ward"s participation. I understand “Organizers” to mean: AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD, its Governing organizations, Leagues, other Clubs and Districts and their directors, officers, members, employees, volunteers, officials, participants, clubs, agents, sponsors, owners/operators of facilities, and representatives.

In consideration of the acceptance of my, or my child/ward’s membership in AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD, I, the participant and/or the parent/guardian of the Participant, agree as follows:

1. I understand that I and/or my child/ward cannot play in any athletic or sports activities until after this registration form has been validated and the registration data has been entered in the computerized registration system.
2. I accept sole responsibility for my own and/or my child/ward’s personal possessions and athletic equipment.
3. I accept all liability for any damage to the playing equipment caused by me or my child/ward’s careless, negligent and/or improper handling
4. I am aware of the facility policies, rules and regulations and agree to abide by them and be bound by them including but not limited to the following:
* Proper athletic clothing is highly recommended
* Proper footwear is recommended for indoor floor/court surfaces.
* No outdoor footwear is permitted on gymnasium floors.
* Knee pads are recommended.
* All items of jewellery are strictly forbidden and must be removed. (Using tape to cover jewellery is not acceptable)
* **Glasses are not permitted** on the court or field unless they are sport goggles.
* Hard casts are NOT allowed.
* Food and beverages are NOT allowed in the gymnasium.
* Parents/guardians must be seated on the stage or designated areas close to the main entrance of the gym.

President/trainer of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD is an educator and completes the Annual Screening. Any coaches, volunteers or other adult participants will be required to obtain a Vulnerable Sector Check (VSC) through the local Police Station.

**Participation Agreement:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

**Accident Insurance**

I understand that by submitting the Registration Form online or in person, I am agreeing to this Participation Agreement in its entirety. I agree to participate (or to allow this child to participate, if signing on behalf of a minor) in the activities of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD. I understand and accept that there is a potential risk in training and participating in any sport; and, that AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD tries to create a safe environment. I agree not to hold AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD, its Directors or other club volunteers liable for any damages; loss; or injury sustained by this child and/or by me as a consequence of his/her/my participation in; or presence at: any programs, games or other activities of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD and I hereby release them from such claims.

I agree on my behalf (and on behalf of this child if signing for a minor) and on behalf of any other family members who may attend training, games or club events to abide by the YRDSB facility policies and decisions of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD. The Club has established rules for participation. Proper conduct on and about the facility must be followed. I hereby certify that all of the information provided on this form is accurate and complete. I have read and understood, and I accept, all of the terms and conditions that are stipulated in this registration document, including those shown on the reverse of this form.

**Accident Insurance:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

**Registration and Refund Policy**

Administration (cancellation) fee ($150) applies to ALL cancellations.

A refund request will be processed only if received in writing by the AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD office in accordance with the published AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD refund policy outlined below.

NSF cheque fee is $50 - AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD policy requires that all replacement cheques must be certified or paid in cash.

An application cannot be accepted without appropriate documentation. Registrations will only be processed if: online registration forms are completed; payment in full is received; and proof of age is provided if requested by AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD.

In signing the registration form, you accept all registration conditions and the financial implications of AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD.

**AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD Refund Policy**

Submission of a refund request does not guarantee a refund. Please allow four to six weeks for the refund to be processed.

**Medical Reason**

A request for a refund shall be made in writing to AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD and directed to the President and shall be based on medical reason(s) with supporting medical documentation from a health care provider.

The amount of the refund shall be determined by AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD as follows:

A. Before the training session season: If the athlete asks for a refund before the commencement of the training session season, defined as the start time of the first scheduled session, the athlete will be refunded the registration fee less the applicable administration/cancellation fee.

B. During the training session season: If the athlete asks for a refund after the commencement of the training session season, defined as the start time of the first scheduled session, the athlete will be refunded the registration fee, less the applicable administration fee, less the cost of the uniform and less the cost of the prorated training sessions by AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD as a percentage of the total number of scheduled training sessions for the current season.

**Non-Medical Reason**

For the training session season, AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD establishes an early refund date of 10 business days prior to the commencement of the first scheduled training session.

If a player withdraws from the Club for a non-medical reason, the request for a refund shall be made in writing to the Club and directed to the Operations Manager.

If it is before the early refund date, the athlete will be refunded the cost of the registration fee less the applicable administration fee.

If the request is submitted to the club after the early refund date but before the commencement of the training session season, the athlete will be refunded the cost of the registration fee less the late withdrawal administration fee which is $150 plus $50.

If the request is submitted to AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD after the beginning of the training session season, defined as the start time of the first scheduled session, the athlete will be refunded the registration fee, less the applicable administration fee plus $50, less the cost of the uniform and less the cost of the prorated training sessions by AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD as a percentage of the total number of scheduled training sessions for the current season.

**Definitions:**

"Administration fee" means the published administration/cancellation fee as published on AIM HIGH ATHLETICS LTD’s registration documentation.

"Cost of the uniform" means the current budgeted cost for all uniforms and/or equipment provided to the player at the beginning of the season.

"Health care provider" means medical doctor, nurse, nurse practitioner, chiropractor, physiotherapist, psychologist or psychiatrist.

"In writing" means hand written, typed or email communication.

"Medical opinion" is a written note from a health care provider explaining why the player is unable to participate in the training session season.

"Athlete" means the person requesting the refund, or in the case of incapacity or a minor, the person making the request on behalf of the athlete.

"Registration fee" means the regularly priced registration fee for a program. It does not include any extra fees such as late registration fees, NSF fees or any other extraneous fees.

"Training Session Season" means the session or season you registered for.

"Team" means the athlete’s team.