



# Common Ground

The Cindy Nord Center for Renewal

## Pathfinders

Release of Liability

**Safety is our first priority at Common Ground and we take every step to create the safest environment possible. However, certain risks do apply. Please read this form carefully. Each participant and/or parent must sign this agreement before participation in the program.**

I understand that my participation in the Adventure Challenge portion of Pathfinders at Common Ground is based in a 'Challenge by Choice' philosophy. I recognize that the program is designed to use experiential, engaging teaching techniques, which include but are not limited to low and high rope elements, games, and other physically engaging activities, but that my participation is purely voluntary. At all times I will choose my level of participation in any activity.

I understand that Common Ground makes every effort to insure the safety of our programming. However, I understand that climbing, high ropes course, ground initiatives, and other activities in Adventure Challenge programming for which I and/or my child have enrolled, entails certain risks. I elect to participate in spite of these risks.

Therefore, for *myself, my spouse, and my child*, I knowingly and voluntarily assume all risks involved in my participation, and do hereby release, indemnify, and hold harmless Common Ground, its members, trustees, officers, employees, independent contractors, and agents from all liability, damages, costs, and expenses arising out of or relating to bodily or psychological injury, loss of life or personal property that may occur as a result of participating in this program.

I have read, understand, and accept all terms and conditions stated herein and acknowledge that this agreement shall be effective and binding upon the parties during the duration of participation in said program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
signature of participant                      date

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if under 18, signature of parent/guardian  
required

\_\_\_\_\_  
age

\_\_\_\_\_  
name of school

\_\_\_\_\_  
program date

### PLEASE READ BELOW

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