

Southern Nevada Gem and Mineral Society, Inc.

INFORMED CONSENT/ASSUMPTION OF RISK/WAIVER OF LIABILITY

Please read the following information before beginning the field trip or shop activity. Sign and date the accompanying sheet to acknowledge that you have read and understand the information presented below.

I understand that the field trip/shop activity that I am participating in, of the above named Society, may include one or more of the following hazard(s) that may result in personal harm:

Unpredictable and Dangerous Environmental Conditions/Hazards, including but not limited to, snow, rain, wind, very cold and very hot temperatures, lightning, altitude, loose rock, falling rock, rock slides, avalanches, river hazards, mud slides, mud, ice, other slippery conditions and contact with poisonous reptiles, wild fauna and toxic plants.

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I understand that I am responsible for following the machine use and safety instructions of the shop supervisors. I am responsible for asking for help and guidance when unfamiliar with the various machine uses.

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I understand that I am responsible for any damage done to shop equipment due to improper use of said equipment.

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I understand that I am responsible for bringing shop towels, papers towels, eye and ear protection and permanent markers for my personal use when at the shop.

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I understand the risks inherent in all outdoor activities (including high altitude activities) existing in the environment, either natural or man-made.

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I understand that I am required to use appropriate safety equipment pertinent to the field trip activity or shop activity in which I will be participating. I accept full responsibility for my actions and accept liability for any resulting damages or injuries.

By participating, I am assuming the risks inherent in this field trip or shop activity and I am releasing the above named society, their officers, directors and individual members, from any liability for claims or lawsuits by the undersigned participant, arising out of this field trip or shop activity. By signing this waiver of liability, I understand that I release all property owners (private land owners and mining claimants) and lessees of any liability or responsibility for any accidents, injuries, problems or any other unfortunate incidents that may occur during this activity on their property. I have read all of the aforementioned information and understand any and all of it. Any questions, which have occurred to me, have been answered to my satisfaction. I am participating in these activities of my own free choice.

If the participant is under 18 years or age, this form must be read and signed by a parent or legal guardian before participating in this field trip or shop activity.

Signature

Date

(print name clearly under signature)