



2009 Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival July 13-19, 2009

Massed Festival Choir - Individual Participation Release Form

Please complete this form and mail with your registration form to:

Piedmont Choirs 2009 GGF • 3629 Grand Avenue, Oakland CA 94610 • U.S.A.

Name of Individual: _____

Address: _____

Age (as of 7/1/09): _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

I. LIABILITY RELEASE

In consideration of your participation in The Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival activities, including, but not limited to rehearsals, performances, Bay Cruise, and picnic, and transportation to and from such activities the Undersigned acknowledge and agree to the following provisions of this release:

1. The Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival and its sponsoring agency, Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir, are hereby released and held harmless from any and all liability, claims, or demands for damages which the undersigned presently has or may have in the future, arising out of any personal injury, emotional distress, bodily injury, sickness, death, loss of property, property damage, or any other loss, costs or expenses incurred by the undersigned, during the course of, as the result of, or in any way connected with the undersigned's participation in Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival activities, whether such damages, costs, or expenses may arise out of the negligence or carelessness (but not the willful misconduct) of The Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival and its sponsoring agency, The Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir.
2. This release extends to and includes all directors, employees, agents, principals, contractors, representatives, successors, assignees, sponsors, volunteers, associates, affiliates, attorneys, and insurers of The Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival or its sponsoring agency Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir.
3. This release is binding upon the family, estate, heirs, representatives, successors, assignees, officers, agents, and employees of the undersigned.
4. The undersigned expressly agrees that this release, waiver, and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of California, and that if any portion of it is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. The undersigned agree that this document shall be construed in accordance with California law, without regard for conflicts-of-law principles.

II. MEDIA AND PUBLICITY RELEASE

Both my child and I understand that The Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival and its sponsoring agency, the Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir, may photograph or record him/her (audio and/or video) for publicity, archival, or marketing purposes, including the possible posting of my child's likeness on the Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir's website, and that by signing this Agreement we give the Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival and the Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir full permission for such use and waive all copyright and future considerations.

III. PARENT/GUARDIAN EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION

I, through my signature in the space provided, do hereby authorize representatives of the Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival and its sponsoring agency, the Piedmont East Bay Children's Choir, to serve as agents for my designated minor child, and to consent to any X-ray exam, anesthetic, medical examinations, diagnosis, medical treatment, and hospital care which is deemed advisable by and is rendered under the general or specific supervision of any physician or surgeon licensed under the provisions of the Medical Practice Act or the medical staff of any hospital licensed by the State of California whether such diagnosis or treatment is rendered at the office of said physician or at said hospital or some other site. It is understood that this authorization is given in advance of any specific diagnosis, treatment, or hospital care being required, but is given to provide authority and power on the part of the aforesaid agent to give specific consent to any and all such diagnosis, treatment and hospital care which the aforementioned physician in the exercise of his best judgment may deem necessary.

Participant's Medical Insurer

Participant's Medical Insurance Number

Name of Insured Policy Holder

special health alerts (allergies, medications, etc.)

By signing my signature below, I hereby certify that I have read, understand, and accept all terms articulated in Sections I through III of this to this Authorization, Release, and Consent for Medical Treatment Form: (1) parents authorize their student to attend the Golden Gate International Children's & Youth Choral Festival and (2) students and parents agree to allow Festival adult workers and volunteers to authorize medical treatment for the participant if necessary.

Participant Name (please print): _____

Participant's Signature (regardless of age) : _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name (please print): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Emergency Phone #: _____

Note: Please return an original copy of this signed form to the Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival, retaining a copy (if desired) for your own records. No individual participant will be permitted to participate in the Golden Gate International Children's and Youth Choral Festival programs and activities without this signed form on file.

Questions? E-mail: gjf@piedmontchoirs.org • Telephone 510-547-4441 • Fax # 510-451-2947