

Under the Sun Teen Travel Adventure Camp



Program Booklet Summer 2024

Awesome Adventures for Awesome Teens!

Revised: 4/2024

FORMS CHECKLIST 2024

Teen Travel Adventure Days

Acknowledgement/Check List Form

I, (parent) _____ and (camper) _____, acknowledge by checking the appropriate boxes below, that I understand and have received a copy of each of the following forms. I also understand that I am responsible for following these policies and procedures throughout the 2023 Teen Travel Adventure Program. I have signed and returned each of the following forms to the Branford Parks & Recreation Department Office.

1. Review and Update of Emergency Child Information Sheet (Medical Form) ()
Reviewed when you drop off waivers by June 13th.
2. Final payment ()
3. Read & review the rules of the Teen Travel Adventure Program and understand the policies and procedures of the program and the facilities that we travel to. ()
4. Waiver Form ~ Tree Trails: See waiver link ()
<https://go.theflybook.com/FlybookWaivers/nplkwzrl/4250847/9534362#/>
5. Waiver Form ~ Bicycle Tour Company (see attached paper waiver) ()
6. Waiver Form ~ Brownstone Discovery Park (see link) ()
<https://pos.brownstonepark.com/brownstone/event/join/50495-bf07>
7. Waiver Form ~ Crabapple Whitewater Rafting (see link) ()
<https://www.crabapplewhitewater.com/waiver/?rsvno=89411&glcustno=2761770>
8. Waiver Form ~ Connecticut Watersports New Milford ()
https://waiver.smartwaiver.com/w/5ffce741db990/web/?auto_tag=fh_id_213794970
9. Transportation Permission Slip ()
10. Code of Conduct & Dismissal of Traveler Form Signed ()
11. Divorced or Separated Parent Information Form (if applicable) ()
12. Summer Meals Menu. Breakfast and cold lunches will be provided ()
13. Sunscreen Policy ()
14. Review of Parent/Camper Handbook ()
15. Signed acknowledgement of Parent/Camper Handbook ()

All forms need to be filled out and returned to the office no LATER than June 13, 2024.

About The Staff: Your Camper will be supervised by a well rounded, well trained staff. We ask that each Camper respect each of the staff members. Campers will be assigned to a staff counselor who they will have to sign in and out with at the beginning and end of each trip and at check in times. They will also be required to report to their assigned Staff Counselor at scheduled times throughout the trips. This is to ensure the safety of each and every one of them. The staff wishes you a fun and safe summer. They are very excited to be traveling with you. Please make sure that you read over all of the rules and regulations throughout this handbook. Remember that you are responsible for your actions and you agreed to follow the rules of the Teen Travel Adventure Program and the rules of each establishment that we visit. Parents should call the office with questions, 203-488-8304.

Staff Leaders: Dale Izzo, Assistant Director: 203-627-1321

dizzo@branford-ct.gov

Staff Counselors: Nally Sahin, Laura Montone, Dylan Palluzzi, & Eric Izzo

1. NO Smoking of any kind, this includes vaping. NO alcoholic beverages, and illegal drug use is strictly prohibited.
2. The use of vulgar or profane language is not allowed.
3. Please arrive to all trips at the scheduled times. Buses will NOT wait for those Campers who are late. Parents please pick up your Campers on time. Parents are NOT permitted to pick up or drop off children at designated field trips or meet buses on the side of the road. Please note departure and pick up times.
4. All Campers must wear their "Teen Travel" designated back pack at all times, unless instructed otherwise.
5. Fighting, stealing, abuse of equipment, grounds, facilities, etc. will not be tolerated and are subjects for dismissal from the program.
6. No bullying or endangering another person's well being.
7. Disrespect to the staff members and towards other campers will not be tolerated.
8. Campers **MUST** follow all the rules and regulations that pertain to the field trips, bus companies and the rules and regulations of the establishments we are visiting.
9. Please do not bring valuables with you on trips.
10. There will be no refunds for trips not attended.
11. Scooters, skateboards, rollerblades, etc. are NOT allowed on trips.
12. Campers are allowed to bring snacks with them to all trips and a lunch where indicated. Please make sure that all snacks and lunches are peanut and nut free.
13. All campers **MUST** stay with their assigned counselor. You are NOT allowed to go off on your own, unless permission is granted by the counselor. Campers **MUST** be with a buddy at all times.
14. All campers **MUST** have a watch with them for all trips!!!! You are NOT allowed to be late for check in times and departures.
15. Campers are encouraged to bring cell phones with them if they have them. (You **MUST** follow all rules pertaining to cell phones at all locations. i.e. theatres)
16. **Any Camper that cannot abide by these rules will be dismissed immediately from the Teen Adventure Program. No refunds will be granted. NO EXCEPTIONS! Remember, you are responsible for your actions.**
17. Please notify our department of any restrictions or limitations that we should be aware of prior to traveling.
18. Have a safe and fun summer!!!!

NOTE: The Parks and Recreation Department and the Teen Adventure staff are not responsible for lost electronic items. Participants who bring them are doing so at their own risk.
be careful when walking through the parking lot.



Sign In and Sign Out Procedures:

All Campers are required to sign in each morning with their assigned counselor prior to the beginning of each trip. Campers must sign in at all check points and **MUST** be on time. At the end of each trip Campers **MUST** sign out with their counselor.

Parents and Travelers: Please **NOTE** that at the beginning and end of each trip announcements, reminders, changes, etc. are made to let Campers know about the next trip, ie. departure times, what to bring, special requirements, etc. If your child has missed a trip, please call the **OFFICE** for updates. **DO NOT** call the counselors. Thank you, and remember you can always call the office anytime with questions, 203-488-8304. We ask that you be prompt for all pick up and drop off times. Parents who are picking up at end of the day are asked to please be on time. Our staff will stay to make sure that all Campers are picked up, but if you are excessively late you will be charged a late fee, \$10.00 for every 15 minutes or part of 15 minutes that you are late.

We have again partnered with the Board of Education to provide Free Meals for the Summer. Campers will be able to have a healthy breakfast and lunch for all trips.

Drop off and Pick Up: Joe Trapasso Community House, 46 Church Street, Branford

UNDER THE SUN~ "TEEN TRAVEL ADVENTURE"

Itinerary and Important Information



UNDER THE SUN: Teen Travel Adventure Program

Please review all this information with your child. We are looking forward to a fun summer with them.

July 2nd: Tree Trails Adventures

Note: Drop off & pick up: Joe Trapasso CH

Please fill out the waiver:

<https://go.theflybook.com/FlybookWaivers/rdscmq0b/5158401/10113647#/>

Time:

8:00 AM-3:00PM

Location

Mystic, CT

July 9th: Ocean Beach State Park

Note: Drop off & pick up : Joe Trapasso CH

Time:

8:30 AM-4:00 PM

Location

New London, CT

July 11th: Medieval Times

Note: Drop off & pick up : Joe Trapasso CH

Time:

8:00 AM-5:00 PM

Location

Lyndhurst, NJ

July 16th: Lake Quassy

Note: Drop Off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso CH

Time:

9:00 AM-5:30 PM

Location

Middlefield, CT

July 18th: Codzilla Thrill & Quincy Market

Note: Drop off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso Community House

Time:

8:00 AM-7:30PM

Location

Boston, MA

July 23rd: Connecticut Water Sports

Note: Drop off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso CH

Please fill out the waiver.

https://waiver.smartwaiver.com/w/5ffc741db990/web/?auto_tag=fh_id_213794970

Time:

8:00 AM-5:30PM

Location

Morris, CT

July 25th: Bicycle Tour Company

Note: Drop off & pick up : Joe Trapasso CH

Please fill out paper waiver and return to office by June 13th

Time:

8:00 AM-4:15 PM

Location

Kent, CT

July 30th: Brownstone Discovery Park

Note: Drop off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso CH

Please fill out the waiver.

<https://pos.brownstonepark.com/brownstone/event/join/77351-326b>

Time:

8:30 AM-5:00PM

Location

Portland, CT

Aug. 1st: Crabapple Whitewater Rafting

Note: Drop off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso Community House

Please fill our the waiver.

<https://www.crabapplewhitewater.com/waiver/?rsvno=91469&glcustno=1588220>

Time:

9:30 AM-6:30PM

Location

Deerfield, MA

Aug. 2nd: Breakfast Wars & POCO Festival

Note: Drop off & Pick up: Joe Trapasso Community House

Time:

11:30 AM-4:30PM

Location

Northford, CT

* this schedule is subject to change*

TREE TRAILS ADVENTURE PARK:

JULY 2nd

LOCATION: Fields of Fire, Mystic CT.

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 3:00 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Push yourself to new heights as you test your skills on the custom built Aerial Adventure Park. We will be climbing amongst the trees all decorated with lights! Courses range from beginner to expert so there is something for every level. Come enjoy a bon fire, group games & more! Please wear sneakers or bring them with you. Check out the website at: www.treetrails.com



Please fill out your waiver form by June 13th using the link: <https://go.theflybook.com/FlybookWaivers/rdscmq0b/5158401/10113647#/>

OCEAN BEACH STATE PARK:

JULY 9th

LOCATION: New London, CT

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:30 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 4:00 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Campers will enjoy Ocean Beach State Park and what it has to offer. Olympic size swimming pool, beach, boardwalk, mini golf, water slides and more! Please bring snacks, bath suit, sun-screen, towel, change of clothes and plenty of water to stay hydrated. Lunch provided, concession available.



MEDIEVAL TIMES:

JULY 11th

LOCATION: Lyndhurst, NJ.

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 5:00 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Hang on to your helmet, the show is about to begin! Travel through the mists of time to a festive celebration where you'll be in awe of gallant knights and majestic horses. Cheer on your Knight and enjoy all the experiences of Medieval Times. Travelers will represent their colors while cheering on their knight as he jousts and competes in a hand to hand combat. Who will be crowned the winner? Lunch is included. Bring snacks for the bus ride and money for gift shop.



LAKE QUASSY:

JULY 16th

LOCATION: Middlebury, CT

DEPARTURE TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 5:30 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Come experience the thrills and chills at lake Quassy. With more than 20 rides, Quassy has fun for everyone. Ride the award-winning Wooden Warrior roller coaster, the Grand Carousel, Reverse Time, Paratrooper and Splash Away Bay plus much more! You **MUST** follow all rules of the park. Bring a change of clothes, bathing suit, towel, wear or bring sneakers and/or sandals that have a strap, and sun screen. Do not bring valuables. You can bring lunch and additional snacks. NO glass. Rides may be shut down without notice due to weather or safety. Please obey all posted rules and regulations. Lunch will be provided.



CODZILLA BOSTON AND QUINCY MARKET

JULY 18th

LOCATION: Boston, MA.

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 7:30 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church Street)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Get ready for a Boston Harbor Cruise aboard CODZILLA! Campers will be roaring for more after the ride. Codzilla will put the pedal to the metal and the volume up as they blast an original soundtrack. Codzilla is a monstrosly fun-thrill ride every minute! Travelers need to secure hats, eye-wear and be prepared to have fun, laugh, and get a little wet! After we will enjoy Quincy Market. Bring a change of clothes, money for shopping. Sandwiches will be provided for the bus ride.

NOTE(S): Bring snacks for the bus ride. Please abide by all rules on the cruise.



CONNECTICUT WATER SPORTS - NEW MILFORD

JULY 23RD

LOCATION: New Milford, CT

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 5:30 P.M.

DROP OFF LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Get your summer on! Travelers will enjoy swimming, wake surfing, wake boarding, and tubing on Lake Lillinah! Top notch captains will give travelers a fun, safe and educational day on the water. Please wear your bathing suit, bring plenty of water, towel, sunscreen and wear sneakers.

Visit their website: <https://connwatersports.com/>

Please fill out your waiver form by June 13th using the link: https://waiver.smartwaiver.com/w/5ffce741db990/web/?auto_tag=fh_id_213794970



BICYCLE TOUR COMPANY

JULY 25th

LOCATION: Kent, CT

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:00 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 4:15 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Campers will join world-class professional staff who have worked the highest level of cycling. They will guide us around a 8 mile bike in beautiful Kent and then we will have a guided 1 mile hike. After our morning fun, we will visit one of the state parks for lunch and swimming. Please wear your bathing suit, bring plenty of water, towel, sunscreen and wear sneakers.

Please fill out your waiver form by June 13th: Paper form.



BROWNSTONE EXPLORATION & DISCOVERY PARK:

JULY 30th

LOCATION: Brownstone Exploration & Discovery Park, Portland, CT.

DEPARTURE TIME: 8:30 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 5:00 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: This is not your typical water park...it is an **ADVENTURE SPORTS PARK**.

There is something for everyone. Enjoy an old fashioned swimming hole with rope swings, floating playgrounds, and water trampolines. All swimmers are monitored by certified lifeguards and **MUST** wear a flotation device which will be provided. **NOTE(S)** Please bring snacks and water with you. There is a snack bar. Please wear your bathing suit, bring a change of clothes, towel, & sunscreen. Visit the website at: www.brownstonepark.com. Lunch will be provided.

Please fill out your waiver form by June 13th using the link: <https://pos.brownstonepark.com/brownstone/event/join/50495-bf07>



CRABAPPLE WHITE WATER RAFTING:

AUG. 1st

LOCATION: Charlemont, MA

DEPARTURE TIME: 9:30 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 6:30 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Enjoy the thrill of rafting down eight miles on the river. You will enjoy the scenery of the Deerfield River Valley, floating, splashes of whitewater, opportunities for swimming and a riverside snack. Your guide will take you on the best route to enjoy the float parallel to the historic Mohawk Trail. Travelers and staff will watch a slide show of the day's trip. **NOTE(S)** Everyone **MUST** wear a lifejacket and helmet that is provided. A picnic buffet will be provided. Bring a bathing suit, towel, sunscreen, change of clothes, snacks and beverages for the bus ride. All participants need to wear sandals with straps, Texas, crocs, or shoes that can get wet. Running shorts, long sleeve shirts or a light windbreaker is recommended. A sports strap for sunglasses or eyeglasses is also recommended. This is a rain or shine trip. Please bring snacks and water with you. Visit the website at: www.crabapplewhitewater.com.

Please fill out your waiver form by June 13th using the link: <https://www.crabapplewhitewater.com/waiver/?rsvno=89411&glcustno=2761770>



BREAKFAST WARS & POCO FESTIVAL

AUG. 2nd

LOCATION: North Branford, CT

DEPARTURE TIME: 11:30 A.M.

PICK UP TIME: 4:30 P.M.

DEPARTURE & PICK-UP LOCATION: Joe Trapasso Community House (46 Church St)

DESCRIPTION OF TRIP: Campers will enjoy a fun competition making breakfast and then head to North Branford to enjoy the fairgrounds of the North Branford's famous POCO Festival! Please bring water with you and money for concession stands as some will be open.



Branford Parks and Recreation Department
Divorced or Separated Parent Information Form

**only fill this out if it applies to your family. If not please write your child's Name and put N/A*

Child(ren) Names(s): _____ Program: Teen Travel

(Please Print)

It is the mission of Branford Parks and Recreation Department to be a support to families and to promote positive development for children. We recognize that many families are in transition and have experienced divorce and separation. Please provide us with the following information so that we may avoid any confusion for you, your child(ren), and our staff. Attach a separate sheet of paper if necessary.

(Please put N/A if this does not apply to your family & return with your packet).

Which parent do we contact first for general questions? _____

Which parent do we contact first in an emergency? _____

What are the custody arrangements?

Please list below any persons NOT AUTHORIZED to pick up the child(ren) from a Branford Parks and Recreation Department Program. Please attach any legal papers or court documents stating the restrictions regarding contact with the child(ren) while your child(ren) are in our care. (You may include a photo and general description of this person(s)).

NOT AUTHORIZED:

What is the visitation schedule which involves pick-up of the child(ren) at Branford Recreation programs? ***Information should be written out on a separate piece of paper and attached to this form.***

It would be helpful to know the other significant adults that are in your child's life and what their relationship is to the child, especially if we will have contact with them through our programs.

Name	Phone	Relationship to child
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Name	Phone	Relationship to child
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Thank you for helping us provide the best possible care for your child(ren). Please feel free to contact the Branford Parks & Recreation Department office (203)488-8304 with any concerns or questions.

Dismissal of a Camper: Summer 2024

There will be the occasional camper who will not follow the rules or their behavior or actions may be disruptive to other Travelers, staff members, or establishments that we visit. We have high expectations of behavior and expect that you will obey the rules set forth by the Branford Parks & Recreation Teen Travel Adventure Program, the transportation service companies that we use, and the establishments that we visit. The following process will be followed in situations that are not grounds for immediate dismissal.

Step 1: A Camper will be given a verbal warning from the counselor or another staff member present. A course of action for changing the behavior should be discussed at this time. The Camper will be warned that similar behavior/ actions will result in contact with parents. The incident should be reported to the supervisor of the Program or their designee immediately.

Step 2: If similar behavior / actions occurs again, the counselor or the staff member present will give a verbal reprimand. The incident will be reported to the supervisor of the Program or their designee who will contact the parents to discuss the issue.

Step 3: If similar behaviors occurs again, the Supervisor of the Teen Adventure Program or the Assistant Director will notify the parents that the Camper has been removed from an activity, a trip(s) or from the program and they may not return to the program for the rest of the summer.

The Teen Travel Adventure Supervisor, The Program Supervisor, The Program Coordinator, the Assistant Director and the Director of the Parks and Recreation Department always reserve the right, when the behavior or actions are particularly flagrant or disruptive or against the law , to dismiss the Camper from the program immediately.

I have read the above policy set forth by the Branford Parks and Recreation Department Staff and agree that I will abide by all the rules and regulations set forth. I will conduct myself in an appropriate manner and know that I am responsible for my behavior and actions. I also agree to abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the establishments that we visit and the transportation companies used.

Printed Name of Camper:

Signature of Camper:

Date: _____

Transportation Permission Slip 2024

Branford Parks & Recreation Teen Travel Adventures Program
46 Church Street, Branford, CT. 06405

Dear Parents,

As part of the Branford Parks & Recreation Teen Travel Adventure Program, your child will be traveling via school bus and coach bus. Each child will need a signed permission slip on file with us. Please refer to your Teen Travel Adventure Itinerary for more information on departure times and locations.

Please sign and return this form with your Teen Travel Adventure forms.

By signing below, you grant permission for your child: _____ to participate in the following field trips offered by the Branford Recreation Parks & Recreation Department Summer Teen Adventure Program and be transported by First Student Bus Company.

Child's Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____ Town: _____

Parents/Guardian Name: _____ / _____

Date	Location	Initials
07-2-2024	Tree Trails, Mystic, CT. School Bus	
07-9-2024	Ocean Beach, New London, CT, School Bus	
07-11-2024	Medieval Times, Lyndhurst, NJ, Coach Bus	
07-16-2024	Lake Quassy, Middlefield, CT, School Bus	
07-18-2024	Codzilla & Quincy Market, Boston, MA, Bus Co TBD	
07-23-2024	Connecticut Water Sports, New Milford, CT, School Bus	
07-25-2024	Bicycle Tour Company, Kent, CT, First Student	
07-30-20234	Brownstone Discovery Park, Portland, CT, School Bus	
08-1-2024	Crabapple Whitewater Rafting, Deerfield, MA, School Bus	
08-2-2024	POCO Festival, North Branford, CT, School Bus	

Code of conduct

Participant Code of Conduct

During the camp we have developed a code of conduct to make sure that everyone has a positive camp experience. This means that all participants: campers, parents/ guardians, and staff shall respect the individual rights, safety and property of others.

Parents: Please review these rules with your child

I will:

- ◆ Respect the differences in other people, and make an effort to include everyone, and refrain from behaviors that may hurt another camper or staff member's feelings.
- ◆ Be mindful of my counselors and respect their request and follow their directions.
- ◆ Pick up after myself and throw away all trash.
- ◆ Respect other people's property.
- ◆ Let my counselor know if I am or I am not having a good time at camp.
- ◆ Respect the staff, animals and places that we visit.
- ◆ Have fun at camp in ways that are safe to others and myself.
- ◆ Have a positive attitude.

I will Not:

- ◆ Fight with other campers with my hands or my words.
- ◆ Bring candy or soda to camp.
- ◆ Share food with another camper.
- ◆ Go anywhere without permission and accompaniment of my counselor.
- ◆ Use derogatory terms or offensive language when talking to or about other campers.
- ◆ Tease or bully other campers.
- ◆ Bring inappropriate items (includes electronics, weapons, drugs, etc) to camp.

~~If I choose not to follow the code of conduct:~~

First Time: I will be given a verbal warning explaining the problem and the expected behavior.

Second Time: I will be removed from the activity and my parent will be called; The Camp Director or their designee may call home to discuss the behavior plan.

Third Time: The Camp Director will be notified and my parents will be called to pick me up.

Sunscreen Permission:



Appropriate sunscreen use is important to prevent skin damage and sunburn. If your child is able to apply his or her own sunscreen, we strongly suggest that they do so prior to coming to camp. We will remind them to re-apply their sunscreen throughout the day. Parents are strongly encouraged to apply sunscreen to their child(ren) each day prior to arrival at camp. In addition, parents are asked to provide sunscreen clearly labeled with camper name. The Branford Parks and Recreation Department does not provide sunscreen. If requested and authorized, staff will assist in applying parent/guardian provided sunscreen as a courtesy and in the best interest of your child.

The Branford Parks and Recreation Department's policy on applying sunscreen is as follows: Each child will apply parent-provided sunscreen to his/her skin personally. When necessary and as requested by a parent/guardian, a Branford Parks and Recreation Staff member will assist a child that may be unable to personally apply his/her own sunscreen on only the exposed parts of the child's skin and, when possible, while another staff member.

Parent/Guardians, please check the appropriate statement below: Choose one.

Camper's Name: _____

My child may need help applying his or her sunscreen. Please circle one: YES or NO

Brand of Sunscreen and SPF: _____

Sunscreen Application:

I GIVE PERMISSION for the Branford Parks & Recreation Camp Staff to assist/administer parent provided sunscreen to the above-name child, in accordance with the policy above. (Please provide sunscreen (no spray) clearly labeled with your child's first and last name. I, as the parent of legal guardian of the above-named child agree that a Branford Parks and Recreation staff member may supervise the application of sunscreen on my child, and when necessary, may actually apply sunscreen on the exposed parts on my child's skin.

I have read the above policy and ***I DO NOT GIVE PERMISSION*** for the Branford Parks and Recreation camp staff to assist/administer sunscreen to the above-named child.

Parent/Guardian (Print Name)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date:



TEEN TRAVEL 2024

MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY	
1		2	ORIENTATION & TREE TRAILS MYSTIC, CT MUST HAVE SNEAKERS	3		4TH OF JULY HOLIDAY	5		
8		9	OCEAN BEACH PARK NEW LONDON, CT	10		11	MEDIEVAL TIMES LYNDHURST, NJ	12	
15		16	LAKE QUASSY MIDDLEBURY, CT	17		18	CODZILLA & QUINCY MARKET BOSTON, MA	19	
22		23	CONNECTICUT WATER SPORTS NEW MILFORD, CT	24		25	BICYCLE TOUR CO. KENT, CT MUST HAVE SNEAKERS	26	
29		30	BROWNSTONE EXPLORATION & DISCOVERY PARK PORTLAND, CT	31		1	CRABAPPLE WHITEWATER RAFTING CHARLEMONT, MA	2	BREAKFAST WARS & POCO FESTIVAL NORTH BRANFORD, CT

THE BICYCLE TOUR COMPANY

Release of Liability and Assumption of All Risks

PLEASE BE CERTAIN TO READ CAREFULLY AND INITIAL THIS PAGE AND SIGN THE REVERSE SIDE: THIS IS A LEGALLY ENFORCEABLE WAIVER OF RIGHTS.*

Names(s): _____

Trip: _____ Trip Date: _____

*No additions, deletions or changes can be made to the release form, and signing it is a requirement for joining the trip.

PART I

Assumption of Risk:

I acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to participate in the trip designated on this application (or a trip to which I may subsequently transfer). I am voluntarily participating in this trip with the knowledge of the numerous risks and dangers involved including, but not limited to: physical exertion for which I am not prepared; forces of nature; travel, horseback, by foot, other form of travel; consumption of alcoholic beverages; civil unrest; terrorism; breakdown of equipment; high altitude; accident; or illness without access to means of rapid evacuation or availability of medical supplies; the adequacy of medical attention once provided; or the negligence (but not the willful or fraudulent conduct) on the part of the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc., its employees, officers, agents or others. I acknowledge the enjoyment and excitement of safety of adventure travel is derived in part from inherent risks incurred by travel and activity beyond the accepted safety of life at home or work and that these inherent risks contribute to such enjoyment and excitement, being a reason for my participation. I HEREBY AGREE TO RESPONSIBLE FOR MY OWN WELFARE AND ACCEPT ANY AND ALL RISKS OF DELAY, UNANTICIPATED EVENTS, ILLNESS, INJURY, EMOTIONAL TRAUMA OR DEATH AND VERIFY THIS STATEMENT.

PART II

Release:

I acknowledge that the cost of all Bicycle Tour Company trips has been based upon trip participants executing this Release of Liability and Assumption of All Risks. Therefore, as a lawful consideration for being permitted to participate on such trip(s), I hereby RELEASE AND DISCHARGE THE BICYCLE TOUR COMPANY, INTERNATIONAL/USA, INC. AND ITS AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL LIABILITY ARISING FROM MY PARTICIPATION IN THE TRIP. I agree that this release shall be legally binding upon me personally, all members of my family, and all minors traveling with me, my heirs, successors, assigns, and legal representatives, it being my intention to fully assume all the risk of travel and to release the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc. from any and all liabilities to the maximum extent permitted by law. I understand that the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc. reserves the right to refuse any person it judges to be incapable of meeting the rigors and requirements of participating in the activities.

Initial: _____
1st person 2nd person (if applicable)

I understand that the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc. reserves the right to take photographic film records of any of trips and hereby agree that the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc. may use any such photographic of records for promotional and/or commercial purposes as well as approve such use by third parties with whom the Bicycle Tour Company may partner for a joint marketing effort.

I understand that all applications are subject to acceptance by the Bicycle Tour Company, International/USA, Inc. and upon acceptance shall be deemed to have been entered into and to be performed at Kent, Connecticut. In the unlikely event a legal dispute should arise involving any subject matter whatsoever, I agree that the following conditions will apply: (a) the dispute shall be settled by binding arbitration through the American Arbitration Association at Kent, Connecticut; (b) the dispute will be governed by Connecticut law; and (c) the maximum amount of recovery to which I will be entitled under any and all circumstances will be the land cost of my trip with the Bicycle Tour Company. I agree that if any portion of this agreement is found to be void or unenforceable, the remaining portions shall remain in full force and effect.

Knowing and Voluntary Execution:

I have carefully read and fully understand the contents and legal ramifications of this agreement as well as all the conditions as stated under the heading "Conditions" of the current catalog including those regarding cancellation and refund policies. I understand that this is a legally binding and enforceable contract and sign it of my own free will.

Signature (1st Person) Dated _____ 20_____

Print Name

Signature (2nd Person) Dated _____ 20_____

Print Name

Trip Trip Date

(Please initial the reverse side and return both sides of the form.)

Parents or Guardian of a Minor:

I, as a parent of the below named minor(s), hereby give my permission for my child(ren) or ward(s) to participate in the trip and further agree, individually and behalf of my child(ren) or ward(s), to the terms above.

Name of Minor Signature of Releasor Dated _____ 20_____

Signature of Releasor

Name of Minor Signature of Releasor Dated _____ 20_____

Signature of Releasor