



## VERTICAL SPORTS MEDICAL AND PHOTO RELEASE AND LIABILITY FORM

*PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING*

THE PARTICIPANT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR HIS OR HER OWN MEDICAL COVERAGE NOTICE OF WARNING: There is a potential risk in training and participating in any sport, and we have tried to create a safe environment. The coaches have established rules for participation, and proper conduct on or about the playing field must be followed. **You are responsible for your own medical coverage.**

**EMERGENCY AUTHORIZATION:** I the undersigned, hereby authorize the coaches, assistant coaches or team members acting in the capacity of activity supervisors/vehicle drivers, as my Agents, to consent to medical, surgical or dental examination and/or treatment. In case of emergency I hereby authorize treatment, and/or care at any hospital.

**WAIVER OF LIABILITY:** I have read and understand the policies and the risk involved. I hereby agree to follow all rules for good order and safety during this season. I agree and understand that neither Vertical Sports, Millington First Baptist Church, nor any of the volunteers involved are liable for any injuries received while participating or playing in the activity for which you are registering herein, or for the loss or damage to equipment. I agree that I shall make no claim and bring no action, suit, or proceeding for any and all damages, losses, liabilities, or costs in any manner suffered or incurred as a result of my participating in the activity for which I am registering herein, and I hereby release Millington First Baptist Church from any and all damages, liabilities, or costs in this regard.

**COVID-19 RELATED LIABILITY:** The World Health Organization has declared the novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) a worldwide pandemic. Due to its capacity to transmit from person-to-person through respiratory droplets, Vertical Sports and FBC Millington along with the CDC, state, county and local health agencies have developed a set of guidelines to be followed to mitigate the spread of COVID-19.

**In consideration of my participation in the foregoing, the undersigned acknowledge and agree to the following:**

I am aware of the existence of the risk that my physical presence at the venue and my participation in the activities of the FBC Millington Vertical Sports leagues may cause injury or illness such as, but not limited to Influenza, MRSA, or COVID-19 that may lead to paralysis or death.

**Following the pronouncements above I hereby declare the following:**

- I am fully and personally responsible for my own safety and actions while and during my participation and I recognize that I may, in any case, be at risk of contracting COVID-19.
- With full knowledge of the risks involved, I hereby release, waive, discharge Vertical Sports and FBC Millington, its board, staff, independent contractors, affiliates, employees, representatives, successors, and assigns from any and all liabilities, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever, directly or indirectly arising out of or related to any loss, damage, injury, or death, that may be sustained by me related to COVID-19 while participating in any activity while in, on, or around the premises or while using the facilities that may lead to unintentional exposure or harm due to COVID-19.
- I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Vertical Sports and FBC Millington from and against any and all costs, expenses, damages, lawsuits, and/or liabilities or claims arising whether directly or indirectly from or related to any and all claims made by or against any of the released party due to injury, loss, or death from or related to COVID-19.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have read the foregoing Liability Release Waiver and understand its contents; that I am at least eighteen (18) years old and fully competent to give my consent; That I have been sufficiently informed of the risks involved and give my voluntary consent in signing it as my own free act and deed; that I give my voluntary consent in signing this Liability Release Waiver as my own free act and deed with full intention to be bound by the same, and free from any inducement or representation.

Vertical Sports and FBC Millington reserve the right to remove participants from the facility who are exhibiting or have recently exhibited symptoms consistent with COVID-19 or have tested positive within the last 14 days of their arrival on campus.

This waiver will remain effective until laws and mandates relevant to COVID-19 are lifted.

**PHOTOGRAPHS AND VIDEO:** I understand that any pictures or video footage taken by church personnel may be used in future promotion material for Vertical Sports and Millington First Baptist Church.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** Your signature acknowledges you have read and understand the above terms. If the participant is under 18 a signature must be obtained from a parent/guardian.



(ex. Youth Basketball 8/9 Boys)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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