

Wild Nights

An event hosted by the
Missouri Exotic Species Arts Association (MESA)

Waiver of Liability

I understand that during my participation in this event, I may be exposed to a variety of hazards and risks, foreseen or unforeseen, which are inherent in the event and cannot be eliminated. These inherent risks include, but are not limited to, the dangers of serious personal injury, property damage, and death (“Injuries and Damages”) from exposure to the hazards of the outdoors. I know that Injuries and Damages can occur by natural causes or the activities of other people, animals, event members, event leaders, assistants or third parties, either as a result of negligence or due to other reasons. I understand that risks of such Injuries and Damages are involved in outdoor events such as Wild Nights and I appreciate that I may have to exercise extra care for my own person and for others around me.

I confirm my understanding that:

- I have read the rules and conditions applicable to the event made available to me; I will pay any costs and fees for the event; and I acknowledge my participation is at the discretion of the leader.

- This Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law. If any provision or any part of any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or legally unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby and shall remain valid and fully enforceable.

- To the fullest extent allowed by law, I agree to **WAIVE, DISCHARGE CLAIMS, AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY** the Missouri Exotic Species Arts Association (hereinafter referred to as MESA), Wild Nights, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and staff, from any and all liability on account of, or in any way resulting from Injuries and Damages, even if caused by negligence of MESA, Wild Nights, its officers, directors, employees, agents, or staff, in any way connected with this event. I further agree to **HOLD HARMLESS** MESA, Wild Nights, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and staff from any claims, damages, injuries or losses caused by my own negligence while a participant at the event. I understand and intend that this assumption of risk and release is binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and includes any minors accompanying me at this event. Included in the above shall also be the Park hosting the event and such Charities as Wild Nights shall invite, as well as their officers, directors, employees, agents, and staff.

- I have read this document in its entirety and I freely and voluntarily assume all risks of such Injuries and Damages and notwithstanding such risks, I agree to participate in this event. If signing as a Parent or Guardian, I grant permission for the person named below to attend and agree to this release of liability.

Printed Name

Parent or Guardian Name

Signature

Signature

Witness Name

Signature