



Scouting Participation and Hold-Harmless Agreement

Northwest Texas Council, BSA is conducting a **shooting sports program**. Scouts will be instructed how to handle, maintain, and shoot a firearm safely and be provided instruction to increase their shooting skills. Scouts will have range instruction in which they will shooting a firearm under the supervision of a trained NRA Range Safety Officer, NRA certified Rifle or Shotgun Instructor or BB Gun Rangemaster, depending on the firearm.

Scouts will be required to wear eye protection and hearing protection always while on the range. Scouts are expected to abide by all safety rules and the instructions of Instructor(s).

I, the undersigned, give my child, _____, permission to participate in this program. I understand that participation in the activity involves a certain degree of risk.

I have carefully considered the risk involved and have given consent for my child to participate in the activity. I understand that participation in the activity is entirely voluntary and requires participants to abide by the rules and standards of conduct. I release the Boy Scouts of America, the local council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with the activity from all claims or liability arising out of this participation.

For safety, my child and I agree that he/she will do the following or he/she will be removed from the program. I understand that any additional cost associated with participation in this program will not be refunded if my child is removed due to behavioral problems.

1. Complete the training offered as part of the program.
2. Wear all safety gear always while on the range.
3. Follow all safety rules provided in the training class.
4. Follow the instructions of the Firearms Instructor(s).
5. Do not handle any Firearms until instructed to do so by the Instructor(s).
6. Follow the instructions of the NRA Range Safety Officer(s) always, if present.
7. Is a registered Boy Scout, Venturer, or Sea Scout. Parent must sign if under 18 years of age.

Participant signature _____ Date: _____

Parent/guardian signature _____ Date: _____

Parent/guardian printed name _____ Date: _____

Home phone _____ Cell phone _____

