

YOUTH SOCCER WAIVER AND RELEASE
Connecticut Junior Soccer Association

READ VERY CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

I, on behalf of myself, my heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns, (hereinafter "RELEASOR"), in consideration for being allowed by **Granby Rovers Soccer Club** to participate in its games and practices, hereby release it, its affiliates, successors, subsidiaries, officers, coaches, volunteers, referees and managers, as well as the Connecticut Junior Soccer Association (hereinafter "RELEASEES"), for any and all injury, damage or death claims resulting from risks inherent in the sport of soccer. RELEASOR acknowledges that these inherent risks include, but are not limited to: collisions with other players; collisions with the goal; collisions with the ball; collisions with the referees or spectators; collisions with the objects located outside of, but near, the field of play; rough or uneven field conditions; and weather related field conditions. RELEASOR knows that soccer, and particularly match play and related training, is an inherently hazardous sport, and that competitors and participants commonly and routinely injure themselves as a result of these inherent risks. RELEASOR freely assumes the risk for all injuries, damages or death caused by or related to risks inherent to the sport of soccer.

RELEASOR agrees that any claim that I may assert as a result of and/or arising out of participation in this program shall be submitted to arbitration before the American Arbitration Association, and not by way of civil lawsuit filed in either the state or federal courts. Three arbitrators, including one neutral, shall be utilized. They shall decide if the injuries and damages arise out of risks inherent to the sport. I agree to abide by the arbitrators' decision, and refrain from commencing suit, if it is determined by the arbitrators that my injuries or damages arose out of said inherent risks.

I agree that every term and provision of this contract is intended to be severable. If any one or more of them is found to be unenforceable or invalid, that shall not affect the other terms and provisions, which shall remain binding and enforceable on RELEASOR.

RELEASOR agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the RELEASEES for all defense costs, fees, settlements, judgments and the like, including attorney fees, arising out of any claim that is related to injuries caused by the inherent risks.

I know that by signing this agreement, I am giving up legal rights, and freely choose to sign this agreement.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THIS ENTIRE DOCUMENT. I HAVE NOT BEEN FORCED TO SIGN THIS AGREEMENT UNDER DURESS OR TIME CONSTRAINTS. I HAVE BEEN GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK WITH A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE RELEASEES TO DISCUSS ANY QUESTIONS THAT I MIGHT HAVE.

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

or

CONSENT AND RELEASE OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN

I am the parent or guardian of _____ (Child). My Child is fit for the event, and I consent to my Child's participation. **I HAVE READ AND I UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE CONTRACT.** In consideration of allowing my Child to participate, I consent to the contract and agree that **ITS TERMS SHALL LIKEWISE BIND ME, MY CHILD,** my heirs, legal representatives and assignees, **I HEREBY RELEASE AND SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS THE RELEASEES LISTED ABOVE FROM EVERY CLAIM AND ANY LIABILITY** arising out of risks inherent in this activity/competition. I, likewise, promise not to sue the entities referenced above on my behalf or on behalf of my Child. I agree to the indemnity terms set forth above and agree to the arbitration terms set forth above.

Print Name: _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____
Signature of Parent or Guardian