

Minor Participation Procedure

Midwestern Council allows 16 and 17 year old drivers to compete in wheel to wheel and Autocross events. All participants must comply with the following procedures.

MINOR RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

A **Notarized Copy** of this agreement must be signed by both Parents / Legal Guardians prior to a minor being allowed to compete.

This Form must be in the hands of the MC Comp Director, MC President or MC License Director, 14 days prior to the start of the event. The original copy will be kept in the MC office. Copies will be sent to the Chief Steward and Registrar for the event.

Notarized forms may be marked for “ALL TRACKS” and “ALL EVENTS for 2011”.

All minor participants **MUST** successfully pass a full day MC school for the type of competition they wish to participate in.

This requirement is required regardless of prior racing experience

All minor wheel to wheel participants must have a current MC medical form on file. No substitutions allowed.

At registration another Minor Release and Minor Assumption of Risk Acknowledgement shall be filled out and dated for that event only. Registrar shall confirm parent/guardians identity and match the signature to the notarized version. Registrar shall sign and date the waiver as a witness. Only one parent/guardian is required to be at the track.

Whenever the parent/guardian leaves the track facility, the parent/guardian shall inform the Chief Steward or his designee. When the parent/guardian is not on the track property, the minor will be prohibited from entering a restricted area.

Minor wheel to wheel participants shall only be eligible for a “Minor Probational License” (MPL). The minor participant shall conform to all regulations for both Probational License holders and that of a Novice License holder. “X”s are required.

Upon reaching 18 years old, the minor may request upgrade to either a full comp or novice license based on their current status. All events participated in while holding a MPL will count towards upgrading of a license.

MPL licenses may be renewed as would a novice license.

Notarized Minor forms are valid until December 31 of the year they are signed.

MINOR'S ASSUMPTION OF RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

All Midwestern Council Events

Event

Date

I have obtained my parents' and / or legal guardians' consent to participate in the above Event(s) or activities ("Events(s)"). I understand that I am assuming all of the risks if I get hurt during the Event(s) and I state the following:

1. Both my parents and I believe I am qualified to participate in the Event(s). I will inspect the premises and equipment and if, at any time, I feel anything to be unsafe, I will immediately leave and refuse to participate further in the Event(s).
2. I understand that the ACTIVITIES OF THE EVENT(S) ARE VERY DANGEROUS AND INVOLVE RISKS AND DANGERS OF MY BEING SERIOUSLY INJURED OR HURT, MY BEING PARALYZED OR KILLED.
3. I know that these risks and dangers may be caused by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Event(s), the rules of the Event(s), the condition and layout of the premises and equipment, or the negligence of others, including those persons responsible for conducting the Event(s).

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE ASSUMPTION OF RISK ACKNOWLEDGEMENT,
UNDERSTAND WHAT I HAVE READ, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARILY.

Signature of Minor Participant

Date Signed

Printed name of Minor Participant

Date of Birth

Parent or Guardian Signature

Printed Name

**MINOR RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT
(READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING)**

All Midwestern Council Sanctioned events

EVENT

EVENT DATES

IN CONSIDERATION of allowing the below MINOR participant to compete, observe, or participate in any way in the above event and/or activities ("Event(s)") and/or being permitted to enter for any purpose any RESTRICTED AREA (defined as any area requiring special authorization, credentials or permission to enter or any area to which admission by the general public is restricted or prohibited, including but not limited to the competition area and any hot pit or paddock area), EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED, for himself/herself, his/her personal representatives, heirs and next of kin agrees:

1. THE MINOR AND PARENT OR GUARDIAN will immediately inspect the RESTRICTED AREA upon entering it and warrants that their entry therein and/or the MINOR's Event participation constitutes an acknowledgment that they have inspected the RESTRICTED AREA and find it safe and reasonably suited for the purpose of its use. The undersigned agree that if at any time in the RESTRICTED AREA they believe something is unsafe, it will be brought to the attention of an official, and they will remove themselves from the RESTRICTED AREA and the MINOR will withdraw from participation in the Event.
2. THE MINOR AND PARENT OR GUARDIAN HEREBY ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE due to negligence of Releasees (as identified below) or otherwise, while in or upon the RESTRICTED AREA for any purpose including competing, officiating, observing, working or participating in the Event. The undersigned recognize and understand that there are risks and dangers associated with participation in the Event and admission within the RESTRICTED AREA that could cause severe bodily injury, disability and death. Further, the risks and dangers may be caused by the negligent failure to act of the Releasees and others. All of the risks and dangers associated with participating in the Event and entry into the RESTRICTED AREA are assumed notwithstanding.
3. THE MINOR AND PARENT OR GUARDIAN release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the promoters, participants, associations, sanctioning organizations, (or any affiliates thereof), track operators, track owner, officials, car owners, drivers, pit crews, all persons in the RESTRICTED AREA, sponsors, advertisers, owners, lessees and lessors of the premises, used to conduct the Event and their officers, agents, and employees (all for the purpose herein referred to as ("Releasees")), from all liability to ourselves, the undersigneds, our personal representatives, assigns, executors, heirs, and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses or damages of the MINOR and/or parent or guardian on account of any injury, including, but not limited to the death or injury of the parent/guardian or MINOR or damage to property, all of which is caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise.
4. THE PARENT AND/OR GUARDIAN hereby agrees to indemnify and save and hold harmless, the Releasees and each of them from any loss, liability, damage or cost that may occur due in any manner or degree to the presence of the parent/guardian or the MINOR in the restricted area, or in any way while participating in the Event and whether caused by negligence of the Releasees or otherwise. The parent and/or guardian further recognize and agree they are executing this Waiver and Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement on behalf of themselves and on behalf of the MINOR.
5. HEREBY agrees that this Release and Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement extends to all acts of negligence by the Releasees, INCLUDING NEGLIGENT RESCUE OPERATIONS and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the Province or State in which the Event(s) is/are conducted and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

THE PARENT OR GUARDIAN HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THE WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT AND DOES SO VOLUNTARILY AND WITH THE UNDERSTANDING THAT SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS ARE BEING GIVEN UP. I/WE FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGE THAT FAILURE TO WITNESS OR NOTARIZE THIS AGREEMENT SHALL NOT AFFECT ITS VALIDITY.

1. I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE _____ Father / Mother / Guardian
Parent or Guardian (Signature) _____ (Circle One) _____ Date

2. _____ I represent that I have sole legal custody or am the sole parent / guardian
Initial

3. I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE _____ Father / Mother / Guardian
Parent or Guardian (Signature) _____ (Circle One) _____ Date

Printed name of MINOR participant: _____ D.O.B. _____

Printed name of Parent or Guardian: 1. _____

Printed name of Parent or Guardian: 2. _____

Printed name of witness (club official)

Signature of witness

Date

