

World Series of Birding "HOLD HARMLESS" Agreement



Covenant not to sue or make claim, indemnification contract, and release from liability

This form must be completed by all individuals participating, driving, or accompanying a World Series team.

IMPORTANT — Team Name: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Zip: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone (daytime with area code): _____

Cell Phone (with area code): _____

I hereby enter into this contract with the New Jersey Audubon Society.

I agree to participate in the WORLD SERIES OF BIRDING on _____.

In consideration for participating in this event, I agree to pay the established entry fee and abide by the following terms.

First, I realize that competition birding involves some risk of harm due to, among other factors, local hazards and inattention to driving and personal safety. Accordingly, I covenant not to sue or make claim against the New Jersey Audubon Society and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, and sponsors, for my death, personal injury, physical or mental disability, loss of income, or any other loss or damage whatsoever.

Second, I also agree to hold harmless, defend, and indemnify New Jersey Audubon Society and its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, and sponsors, for any trespass to property, damage to realty or personal, wrongful death or personal injury to anyone, or any other loss or damage whatsoever caused by me or my activities in connection to participating in the World Series of Birding.

Third, I agree to abide by the published rules of the competition.

Fourth, I agree that the decision of the judges in all rulings is final. I covenant not to sue or make claim against New Jersey Audubon Society, its officers, employees, agents, or volunteers for any ruling decision, or comment of the judges of the competition, or for any causes of action whatsoever, including libel, slander, defamation of character, tort of outrage, invasion of privacy, fraud, or deceptive trade practice.

Signature of Participant

Date

If participant is under 18 years, Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

INSTRUCTIONS: This form must be completed and signed by all participants, including drivers and passengers, and be **on file with event officials 48-hours in advance of the event**. Failure to comply will result in automatic disqualification. Form does not need to accompany registration. Return completed form to: World Series of Birding, 701 East Lake Drive, P.O. Box 3, Cape May Point, NJ 08212-0003 USA (or fax to: 609-884-6052).

Retain a copy for your files.