

Carnivore Preservation Trust
Volunteer And Animal Contact Release (MINOR CHILD)

This Release is signed on _____, _____ on behalf of the minor child (CHILD's NAME _____), by (PARENT's NAME _____), parent or legal guardian of said minor child, (herein referred to as the "Releasor") to the CARNIVORE PRESERVATION, INC. d/b/a CARNIVORE PRESERVATION TRUST (herein "CPT").

I, Releasor, being of lawful age, and in consideration of my minor child being permitted to participate in volunteer work for CPT, do for myself, my spouse, children, legal representatives, heirs, and assigns, hereby release, waive and discharge CPT and all of its owners, officers, directors, members, employees, volunteers, and sponsors and each of them and all of their heirs, assigns, officers, and employees, (herein collectively referred to as "Releasee"), from all liability to me as Releasor, my spouse, children including my minor child, legal representatives, heirs, and assigns of and from any and every claim, demand, action or right of action, of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, arising from or by reason of any bodily injury or personal injuries, known or unknown, death or property damage now or hereafter resulting from any event which may occur as a result of my presence on the grounds of CPT and/or my participation in volunteer work for the CPT, or any activities in connection with my presence on the grounds of CPT or resulting from said volunteer work for CPT, whether due to negligence or otherwise.

I further release CPT and all of Releasee's officials and personnel from any claim whatsoever on account of any first aid treatment or service rendered to my minor child during my activities as a volunteer or on any visit to the premises of Releasee.

As further consideration, I do hereby acknowledge, accept, and agree as follows:

1. That I and my minor child have been advised that the animals contained on the premises of CPT are wild and may be dangerous, and that contact with these animals, including but not limited to tigers, jaguars, leopards, and cougars, may result in serious bodily injury or death.
2. That my minor child must not touch any animal, enter any animal cage or compound, or place any part of my body, clothing or personal property in or near any cage or compound without express authorization to do so.
3. That my minor child is not required to be in contact with the animals of CPT and any animal contact that he/she may have is purely voluntary and undertaken at my own request and risk.
4. That my minor child must undertake and complete a course of training in dealing with unrestrained members of the various species of animals that he/she may have contact with and that he/she must then be certified as to knowledge and proficiency prior to animal contact.
5. That the premises of the CPT are uneven, and that there are holes, trenches, building materials and other physical hazards, and that my minor child must exercise caution to avoid injury.
6. That my minor child may be working with or in the vicinity of heavy equipment such as tractors, bulldozers, and backhoes, and/or with potentially dangerous hand tools, and that it is my responsibility to seek and acquire appropriate instruction for the operation of such tools, to exercise good judgment and appropriate safety procedures for my own safety and that of my co-workers, and to avoid the use of tools and equipment for which my minor child lacks an appropriate degree of skill and training.
7. That I understand that protective gloves provided to my minor child by CPT may contain latex, that there may be risks involved in using this product, and that I assume full responsibility for any adverse reaction to this product.
8. That it is my minor child's responsibility to know and abide by any and all rules and regulations of the CARNIVORE PRESERVATION TRUST including verbal instruction and directives that may be issued from time to time by CPT personnel.
9. That I or my minor child may never take or accompany persons into the compound or any animal cage or enclosure without prior express permission from an authorized person.
10. That I and my minor child have been duly advised of the hazards and potential dangers that may result from his/her participation in volunteer activities at CPT, including but not limited to the above, and that it is my minor child's responsibility to exercise good judgment to insure his/her own safety and to refuse to perform any task that he/she does not feel competent and qualified to perform safely.

This release and any action arising therefrom will be construed under the laws of the State of North Carolina. In the event any portion of this agreement be held invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the balance shall remain in full legal force and effect.

I, Releasor, further state that I have carefully read the foregoing release, know and understand the content thereof and sign this release as my own free act.

In witness whereof, Releasor has executed this release at Chatham County, North Carolina the day and year first above written.

_____(Releasor's Signature)

Street Address _____

City _____ ST: _____ Zip _____ County _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION:	
Name: _____	
Phone: _____	Relation: _____