

Bristol Avon Rivers Trust participant waiver and release of liability form

Please read this document completely before signing. The effect of this document is to release Bristol Avon Rivers Trust (BART) from any liability resulting from your participation in the activities described below, and to waive any and all claims for damages against BART which may arise from such activities.

Activity: RiverBlitz Citizen Science Event

I, exercising my own free choice to participate voluntarily in the activities described above (the “Activities”), fully understand and appreciate the dangers, hazards, and risks inherent in the Activities and in the transportation to and from the Activities. I understand that the dangers and risks of participating in these Activities may result in personal injury.

In consideration for being permitted to participate in the Activities, I, in full recognition of and appreciation of the dangers and hazards in the Activities to which I may be exposed during my participation, agree to the commitments described below.

I understand that participating in the Activities is an acceptance of the hazards and risks that may be associated with my participation in the Activities, including the risks of injury to person or property or both, which may occur from known or unknown causes. I understand, accept and assume all such hazards and risks. The Project involves minor inherent and other risks when collecting samples. Those risks include (but are not limited to) those associated with being in the outdoors and near water bodies such as encounters with wildlife, harmful plants, inclement weather and challenging terrain. By agreeing to the terms of this agreement, I understand that such risks can, in extreme and unlikely circumstances, cause or lead to death, injury, illness, or disability, and agree to assume all the risks of the Activities whether mentioned above or not. When working without BART supervision, I must be the person to determine whether activities and actions are reasonable and appropriate. I am responsible for making decisions about your safety and whether the conditions for the activity are safe.

I agree, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, personal representatives and assigns, to defend and hold harmless, indemnify and release, and forever discharge Bristol Avon Rivers Trust and all of its employees, trustees, representatives and insurers (the “Released Persons and Entities”) from and against any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action, on account of injury, death or damage, whether to myself or to any other individual, and for damage and/or loss of property, which may result from or is related to my participation in the Activities.

I also further release the Released Persons and Entities from any claims relating in any way to any first aid, treatment or services rendered as a result of my participation in the Activities. I understand that I will be solely responsible for any loss, liability, damage or costs which I sustain or cause, whether in whole or in part, while participating in the Activities.



By ticking the box on the Registration Form I agree to the following statement:

I affirm that I have had sufficient time to review and understand the provisions in this document, that I have read and full understand this document and that I am freely signing this document. After careful deliberation, I voluntarily give my consent and agree to this Participant Waiver and Release of Liability Form.