\*Before signing, you are acknowledging you have reviewed our new policies and procedures regarding how our gym is handling the COVID-19/Coronavirus pandemic. By signing this document, you are agreeing you have read and agree to abide by our new policies and procedures. (POLICIES ATTACHED HERETO)\*

**PANDEMIC WAIVER**
New River Gymnastics Academy L.P DBA Gymnastics World is committed to minimizing the exposure to, spread and/or transmission of COVID-19 at our facility through the exercise of daily cleaning of the facility and social distancing of coaches and participants. However, due to the recent worldwide spread of COVID-19 and our inability to limit or control the action of others, including program participants, we are unable to guarantee that you or your child will not contract COVID-19 while in our facility.

**ASSUMPTION OF RISK / WAIVER OF LIABILITY / INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**
In consideration of being allowed to participate in programs and camps offered by New River Gymnastics Academy, and related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

**1.** Participation in class, camp, and/or any other activity at our facility includes the possible exposure to and illness caused by infectious diseases, including but not limited to MRSA, influenza, COVID-19 and/or any other illness contracted through close proximity/contact with others and contact with contaminated surfaces. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist;

**2.** I fully understand that New River Gymnastics Academy can in no way control, limit, restrict, or otherwise influence the actions of other participants, nor can New River Gymnastics Academy require testing and/or medical documentation as it relates to health and wellness of participants; and
**3.** I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, arising from close proximity contact with other participants and equipment they have come into contact with, and acknowledge I understand the risk of contamination and contraction of illness from other participants and coaches, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
**4.** I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation as it regards protection against and spread of infectious diseases, including but not limited to:

**WITHHOLDING OF ATTENDANCE if the participant or a household member of the participant knowingly has been diagnosed, in contact, symptomatic, quarantined, and/or is awaiting test results for any infectious disease in the past 14 days**. **THIS SHALL INCLUDE non-diagnosed symptoms in the event a participant is ill.**

If, however, I observe and any unusual or significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
**5.** I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS, New River Gymnastics Academy, their officers, officials, agents, and/or employees, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct any activity related to participation at New River Gymnastics Academy, with respect to any and all illness, disability, and/or loss or damage to person or property, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, AND ALL POLICIES SET BY NEW RIVER GYMNASTICS ACADEMY. I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS AND CONIDITIONS, I UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING THIS WAIVER, THAT THIS WAIVER IS MADE WITH ADEQUEATE CONSIDERATION, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT AND/OR COERCION, AND THAT MY PARTICIPATION AT NEW RIVER GYMNASTICS IS A VOLUNTARY ACT WHICH INCLUDES THE RISK OF INJURY.

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Printed Name of Parent/ Guardian

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Signature of Parent/ Guardian/ Participant (if over 18) Date Signed

NRGA is subject to and required to enforce any and all mandates issued by the State of North Carolina. As such, policies adopted by NRGA may from time to time require update and amendment based up executive orders issued by the State of North Carolina and it's response to COVID-19. NRGA is dedicated to preventing and reducing the spread of COVID-19, however State mandated policies have been proven to be imperfect. By signing this document, you voluntarily and knowingly acknowledge that NRGA's policies may be subject to change in the future. NRGA will notify participants as early as possible of changes that may occur to the current policy. Participants hereby agree to abide by current and potential future changes to NRGA's policies in order to participate in NRGA activities.

**New River Gymnastics Academy Current Covid-19 Procedures**

**1. Temperature Checks**

1. Everyone entering the gym will have their temperature checked at the door.
2. No one will be admitted with a temperature of 100.4 or above.

**2. Masks**

1. Participants 5 years or older are required to properly wear a mask at all times in our facility. Exceptions apply only to gymnasts performing routines.
2. Parents/guardians must properly wear masks at all times in our facility. There are no exceptions.

**3. Arrival/Departure**

1. To avoid congestion at the doors, Crawfish, Tadpole, and Tiny Tumblers will enter through the Pre-K room door (far right side of building).
2. Guppies, Piranhas, Tumblers, Preteam, and Team will enter through the main door (middle of building).
3. Parents and gymnasts should wait in their car or outside until approximately 5 minutes before the scheduled start time of the class.
4. Everyone will wear their masks upon entering the gym with the exception of Crawfish age students.
5. If parents choose to enter the gym at all, they MUST enter at the beginning of class with their gymnast or at the exact end time of the class. Please refrain from entering mid class as a coach will be required to stop their class to conduct a temperature check.
6. Prompt drop off and pick up is crucial for us to be able to adhere to our temperature check policies and cleaning schedule.
7. Gymnasts will sanitize their hands upon entry to the main floor.
8. For contactless payment, please drop tuition off in our locked black mailbox outside the main door or mail in payment. We will still have our tuition boxes inside if you choose to come inside.
9. The observation area has limited seating. Please give priority to those with students under 6 or who need a parent present for class.
10. Students should bring with them a small bag to carry their clothes, shoes, and water bottle in. The water fountain will be out of use for standard drinking but can be used for refilling water bottles. The cubbies and water bottle shelf also will be out of use. Please label everything.

**4. General**

1. Do not come to class if your gymnast, anyone in the household, or anyone you have been in direct contact with has experienced any Covid-19-like symptoms in the past two weeks. Please do not come to class if your gymnast, anyone in the household, or anyone you have been in contact with is awaiting Covid-19 test results or has received a positive Covid-19 test within the last two weeks.

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