



# USA WATER SKI

## Event Membership Application

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For Office Use Only

1251 Holy Cow Road, Polk City, Florida 33868-8200  
(863) 324-4341 Fax: (863) 325-8259 Email: memberservices@usawaterski.org

**IMPORTANT** - PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY all requested information. Refer to the back of this page for further details on membership types and insurance coverage. Items noted in red are mandatory. If you are signing up for membership at a USA Water Ski-sanctioned event, please be sure to complete the event information section so that we may backdate your membership to the beginning of the sanctioned event rather than the date your application is received.

### EVENT INFORMATION

Event Date(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Sanction #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Event Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Event City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Membership #: \_\_\_\_\_ (renewing members only)  
Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Birth Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female  
E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sport Discipline: 1st Choice (mandatory) \_\_\_\_\_ 2nd Choice \_\_\_\_\_  
(see list of sport discipline codes below)  
\*Foreign Federation: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Federation ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Club/School: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip+4: \_\_\_\_\_  
Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ home ☐ work ☐ mobile

#### SPORT DISCIPLINES

Your selection of a sport discipline preference directly affects each sport discipline's representation on the USA Water Ski board of directors.

AWS - Slalom/Tricks/Jumping WSD - Disabled NSS - Show Ski  
ABC - Barefoot USH - Hydrofoil NWR - Ski Race  
NCW - Collegiate Slalom/Tricks/ AKA - Kneeboard USW - Wakeboard/Collegiate  
Jumping Wakeboard

### MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

**INSTRUCTIONS:** All participants paying for membership at a sanctioned event must register with the Event Registrar, provide all membership information, pay the member fee and sign both an Annual and Event Waiver and Release of Liability form (Guest members need only sign the Event Waiver). The Event Registrar must complete a temporary membership receipt noting the event sanction number, date and amount paid and, if applicable, the event number. It is the member's responsibility to retain this receipt and present it at each subsequent event in which he participates as proof of membership.

Completed membership forms, monies and Annual Waivers must be returned to USA Water Ski within ten (10) days after the event. The Event Organizer retains all Event Waivers.

**\*FOREIGN FEDERATION AND ID NUMBER:** If you are a member of a foreign federation, please provide your home federation and skier license number. This information is required for members competing in USA Water Ski-sanctioned 3-event tournaments who wish to have their performances therein passed to IWWF for inclusion on the IWWF ranking lists. If you do not know your number, go to:

[www.iwstournament.com/homologation/showskiers.ph](http://www.iwstournament.com/homologation/showskiers.ph)

**ACTIVE MEMBERSHIPS:** The Active membership types listed below MAY participate in USA Water Ski-sanctioned events.

#### Active (25 and Older)

☐ One Year ..... \$ 80  
☐ Two Years (Save \$10) ..... \$150  
☐ Three Years (Save \$24) ..... \$216  
☐ Five Years (Save \$50) ..... \$350

☐ Under 25 Active ..... \$ 50

☐ GrassRoots Active (GrassRoots events only) ..... \$ 35

☐ Temporary Guest (see restrictions below) ..... \$ 7

Available at appropriately sanctioned Club Practices/ Exhibitions and Basic Skills Clinics only. **May not be used for participation in tournaments.**

Circle Event #: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

MEMBERSHIP FEE FROM ABOVE: \$

☐ Preserve our Sport's History, Support our Athletes and Celebrate our Heroes! Join the USA Water Ski Foundation (USA-WSF) .... \$25: \$

TOTAL AMOUNT DUE FROM ABOVE: \$

### PAYMENT INFORMATION:

☐ **YES**, my signed ANNUAL Waiver Agreement (EVENT Waiver Agreement for Guest members) is attached. Active memberships will not be considered active unless the applicable signed Waiver and Release of Liability form is received with membership. **WAIVERS MAY NOT BE FAXED TO USA WATER SKI.**

☐ Check/MO (made payable to USA Water Ski) ☐ Credit Card Cardholder's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CV# \_\_\_\_\_ (last 3 digits on back of card)

CC Billing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for your Membership!**

MEMBERSHIPS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

# USA WATER SKI

## MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

USA WATER SKI HEADQUARTERS  
1251 HOLY COW ROAD  
POLK CITY, FL 33868  
(800)533-2972



\*\*All memberships expire 12 months from purchase date.

## CHOOSE A MEMBERSHIP THAT'S RIGHT FOR YOU!

### ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

- Connect with our members, clubs, manufacturers, coaches and events
- Receive an annual subscription to *The Water Skier* magazine
- Receive the Regional Tournament Guide  
(for all members indicating AWSA, NCWSA or WSDA; otherwise available by request)
- Access coupons and discounts on gear, travel, apparel & more.
- Receive eNewsletters to stay up to date on the latest events, news & more.

Active Members are eligible to participate in a variety of USA Water Ski-sanctioned events based on membership type.

*Choose a membership below that's best for you!*

Active members are eligible to receive secondary medical expense coverage of up to \$10,000 (subject to a \$1,000 deductible) for accidental injuries sustained during participation in USA Water Ski-sanctioned events.

### WANT TO JOIN THE COMMUNITY?

#### SOCIAL/SUPPORTING MEMBER

\$35

- Connect with our members, clubs, manufacturers, coaches and events
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- \*May not participate in sanctioned events.*

#### USA-WS FOUNDATION MEMBER

\$25

- Supports Water Ski Hall of Fame
- Provides College Scholarships
- Supports U.S. Teams
- Provides Athlete and Equipment Grants
- Promotes the growth of our sport
- Preserves the history of all towed water sports
- Provides educational and outreach programs

### ACTIVE MEMBERSHIPS

#### UNDER25 ACTIVE

\$50

- Participate in any USA Water Ski-sanctioned event

#### 25&UP ACTIVE

\$80

- Participate in any USA Water Ski-sanctioned event

#### FAMILY ACTIVE

\$175

- Up to 6 family members residing at the same address; children 17 and under
- Participate in any USA Water Ski-sanctioned event

#### GRASSROOTS ACTIVE

\$35

- Participate in only GrassRoots events, Basic Skills Clinics, and club practices/exhibitions
- May not go over the jump

For more details regarding the insurance provided by USA Water Ski in connection with sanctioned events, please refer to the USA Water Ski Insurance Fact Summary, which is available on the home page of our Web site under the Insurance Resources section.

### INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!

\$7

#### DAY MEMBERSHIP

Eligible to participate in Basic Skills Clinics, Practices & Exhibitions.  
May not go over the jump.

Join/Renew online at [www.usawaterski.org](http://www.usawaterski.org)  
[memberservices@usawaterski.org](mailto:memberservices@usawaterski.org)

## JOIN TODAY!



**PARTICIPANT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY,  
ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**  
**ANNUAL Membership Waiver Form for ADULTS (Age 18 or older)**  
*(Minor Waiver on Reverse Side)*

For and in consideration of USA Water Ski, Inc. ("**USA Water Ski**") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any USA Water Ski sanctioned event, including, but not limited to, any tournaments, clinics, shows, exhibitions, races, competitions, practices and related activities sanctioned by USA Water Ski (**the "Event" or "Events"**); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, guardians, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement (**the "Agreement"**);

1. I hereby represent that (i) I am at least eighteen (18) years of age or older; (ii) I am in good health and in proper physical condition to participate in the Event; and (iii) I am not under the influence of alcohol or any illicit or prescription drugs which would in any way impair my ability to safely participate in the Event. I agree that it is my sole responsibility to determine whether I am sufficiently fit and healthy enough to participate in the Event, that I am responsible for my own safety and well being at all times and under all circumstances while at the Event site.
2. I understand and acknowledge the risks and dangers associated with participation in the sport of water skiing and related water sport disciplines, including without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury, sickness and disease, permanent disability, paralysis and loss of life; loss of or damage to equipment/property; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; contact with other participants, spectators, boats, animals or other natural or manmade objects; dangers arising from adverse weather conditions; imperfect ski course conditions; water and surface hazards; equipment failure; inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the Event Organizers; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("**Risks**"). I understand that these Risks may be caused in whole or in part by my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Event, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby expressly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses or expenses which I incur as a result of my participation in any Event.
3. I agree to be familiar with and to abide by the Rules and Regulations established for the Event, including but not limited to the Competitive Rules adopted by USA Water Ski and any safety regulations established for the benefit of all participants. I accept sole responsibility for my own conduct and actions while participating in the Event, and the condition and adequacy of my equipment. I understand that the Event Organizers have the right to control or prohibit advertising material used, worn, or displayed by a participant at the site during the Event, and that they have also reserved the right to disqualify anyone or deny participation in the Event for any reason they deem just and proper in their sole discretion.
4. I hereby Release, Waive and Covenant Not to Sue, and further agree to Indemnify, Defend and Hold Harmless the following parties: USA Water Ski, Inc., its members, clubs, associations, sport disciplines and divisions, including but not limited to American Water Ski Educational Foundation (AWSEF), American Water Ski Association (AWSA), American Barefoot Club (ABC), American Kneeboard Association (AKA), National Collegiate Water Ski Association (NCWSA), National Show Ski Association (NSSA), National Water Ski Racing Association (NWSRA), United States Hydrofoil Association (USHA), USA Wakeboard (USW) and Water Skiers with Disabilities Association (WSDA); International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation (IWWF); United States Olympic Committee (USOC); the Event Organizers and Promoters, Sponsors, Advertisers, Coaches and Officials; Lake, Venue and Property Owners or Operators upon which the Event takes place; Boat Owners and Operators; Law Enforcement Agencies and other Public Entities providing support for the Event; and each of their respective parent, subsidiary and affiliated companies, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, members, agents, employees and volunteers (**Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorneys fees) of any kind or nature ("**Liability**") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the Event, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties. I further agree that if, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities which any may be incurred as the result of such claim.

I hereby warrant that I am of legal age and competent to enter into this Agreement, that I have read this Agreement carefully, understand its terms and conditions, acknowledge that I will be giving up substantial legal rights by signing it (including the rights of my spouse, children, guardians, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors and assigns), acknowledge that I have signed this Agreement without any inducement, assurance or guarantee, and intend for my signature to serve as confirmation of my complete and unconditional acceptance of the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement. This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female  
Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Tel.: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

Revised 10/28/2009



**PARTICIPANT WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY,  
ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT**  
**ANNUAL Membership Waiver Form for MINORS (Under Age 18)**  
*(Adult Waiver on Reverse Side)*

For and in consideration of USA Water Ski, Inc. ("**USA Water Ski**") allowing the minor(s) identified below (**individually and collectively, "Minor"**) to participate in any USA Water Ski sanctioned event, including, but not limited to, any tournaments, clinics, shows, exhibitions, races, competitions, practices and related activities sanctioned by USA Water Ski (**the "Event" or "Events"**); I, for myself, and on behalf of Minor, and the Minor's parents/legal guardians, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement (**the "Agreement"**);

1. I hereby represent that (i) I am the parent or legal guardian of the Minor; (ii) the Minor is in good health and in proper physical condition to participate in the Event; and (iii) the Minor is not under the influence of alcohol or any illicit or prescription drugs which would in any way impair the Minor's ability to safely participate in the Event, and that I am responsible for the Minor's safety and well being at all times and under all circumstances while at the Event.
2. I understand and acknowledge the risks and dangers associated with the Minor's participation in the sport of water skiing and related water sport disciplines, including without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury, sickness and disease, permanent disability, paralysis and loss of life; loss of or damage to equipment/property; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; contact with other participants, spectators, boats, animals or other natural or manmade objects; dangers arising from adverse weather conditions; imperfect ski course conditions; water and surface hazards; equipment failure; inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the Event Organizers; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("**Risks**"). I understand that these Risks may be caused in whole or in part by the Minor's own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Event, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and on behalf of the Minor, I hereby expressly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses or expenses which I incur as a result of the Minor's participation in any Event.
3. I understand that the Minor is required to be familiar with and to abide by the Rules and Regulations established for the Event, including but not limited to the Competitive Rules adopted by USA Water Ski and any safety regulations established for the benefit of all participants. I accept sole responsibility for the conduct and actions of the Minor while he or she is participating in the Event, and the condition and adequacy of the Minor's equipment. I understand that the Event Organizers have the right to control or prohibit advertising material used, worn, or displayed by a participant at the site during the Event, and that they have also reserved the right to disqualify anyone or deny participation in the Event for any reason they deem just and proper in their sole discretion.
4. On behalf of the Minor, I hereby Release, Waive and Covenant Not to Sue, and further agree to Indemnify, Defend and Hold Harmless the following parties: USA Water Ski, Inc., its members, clubs, associations, sport disciplines and divisions, including but not limited to American Water Ski Educational Foundation (AWSEF), American Water Ski Association (AWSA), American Barefoot Club (ABC), American Kneeboard Association (AKA), National Collegiate Water Ski Association (NCWSA), National Show Ski Association (NSSA), National Water Ski Racing Association (NWSRA), United States Hydrofoil Association (USHA), USA Wakeboard (USW) and Water Skiers with Disabilities Association (WSDA); International Waterski & Wakeboard Federation (IWWF); United States Olympic Committee (USOC); the Event Organizers and Promoters, Sponsors, Advertisers, Coaches and Officials; Lake, Venue and Property Owners or Operators upon which the Event takes place; Boat Owners and Operators; Law Enforcement Agencies and other Public Entities providing support for the Event; and each of their respective parent, subsidiary and affiliated companies, officers, directors, partners, shareholders, members, agents, employees and volunteers (**Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorneys fees) of any kind or nature ("**Liability**") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to the Minor's participation in the Event, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties. I further agree that if, despite this Agreement, the Minor, or anyone on the Minor's behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities which any may be incurred as the result of such claim.

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MINOR #2: Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

MINOR #3: Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

X \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian for Minor(s)

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

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Event Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Sanction #: \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Tel.: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

X \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
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I hereby warrant that I am of legal age and authorized to enter into this Agreement on behalf of the Minor, that I have read this Agreement carefully, understand its terms and conditions, acknowledge that I will be giving up substantial legal rights by signing it (including the rights of the Minor, the Minor's parents/legal guardians, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors and assigns), acknowledge that I have signed this Agreement without any inducement, assurance or guarantee, and intend for my signature to serve as confirmation of my complete and unconditional acceptance of the terms, conditions and provisions of this Agreement. This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

MINOR #1: Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

MINOR #2: Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female

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Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian for Minor(s)

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Date Signed

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