

Risk Disclosure & Acknowledgement

Sea kayaking is an adventure activity and carries inherent risks, including physical exertion, exposure to weather and sea conditions, capsizing, seasickness, encounters with marine wildlife, injury, illness, property damage, or in rare cases, serious injury or death.

Natural Hazard Risks

I acknowledge that the trip takes place in a dynamic natural environment where hazards may include changing weather, wind, swell, tides, currents, coastal cliffs, rockfall, submerged hazards and other water users. These natural hazards are inherent and cannot be fully controlled, even when all reasonable care is taken.

We take all practicable steps to manage these risks. Participants will receive a safety briefing and instructions on the day of the trip and must follow all guide directions and use the safety equipment provided at all times.

By signing this form, I acknowledge that I understand and accept these risks. I agree to follow all instructions, safety briefings, and use of safety equipment, and accept responsibility for my own actions. I understand that Cathedral Cove Kayaks is not liable for loss, injury or damage that could not have been avoided through reasonable care, subject to my rights under New Zealand law including ACC coverage and the Consumer Guarantees Act 1993.

Photo/Video Consent

I consent to my photos being taken by Cathedral Cove Kayaks guides during the trip and being made publicly available. I will notify Cathedral Cove Kayaks in a timely manner if I do not want my photos to be used.

Parental/Guardian Responsibility (for participants under 17years old)

If I am responsible for a participant under 17years old, I will ensure they follow all guide instructions at all times. I accept responsibility for their actions and release Cathedral Cove Kayaks and its staff from any liability arising from failure to follow instructions. Cathedral Cove Kayaks reserves the right to withdraw any underage participant who may endanger themselves or others.

Participant Information Declaration

I confirm that the information I will provide is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I will disclose to the guide, any information that may affect my safety or ability to take part in the trip.

PARTICIPANT TO COMPLETE

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Emergency Contacts Name and Phone Number: _____

Are you a capable swimmer? (for example can you swim 25metres unaided)

Yes No

Do you have any injuries or ailments that could affect your ability to participate in this physical activity?

No
 Yes – please provide details in the box at the bottom

Are you Asthmatic, Epileptic, Diabetic or do you suffer from any Severe allergic reactions?

No
 Yes – please provide details in the box at the bottom

**Do you have any other medical condition that may require attention during the activity?
(including issues with sight/ hearing)**

No
 Yes – please provide details in the box at the bottom

If you are required to carry medicine for a medical condition, please confirm you will have it with you during the Kayak Tour?

Not applicable
 Yes – I have it with me

Please add additional medical information here (Otherwise leave this box empty):

I acknowledge that I have read and understood this waiver and that the information I have provided is true and correct – Please sign

Signature: _____