

# Risk disclosure form

Please agree to the following terms and conditions

I acknowledge and understand that River Rafting is an adventure activity with a degree of risk which increases with the grade of rapids. Rafts can capsize, I may fall out of the raft in fast flowing & violent water, and I may be injured. **PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT KAITUNA CASCADES CANNOT GUARANTEE YOUR SAFETY.**

I hereby waiver any legal rights to take action against Kaituna Cascades and its staff for any injury and or personal property damage that I may sustain whilst participating in Kaituna Cascades activities.

You are required to inform us of any relevant medical conditions or previous injuries that could affect your participation , (eg - Asthma, Diabetes, Epilepsy, Bad back, History of dislocated shouders) PLEASE NOTE - Any passenger wishing to decline may do so: you may exit the raft trip at any stage as long as it's safe and practicable to do so.

I am of the appropriate age for river being rafted, if unsure please ask staff.

I understand and give permission that photographs taken of my participation in the rafting can be used in Kaituna Cascades advertising.

## River Grading Explanations

**Grade 5** - Kaituna and Wairoa rivers - very powerful rapids with very confused and broken water, large drops, violent and fast currents - a definite risk to personal safety exists.

**Grade 4** - Rangitaiki river - difficult rapids with high, powerful, irregular waves, broken water, strong stoppers, ledges and drops, precise maneuvers required.

**Grade 3** - Rapids with fairly high waves, broken waters, stoppers, strong currents and small drops.

**Grade 2** - Aniwhenua section of the Rangitaiki river - regular medium sized waves, low ledges or easy drops, easy currents with gradual bends.