

## RELEASE FORM FOR ENTRANCE ONTO THE BALLONA WETLANDS

Your School or Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

You have requested permission to enter property (“Property”) owned and/or maintained by the State of California, Friends of Ballona Wetlands, and their officers, directors, employees, agents, members, shareholders, contractors, subcontractors and consultants (“Released Parties”) for the purpose of participating in a tour, volunteer activity, or otherwise visiting all or part of the salt marsh and dunes area generally known as the Ballona Wetlands (the “Property”). In consideration of the Released Parties’ agreement to permit the foregoing activity on the Property, by signing this agreement you confirm each of the following conditions:

1. You acknowledge that you are aware that the Property may include areas that are slippery or have uneven surfaces. You agree to take all necessary precautions while on or about the Property to avoid injury to yourself or others. You acknowledge that you are physically able to undertake the activities contemplated on the Property.
2. You hereby release the Released Parties from any and all liability, claims, causes of action, damage, loss, casualty, expense, or similar items you may suffer or incur while on the Property. By signing this letter you hereby exempt and release all “Released Parties” from all liability or responsibility whatsoever for personal injury, property damage, or wrongful death, however caused, including negligence of the released parties, whether passive or active.
3. You hereby agree to indemnify and hold the Released Parties harmless in all respects from any and all claims, causes of action, judgments, costs, expenses, attorney’s fees, and liabilities, whatsoever, arising in any way in connection with your entry onto the Property.

Occasionally we include photographs of our programs on our website and newsletter. If you don’t want photos of you or your child included on our website or printed materials, please print your initials here:

**The above is agreed to from this date of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012, through December 31<sup>st</sup> 2012**

**IMPORTANT:** Minors (under age 18) must have a parent or guardian signature. Please print name of child under “participant name”. The parent signs under “signature”.

PARTICIPANT NAME	STREET ADDRESS	EMAIL	SIGNATURE
1.			Please don't send me updates or invitations to Friends of Ballona Wetlands events (check box) <input type="checkbox"/>
2.			Please don't send me updates or invitations to Friends of Ballona Wetlands events (check box) <input type="checkbox"/>
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