



**2022 – 2023**  
**September - August**

# WAIVER AND AGREEMENT

In consideration of being accepted as a participant, including teachers, of the 2021-2022 Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc., I do hereby release the Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc., the Officers of the Organization, Directors and Assistants of the Competition, and any facilities used for Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc. functions from any and all claims for damages or injuries, which the entrant may sustain while participating as a contestant in any activity connected with this competition and or convention. I have also read the Official Rules and Regulations of the Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc., and do hereby agree to comply with said rules and regulations now in effect or as announced thereafter.

I, hereby give my permission as the parent/legal guardian of an entrant to be photographed and or videotaped during the 2021-2022 Conventions, Performing Arts Competitions, Solo Title Competition, and Scholarship Auditions. It is my understanding that these photographs and videotapes will be used solely for Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc., at their discretion and in a manner befitting the high standard of the association. It is further my understanding that these photographs and videotapes may be offered for sale at the discretion of Dance Masters of California Chapter #13, Inc.

*Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19*

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people. Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc. has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, we cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending in person activities at Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc. events could increase your risk and your child(ren)'s risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 by attending in person activities and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc. members, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance at Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc. events ("Claims").

On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc., its members, employees, agents, and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc., its members, employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Dance Masters of California Chapter 13, Inc. program.

<b>Sponsor Teacher</b>		<b>Studio Name</b>	
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Participant Name	Birthdate	Age	Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Signature <i>(Participant, if 18 years old or over)</i>

