



Bristol Raceway Ministries  
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## VOLUNTEER APPLICATION AND RELEASE FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Mobile) (Home / Alternate)

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING:** All volunteers are required to sign this document. Volunteers under the age of 18 (referred to as "minors") must also obtain the signature of a parent or legal guardian. Please note that minors may not be eligible to perform certain volunteer tasks by law. By signing this document, you confirm your willingness to contribute your time and effort as a volunteer with Bristol Raceway Ministries and agree to the terms outlined herein.

You acknowledge and understand that your volunteer activities may involve physical exertion, interaction with unknown or unfamiliar individuals, and potential risks such as bodily injury, property damage, other outcomes resulting from your actions, the actions or negligence of others, environmental conditions, or the state of the equipment used during the event. Additionally, there may be risks that are unforeseen or not reasonably predictable. With this understanding, and in consideration of the opportunity to volunteer with our organization, you agree to the following terms:

1. I will provide my time and best effort as a volunteer. I am physically and mentally able to perform the duties of a volunteer. Should I be requested to perform a function that I am not physically or mentally capable of performing, I will advise the person making the request. Should my physical or mental condition change so that I am unable to perform the duties expected of me as a volunteer, I will immediately advise the Volunteer Coordinator or senior leadership at the event so that a replacement can be found.
2. I understand that I am not an employee of Bristol Raceway Ministries ("BRM"), nor do I personally expect to receive compensation for my services. I acknowledge that I am not covered by workers' compensation insurance while engaged in volunteer activities with BRM.
3. On behalf of myself and anyone who might claim through me, I hereby release, indemnify, and hold harmless Bristol Raceway Ministries, its representatives, and affiliates (collectively the 'Released Parties') from all claims, actions, or damages for death, personal injury, property damage, or related expenses, arising out of my volunteer activities, except for those caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Released Parties. This includes claims related to travel, theft, equipment damage, negligence, medical care, or associated costs.

4. I assume any and all risks for injury to my person or property, or any other consequence arising out of my volunteer service, including travel en route to and from the event or location. I HEREBY WAIVE AND RELEASE MY LEGAL RIGHTS TO SUE FOR ANY INJURY OR OTHER DAMAGE ARISING OUT OF OR RESULTING FROM MY VOLUNTEER SERVICE, except for those caused by the gross negligence or willful misconduct of the Released Parties. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all expenses incurred, Claims made, or liabilities assessed against them, including but not limited to attorney fees and litigation expenses, arising out of or resulting from, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, my breach or failure to abide by this Release Agreement, and my actions or inactions which cause injury, harm or damage to another person.
5. I give permission for photographs and/or videos of me taken during events and volunteer activities to be used by Bristol Raceway Ministries for promotional and training purposes, including but not limited to on the internet, printed materials, and social media platforms. I understand that I will not receive compensation for the use of these materials, and I release Bristol Raceway Ministries from any claims related to their use. I also understand that I may revoke this consent in writing, but that it will not apply to materials already in use or published.
6. In the event I am unable to do so on my own because of an injury or illness, I consent to the administration of first aid and any other medical treatment deemed appropriate in the event of injury or illness and agree to pay the costs of any such treatment.
7. I understand that appropriate behavior is required of all volunteers at all events/locations and at all times. I agree that I will not consume alcohol immediately prior to or during my volunteer activities, nor will I engage in illegal drug use. I will not take any prescription or non-prescription medications that will affect my physical or mental ability to give my full attention and focus to the responsibilities I am assigned. I will not engage in physical or verbal altercations with anyone or permit others in my BRM group to do so either. I recognize that as a volunteer, I am representing BMS, BRM, and Jesus Christ to the guests/fans and that I am to be friendly and courteous to all guests/fans and other event workers. I will not engage in inappropriate, sexually explicit, or derogatory language, nor will I engage in harassing behavior.
8. I acknowledge receipt of a printed or digital copy of the Volunteer Handbook provided by BRM, which sets forth the policies, rules, and regulations applicable to my volunteer role. I further acknowledge and agree that I am responsible for reading, understanding, and adhering to the policies, rules, and regulations contained therein.
9. The parent or legal guardian who signs the Release Agreement on behalf of a minor, incapacitated, and/or mentally challenged person, hereby acknowledges that he/she has the legal capacity and authority to act on behalf of said person to bind legally said person to the Release Agreement, and that said person is no less than 16 years of age. The parent or legal guardian who signs this Release Agreement agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any and all expenses incurred, Claims made, or liabilities assessed against them as a result of any insufficiency of legal capacity or authority to act on behalf of said person in the execution of the Release Agreement.
10. If any provision of this Release Agreement shall 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.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***IF SIGNING ON BEHALF OF A MINOR, INCAPACITATED, AND OR MENTALLY CHALLENGED PERSON, PLEASE IDENTIFY THE PERSON ON WHOSE BEHALF YOU ARE SIGNING AND YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THEM.***

Name of person for whom signing: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to person signing: \_\_\_\_\_