

SCVA Waiver and Release of Liability on Coronavirus/COVID-19

COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is viral disease caused by a novel coronavirus and is reported to be extremely contagious. Evidence has shown that COVID-19 can cause serious and potentially crippling illness and/or death. There is no known cure for COVID-19. The state of medical knowledge is evolving, but the virus is believed to spread from person-to-person contact, by contact with contaminated surfaces and objects, and by inhaling airborne virus particles, including those exhaled by infected persons. People reportedly can be infected, show no symptoms and still spread the disease to others, even if they have been previously vaccinated. Vaccines are available, but are not 100% effective in preventing infection or serious illness. There are a significant number of reported cases of vaccinated individuals contracting or spreading the disease.

Southern California Vocal Association cannot prevent you or your child(ren) from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while utilizing SCVA's services or premises. It is not possible to prevent against the presence of the disease. Therefore, if you choose to participate in SCVA events and services and/or enter various event premises, you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting or spreading COVID-19.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I have read and understand the above warning concerning COVID-19. I hereby choose to accept the risk of contracting COVID-19 for myself and/or my child(ren) by participating in or attending any SCVA event, and/or entering the premises of in SCVA events and enter premises of any event being held under the auspices of SCVA. I accept the risk of being exposed to, contracting, and/or spreading COVID-19 in such participation and .

WAIVER OF LAWSUIT/LIABILITY: I hereby forever release and waive, on by own behalf and behalf of my minor children listed below, my right and/or their right to bring suit against the Southern California Vocal Association and its Board Members, officers, directors, managers, officials, trustees, agents, employees, volunteers, or other representatives in connection with exposure, infection, and/or spread of COVID-19 related to utilizing SCVA's services, events, activities and premises. I understand that this waiver means I give up my right to bring any claims including for personal injuries, death, disease or property losses, or any other loss, including but not limited to claims of negligence and give up any claim I may have to seek damages, whether known or unknown, foreseen, or unforeseen.

CHOICE OF LAW: I understand and agree that the law of the State of California will apply to this contract. I HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL PROVISIONS OF THIS RELEASE, AND FREELY AND KNOWINGLY ASSUME THE RISK AND WAIVE MY RIGHTS CONCERNING LIABILITY AS DESCRIBED ABOVE:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (printed): _____

I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor(s) listed below:

I have the legal right to consent to and, by signing below, I hereby do consent to the terms and conditions of this Waiver and Release for and on behalf of said minor(s).

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (printed): _____