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Louisiana Hiking Club Membership Application and LOUISIANA HIKING ASSOCIATION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND WAIVER

Last Name: _____ MI. ____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ (Optional) Spouse/Other: _____

Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email: _____

Annual **family*** dues are **\$10.00** payable January 1st. to: **Louisiana Hiking Club**
*(Family members living under one roof)

Your Check No _____

Mail to: Troy Crowder LHC Treasurer
44 Yosemite Drive
New Orleans, La. 70131-8620
troycrowder@cox.net

Please read and sign the waiver below:

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Louisiana Hiking Association activity program, and any related events, trips, hikes or activities, the undersigned:

1. Understand that hiking and backpacking are very strenuous physical activities and that the undersigned is in good physical health and condition to participate in the activity they have chosen without illness and has no adverse physical condition which would impair them on that activity.
2. Agree that prior to participating, they each will inspect the facilities and equipment to be used and if they believe anything is unsafe, they will immediately take action to remedy such unsafe condition or refuse to participate in the activity.
3. Acknowledge and fully understand that each participant will be engaging in activities that involve risk of serious injury, including permanent disability and death, and severe social and economic losses which might result not only from their own actions, inaction or negligence, but also the actions, inactions or negligence of others, the rules of play, or the condition of the premises or environment, or of any equipment used. Further, that there may be other risks not known to us or not reasonably foreseeable at this time.
4. Assume all the foregoing risks and accept personal responsibility for the damages following such injury, permanent disability or death.
5. Release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the Louisiana Hiking Association, its officers, administrators, directors, agents, coordinators, or other volunteers of the organization, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers and owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event, all of which are hereinafter referred to as "releasees" from any and all liability to each of the undersigned, his or her heirs and next of kin for any and all claims, demands, losses or damages on account of injury, including death or damage to property, caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the releasees or otherwise.
6. Agree that the clauses of this Waiver are severable and not joint. Should any clause of the Waiver be found null in a court of law, that provision will be considered severed from the Waiver and the remainder of the Waiver shall be considered valid and binding.
7. This release pertains to the undersigned's voluntary participation in a Louisiana Hiking Association event, hike or backpacking trip

To Louisiana Hiking Association

From: ___/___/___ to 12/31/2012

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE, UNDERSTAND THAT THEY HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT VOLUNTARLY

SIGNATURE

PRINT NAME

