

## Waivers and Liability

All participants must sign an AOA approved waiver when signing up for the clubs membership in Alberta or to participate in an AOA sanctioned event.

AOA has 3 different waivers which can be used in orienteering events as applicable:

### 1. General

- AOA Waiver (for adults age 18 and over)- General
- AOA Participation Agreement (for minors under age 18) – General

### 2. Forest event

- AOA Waiver (for adults age 18 and over)- Forest event
- AOA Participation Agreement (for minors under age 18) – Forest event

### 3. Volunteers

- AOA Adult Volunteer Waiver (age 18 and over)
- AOA Youth Volunteer Agreement (for minors under age 18)



AOA Youth Volunteer Agreement -Final.pdf



AOA Waiver adult.pdf



AOA Participation Agreement U18.pdf



AOA Forest Waiver adult.pdf



AOA Forest Participation Agreement



AOA Adult Volunteer Waiver- Final.pdf

Please contact the office <[info@orienteeringalberta.ca](mailto:info@orienteeringalberta.ca)> if you need a template of the AOA waivers.

### Waiver FAQs:

- One waiver per person
- Sign a waiver at least annually
- Must sign a waiver at a major event (even if a waiver was signed when buying membership)
- Waivers can be used online
- Keep waivers for 5 years
- Participation Agreement is required for under 18 years of age, signed by their parent/guardian

### Liability FAQs:

- OC insurance only covers liability in the event of lawsuits
- OC insurance does not cover club equipment
- An event that requires a “named insured” requires a specific “certificate of insurance” that is obtained through OC’s ED. Allow 5 business days to do this.

A summary of OC insurance is here: <http://www.orienteering.ca/pdfs/policy/insurance.pdf>