

# **CONTRACT**

## **Big Sky Summer Adventure 2011**

Application Fee (Non-Refundable)	\$200.00
Pre Enrollment (Starts May 16 <sup>th</sup> )	\$375.00 per day

Any clothing and wilderness gear not provided by the sponsor will be purchased by Explorations and billed to the sponsor including a minimum handling fee of \$100.00 and will increase based on the gear needs of the participant. It is best to bring your own from the list provided.

### **Tuition:**

Tuition includes charges for room, board, group gear and equipment, travel costs, and other program needs and events. Transportation fees may be incurred for special trips such as airport pick-ups, doctor's appointments, etc. Transportation fees are not included in the tuition.

### **Payment Schedule:**

Tuition fees, application fees, and transportation fees are due in full at the time of mutually agreed upon enrollment. Placement is not secured until payment is received in full.

### **Clothing & Wilderness Gear:**

All necessary course clothing, gear, and equipment will be provided by Sponsor. Please contact us for special arrangements.

### **Wilderness and/or Special Intervention:**

A special intervention requiring individualized care away from the 'Summer Wilderness Adventure Course' provided as needed for participants experiencing difficulty assimilating in the regular program. Participants who require this type of intervention generally need 1:1 attention away from distractions as a 'time-out' to re-evaluate their behaviors and decision-making processes. A participant who requires this type of intervention may be demonstrating negative attention-seeking behaviors to the point of disrupting others in the program, may be relying on self-destructive types of behavior, and/or may be endangering self or others. Other conditions may warrant a special intervention. Parent/Guardian(s) will be notified in advance of the need for a wilderness or special intervention. The cost for the special type of intervention is \$450.00 per day.

### **Medical Expenses:**

Medical expenses shall be covered by the Parent/Guardian(s) or insurance. Proof of insurance must be provided prior to enrollment. If proof of insurance is not provided, a \$3,000.00 medical emergency deposit will be required before the student can be enrolled.

### **Enrollment Termination:**

Termination by program: Explorations reserves the right to terminate enrollment at any time due to illegal, uncontrollable, or excessively dangerous actions by the participant, unreported or previously unknown medical conditions, behavior problems and/or disorders, prior injuries or for any other reason whatsoever deemed as necessary by Explorations. In the event of such termination by Explorations, the Financial Sponsor(s) shall not be entitled to a refund in tuition or fees.

Withdrawal by sponsor:

In the event the Sponsor(s) withdraws the participant prior to the end of 'Summer Adventure Wilderness Course, or wilderness intervention, or fails to give 30 days notice (received in writing by Explorations 30 days before withdrawal) Sponsor(s) shall not be entitled to a refund of tuition or deposit fees and will be held accountable for all fees incurred until 30 days written notice is received by Explorations. Deposit fees will be used against any outstanding fees or tuition.

General Provisions:

This is a binding contract which shall be construed and interpreted under the laws of Montana. No modification of this agreement will be valid unless evidenced in writing and signed by a representative of Explorations and the Financial Sponsor.

In the event any of the payments required under this agreement are not paid when due, Explorations shall be entitled to recover any and all costs, including legal fees, which may be incurred in collecting past due amounts.

I have read and fully understand the above agreement. As the Financial Sponsor for

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I agree to the terms set forth in this agreement and guarantee to timely pay Explorations all fees, tuition, deposits and charges pursuant to this agreement.

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Signature of Financial Sponsor

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Date