



THE AMAZING SCIENCE RACE

THE AMAZING SCIENCE RACE 2008 TEAM ENTRY FORM

Team Name: _____

Team Contact Person: _____

Contact Cell Number: _____

Member # 1 (chaperone)

Name: _____

Contact Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

- Please check if wheelchair accessibility is required
 I certify that as the chaperone I am over the age of 21

Member # 2 (student)

Name: _____ Grade: _____

School Name: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

- Please check if wheelchair accessibility is required

Member # 3 (student)

Name: _____ Grade: _____

School Name: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

- Please check if wheelchair accessibility is required

Member # 4 (student)

Name: _____ Grade: _____

School Name: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: _____

- Please check if wheelchair accessibility is required

Our team entry fee of \$30 will be paid by:

- Cash
- Cheque (made out to Western Manitoba Science Fair)

Please mail this entry form along with the entry fee and signed waiver forms to:

**The Amazing Science Race Committee
637 10th Street
Brandon, MB R7A 4G6**

**If possible, please fax a copy of this entry form to
1-800-927-7167**

***Please note that entry forms must be received by a cut-off time of 4:30 pm on Friday, September 19th, 2008.**

****Please ensure you have read the official rules and each member of the team has read and signed the Participation and Liability Waiver before submitting this entry form.**

****Note:**

- Team members don't have to be from the same grade!
- A school can enter as many teams as they like!

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE GO TO WWW.WMSF.COM AND CLICK ON THE AMAZING RACE LOGO!

If you have any questions, please contact the Amazing Science Race Committee:
Email: science.race@wmsf.com
Telephone: 1-204-727-4700
Fax: 1-800-927-7167

**** EACH TEAM MEMBER MUST SIGN A COPY OF THIS FORM****

**The Amazing Science Race 2008
PARTICIPATION AND LIABILITY WAIVER
READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING**

I, _____ agree as follows:

1. I have read, understood and will comply in all respects with the Official Rules of The Amazing Science Race 2008 ("**Competition**") as attached hereto ("**Official Rules**").

2. I understand that the Competition is an athletic event, I understand my physical limitations, and am sufficiently self-aware in order to compete without injury or illness. I understand that there are no water or aid stations on the course.

3. I understand that The Amazing Science Race Committee ("**Organizer**"), is not responsible should the terms of a particular challenge be offensive to my morals, practices or beliefs.

4. I acknowledge that during the Competition, I must obey all applicable laws and regulations, and the directions of Competition Officials and of local authorities.

5. I understand that there is no set course for the Competition, and that any street on the Competition may be open to regular vehicular traffic.

6. I understand that the Competition Officials reserve the right to disqualify a team, or to cancel, suspend, amend or terminate the Competition at any time, at their sole and absolute discretion, if any factor interferes with the ability of the participants to safely complete the Competition as contemplated by the Official Rules. I understand that in the event that I am disqualified or am otherwise unable to complete the Competition, I will not be entitled to a refund of my entry fee.

7. In consideration of being permitted to participate in the Competition and payment of the entry fee, intending to be legally bound, I do hereby:

(a) waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights or claims for damages which may have or which hereafter accrue to me against any all persons, organizations, and legal entities affiliated or associated with the Competition individually, and as a whole, together with their representatives, officers, agents, employees, affiliates, successors, assigns, and sponsors, for any and all damages which may be sustained or suffered by me in conjunction with my entry in, and/or arising out of my travel to, participation in, or returning from the Competition;

(b) agree that all aspects of my participation in the Competition may be filmed, photographed, and used, including, without limitation:

- i. my voice, actions, likeness, name, appearance, biographical material;
- ii. any information contained in my application to be a contestant in the Competition or in any materials submitted by me in connection with my application;
- iii. any interviews;
- iv. any photo shoots;
- v. any behind-the-scenes or candid incidents where I am intentionally or incidentally filmed and recorded;
- vi. any discussions with other participants or any other parties;
- vii. any discussions by any parties regarding my participation, whether such discussions are made in my presence or not;
- viii. any material or information that I have provided in the course of my participation; and

(c) agree that the Organizer may use my participation in the Competition in connection with any promotion, publicity, marketing or advertisement for the Competition.

(d) ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY AND ALL LIABILITY for my actions or omissions, and any loss, injury or damage to any persons or property which results from my actions or omissions, whether negligent or otherwise, in connection with my participation in the Competition

(e) ASSUME FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH OR PROPERTY DAMAGE arising out of or related to the COMPETITION whether caused by the NEGLIGENCE OF ORGANIZER or otherwise.

8. I accept full responsibility for any item or device loaned to me or my team for the purposes of the Competition, and commit to return same in working order.

9. Any and all references in this Release and Waiver to Competition or Organizer shall be deemed to include any and all of their respective affiliates, subsidiaries, related entities, licensees, employees, successors, agents and assigns.

10. The terms of the Release and Waiver shall be governed by the laws of the Province of Manitoba and the laws of Canada applicable therein, without regard to conflict of laws and agree to submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Province of Manitoba.

11. I acknowledge that this Release and Waiver, when completed, must be submitted to the Organizer prior to my participation in the Competition.

I HAVE READ THIS PARTICIPATION, LIABILITY, PUBLICITY AND BROADCAST RELEASE AND WAIVER, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND HAVE SIGNED IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT OR DURESS, OR ASSURANCE OR GUARANTEE BEING MADE TO ME. I INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.

Signed this _____ day of _____, 2008.

Name of Participant: _____

Signature of Participant: _____

Name Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (if participant is under 18): _____

IT'S MORE ABOUT THE JOURNEY THAN THE DESTINATION!

The Amazing Science Race is intended as an enjoyable, interactive experience with elements of Laughter, Adventure and Discovery. The overall spirit is one of participation and camaraderie. However, there is also a competitive appeal for some. Participants of The Amazing Science Race are asked to conduct themselves, and their respect for the event rules and regulations, by way of *The Honour System*. On-site judges will also be present during the day, with the authority to disqualify any team for any rules or conduct infraction. In the case of any dispute with a race official, the judges' decision is final.

The Amazing Science Race 2008 Series - Official Rules

1. Eligibility:

In order to compete in The Amazing Science Race 2008 Competition (the "Competition"), participants must:

- Be in grades 7 through 12
- Be on a team of 4 consisting of 3 students and one chaperone over the age of 21.
- Sign and return a Participation and Liability Waiver to The Amazing Science Race Committee prior to participating in the Competition, by the deadline specified in the documentation.

2. The Competition:

The Competition is a contest of skill, consisting of a series of challenges which teams must successfully complete. The race will begin at 10:00am. The team to have all members reach the identified finish area with the most points earned before the cut-off time of 3:00pm will be declared the winner, subject to compliance with these Official Rules, and verification by the Competition Officials. Teams that have not returned to the finish within the time limit will be considered unranked. If more than one team is present at a challenge location at the same time, the teams will complete the challenge in the order in which they arrived. Competition Officials reserve the right to delay a team until the previous team has completed the challenge before allowing the second team to begin. In the unlikely event of a tie, Competition Officials reserve the right to assign a final, tie-breaking challenge to the tied teams and the winner of that challenge will be declared the winner of the Competition. The Amazing Science Race Committee is not responsible should the terms of a particular challenge be offensive to the morals, practices or beliefs of a participating team or team member. During the Competition **participants must:**

- Obey all local laws, regulations, bylaws and rules of the road. Participants are solely responsible for their actions and the consequences of those actions during the Competition.
- Stay within twenty (20) meters of their teammate at all times, unless explicitly instructed otherwise by a Competition Official.
- The official Competition ID tags must be worn at all times (unless otherwise instructed by Competition Officials).
- Comply with the directions of the Competition Officials, local authorities, and property and/or venue owners and managers.

Participants may:

- Use the general public (with whom there is absolutely no prior connection whatsoever) as a resource during the Competition, provided that such assistance otherwise complies with these Official Rules.
- Use cellular telephones, internet, or other devices approved by the Competition Officials, during the Competition.

Participants may not:

- Pre-arrange or accept help, assistance, support, guidance and/or contributions of any kind from any family member, friend or acquaintance (other than their teammate) who is on the Competition course

whether directly or indirectly, during the Competition. It is the obligation of the participants to decline any such assistance if offered.

- Use any private mode of transportation, other than what is provided by the Competition Officials. Teams may not travel in a private vehicle (i.e. accept rides from others), use bicycles, in-line skates, or any other mode of transport. Travel is only permitted by foot or public transit, unless specifically authorized otherwise by a Competition Official.
- Engage in unsportsmanlike, prohibited, or illegal conduct. Verbal or physical aggression towards the public, local officials, fellow participants, or Competition Officials, or acts of vandalism, theft, or harassment will not be tolerated, and may result in a time penalty and / or disqualification from the Competition, at the sole discretion of the Competition Officials.

4. Grounds for Disqualification:

The Competition Officials reserve the right to disqualify for any reason at any time, at their absolute and sole discretion, any team or team member engaging in, or thought to be engaging in, any conduct that is contrary to these Official Rules of the instructions of Competition Officials. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, Competition Officials reserve the right to disqualify any team member or team that appears to the Competition Officials not to be conducting themselves in a safe and sportsmanlike manner. In the event that a single team member is disqualified, his or her team shall be disqualified and forfeit the right to participate further in the Competition or to win a prize.

In the event of physical injury, sickness, accident or any other incident which may bring into question an individual's ability to safely complete the Competition, Competition Officials may, in their absolute and sole discretion, disqualify the team. For greater certainty, the Competition Officials reserve the right to disqualify a team, or to cancel, suspend, amend or terminate the Competition at any time, at their sole and absolute discretion, if any factor interferes with the ability of the participants to safely complete the Competition as contemplated by these Official Rules. In the event that a team is disqualified or otherwise unable to complete the Competition, no portion of its entry fee will be refunded.

5. Prizes:

Prizes will be awarded

6. Additional Terms and Conditions:

By participating in this Competition, participants agree to abide by these Official Rules. Entrants who have not complied with these Official Rules are subject to disqualification. The Amazing Science Race Committee reserves the right to disqualify any entrant whose character or conduct, if declared to be the winner, could bring the reputation of the Competition, its sponsors or The Amazing Science Race Committee into disrepute. The Amazing Science Race Committee reserves the right to modify the Official Rules in any way at any time it deems necessary or appropriate without materially affecting the terms and conditions of this Competition. The Competition is subject to all applicable laws of the province of Manitoba and the laws of Canada applicable therein, as well as local law. The courts of Manitoba shall be the exclusive jurisdiction to hear any matter arising out of the Competition.