

**CONEJO VALLEY WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION**  
**AGREEMENT AND GENERAL RELEASE FROM LIABILITY**

***VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION***

1. I \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to the Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association for membership in said organization, which at its general and special meetings, may demonstrate, operate, assemble, disassemble, or perform any activity on, or with, power or hand tools, machines, or other equipment consistent with the activities of the Association, in promoting the use of Woodworking Equipment, as well as other equipment which may be used in concert with woodworking equipment, or activities, at the meeting place of Conejo Valley Woodworker's Association, general and special meetings. Such meeting place may from time to time be changed, and shall include, but not be limited to the residence or place of business of a member, demonstrator, or affiliated organizations.

***ASSUMPTION OF THE RISK***

2. I AM AWARE THAT WOODWORKING IS A HAZARDOUS ACTIVITY. I AM VOLUNTARILY PARTICIPATING IN THESE ACTIVITIES WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE DANGER INVOLVED, AND DO HEREBY AGREE TO ACCEPT ANY AND ALL RISKS OF INJURY OR DEATH, AND VERIFY THIS STATEMENT BY PLACING MY INITIALS HERE. (\_\_\_\_\_)

***RELEASE***

3. As consideration for being permitted by Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association, its members, demonstrators or affiliated organizations to participate in these activities and use their facilities, and or equipment, I hereby agree that I, my assignees, heirs, distributees, guardians, and legal representatives will not make a claim against, sue, or attach the property of, the Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association, its members, demonstrators, its affiliated organizations, or the supplier of any of the equipment, which I may use in these activities, for injury or damage resulting from the negligence or other acts, however caused, by any employee, agent, demonstrator, contractor of Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association, or any of its affiliated organizations as a result of my participation in any activity of the Association.

I hereby release Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association, its members, employees, agents, demonstrators, contractors and any of its affiliated organizations from any and all actions, claims, or demands that I, my assigns, heirs, distributees, guardians, and legal representatives, now have or may hereafter have, for injury or damage resulting from my participation in any activity of the Conejo Valley Woodworkers Association.

**ATTORNEYS FEES**

The undersigned party(s) hereby covenant that except for actions and suits based upon the breach of the terms of this release, they will not commence or prosecute any action or suit at law or in equity, against the other party(s) arising from any matter whatsoever, and if they do, or either of them does, file any such suit, except for a suit based on breach of this release, the breaching party shall be liable to pay the reasonable attorney's fees and costs incurred by the non-breaching party in the defense of this action or suit.

**KNOWING AND VOLUNTARY EXECUTION**

4. I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS, AND I AM AWARE THAT THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND IS A CONTRACT BETWEEN MYSELF AND CONEJO VALLEY WOODWORKERS ASSOCIATION, ITS MEMBERS, AND ITS AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Executed at \_\_\_\_\_, California, on \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Releaser

**DECLARATION OF WITNESS**

I certify that \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledged in my presence that (he or she) had read and fully understood the meaning and consequences of the foregoing release, and signed it in my presence.

Executed at \_\_\_\_\_, California, on \_\_\_\_\_, 200\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_