**ATHLETE AGREEMENT**

As a member of the British Columbia Provincial Rhythmic Gymnastics Team, it is my intention to represent the British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastics Federation and my Province with dignity and with a positive image in and out of the gymnasium. I understand and will conform to the following Conduct Code.

**CONDUCT CODE**

GENERAL:

1. The members will conduct themselves at all times in a manner beneficial to the Rhythmic Gymnastics program. Clean and neat appearance and attire is essential. Members will wear British Columbia team uniforms when requested for travel, training, competition and group excursions.

2. Respect and consideration toward the public, coaches, volunteers and other athletes is a must. Foul language in or out of the gym will not be tolerated. Respect all rules of the facility.

3. Smoking will not be tolerated. Any involvement with non-prescription drugs will mean immediate suspension.

4. Consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited.

5. Members shall not contract with manufacturers, suppliers or retailers (material or financial) without advance approval from the Provincial Board.

6. Members will not trade or sell any equipment or clothing provided by the program without permission from the Provincial Board.

7. Members will attempt to please the media and general public and not make statements or written complaints against the British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastics Federation, its volunteers or officials.

8. The athlete recognizes the British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastic Federation as the sanctioning body to National and International competitions and will abide by the rules of F.I.G., the Canadian Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastic Federation and the British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastic Federation. Members will not break any Provincial, State or Federal law.

9. Athletes shall be a member in good standing and remember they are representing all British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastics Federation members in the Province and their behaviour is a reflection on us all as well as the Province.

10. Each athlete shall be liable for recovery of damages done to any facility used or occupied by her or any equipment lent to her, either alone or in conjunction with others.

**TRAVELLING:**

1. The team coach may be required to submit a report to the British Columbia Rhythmic Sportive Gymnastic Federation following each event represented by the British Columbia Team, and may be required to rate the conduct of each team member.

1. When travelling, the athletes are expected to respect the public, coaches and managers. No foul language is allowed.

3. When travelling, the athletes are expected to keep their rooms clean and orderly. (Moving or removing of furniture or equipment belonging to the facility they are occupying is not allowed).

4. The coach/team manager is in full charge of the athletes and shall use her/his discretion as to compliance with accepted rules of conduct.

5. If a breach of conduct occurs, the coach/team manager will contact the parents of the athlete and arrange the immediate transportation home at the expense of the athlete.

6. The coach/team manager shall set a reasonable curfew and all athletes shall be required to observe the said curfew at risk of suspension.

7. The coach/team manager shall be informed of any prescribed medication the athlete may be using and the athlete must have a letter signed by her physician to its use.

8. The coach/team manager will keep all prescription medicine unless otherwise instructed by her parent or legal guardian in writing.

**ATHLETE AGREEMENT**

I HAVE READ THE ATHLETE AGREEMENT AND AGREE TO

ABIDE TO THE RULES OUTLINED.

#### AthlEte’s name

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#### Athlete’s Signature

#### Date

#### Parent/Legal Guardian’s Signature

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#### Date