

# WILD ROPES LIABILITY RELEASE + EXPRESS ASSUMPTION OF RISKS

**WARNING:** This activity is a dangerous recreational activity as defined in the Civil Liability Act. Please read carefully and sign the following.

Taronga offers the possibility to take part in the activities of Wild Ropes where the enjoyment is derived in part from the inherent risk of participation. Relevant safety/protective equipment and procedural instruction is provided for all participants. Wild Ropes is fully covered by public liability insurance. However, when safety procedures are not followed, the risk associated in participating in such activities is increased.

**IMPORTANT:** The equipment provided must be used according to the instructions given. Your signature on this form is required for you (meaning you and any participant(s) aged between 3 and 17 under your responsibility and listed below) to participate in Wild Ropes at Taronga Zoo.

I \_\_\_\_\_ (Name)

of \_\_\_\_\_ (Street Address) \_\_\_\_\_ (Postcode)

Where the Name above is the Parent/Guardian of a Junior and/or Child participant(s) list participant(s) below:

Name of Participant under 18 years old	Age	Name of Participant under 18 years old	Age

I/we understand and accept the terms of participation as per set out in the Wild Ropes Terms and Conditions.

I/we hereby acknowledge that I/we have been advised and thoroughly informed of the risks of Wild Ropes at Taronga Zoo.

In particular, I/we acknowledge that:

- Wild Ropes involves certain inherent risks and exposure to the natural elements.
- Taronga will rely on this declaration and is not responsible for my decision to participate in the activities.
- I/we have entered and remain on the premises of Wild Ropes at Taronga Zoo and I am participating in this activity at my own risk.
- Nothing in this form excludes, restricts or modifies any condition, warranty, right or remedy, implied or imposed by any Statute or Regulation that cannot lawfully be excluded, restricted or modified. All express or implied representations, conditions, warranties and provision, whether based in Statute, or otherwise relating to provision of products and services pursuant to all contemplated by this document that are not contained within these terms are excluded to the extent permitted by law.
- I/we are required to wear approved safety equipment while participating in Wild Ropes and attend and follow a training presentation on safety rules before participating in Wild Ropes.
- I am responsible for the full application of the safety rules and for ensuring the child(ren)/junior(s) in my care follow the safety rules and are behaving appropriately. There are instructors available to answer any questions that I/we may have as to the proper use of the equipment.
- If I am supervising as per requirements set out in Wild Ropes Terms & Conditions, it is my responsibility to supervise all Junior(s) and/or Child(ren) in my care at all times and to advise a Wild Ropes instructor immediately of any issue that arises. Adults participating must not be more than two platforms away from the Junior(s) they are supervising.
- **Wild Ropes is physically demanding, requiring a basic level of physical fitness** and that the forces exerted on the body can activate or aggravate pre-existing physical injuries, conditions, or congenital defects. **Wild Ropes does not permit pregnant women, people with pre-existing physical injuries, conditions, or congenital defects, including history of dislocation, neck, back or heart problems to take part.** If participants have medical concerns they are advised to consult their doctor prior to making a booking. I/we certify that I/we don't suffer from any medical condition that can be aggravated by participation in such activities as per Wild Ropes Terms and Conditions.
- To the extent permitted by law, I/we hereby release and hold harmless Ecoline Pty. Ltd. and Taronga Conservation Society Australia and their principals, servants and/or agents from any suit, demand or claim whether present, future or contingent arising as a consequence of and not limited to death, injury or disablement received by myself/Junior(s) and/or Child(ren) in my care during the participation in the said activities.

I further state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this liability release, or that I am legally competent to sign this document as a parent or guardian of the Junior(s) and/or child(ren) listed above. I understand that the terms herein are contractual and not a mere recital and that I have signed this document of my own free act.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date of signing document: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Date of participation if different: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

This Liability Release and Express Assumption of Risks form is signed by the adult named above on their own behalf and on behalf of any Junior(s) and/or Child(ren) under their care listed above.

