



# Membership Application, Liability Release and Indemnity Agreement

SIDETRACKERS is an outdoor activities club for single people in Jacksonville and Northeast Florida. It provides a forum for singles that genuinely enjoy outdoor activities to meet like-minded single activity partners. Club events are mostly oriented towards outdoor activities and may include camping, canoeing, hiking, cycling, sightseeing, and horseback riding. Events and trips are varied and provide opportunities for a wide range of interests, abilities, and skill levels. Prospective members must read, understand, agree, and sign the Release And Indemnity Agreement. All sections of this form must be completed. PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION and also provide your Meetup.com User ID on Page 2.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address - Street, Apt, and PO Box \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT. Because some club activities include an element of risk, we require members to provide a contact person whom we may call in the event of an emergency.

Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

City/State \_\_\_\_\_ Day Ph \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Ph \_\_\_\_\_

## ANNUAL RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

- I, (PRINT name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereby state that I wish to participate in courses and/or activities offered by *Sidetrackers*, a non-profit organization. I recognize and understand that any outdoors activity may involve certain dangers including but not limited to the hazards of traveling in wilderness terrain, accidents or illness in remote places, forces of nature, and the actions of participants and other persons. I further understand and agree that without some program providing protection of its assets and its leaders, *Sidetrackers* would not be able to offer its courses and activities.
- In consideration of and as part payment for the right to participate in the activities offered by *Sidetrackers*, I agree to RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFY *Sidetrackers* and its members from any and all liability, claims and causes of action arising out of or in any way connected with my participation in any activities offered by *Sidetrackers*. I personally assume all risks in connection with these activities. The terms of this agreement shall serve as a release and indemnity agreement for my heirs, personal representative, and for all members of my family, including any minors.

I have read this release and indemnity agreement and have fully informed myself of its contents before I have signed it. This agreement will remain in full force and effect until cancelled or withdrawn in writing by the undersigned.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER MEDICAL INFORMATION: If you have medical or health conditions which might interfere with your performance/participation in *Sidetrackers* activities, it is *your* responsibility to exercise good judgment. This may include informing/discussing your condition(s), limitation(s), or other needs with trip leaders *in advance of an outing*.

DUES: \$15.00 per year or \$7.50 after July 1st. Checks are payable to *SIDETRACKERS*. Submit or mail this application with dues **and dates/details of at least two previously-attended club activities or events noted on the back of this page** to our membership chairman: *Mr. Kim J. Luffberry, 2073 Matefield Rd, Jacksonville FL 32225.*

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*This section is not required for current members who are submitting this Application for the purpose of renewing club membership before the renewal due date. The renewal due date is announced annually by the Club Membership Chair.*

**Sidetrackers Needs Your Meetup.com User ID** (Note that we are not asking for, and we *do not want*, your password.)

Your Meetup user ID is required for membership in Sidetrackers. To find your Meetup user ID, after you have set up your free Meetup account and logged in, click on your user profile icon at the top of your Meetup screen. Then click on “settings” in the drop-down list. Your Meetup user ID will appear in the first few lines of the Settings screen.

Meetup selects a numeric member ID by default when you first join Meetup. This is not the same as a “user name.” You are allowed by Meetup to change your user name and/or your Meetup user ID. Trip sign-up lists from Meetup show us only your user ID, and Sidetrackers has no way of knowing, looking up, and cross-referencing your Meetup user ID with our Sidetrackers members list when you sign up for club activities and events. We must have this information to positively identify *paid* club members on Meetup event and activity lists. This is important for organizing a few events every quarter where participation is limited to those who have made contributions to defray the cost of running the club and to identify those who are covered by our supplemental insurance policy. It is also important so that trip and activity leaders know which participants must provide a signed liability waiver at the beginning of each trip or activity.

*Please certify and provide the following:*

*“I have opened a free account on Meetup.com so that I can make reservations for club events and activities*

*and my Meetup user ID is: \_\_\_\_\_.”*

I have attended or participated in the following two (2) outdoor activities which satisfy the eligibility requirements to join the Sidetrackers Outdoor Singles Club:

Trip, Event or Activity Description

Date

Leader

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_