



BC Exotic Bird Society Volunteer Application

Membership type applying for: Single Family Corporate

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Prov: _____ Postal Code: _____

Tel (h) _____ (w) _____ (c) _____

Employer/Occupation? _____

Skills: _____
Would you consider donating your technical or trade skills to BC Exotic Bird Society Yes No

Email address: _____

Would you accept to receive volunteer bulletins/newsletters by email
Yes No?

How did you hear about BC Exotic Bird Society _____

Please list the species and names of your bird family members

Please provide names of other family members if applying as a family

Are you over 18? Yes No (Under 18 requires parental consent)

For Society Use
Date received _____
Cash _____ Cheque _____



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BC Exotic Bird Society Release from Liability Agreement:

I am a volunteer for BC Exotic Bird Society and my activities may include handling Birds in the general public. I am executing this Release Form Liability Agreement in order to waive any claims I may have relating to my volunteer activities and to protect BC Exotic Bird Society from claims from third parties.

I AGREE that my participation as a volunteer for BC Exotic Bird Society does not create any relationship between BC Exotic Society and me and that BC Exotic Society has no duty to me. My participation in the Volunteer Program is voluntary and is undertaken with full knowledge of the potential risks or hazards and will not result in any claim or claims by me, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs or next of kin against the BC Exotic Bird Society Parties. Whether caused by the negligence of the BC Exotic Society or otherwise.

Photo Agreement:

I, the undersigned, grant to BC Exotic Bird Society and/or their assignees permission in perpetuity throughout the world to use, copyright and publish, for art, sales materials, advertising, promotion, packaging, trade, or any other lawful purpose whatsoever, articles written or comments made by me as well as photographs, pictures, portraits or images, of me and/or my birds(s) or other animal(s), or in which I/we may be included, in whole or in part, or composite or reproductions thereof in colour or otherwise, made through any medium. Any and all comments made by me are provided to the BC Exotic Bird Society without receipt of any promise of consideration.

I hereby release you, your licensees, successors and assignees including, but not limited to, all networks, stations, sponsors, publishers, distributors and exhibitors from any and all claims, liabilities, demands or causes of action which I have or may hereafter have, by reason of the photographing, recording, broadcast, exhibition or any other uses of such films or recordings that may be from time-to-time, or by reason of any occurrence or circumstance that may have taken place in or in conjunction with the photographing or recording of any scenes.

I further agree that BC Exotic Bird Society shall own all rights, title and interest, including any copyright, in and to anything produced pursuant to the right granted to BC Exotic Bird Society and that this waiver and release is binding on my heirs.

Emergency Medical Treatment:

I AGREE that should I require emergency medical treatment while in attendance at the BC Exotic Bird Society facility such emergency medical treatment may be provided by a BC Exotic Bird Society employee and/or volunteer without my direct consent, in accordance with the laws of the Province of British Columbia.

I AGREE that I, and my personal representative, assigns, heirs and next of kin, hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue BC Exotic Bird Society, its officers, agents and employees with respect to any and all loss, claim or liability on account of emergency medical treatment resulting in injury or death.

This Emergency Medical Treatment Release shall survive my attendance at BC Exotic Bird Society facility and shall continue in full force and effect thereafter.



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Judgments:

I AGREE that, should any person make any claim or obtain a judgment against BC Exotic Bird Society as a result of any action or inaction by me or by my bird(s), I shall be solely responsible for the satisfaction of any such claims or judgments and shall indemnify the BC Exotic Bird Society Parties to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I sign this agreement with the full knowledge that BC Exotic Bird Society assumes no responsibility for any loss, damage, claim or liability to me, my personal representatives, assigns, heirs or next of kin or to any third party as a result of my volunteer activities and my participation in BC Exotic Bird Society is conditioned upon my acceptance of the full and complete responsibility for any such loss, damage, claim or liability.

Privacy:

BC Exotic Bird Society respects your privacy. We protect your personal information and adhere to all legislative requirements with respect to privacy. We do not rent, sell or trade our mailing lists. We use your personal information to keep you informed and up to date on the activities of BC Exotic Bird Society, including programs, services, special events, funding needs, opportunities to volunteer or give, open houses and more through periodic contacts BC Exotic Bird Society and the society. If at any time you wish to be removed from any of these contacts, simply contact us.

BC Exotic Bird Society Volunteer Code of Conduct

The BC Exotic Bird Society exists to provide a fun and inclusive non-threatening environment to educate its members and the public about the preservation and enhancement of pet birds.

Society Members shall conduct themselves in a manner that is both honourable and in keeping with the spirit of professionalism, learning, and educating the public about companion birds.

Society Members are encouraged to participate in Society activities such as monthly meetings, socials, and events and outings.

Society Members shall observe the highest standard of behaviour when representing the Club or attending an event/activity organized by this or any other bird club.

Society Members who allow the expected level of behaviour to fall may be subject to disciplinary action. Examples of unacceptable behaviour include but are not limited to:

- Any willful disregard for the health and well being of birds;
- Abusive behaviour or language;
- Threatening behaviour;
- Provocative, rude or excessive obscene language

Any Society Member found engaging in unacceptable behaviour may have their membership suspended or may be expelled from the Society at the discretion of the executive for the security and benefit of all BC Exotic Society members.

Thank you for being a vital member of the BC Exotic Bird Society team. Your time and talents make the BC Exotic Bird Society program possible.



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BC Exotic Bird Society Volunteer Confidentiality Agreement

Because of the nature of our organization, we possess, in the course of providing services, sensitive information about volunteers and donors. Examples of such information include personal information about volunteers; name/size of donor gifts; phone or contact information, or anything else you may be privy to while volunteering with BC Exotic Bird Society. The discussion of these or similar topics or the disclosure of this type of information to others, including other volunteers, could be harmful to the reputation of the donor, involved families and volunteers, the integrity of the parties involved in the discussion, and the credibility of the organization.

As a volunteer of BC Exotic Bird Society, you have been authorized by the organization to act as a BC Exotic Bird Society representative subject to the directions and control of BC Exotic Bird Society staff and Board of Directors. As a BC Exotic Bird Society representative, you may under limited circumstances, have access to donors and supporters, and other information in connection with your authorized duties. All information, files, documents and other materials that contain personally identifiable information on any volunteer, donor, supporter or otherwise, is all considered confidential information. As such you agree:

1. You will not discuss with others, while serving as a volunteer or when no longer in a volunteer role, the content of any specific confidential information nor will you disclose information or records regarding any volunteer, donor, supporter or otherwise.
2. While in the possession and control of confidential information, and while handling, distributing, organizing, mailing or filing records, you understand that you must protect those documents from being viewed or obtained by non-authorized members.
3. You understand that questions about the content of confidential information must be directed to a BC Exotic Bird Society director who is authorized to review the record and comment on its content. As a volunteer, you should state that you are not authorized to examine or comment on such information. You understand that you must direct anyone requesting information to seek the assistance of a Director of the Board.
4. You will never take any confidential information off the BC Exotic Bird Society campus unless authorized by a Director of the Board.
5. You must report any breach or suspected breach in the confidentiality of information immediately upon discovery to a Director of the Board or his/her designee. You understand and agree that your failure to maintain the confidentiality of information to which you are given access, may disqualify you from further service as a volunteer with BC Exotic Bird Society.

Your signature below indicates you have read, understand and agree to the Photo Agreement, Release from Liability, Volunteer Code of Conduct and the BC Exotic Bird Society Confidentiality Agreement. BC Exotic Bird Society also adheres to the BC Privacy Act, and will do our utmost to protect your confidentiality in return. Please sign and date below:

Printed Name

Guardian Printed Name (If under the age of 18)

Signature

Guardian Signature

Date

Date