



2025 Race Season

Musher Release & Hold Harmless Agreement

I, _____, hereby acknowledge the following:
(Musher Name – Please Print)

I am an official entrant in the 2025 Yukon Quest Alaska (YQA) Sled Dog Race hosted by Yukon Quest International Ltd (YQIL) / Yukon Quest Alaska (YQA); and I am participating in the competitive event entirely upon my own initiative, risk & responsibility. In consideration of the permission extended to me, by YQIL/YQA to enter & participate in the YQA race, on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, agents & employees, I release, hold harmless & forever discharge YQIL/YQA, their agents, officers, employees, sponsors & volunteers from any and all claims, demands, action or causes of action on account of myself or my support personnel on account of my death or any injury to me or my property (including dogs), which may occur from any cause during the YQA race or any phase of the Yukon Quest, including scheduled events before or after the race, and emergency medical treatment or rescue.

I further release YQIL/YQA, their agents, officers, employees, volunteers & sponsors from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action on account of my employees, partners, agents, volunteers or their property (including dogs), used by me in my Yukon Quest Race or scheduled events before or after the Yukon Quest.

It is understood and agreed that I rely wholly on my own judgement, belief & knowledge of the nature of the dangers, risks & hazards to life, limb & property inherent in participating in the Yukon Quest. I also understand that there are limited checkpoints at which food, veterinary & other services are available between the starting point of the race and the finish point of the race. The checkpoints in the 2025 races are as follows: YQA550: Fairbanks, Two Rivers, Mile 101, Central, Circle City, Eagle, Chicken, Tok; YQA200: Fairbanks, Two Rivers, Mile 101, Central, Circle City, Central; YQA80: Fairbanks, Two Rivers, Fairbanks.

I understand that it is my responsibility to plan, prepare and otherwise organize for the event to include, but not limited to, my personal supplies and dog supplies, such as food, fuel, equipment & medical supplies.

I further state that I have not been influenced to any extent whatsoever in making this release or in participating in the race by any statements or representations made by the sponsoring corporations, their employees, officers, agents, volunteers, or any other persons representing or acting for or on their behalf.

It is understood and agreed that this is a full & final release of all claims of every nature & kind whatsoever including claims that are known, unknown, suspected, or unsuspected.

I further grant Yukon Quest International Ltd/Yukon Quest Alaska (YQIL/YQA) the unqualified and unrestricted right to use all written information, photographs, videos or other media of myself, my dogs and my support personnel taken during the YQ race or any YQA event without compensation of any kind and without the right to approve the media or its usage.

Musher:

I have read & acknowledge that I understood this release & I sign it voluntarily.

Name: _____

Government ID# _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Yukon Quest International Ltd / Yukon Quest Alaska Witness:

I have witnessed the signature & verified the identity of the above-named musher:

Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____