2016 Midwestboatparty Support Our Troops Poker Run
Waiver and Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement

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Captain's Name (Please Print)  Boat Make/Model/ Name (Please Print)

60  This has been mandated by water patrol
Maximum Obtainable Speed  Maximum Planned Speed for Poker Run

IN CONSIDERATION of being permitted to participate voluntarily in the 2016 Midwestboatparty Support Our Troops Poker Run Event. Herein defined as including but not limited to, the Lake of the Ozarks Midwestboatparty Event area’s, concessions, sponsors, poker run stops, and other appurtenant areas where any activity related to the Event, or to officiate, observe, work for, or any purpose participate in the Event, each of the Undersigned, for himself and personal representatives assigns, heirs, and next of kin, agrees, and on the direct representation that the Undersigned has, or will immediately inspect such areas, constitute an acknowledgement that the Undersigned inspected areas and that it is safe and reasonably suited for the purposes of the Event for which this Waiver and Release applies and further agrees and warrants that if, at any time the Undersigned is in or about the Event areas and feels anything to be unsafe, the Undersigned will immediately advise the OFFICIALS of such and will leave such areas.

1. HEREBY RELEASES, WAIVES, DISCHARGES, AND CONVENANTS NOT TO SUE the Midwestboatparty LLC Association, it’s officers, officials, drivers, volunteers, promoters, advertisers, owners, and lessees of PREMISES used to conduct the event, agencies of government which control essential land and water sites, financiers and firms which render essential service gratis, and each of them, their officers and employees, all for purposes herein referred to as RELEASEES, from all liability to the Undersigned, and the Undersigned’s personal representatives, assigns, heirs, and next of kin for all loss of damage, and any claim or demands therefore, on account of injury to the person or property or resulting in death of the Undersigned, whether caused by the negligence of RELEASEES or otherwise while the Undersigned is in or upon the EVENT AREAS, and or officiating in, observing, working for, or for any purpose participating in the Event.

2. HEREBY AGREES TO INDEMNIFY AND SAVE AND HOLD HARMLESS the RELEASEES from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they may incur due to the presence of the Undersigned in or upon the Event Areas, or in any way or officiating in, observing, working for, or for any purpose participating in the Event, and whether caused by the negligence of RELEASEES or otherwise: and

3. HEREBY ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR AND RISK OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE due to negligence of RELEASEES or otherwise while in or upon the Event Areas, and or officiating in, observing, working for, or for any purpose participating in the Event.

4. THE PARENTS AND/OR GUARDIAN OF MINOR CHILDREN participating in the event and/or engaged in activities around, during or near the event agrees to indemnify and save and hold harmless, the releases and each of them from any loss, liability, damage, cost and attorneys fees they may incur due to the presence of the parent and/or guardian or the minor in any part of the event. While participating in the event and where to caused by negligence of the releases or otherwise. The parent and/or guardian further recognize and agree they are executing this Waiver and Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement on behalf of themselves and on behalf of the minor.

EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED expressly acknowledges and agrees that the activities of the Event are possibly dangerous and involve the risk of serious injury and/or death and/or property damage. EACH OF THE UNDERSIGNED further expressly agrees that this Waiver and Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement extends to all acts of negligence by the RELEASEES, INCLUDING NEGLIGENCE RESCUE OPERATIONS, and is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the law of the state in which the Event is conducted, and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance notwithstanding, shall continue in full legal force and effect.

THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGES that the Poker Run Event is not a race and that speed in no way determines the outcome of the Poker Run Event, and hereby agrees to abide by any and all rules, directives, terms and conditions of the Poker Run Event as set forth by any of the organizers and/or committee officials, either verbally or in writing, before or during the Poker Run Event.

IT IS FURTHER UNDERSTOOD that Midwestboatparty LLC, Midwestboatparty.com, their affiliates, sponsors and organizers uphold a Zero tolerance policy for the consumption of any Drugs or Alcohol during this event. No alcohol in boats while boats are being operated. Each driver and throttle person agrees that they will not have consumed alcohol nor
taken any illegal nor mind or reflex altering substances 6 (SIX) hours before this event and will not consume either while operating the boat. Use of such can and will result in immediate disqualification.

THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER AKNOWLEDGES that each boat based on their planned top speed is to adhere to the following passenger restrictions: A) All persons on board 18 years of age and younger be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian while the boat is being operated. B) The captain is aware the the Missouri Water Patrol has instituted a 60mph Speed Limit for this poker run and all other events at the Lake of the Ozarks.

THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER AKNOWLEDGES that Personal Floatation Devices (PFD’s/Life Jackets) are urged to be worn and are to be worn by all boat occupants during the event while each boat is being operated, and that lanyards attached to kill switches must be worn by drivers while boats are in motion during the poker run.

THE UNDERSIGNED FURTHER AGREES to abide by all rules and regulations including but not limited to the 60 mph speed limit enforced by the law.(Police, DNR, Lake of the Ozarks water Patrol, Sheriff)

All arm bracelets must be worn to collect final card, removal can and will cause disqualification of any awards, giveaways, and entry into events or venues affiliated with the Poker Run Event.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGNS THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, and further agrees that no oral representation, statements, or inducements apart from the foregoing written agreement have been made. 

Please note this disclaimer must be signed and agreed to in order to participate in the event

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Captain’s Name and Signature:

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First Mate/Throttleman Name Age and Signature

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Passenger Name Age and Signature

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Rules and Regulations

The following rules and instructions are provided for your information. Please read them carefully. Your adherence to these rules and instructions will make this event flow smoothly and safely, and failure to do so may result in disqualification in some cases.

1. Attendance at the morning drivers meeting is mandatory.
2. The speed limit for all poker runs and regattas at the Lake of the Ozarks is 60mph.
3. The Support Our Troops Poker Run is NOT a race. Our goal is to put on a safe event to raise money for these worthwhile charities.
4. No passing of the Pace Boats until the Pace Boat releases you. If you pass the Pace Boat before being released, you will be disqualified and forfeit all of your poker hands and those of your passengers.
5. Boats must maintain a distance of 100 feet from other boats while under power.
6. Crew members should wave arms overhead when coming off plane to notify following boats that you will be slowing.
7. PFD’s (life jackets) are to be worn by each person in the boat during the poker run.
8. Lanyards and kill switches are to be used during the poker run.
9. Registration stickers for the poker run are to be displayed throughout the event.
10. Arm bracelets are not to be removed until after the event is over Saturday night.
11. Card turn in starts at 3:30pm and ends at 6:00pm. The only exceptions: Equipment failure or assisting a fellow boater on the water. Poker run officials must be notified by 6:00pm of Participants name(s) and Boat.
12. Each card station is to be considered a “NO WAKE ZONE”!
13. NO CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL by the driver of each boat during this event. If the driver is caught drinking during this event he/she and all passengers will be disqualified and forfeit all of your poker hands.
14. NO ALCOHOL is to be consumed in the boats by the crew while the boat is participating in the Poker Run Event.
15. You may purchase additional cards (limit 2 per hand) at the registration table before turning in your tally sheet. This can only be done when all five stops have been completed and you return to register your poker hand.
16. In case of a tie, the top three hands will be paid. If more than three hands tie, an absolute 5-card re-deal among the parties will be dealt to determine the order finish. All decisions by the judges are final.
17. No refunds or rain checks will be given; the poker run goes on rain or shine.

As a participant and driver in the above stated event, I have read and understand fully the rules and instructions printed above. If I do not follow rules, my passengers and I will be disqualified and forfeit our poker hands. It is my responsibility to inform my passengers (who have purchased poker hands) of these rules and instructions.

Print Name __________________________ Signature __________________________ Date __________________________