

## **Ulverston Canoe Club**

### **Statement of Risk**

Paddlesports as offered by Ulverston Canoe Club, including canoeing and kayaking are adventurous, assumed risk activities and expose participants to risks and hazards that may result in injury or even death. In offering the chance to take part in club paddlesport activities we try to manage and minimise these risks but advise that they cannot be eliminated entirely.

If you are not prepared to accept full personal responsibility for any injury sustained while taking part in any activity offered by Ulverston Canoe Club then you should not participate.

Should you choose to participate in club activities then we will try to provide as safe an environment as we can, will answer any questions that you might have and advise on safety or other matters as best we can. However, you must realise and accept that by participating you will be exposed to risks which may hurt, damage or kill you. If you are not prepared to accept this, please do not participate.

Club and, on occasion, other equipment is available for use by club members on the basis that the member using it does so entirely at their own risk. Advice and guidance will be offered to individuals borrowing club kit but ultimate responsibility for its use remains with the borrower at all times.

#### **Acknowledgement of Statement of Risk:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ acknowledge that I have read the above Statement of Risk and understand that in deciding to partake in activities offered by, or borrowing equipment from Ulverston Canoe Club I understand that I may be exposed to hazards and risks that could result in injury or death.

I have been given opportunities to ask for further information regarding risks and hazards and accept that any injury received during any club activity is not the responsibility of Ulverston Canoe Club or any member of that club.

Signed:

Name:

Date: