

## THE EMPTY STOCKING FUND WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

**Activity or Event:** Knoxville News Sentinel Charities Empty Stocking Fund

**Event Date:** December 16 – December 21, 2024

**Sponsor:** The Knoxville News Sentinel

I hereby assume all of the risks of participating in the above activity, including, by way of example and not of limitation, any risks that may arise from conduct on the part of members of the public, or other persons associated with the sponsor, or from defective equipment or property used in connection with the activity.

*I hereby take action as follows:*

I WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE from any and all liability for injury, damage or loss which I may hereafter incur as a participant or volunteer in the above activity of the Knoxville News Sentinel, and its trustees, officers, employees, volunteers, representatives, and agents. I INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the entities and persons mentioned in the preceding paragraph from any and all liability or claims resulting from my participation in the above activity.

The accident waiver and release of liability shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under the law of Tennessee.

### **COVID-19 Release:**

I certify, that in the last 14 days I have not tested positive for COVID-19 or are currently being monitored for COVID-19.

I certify that in the past 14 days I have not been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19.

I certify that I am not currently or in the past 14 days have I experienced new or onset of a fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, nausea, vomiting, or diarrhea.

I certify that I am feeling well and healthy today.

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Signature (Parent or Guardian if a minor)

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Print Name

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Date