

Participant Agreement/Registration Form 2012-2013

I agree to participate in a Lifeguard or Water Safety Instructor (WSI) & or Lifeguard Instructor (LGI) training course designed to provide me with certification as a lifeguard, WSI or LGI. I have no mental or physical impairment that would affect me in my ability to complete the course.

I agree to:

- Attend and listen to presentations and instructions given to learn the skills and techniques taught.
- Show up to all class dates on time, ready to learn and will behave accordingly. If I do not, I will be removed from the class without a refund.
- Follow instructions fully and completely, asking questions when I do not understand.
- Use skills or techniques I have learned in other classes only after I have been given prior approval from the instructors.
- Inform the instructors when I am not feeling well or when I feel that an exercise or drill may be beyond my ability.
- Inform the instructors immediately if I get hurt or injured during any training or class activity.
- Read and review materials covered during any of my absences.

I agree that:

- If I drop out of my class I understand that I will lose my registration fee.
- I understand that if I attend a class in its entirety and I fail I will not receive a refund.
- If I don't pass the CPR or Lifeguard part for the Review class I must take a Full lifeguard class.

A few reminders:

- You must register for a class in person.
- No confirmation will be mailed to you.
- You need to provide the Aquatic office with 48 hour notice if you will not be able to attend the class. You will lose your class payment if less than 48 hour notice is given, unless a doctor's note is provided.
- Each student is encouraged to have a doctor's approval to participate in a Lifeguard class.
- You will be required to reschedule your class if the one you sign up for does not meet the minimum number of students needed to hold a class.
- Retain your receipt for proof of payment.
- **No refunds will be given once the first day of class has started.**
- I also understand that if I no show no call for a class that I am registered for, I may not be eligible to work for the Aquatic Division and I will lose my registration fee.
- Contact the Aquatics Office at 974-9331 for any additional information. (Press "0" for the operator)
- The certification you will be receiving is the American Red Cross Lifeguard certification.
- By accepting employment with the COA PARD you will release the American Red Cross certification to the Aquatics Division for the summer. You may pick up the certification on or after September 2, 2013.

I understand that the Aquatic Division reserves all rights to my certifications provided by the city. I agree to work for the City of Austin Aquatic Division during the 2013 summer season. The city shall have the right to release me from this obligation at its discretion and this agreement does not mean that the city has to employ me for any period of time.



Course Code Date

Name: _____
Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Gender: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Preferred Phone #: _____
Email Address: _____

Payment for:

- ___ Free Recertification LG Course **R1 – R14**
- ___ \$20 Recertification LG Course **R15 – R23**
- ___ \$40 Recertification LG Course **R24 – R31**
- ___ \$20 Full Lifeguard Course **F1 – F7**
- ___ \$45 Full Lifeguard Course **F8 – F10**
- ___ \$55 Full Lifeguard Course **F11 – F16**
- ___ \$10 Lifeguard Management Class
- ___ \$45 Water Safety Instructor Course
- ___ \$100 Lifeguard Instructor Course
- ___ Free Waterfront Lifeguard Course
- ___ Free Lifeguard Recertification Challenge

All classes are offered only to current city employees and applicants.

I understand by taking this class I will encounter risk. In consideration of a participant being allowed to participate in the registered class(s), the undersigned hereby releases the City, its employees and agents, from any action, claim or demand of personal injury.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If under 18 years old, parent or guardian must sign in agreement with Aquatic Division policy.

Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

Office use only:

Received by: _____ Date: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Cash _____ Check # _____ MC/Visa _____

What to bring with you to class:

Recertification Classes:

Bathing Suit (NO Two-Piece)
Towel (Optional)
Pen
Lunch or Lunch Money
Goggles (Optional)
Lifeguard Book
Seal-EZ (CPR mask)
Fanny Pack
Whistle
Sunscreen
Social Security Card
Driver's License (or School ID)

Full Classes:

Bathing Suit (NO Two-Piece)
Towel (Extra)
Pen
Lunch or Lunch Money
Goggles (Optional)
Sunscreen
Social Security Card
Driver's License (or School ID)
Lifeguard Book <http://editiondigital.net/publication/?i=95090>
Seal-EZ (CPR Mask)

You will receive your CPR mask the first day of class (Full Class). Make sure you print out and bring your Lifeguard Book and CPR mask every day (Re-cert and Full Class).

- **Please know, ahead of time, what you want to claim on your W-4. Consult your parents if you need to.**
- **You need to have all of the above equipment before class starts. Instructors will not admit you into class if you do not have your equipment.**
- **Reminder: If you do not show up for your class you will lose your money and may not be considered for a job with the City of Austin Aquatics Division.**

Through your Lifeguard class you will be certified as an American Red Cross Lifeguard. You have two options with your certification. Option one, you can release your certification to us until September 4th and pay one of the above reduced class fees. Or option two, you can pay \$180 for your certification that entitles you to work for the City and elsewhere if you so choose:

Please initial below which option you would like:

_____ **Option 1:** I wish to release my American Red Cross Lifeguard certifications to the City of Austin until the date of September 4th for a lesser class fee. At that time I may pick up my Lifeguard certification from the Aquatics office.

_____ **Option 2:** I wish to keep my American Red Cross Lifeguard Certifications. I agree to pay \$180.00 for my lifeguard certifications to the City of Austin.

Please sign and date below:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you are under the age of 18:

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____