

## Release of Liability for BikeSmart Safety Class

I hereby authorize \_\_\_\_\_(name), age\_\_\_\_\_, to participate in a 2-hour bicycle safety class conducted by representatives of the Humboldt Bay Bicycle Commuters Association. In doing so, I understand that my child will be riding with a small group of other bicyclists on city streets which could result in an accident and possible injury. I hereby release the Humboldt Bay Bicycle Commuters Association and its participating members from any liability associated with any accident that may occur during the class, traveling to or from the class, or after the training is completed.

Signature\_\_\_\_\_

Date\_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child\_\_\_\_\_ Address:\_\_\_\_\_

Phone\_\_\_\_\_(home) \_\_\_\_\_

Best times for my child to participate:

Saturday\_\_\_\_\_ Sunday\_\_\_\_\_ Either\_\_\_\_\_

My child needs a helmet\_\_\_\_\_ My child has an adequate helmet\_\_\_\_\_

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Return the top part of this form as soon as possible to Rick Knapp, 211 Ponderosa Court, Eureka CA 95503 (home phone 445-1097)

Once completed forms are returned, classes will be scheduled. You will be phoned to confirm times. The class will involve meeting in the alley behind Henderson Center Bicycles in Eureka (or other location). Children will be fitted for a free helmet if needed. [Donations are accepted.] Then, there will be approximately one hour of bicycle safety instruction in the parking lot. Afterwards, there will be an additional one hour on-street training session.

Participants need to bring their own bikes, and must be able to ride without assistance (no training wheels). Please be sure bicycles are in good operating condition.

Children are to wear bright clothing.

Bicyclists will learn the rules of the road, bicycle laws, how to identify all types of intersections, determine who has the right of way, learn how to ride defensively, how to ride in a group, how to ride in bike lanes, and the dangers of illegal riding. Then, we will ride back to the starting point to conclude the session. We look forward to helping your child learn to be a responsible bicyclist.

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Rick Knapp  
Vice-President