Alpha Climbing LLC Risk Management & Safety

Alpha Climbing LLC (AC) is proud of the quality of our programs, our safety record, and our risk management practices. All faculty and staff are first aid and CPR certified and have passed proprietary safety practice and protocol which have been developed based on industry professional standards. We strive to develop creative and challenging programming and endeavor to responsibly manage risks, knowing we cannot eliminate those risks. Athletes and their parents must understand that the AC does not offer "safe" programs and cannot guarantee athlete's safety. Why not? Because a "safe program" would mean not exposing ourselves to any risk. Traveling in a natural environment or engaging in activities on or around rocks, mountains, water crossings, unmaintained trails, campgrounds, etc., includes inherent and other risks, hazards and dangers that can cause or lead to injury, property damage, or even death. AC participants are exposed to risks while climbing at a performance level where judgment and experience determine each move. AC activities, including those associated with international travel and camp life, have inherent and other risks and are part of our programs.

For questions regarding AC's Risk Management program and policies please contact Aaron Hjelt at aaron@alphaclimbing.com or phone 406.579.0381

In addition, please visit this link to download the <u>Alpha Climbing Personal Responsibility Statement and Release of Liability form</u> for additional information about program activities and associated risks, and athlete and parent responsibilities. In addition to other forms, participating athletes and their parents are required to sign this form before participating in any AC program.