



Participant Agreement

Inclusion Policy:

Paper Doll Militia is committed to creating a welcoming, safe, and inclusive environment for all participants. Our classes are open to individuals of all races, ethnicities, genders, and sexual preferences. We celebrate diversity and expect all attendees to respect each other. We maintain a zero-tolerance policy for discrimination or harassment in any form.

Participant Agreement, Release and Assumption of Risk:

In consideration of the services of Paper Doll Militia, their agents, owners, officers, volunteers, participants, and others acting on their behalf (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Instructors"), I agree to release, indemnify, and discharge the Instructors, on behalf of myself, my family, heirs, and estate as follows:

1. **Acknowledgment of Risks:**

I acknowledge that participation in circus arts training, including aerial arts and gymnastics, entails risks that could result in injury, paralysis, death, or damage to property or third parties. Risks include slips, falls, rope burns, and exposure to environmental conditions.

2. **Responsibility for Fitness and Safety:**

I understand that while instructors strive to create a safe environment, they may not be aware of participants' physical conditions or equipment malfunctions. I am responsible for assessing my fitness and capabilities.

3. **Voluntary Participation:**

I, accept all risks involved in this activity. My participation is voluntary, and I choose to engage despite these risks.

Terms of Sale and Cancellation Policy:

Classes are non-refundable unless you provide a letter from your doctor saying that you are unfit for class due to illness or injury, or in extenuating family circumstances.

Studio Culture and ethics

I believe movement is for everyone, and our space is designed to be supportive, inspiring, and inclusive. I am happy to contribute to an environment where people of all backgrounds and levels can explore aerial arts with curiosity, joy, and confidence.

Guidelines for a Supportive Environment: I agree to:

- Encourage, don't compare. Offer kind words to peers instead of critiques.
- Celebrate effort. Progress looks different for everyone, and trying is as valuable as achieving.
- Honor individuality. There is no one "right" way to move—creativity is welcome.
- Respect boundaries. Physical and emotional safety come first; always listen to your body and respect others'.
- Stay curious. Approach each class as an opportunity to learn, not a competition to win. Together, we're building a community where everyone feels safe to take risks, explore movement, and grow—not just as aerialists, but as artists and humans.