



# SHARE ~ LEARN ~ GROW

## COPS 2019 – 2020 YEAR

Welcome to the Central Okanagan Photography Society (COPS). We are excited that you have decided to join as a new member or to renew your membership this year. The goal for this year is that we all *Share, Learn and Grow* in our passion for photography.

Our members are the Success and Progress of our club. We encourage you to become active and involved. Do not hesitate to bring forward any thoughts, ideas and feedback you have to the Executive, either at a regular meeting or by emailing [president@copsphotography.org](mailto:president@copsphotography.org)

***A sincere 'Thank You' from your COPS Executive Committee***

### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Please fill in the sections below and submit completed form along with cash or cheque (*Made payable to COPS*) to the COPS MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR.

#### APPLICANT INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

NAME:	DATE:
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ADDRESS:
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PHONE:	EMAIL:
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PLEASE CHECK CONSENT BOX FOR PERMISSION TO CONTACT YOU BY EMAIL:

The COPS Executive uses email to send out announcements about workshops, field trips and other special events that are organized by COPS. We DO NOT give out or sell your email address to anyone or any other organization.

ARE YOU A PAID-UP INDIVIDUAL MEMBER OF CAPA?  Please DO NOT submit the same image to COPS and to CAPA.

CAMERA BRAND:	LEVEL: Novice <input type="checkbox"/>	Intermediate: <input type="checkbox"/>	Advanced: <input type="checkbox"/>
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ADDITIONAL MEMBERSHIP NAME: (COUPLES)
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PHONE:	EMAIL:
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#### MEMBERSHIP FEES (Please select one)

SINGLE \$85.00	COUPLE \$160.00	STUDENT \$50.00 (show student card)
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#### SIGNATURES

Signature of applicants:	Date:
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Signature of COPS Membership Rep:	Date:
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**Activity Waiver & Release**

**THIS ACTIVITY WAIVER & RELEASE** (this "Agreement") dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

BETWEEN:

\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_  
(the "Participant")

AND:

The Central Okanagan Photographic Society ("COPS") of Kelowna, BC  
(the "Activity Provider")

IN CONSIDERATION OF the covenants and agreements contained in this Agreement and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties to this Agreement agree as follows:

**Consideration**

1. Being of lawful age and in consideration of being permitted to participate in the activity described below, the Participant releases and forever discharges the Activity Provider, its executive, directors, officers, employees, agents, assigns, contractors, legal representatives, members and successors from all manner of actions, causes of action, debts, accounts, bonds, contracts, claims and demands for or by reason of any injury to person or property, including injury resulting in the death of the Participant, which has been or may be sustained as a consequence of the Participant's participation in the activity described below, and notwithstanding that such damage, loss or injury may have been caused solely or partly by the negligence of the Activity Provider.
2. The Participant understands that he or she would not be permitted to participate in the activity described below unless he or she signed this Agreement.

**Details of Activity**

3. The Participant will participate in the activities, during the Membership Year (from today until the end of August, 2020), as planned, organized or sponsored by the Activity Provider. Such activities to include, but not be limited to: meetings, activities, events and field trips.

**Concurrent Release**

4. The Participant acknowledges that this Agreement is given with the express intention of effecting the extinguishment of certain obligations owed to the Participant and with the intention of binding the Participant's spouse, heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns.

**Fitness to Participate**

5. The Participant acknowledges that this Participant does not have any physical limitations, medical ailments, physical or mental disabilities that would limit or prevent the Participant from participating in the above mentioned activities. If required, the Participant will obtain a medical examination and clearance.
6. The Participant hereby acknowledges and agrees that the Participant has carefully read this Agreement, that the Participant fully understands the same, and that the Participant is freely and voluntarily executing the same.
7. The Participant understands that by signing this Agreement, the Participant agrees to be forever prevented from suing or otherwise claiming against the Activity Provider for any property loss or personal injury that the Participant may sustain while participating in or preparing for the above noted activities.
8. The Participant has been given the opportunity and has been encouraged to seek independent legal advice prior to signing this Agreement.
9. This Agreement contains the entire agreement between the parties to this Agreement and the terms of this Agreement are contractual and not a mere recital.

**Governing Law**

10. This Agreement will be construed in accordance with and governed by the laws of the Province of British Columbia.

**Emergency Contact**

11. The Participant's emergency contact information is:

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** the Activity Provider and the Participant have duly affixed their signatures under hand and seal on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_.

Central Okanagan Photographic Society (Activity Provider):

Undersigned (Participant):

Per: \_\_\_\_\_ (Seal)

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WITNESS:

Parent or Guardian: (if Participant under 19 years of age)

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