

Waiver and NMS References for Gate Staff at BC Events

ADULT MATRIX

ADULTS WHO ARE	MUST		
	SIGN IN	SIGN SCA ADULT WAIVER	PAY NMS
SCA Blue Card Members <i>who show their blue card</i> ¹	✓		
SCA White Card Members <i>who show their white card</i> ¹	✓	✓	
SCA Members <i>with proof of membership other than card</i> ¹	✓	✓	
SCA Members without proof of membership	✓	✓	✓
Non-members	✓	✓	✓

¹ Proof of membership must be shown when signing in at Gate - if proof is not shown, then they must sign the waiver and pay the NMS (if applicable at event). Proof of membership includes: blue or white membership card with valid expiry date, postcard with a green Registry stamp, a credit card receipt with official SCA memo, website receipt of membership payment, or a Crier label with corresponding ID.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

In BC, at all NSCA (Northern Society for Creative Anachronism) sanctioned events, all adults participating in a “risk activity”^{*} must either have a year-long waiver on file^{**} with the NSCA or sign an NSCA Adult Event Waiver. Because this is only required of those participating in “risk activities”^{*}, this waiver is often administered by the person in charge of said activity rather than at Gate. However, it is useful to know in case the autocrat prefers the NSCA waivers be handled at Gate.

^{*} “Risk Activity” is defined as (but not limited to) heavy combat, rapier combat, archery, heralding, marshalling, waterbearing, and any activity which brings a person to be in close proximity to the touney, war, or archery fields.

^{**} Proof of a year-long waiver on file is an NSCA membership card with the word “WAIVER” stamped on the card.

MINOR MATRIX

Note: the age for minors in Alberta, Saskatchewan, Idaho, Oregon and Washington State is 17 years and younger; in British Columbia it is 18 years and younger.

MINORS WHO ARE	ATTENDING THE EVENT	MUST				PAY NMS ⁴
		SIGN IN	HAVE SCA MINOR WAIVER	HAVE SCA MINOR MEDICAL WAIVER ²	HAVE NSCA MINOR WAIVER ³ ** BC ONLY **	
Blue Card Members <i>with proof of membership</i> ¹	With Parent or Legal Guardian	✓			✓	
White Card Members <i>with proof of membership</i> ¹	With Parent or Legal Guardian	✓	✓		✓	
Members without proof of membership	With Parent or Legal Guardian	✓	✓		✓	X NO, if discount on event fee ⁴ ✓ YES, if paying full event fee ⁴
Non-members	With Parent or Legal Guardian	✓	✓		✓	X NO, if discount on event fee ⁴ ✓ YES, if paying full event fee ⁴
Any of the above	WITHOUT Parent or Legal Guardian ²	✓	depends on membership status	✓	✓	depends on membership status

² An SCA Minor Medical Waiver is **ONLY** required if the minor is in the care of someone who is **NOT** their parent/legal guardian. 2 copies are required, one stays with the minor and one stays with the accompanying adult. Proof of signature by the parent/legal guardian must be shown at Gate - acceptable proof is either notarization **OR** a photocopy of the parent’s driver’s licence with the name and signature clearly visible.

³ Applicable in British Columbia **ONLY**. All minors, regardless of their membership status, attending NSCA sanctioned events in British Columbia must have their parent/legal guardian fill out an NSCA Minor Event Waiver.

⁴ The NMS will not be collected for minors for whom there is a discounted event fee. An example would be: Site fee for ages 13+ is \$15, ages 5-12 is \$8.00 and 4 and under are free. The minors aged 0-12 pay no NMS; the minors aged 13 and older pay NMS.