

NATURALISTS AT LARGE

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND - EMERALD BAY CAMP

NIGHT SNORKEL PERMISSION

STUDENT NAME _____ SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____ AGE _____ PROGRAM DATES _____

Students participating in a NATURALISTS AT LARGE program at Emerald Bay Camp, Santa Catalina Island, may have the opportunity to snorkel at night under the close supervision of N.A.L. instructors and school faculty. Students and instructors will be provided with underwater lights and will follow strict safety procedures.

The requirements for students to participate in a night snorkel:

1. Students demonstrate swimming ability by passing NAL Swimming test. (Given upon arrival)
2. Students demonstrate confidence in daytime snorkeling activities and comply completely with all N.A.L. safety rules.
3. Students bring with them a signed copy of this form indicating parental permission for this activity.
4. Night snorkels will be solely at the discretion of the NAL program coordinator, based on water and weather conditions, visibility, students skill levels and other basic safety guidelines.

Night snorkels are an OPTIONAL part of the Naturalists at Large Catalina program. Students should feel no pressure to participate. All night snorkels are dependent upon tide and weather conditions.

I, _____, parent/guardian of the child named above, give my permission for him/her to participate in a night snorkel as part of the program offered by Naturalists at Large at Santa Catalina Island. I have read the above and understand that all possible care will be taken to insure the safety of my child. I understand that only children with demonstrated competency will be allowed to participate in this activity.

I recognize that there is a significant element of risk in any adventure, sport, or activity associated with the outdoors. Knowing of the inherent risks, dangers, and rigors involved in such activities, I certify that my son/daughter is capable of participating in the activities.

PARENT SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PARENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT) _____