

Get your geek on. Show your support. | geekthelibrary.org



6565 Kilgour Place
Dublin, OH 43017-3395
www.oclc.org

PERMISSION AND RELEASE FORM

Thank you for participating in a Geek the Library activity. The Geek the Library campaign is brought to you by OCLC, a nonprofit library cooperative, and sponsored by a grant from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation. The purpose of this form is to protect all parties involved in the creation of Subject Matter and its use in OCLC communications and promotional materials.

This Form identifies and gives permission for OCLC's use of "Subject Matter" you have contributed to OCLC or which otherwise appears in Promotional Items, such as your name, likeness or other recognizable aspects of your persona; testimonial(s); photograph(s); video-tape footage (with or without audio); audio footage; screen captures; quotes; and/or case studies.

Description of Subject Matter: _____

OCLC Contact: _____

(Please see reverse side for Terms and Definitions used on this form)

By signing below, Contributor indicates agreement to the Terms on the reverse side of this Form:

Date: _____

Contributor Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

If Applicable - Where Participant is a Minor:

Date: _____

Printed Name of Minor: _____

Name of Parent or Legal Guardian: _____

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian: _____

Terms:

1. The Contributor, on behalf of himself/herself/itself and Minors (if any) and each of their respective heirs, successors and assigns, hereby irrevocably:
 - grants OCLC permission to Use the Subject Matter and reasonable biographical or business information that identifies the Contributor and/or Minor(s) in Promotional Items, anywhere in the world, at any time, in any language and in any format (now known or hereafter discovered);
 - agrees that OCLC has the exclusive right to any income received by OCLC as a result of the Use of the Subject Matter, and waives any claim thereto; and
 - releases OCLC, its trustees, officers, employees, agents, and independent contractors and each of their respective heirs, successors and assigns from all liability of any kind related to Use of the Subject Matter, including the obligation to pay any party any royalties or other compensation.
2. The Contributor warrants to OCLC that he/she/it has all rights necessary to grant OCLC the permissions, rights and releases set forth in this Form and agrees to indemnify OCLC from any and all claims, liabilities, damages, costs and expenses arising from breach of such warranty.

Definitions:

For purposes of this Form, the following definitions shall apply:

- a. **“Contributor”** means the individual or entity whose name, likeness or other recognizable aspects of his/her/its persona appears or is featured in, or who creates or contributes to, the Subject Matter or who has legal responsibility for a Minor.
- b. **“Minor”** means any individual under the applicable age of majority for which Contributor has legal responsibility, whether as parent, guardian or otherwise, whose name, likeness or other recognizable aspects of his or her persona appears or is featured in, or who creates or contributes to, the Subject Matter.
- c. **“Use”** means to edit, reproduce, distribute, publicly display, publicly perform, translate, transform into different formats and create derivative works from.
- d. **“Promotional Items”** means: (i) promotional videos, DVDs, CD-ROMs and audio materials; (ii) presentation on the Geek the Library Web site (www.geekthelibrary.org) and OCLC’s website (www.oclc.org); (iii) public relations materials, press materials and news articles; (iv) fact sheets, newsletters, collateral, brochures and case studies; (v) advertisements, documentation and posters; (vi) demonstrations given by OCLC or its authorized agents; (vii) training materials; (viii) broadcast (television/radio/webcast); (ix) presentation and display on OCLC affiliated third party social media websites and video/photo sharing websites and (x) any other means or mechanism used or that will be used by OCLC, its affiliates or its distributors to market or promote its products and services.
- e. **“OCLC”** means OCLC Online Computer Library Center, Inc. and its divisions, subsidiaries and affiliates.