



SOUTH CAROLINA PROSTART INVITATIONAL

MARCH 1-3, 2026

EMBASSY SUITES GOLF RESORT & CONFERENCE CENTER, GREENVILLE, SC

PARTICIPANT WAIVER & RELEASE FORM

On behalf of my spouse, as parents and legal guardians, and our child, herein named below, I hereby release, indemnify and hold the South Carolina Restaurant and Lodging Association (SCRLA), the SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation (SCRLF) and any SC affiliated entity, their officers, agents and employees harmless from any and all liability or claims which may arise out of or in connection with our child's participation in this activity.

I fully understand that participants are to abide by all rules and regulations governing conduct during the trip. Any violation of these rules and regulations may result in that individual being sent home at the expense of his/her and or parent/guardian.

Misconduct, which includes but is not limited to any drug or alcohol use, at the event, during competition or in activities or locations related to or surrounding the event, may disqualify a participant or the participant's team from awards or further participation. Should any misconduct come to SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation's (SCRLF) attention, the matter will be investigated, as SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation's (SCRLF) deems appropriate. Any decision and sanction as to appropriate action due to misconduct is at the sole discretion of SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation (SCRLF) and is final. By entering into the contest, the student and the team accept this requirement as well as all other conditions of the program.

I hereby consent that SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation (SCRLF), its representatives, successors or assigns, shall have the right to publish or use any, photographs, movie films, video tapes, digital images and/or sound recordings, submitted text, including recipes or any part thereof, they have taken or made of our child on this date or in which our child may have been included, for publicity, advertising, Internet usage or any other lawful purpose in conjunction with his/her own or a fictitious name or image, or in reproductions thereof in color.

I hereby waive all claims for any compensation for use or for damages.

I hereby waive any right that I (we) may have to inspect and/or approve the finished product or the use to which it may be applied.

I hereby warrant that I have the right to release and indemnify SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation (SCRLF) as set forth above. I state further that I (we) have read the above authorization and release, prior to its execution, and that I am fully familiar with the contents thereof.

This Release must be completed and signed before students are eligible to participate in the SC Restaurant and Lodging Foundation (SCRLF) Carolinas ProStart Invitational competition. I have read, understand and agree to comply with the information in this document.

Date	
Name of Student	
High School	
City	
State	
Zip	
Student Signature	
Parent or Guardian Name	
Parent or Guardian Signature	

Scan and email to christal@scrla.org or mail completed, signed releases for all students attending the invitational to
SC Restaurant & Lodging Foundation, P.O. Box 7577, Columbia, SC 29202.

Releases must be returned by the deadline of February 19, 2026. NOTE: Students who do not return this form with the required information & signatures by the deadline will not be permitted to participate in/attend the Invitational.