



Registration & Acknowledgement of Foray Participant's Responsibility, Express Assumption of Risk, and Release of Liability

**Pinchgut Lake Girl Guide Camp, near Corner Brook, NL
September 26–28, 2025**

Space is limited. Registrations are accepted on a **first-come first-served basis**. Registration will be confirmed after payment and this signed Registration form have been received by Foray NL Treasurer. Please read both pages carefully. This form (front and back) must be completed for **each participant** (kids too!). Submit completed forms and payment to:

Yolanda Wiersma, 37 Roche St., St. John's NL A1B 1L6, CANADA — or email to foraynltreasurer@gmail.com

Foray Registration

Name: _____

Street: _____

City: _____ Province/State: _____ Code: _____ Country: _____

Tel: _____ E-mail: _____

Membership Fee (Foray participants must be Foray NL Members)

I am a new member or I paid my membership **before** April 1, 2025. Add or Renew me! \$ 25.00

I paid my membership **after** April 1, 2025. No renewal required \$ 0.00

Foray Participation Fees (in Canadian dollars)

Registration includes Friday reception/supper, Saturday supper, Sunday lunch, workshops, trails, AGM and other activities. Breakfasts (2) and Saturday lunch are not provided.

Adult (age 18 and up) \$250.00

Youth (age 13 to 17; must be accompanied by a registered adult) \$ 125.00

Child (under 13; each child must be accompanied by a registered adult) \$ 0.00

2025 Student Database Team* and non-student Team Veterans (prearranged) \$ 125.00

Workshop Fees Some workshops available at the Foray may include a small extra fee not included here.

Book Purchase I wish to buy ____ NL mushroom field guides @ \$20.00 each + \$ _____

This is a special members' price. We do not sell the book at the foray.

Donation *Donations to support Foray NL are always welcome! We are not a charity and cannot issue tax receipts.* + \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

E-transfer within 7 days of form submission to: foraynltreasurer@gmail.com or contact us for other payment methods.

* Database team members with organizational support are asked to please pay the full fee, if possible. Contact info@nlmushrooms.ca with questions.

Dietary needs _____

Please Note: *we will do our best, but cannot guarantee all dietary requirements for shared meals.*

Lodging Lodging is not included with registration at Foray 2025. Some suggestions provided on the next page.

Suggested Lodging Tent camping is available at Pinchgut Lake GG Camp (\$60 per person, includes breakfast Saturday and Sunday, pay on arrival). Special room rates for Foray participants are available at the Glynmill Inn (\$129/night) and Greenwood Inn (\$125/night) in Corner Brook, NL. For special rates, reservations must be made before August 25, 2025.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

I understand that during my participation in the events that together make up the Annual Fall Mushroom Foray, henceforth known as “the Foray” of MUSHROOM FORAY NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR, INC., henceforth known as “FNL”, I may be exposed to a variety of hazards and risks, foreseen or unforeseen, which are inherent in the Foray and cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of the Foray. These events include, but are not limited to: accommodations, identification outings, scientific presentations and investigations, meals, including as a food course mushrooms selected by participants, leaders, including FNL Organizers and Faculty, and travel to and from the outings and meals. The inherent risks include, but are not limited to: contraction of infectious disease such as COVID-19, the dangers of serious personal injury, property damage, and death, henceforth known as “I&D”, from exposure to the hazards of travel; moving in the wilderness, including uneven or insecure terrain; actions of fellow participants, wild animals or third parties, including hunters; mushrooms that may be poisonous, toxic, or cause unforeseen allergic or other adverse reactions in individuals, both independently and in conjunction with other substances, including wine or other alcoholic spirits. FNL Organizers and Faculty have not tried to deny or minimize my understanding of these risks. I know that I&D can occur by natural causes or activities of other persons, FNL Organizers and Faculty, animals, trip members, trip leaders and assistants or third parties, either as a result of negligence or because of other reasons. I understand that risks of such I&D are involved in adventure travel such as the Foray and I appreciate that I may have to exercise extra care for my own person or others around me in the face of such hazards. I further understand that the Foray may not have, or be readily accessible to, rescue, medical facilities, or expertise necessary to deal with the I&D to which I may be exposed.

In consideration for my acceptance as a participant on the Foray and the services and amenities to be provided by FNL Organizers and Faculty in connection with the Foray, I confirm that:

1. I have read these and any other terms, rules, information and conditions applicable to the Foray, made available to me directly or on the FNL website;
2. I will pay any costs and fees for the Foray;
3. I choose to participate in the Foray of my free will, being fully aware of the risks involved; and
4. I acknowledge my participation is at the discretion of the leaders.

The Foray officially begins and ends at the times and location(s) designated by FNL Organizers and Faculty. The Foray does not include carpooling, transportation, or transit to and from the Foray (including ferry) or trails during the Foray, and I am personally responsible for all risks associated with this travel. This is meant to include transportation provided by FNL Organizers and Faculty or participants during the Foray, including transport or carpooling to trails during the Foray and between the accommodations and the Foray trails.

If I decide to leave early and not to complete the Foray as planned, I assume all risks inherent in my decision to leave and waive all liability against FNL Organizers and Faculty arising from that decision.

Likewise, if the leaders have concluded the Foray, and I decide to go forward without the leaders, I assume all risks inherent in my decision to go forward and waive all liability against leaders including FNL Organizers and Faculty arising from that decision.

This Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by law. If any provision or any part of any provision of this Agreement is held to be invalid or legally unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected thereby and shall remain valid and fully enforceable.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, I agree to WAIVE, DISCHARGE CLAIMS, AND RELEASE FROM LIABILITY FNL, its officers, directors, employees, agents, faculty and leaders, from any and all liability on account of, or in any way resulting from I&D, even if caused by negligence of FNL, its officers, directors, employees, agents, faculty and leaders, or any other parties in any way connected with FNL or the Foray. I further agree to HOLD HARMLESS FNL, its officers, directors, employees, agents, faculty and leaders from any claims, damages, injuries or losses caused by my own negligence while a participant in the event. I understand and intend that this Assumption of Risk and Release of Liability is binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and includes any minors accompanying me on the outing.

I have read this document in its entirety and I freely and voluntarily assume all risks of such I&D and notwithstanding such risks, I agree to participate in the Foray.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

If you are a minor (under age 18), your parent or guardian must sign the Registration & Acknowledgement (above) on your behalf.

The signature above signifies my agreement and consent to the foregoing Acknowledgment on behalf of the minor named here: _____

Relationship: _____

We take photographs of Foray events and participants for outreach & our newsletter, Omphalina. We assume that registrants consent to this use of their image and their name. If you do not consent, please contact us at info@nlmushrooms.ca