

EQUINE HEART HEALERS RANCH

RELEASE, WAIVER AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

The undersigned assumes the unavoidable risks inherent in all horse related activities, including but not limited to the following:

- That the horse may behave in ways that may result in injury, death or loss to persons on or around the equine.
- The equine is unpredictable and may react to sound, sudden movement, unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals.
- The equine may cause injuries because of the surface and subsurface conditions on which they are ridden.
- An equine may cause injury by colliding with another equine, people or objects.
- The injury may be caused to you, your horse, or your property while participating in an equine activity. The inherent risks include but are not limited to bodily injury and physical harm to horse, rider and spectator. In consideration, therefore, for the privilege of riding, and/or working around horses at **Equine Heart Healers Ranch** the undersigned does hereby agree to Hold Harmless and Indemnify **Equine Heart Healers Ranch** and further release them from any liability or responsibility for accident, damage injury, or illness to the undersigned or to any family member or spectator accompany the undersigned on the premises.

It is recommended that all riders wear protective helmets. It is my understanding that a protective helmet is available and has been offered for my own or my child safety. I (We) declined to wear a helmet. **Initial here:**

I am being fully aware of that policy and the reason for it, choose of my own free will, NOT to wear a safety riding helmet. In taking this action, I hold **Equine Heart Healers Ranch**, its assigns, Instructors, staff, and their insurer free of any and all liabilities for injuries that I may receive as a result of my actions and failure to wear a safety riding helmet. **Initial here:**

WARNING Under South Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury of or the death of a participant in an equine activity resulting from an inherent risk of equine activity, pursuant to Article 7, Chapter 9 of Title 47, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976.

Name and Last Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian (if under 18): _____

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