

Assumption of Risk and Release Waiver Form to Participate in Verde Valley Fair Arena Equine and Rodeo Activities

1. Release and Assumption of the Risk:

In consideration for being allowed to participate in, or be present at, the Verde Valley Fair Arena livestock, equine and/or rodeo activities, including, but not limited to, livestock-handling, riding, horse-handling, ground crew, mounted games and rodeo, trial competitions, clinics, bull riding, and bull fighting, I agree to waive, release, indemnify and hold harmless the Verde Valley Fair Association, Inc., its Board of Directors, officers, employees, agents, independent contractors and volunteers ("Releasees") for any and all losses, claims, demands, injuries including death or severe injury, damages, actions or causes of action, suits, obligations, debts, judgments, remedies, or liabilities of any nature, and from any and all acts of negligence to myself or my personal property as a result of, or otherwise in connection with, or related to, my participation in, or attendance at, the equine and rodeo activities.

I understand that livestock-handling, horseback riding and other horse-related activities, bull riding and other bull-related activities are inherently hazardous. I understand that when livestock, horses and bulls are involved, accidents may happen which may cause serious injury and/or death. I assume full responsibility for any and all damage to myself and any property, and I warrant the suitability, installation and condition of any and all materials used by myself in connection with this event. I understand and agree that livestock, equine and rodeo activities may be canceled by the Releasees at any time, for any reason, in their sole discretion, including, but not limited to, periods of inclement weather rendering the arena potentially unfit for use.

2. Certification:

I certify that I am eighteen years of age or older, and I acknowledge that this is a release of liability and a binding contract between myself and the Verde Valley Fair Association, Inc. I agree that I am responsible for my own safety. I understand and agree that this Waiver and Release is binding upon myself, my heirs, executors and assigns.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE WAIVER AND RELEASE; I FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS PROVISIONS; AND I SIGN VOLUNTARILY. I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT I AM GIVING UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING THIS WAIVER AND RELEASE.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Printed Name: _____

FOR PARTICIPANTS UNDER 18 AT THE TIME OF PARTICIPATION

This is to certify, as parent or guardian of _____, that I do consent for myself and the minor to the release of the "Releasees" from any and all liabilities related to the participation in the activities as stated above.

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date