

# HORSE RIDING RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

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**THIS AGREEMENT** is made and entered into as of the date of: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ by and between **JANELLE COBB and/or THE SPOKANE EQUESTRIAN CENTER**, hereinafter designated **OWNER**, and (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_, hereinafter designated **RIDER**, and if **RIDER** is a minor, **RIDER'S** parents or guardian (Print Name) \_\_\_\_\_.

In return for the use of horses, personal property, and services of **OWNER**, the **RIDER** and his/her legal representatives hereby expressly agree to the following:

1. **RIDER** is responsible for full and complete insurance coverage on his/her personal property, and himself/herself.
2. **RIDER** acknowledges the inherent risks involved in and around equine activities. Furthermore, both horse and **RIDER** may be injured in normal use, riding, schooling, or being in close proximity to Horse(s). These risks include, but are not limited to: the risk of death, bodily injury, property damage, falls, kicks, bites, collisions with other horses or stationary objects, and or the negligence and/or deliberate act of another person.
3. **RIDER** agrees that **OWNER** is not liable for an injury to or the death of **RIDER**, and/or a participant in the provided activities resulting from the inherent risks of such equine activities. **RIDER** agrees to hold **OWNER** and all affiliates, assigns, and agents, including but not limited to, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, and the campgrounds, completely harmless and not liable, and releases them from all liability whatsoever. **RIDER** agrees not to sue these entities on account of or in connection with any claims, injuries, damages, or expenses arising out of **RIDER'S** use of and/or presence upon **OWNER'S** horses, riding activities, and/or services upon campground.
4. **RIDER** is responsible for using protective gear, including, but not limited to, heeled boots, and long pants designed for riding when interacting with **OWNER'S** horse(s), and an ASTM-certified safety helmet fastened securely under the chin while riding on **OWNER'S** horse(s). **OWNER** may choose to provide safety attire for **RIDER'S** use during approved riding activities. **RIDER** is responsible for inspecting any and all safety gear provided by **OWNER**. **RIDER'S** use of any provided safety gear will act as evidence of **RIDER'S** approval that the safety gear meets his/her required safety standards.
5. **SEVERABILITY**. If any provision of this Agreement or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of this Agreement which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application.

**I have read and understand this release.**

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**RIDER'S SIGNATURE (Parent/Guardian if RIDER is a Minor.)**

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**DATE**