

[LOGO / Centre Name etc]



# RIDING AGREEMENT

## Riding Experience:

Please indicate the number of times the rider has ridden in the last 12 months

Please tick the appropriate box below to indicate the number of times the rider has ridden in total

0-10  10-20  20-50  50-100  100+

Little Experience    Some Experience    Average Experience    Experienced    Very Experienced

I warrant that the above information is true and correct

## Acknowledgments

- 1 That Horse riding is a dangerous activity and it involves an element of physical exertion and risk.
  - 2 That each horse has a different nature and temperament and may act in an unpredictable manner, particularly if frightened, hurt or in any way mistreated.
  - 3 That I accept full responsibility for the control of the horse provided, as well as its safety and agree not to permit uncontrolled riding or galloping and will only ride in a safe and controlled manner;
  - 4 That I am responsible for the correct adjustment of all harness, saddle, stirrups and helmet prior to and during the ride.
  - 5 That I shall seek assistance for the adjustment of all equipment prior to and during the ride if necessary.
  - 6 The Centre relies on the details provided by me as to my riding experience and age in selecting suitable horses for me to ride.
  - 7 The Centre makes no warranty of any kind, expressed or implied, as to the nature, habits and disposition of any horse supplied.
  - 8 That I know of no medical reason which would preclude me from riding.
  - 9 A reference to "the Centre" in this contract includes its directors, officers, employees and agents.
  - 10 The services provided by the Centre are 'recreational services'.
- Terms and conditions of riding**
- I will waive my rights**
- 11 I will not bring any claim, demand, action or suit against the Centre in relation to any personal injury I may sustain as a direct or indirect result of horse riding organised by the Centre.
  - 12 I agree that this waiver extends to injury resulting in my death and prevents any claim, demand, action or suit being brought against the Centre in relation to my death. This waiver applies irrespective of any liability, fault or negligence of the Centre.

## I will indemnify the Centre

13 I will indemnify the Centre against any claim, brought by third parties (including a child for whom I have responsibility) in relation to any death, personal injury, damage or any other loss which is a direct or indirect result of horse riding

## I will ride safely

- 14 I will not permit the horse selected for me to be ridden by anyone else.
- 15 I will only ride the horse in a safe and controlled manner.
- 16 I will wear a helmet at all times whilst riding
- 17 I will read and follow all signs, including directions and information on the Centre's property
- 18 I will follow all instructions provided by the Centre, whether written or oral

## I will accept and pay for assistance

19 I consent to being evacuated and to the provision of first aid and medical treatment if I am injured or become ill. I agree to pay for any such evacuation or provision of first aid or medical treatment.

## The centre may cancel my ride

20 The Centre may cancel my ride without refunding any fee if I do not comply with any of these terms and conditions.

## Agreements

### The rider's agreement

I have read, understood and agree to the acknowledgements, terms and conditions.

Full name:  Signature:

Age:  Rides in previous 12 months:

### The parent or guardian's agreement

I am the rider's parent or guardian and I have read and understood the acknowledgements, terms and conditions. I agree to them. I agree for the rider to be bound by them. I agree that the information supplied about the rider is correct.

Full name:  Signature:

Witness:  (Name)

(Address)

Date: