

2023 Competition/Clinic/Practice for York Stables RIDER/VOLUNTEER Release

The undersigned acknowledges the inherent risk involved in riding and working around horses, which risks include bodily injury from using, riding or being in close proximity to horses among other risks, and further that both horse and rider can be injured in normal use or in competition and schooling.

In consideration for the privilege of riding and working around horses at York Stables the undersigned does hereby agree to hold harmless and indemnify York Stables, the United States Mounted Games Association, its officers, sponsors and members and further release them from any liability or responsibility for accident, damage, injury or illness to the Undersigned or any horse owned by myself or to any family member or spectator accompanying the Undersigned on the premises of York Stables.

I fully understand that riding and the playing of mounted games are very dangerous activities. I fully understand that riding is a very dangerous activity with many inherent risks including:

- . (i) The propensity of an equine to behave in dangerous ways which may result in injury(including death) to the rider, trainer, groom or handler.
- . (ii) The inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons or animals.
- . (iii) I wish to participate in these activities knowing they are dangerous. I accept and assume all the risks of injury (including death) to myself or my property.

In exchange for being permitted to participate in these activities for myself, my heirs, guardian, and legal representatives, I relate and agree not to make or bring any claim of any kind against York Stables, the United States Mounted Games Association, or its masters, officers, directors, members, employees, guests, landowners, landholders or the persons making the property available for the activity (including death), to me or any damage to my property whether from anyone's negligence or not, or any other cause, arising out of my participation in these dangerous horseback riding or related activities; and I also agree if anyone makes any claims because of any injury to me (including death), or for any damage to property, I will keep all of those released by this agreement free of any damages or costs because of those claims.

My signature below hereby signifies my agreement to the above terms.

PRINT Rider/Volunteer Name:

Rider/Volunteer Signature:

Parent or Guardian's signature if rider is under 21 years of age:

Date:

