

Hawk Feather Ranch



**RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS
AGREEMENT**

Hawk Feather Ranch
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This Release of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement (“Agreement”), is made as of this _____ day of _____, 20__ between Hawk Feather Ranch, LLC and all of their owners, agents, employees, volunteers, students, friends, family, boarders, and any other person or entity acting on their behalf (hereinafter referred to collectively as “Stable”) and the person(s) listed below (hereinafter referred to as “Rider” and to include parent or guardian of child under the age of 18 years).

Rider’s name printed

Parent or Guardian name
(if rider is under 18 years of age)

RIDER acknowledges that there are inherent risks in being on or around horses. Those risks include serious bodily injury, property damage, and death. RIDER understands that these risks arise from the fact that any horse may act unpredictably, and that all horses are capable of sudden, unexpected, and potentially dangerous movements with or without warning. RIDER understands that serious bodily injury, property damage, or death may result while engaging in equine related activities including, but not limited to, riding, petting, feeding, brushing, hoof picking, tacking, mounting, or dismounting. By signing this agreement, RIDER acknowledges that he/she is aware of the inherent risks of being on or around horses, knows that these risks include serious bodily injury, property damage, or death, but voluntarily chooses to accept these risks thereby assuming all responsibility for any injury, damage, or death caused to RIDER as a result of being on or around horses.

STABLE is not responsible for total or partial acts, occurrences, or elements of nature that can scare a horse, cause it to fall, or react in some unsafe way such as biting, kicking, rearing, or bolting. RIDER hereby releases, waives, and forever discharges STABLE of all actions of whatever kind arising from bodily injury, death, or property damage which relate in any way to STABLE’s equine related services and activities. RIDER further agrees to indemnify STABLE for, and hold STABLE harmless from, all judgments, ordinary negligence, demands, attorney fees, and costs arising from any such action.

RIDER has inspected Hawk Feather Ranch facilities and is satisfied that all premises conditions are reasonably safe for RIDER’S intended purpose.

This release is given on behalf of RIDER, RIDER's spouse, RIDER's legal representatives, administrators, executors, heirs, and assigns, and in the case of any child or children of RIDER's, on behalf of them, their legal representatives, administrators, executors, heirs, and assigns. This release is an ongoing release that does not expire and remains in effect until RIDER has revoked it in a writing provided to STABLE.

THIS AGREEMENT IS SUBJECT TO THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA

WARNING

Under Georgia law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Chapter 12 of Title 4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated.

RIDER ACKNOWLEDGES THAT HE/SHE HAS CAREFULLY READ THIS RELEASE, UNDERSTANDS THAT HE/SHE IS KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY ASSUMING ALL RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH BEING ON OR AROUND HORSES INCLUDING SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, DEATH, AND PROPERTY DAMAGE, AND RELEASES STABLE FROM ALL LIABILITY FOR BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE AND SHALL INDEMNIFY AND HOLD STABLE HARMLESS FROM THE SAME.

Rider Signature (or Parent signature if child under 18 years of age)

Date

Rider Phone Number: _____ Email Address _____

Home Address: _____

Emergency Contact Person and Phone Number _____

_____ **Please initial here if you would like to be added to our email group list for news, specials, and events.**

_____ **Please initial here if you give your consent to have pictures/videos of you and/or your child(ren) posted to media websites such as but not limited to Facebook, Instagram, and Hawk Feather Ranch website.**