

Elmwood Acres LLC & Elmwood Acres Equestrian Center

Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

WHEREAS, the UNDERSIGNED acknowledges the inherent risks involved in observing, riding and working around horses, which risks include bodily injury, harm, and the possibility of death from the unavoidable risks inherent in all horse related activities, including but not limited to bodily injury, death and physical harm to horse, rider and or spectator in normal use or in competition and schooling and property damage or loss.

IN CONSIDERATION, therefore, for the privilege of riding, attending, participating, handling, viewing, working or being near horses, as permitted by **Elmwood Acres, LLC, Elmwood Acres Equestrian Center, Jeffrey S. Christian and Lexie J. Christian (collectively "Elmwood and Christian")**, on property owned by and located at: **Elmwood Acres LLC** of 55 Old Elm Street, Mansfield MA 02048 (the "Premises"), the undersigned does hereby agree to fully RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, DISCHARGE and HOLD HARMLESS, for themselves and their heirs, personal representatives, transferees and assigns forever, said Waite, Elmwood and Christian and/ or any employee, agent, representative or associate of **Elmwood or Christian**, from any claims, liability or responsibility for accident, damage, injury, death, or illness to the undersigned, minors under the care of the undersigned or to any horse owned by the undersigned or their family members or spectator accompanying the undersigned on the premises or damage to personal property.

FURTHERMORE, the UNDERSIGNED having read this release agreement fully understands its content and signs voluntarily and of their own free will. In signing this release agreement, the UNDERSIGNED agrees to obey all rules and regulations of **Elmwood Acres, LLC, and Elmwood Acres Equestrian Center**, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and all rules and regulations for the safety including but not limited to the proper headgear for riders, cruelty and devices used on the horses.

ANYONE UNDER THE AGE OF 18 IS REQUIRED TO WEAR AN APPROVED HELMET WHILE MOUNTED AT ALL TIMES

UNDER MASSACHUSETTS LAW, AN 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 SECTION 2D OF CHAPTER 128 OF THE GENERAL LAWS.

By signing below I/we fully understand the inherent risks as stated above:

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Signature _____ Address: _____

(Parent or Guardian) if under 18 yrs. Old

Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

Relationship: _____ Other: _____

