Canterbury Trails Equestrian Center

Harmless Release

I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that I have voluntarily applied to engage in an activity of horseback riding with Canterbury Trails Equestrian Center. I do hereby release Canterbury Trails, it's owners, employees, volunteers and any and all of it's sponsors and/or representatives, from liability due to this facility's ordinary negligence, except in the event of gross and/or willful negligence.

I understand that the activity of horseback riding involves numerous inherent risks of injury that are an integral part of such an activity. I assume full responsibility for all such risks, including loss of control, collisions, and obstacles, whether they are obvious or not obvious. I and/or my family further understand that an animal, irrespective of its training and usual behavior and characteristics, may act or react unexpectedly or unpredictably at times, and I also assume such risks.

I understand that I may encounter variations in terrain, which may result in injury or damages. I acknowledge that these are my responsibility and I assume the risk for these hazards, including breaks, growth, debris, rocks, cliffs, and other hazardous surface or subsurface conditions and obstacles, whether they are obvious or not obvious, man-made or natural. I

I understand that animals are unpredictable and that the risk of injury is inherent to the activity. I agree to assume all risk of injury or death caused by horseback riding, whatever the cause, except as provided by law.

As consideration for being permitted by Canterbury Trails Equestrian Center to engage in the activity of horseback riding, I do hereby waive any claim and release Canterbury Trails Equestrian Center and all of their owners, officers, members, affiliated organizations, landowners, agents and/or employees for my injury or death caused by or resulting from my participation in the activity of horseback riding.

This contract shall be legally binding upon me, my heirs, my estate, assigns, legal guardians and my personal representatives.

I have carefully read this agreement and fully understand the contents. I am aware that I am releasing certain legal rights that I otherwise may have, and I enter into the contract on behalf of myself and/or my family of my own free will.

THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY. DO NOT SIGN OR INITIAL THIS RELEASE IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR DO NOT AGREE WITH ITS TERMS.

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Signature of participant Date

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Signature of parent Date

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Signature of witness (CTEC) Date

Under 18 years of age, signature of parent or guardian is required.