

GRANDFATHER STABLES, FOSCOE, NC



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Riders Release

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of city of \_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_, on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, in consideration of using the facilities known as Grandfather Stables located at 534 Church Hollow Road, Foscoe, North Carolina, hereby execute this release prior to being allowed to use any of the facilities owned, operated, leased or used by Grandfather Stables. By executing this release, I hereby certify that I am cognizant and knowledgeable of the inherent dangers of equestrian activities and that I am familiar with the basic safety rules for activities connected therewith. I further acknowledge and understand that the actions and reactions of a horse, at any time, are unknown and unpredictable, and that there is a risk of accident and injury in horseback riding. Knowing of the inherent risks and dangers associated with these activities. I hereby certify that I, or my minor child or children, if executed by parent, are fully capable of participating in equestrian activities.

I understand and agree that neither Olin Wooten, Lesley Wooten, nor Grandfather Stables, its owners, operators, officers, agents, employees, shareholders, instructors, or any personnel associated with Grandfather Stables may be held liable in any way for any occurrence in connection with equestrian activities which may result in injury, death, or other damages to me or my family, heirs, or assigns. If signing on behalf of a minor, I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless Grandfather Stables, its owners, employees or assigns, of and all liability, which may arise out of, the activities described herein.

In consideration for being allowed to use the facilities known as Grandfather Stables. I hereby personally assume all risks in connection with the use of the horse and facilities and I further release the instructors, program, agents, employees, operators, but not limited to the persons mentioned, for any injury or damage which may befall me, or my children, while I am participating in equestrian activities at Grandfather Stables including all risks connected therewith, whether foreseen or unforeseen, and further to save and hold harmless Grandfather Stables, its owners, operators, officers, agents, employees, shareholders, instructors and any personnel associated with Grandfather Stables from any claim by me or my family, estate, heirs, or assigns, arising out of equestrian activities and use of the facilities known as Grandfather Stables.

I further state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this affirmation and release; that I understand the terms herein are contractual and not a mere recital and that I have signed this document of my own free act. If signed by a parent on behalf of a minor, the terms and conditions stated herein are binding upon the parent, the minor or the minor's estate.

I have fully informed myself of the contents of the affirmation and release by reading it before I signed it. I hereby certify that I am physically fit to participate in equestrian activities, and assume my responsibility of physical fitness and capability to perform equestrian activities.

I further understand that if at any time I act in such a manner that Grandfather Stables staff or owners determine that my actions place myself, others, or horses at danger that my privileges to ride may be revoked.

**WARNING: "UNDER NORTH CAROLINA 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 EXCLUSIVELY FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES" CHAPTER 99E OF THE NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL STATUTES.**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have executed this affirmation and release this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_.

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Witness

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Signature

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Parent's Signature if Minor

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