



Camp Hebron

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CAMP HEBRON HORSEMANSHIP PROGRAM AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE AND LIABILITY RELEASE

Horsemanship programs are exciting and rewarding for participants. As a participant you will be challenged in many ways. It is our hope and desire that through this experience you will have the opportunity to build self-esteem, develop better communication skills, and learn about yourself in a new way. With these challenges there is a potential for injury. We are committed to safety and strive to do what we can to prevent harm.

In agreeing to participate in HORSEMANSHIP ACTIVITIES, I recognize that certain dangers exist. These include, but are not limited to, bodily injury or death from:

- the propensity of a horse to behave in dangerous ways which may result in injury or death to a participant, a bystander, or damage to property.
- the inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons, or animals.
- hazards of surface or subsurface conditions.
- the experience level of any participant.
- a known or unknown health condition of any participant.
- the condition and age of the equipment or tack.

I have read the Guidelines of Horseback Riding on the back of this form and agree to abide by the rules and limits set forth. My signature below also indicates my understanding of the inherent risks in this experience, and my continued willingness to participate.

PARTICIPANT _____ DATE _____

If the participant is 18 or younger we require the signature of their parent or legal guardian.

My signature below indicates my understanding of the inherent risk in this experience, and my continued willingness to allow my child to participate in this activity.

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ DATE _____

LIABILITY RELEASE

I understand that Camp Hebron, Inc. and its agents shall assume no responsibility or liability for me for accident, illness, or loss of personal property, and I acknowledge and assume all risks inherent in the activity. I hold Camp Hebron Inc. and staff harmless for any and all liability, negligence, action, claim, and damage of every kind and nature whatsoever. My signature on this document is also intended to bind my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, successors and assigns.

PARTICIPANT _____ DATE _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ DATE _____



GUIDELINES FOR HORSEBACK RIDING

Horseback Riding for ages 8+
Hand-led Horse Rides ages 5-7

While riding on a horse can be an amazing experience, it does require that each rider recognize the possibility of inherent danger and abide by these guidelines:

- Have some athletic ability, balance & be physically capable.
- Be able to mount & dismount on your own power.
- Be able to follow verbal instructions.
- Be able to withstand the normal bouncing that occurs on a horse.
- Not exceed 250 lbs (*for the safety of the rider & horse*).
- Wear a riding helmet (*provided by Camp Hebron*).
- Leave behind all cell phones, cameras, hand bags, back packs & dangling jewelry.
- Read board of guidelines at the stables before approaching the horses.
- Be on time. You must be present for instructions in order to ride.
- **Abide by Clothing Guidelines:**
 - Secure & Covered Shoes
 - Long Pants (to the ankle)
 - T-Shirt or Long-Sleeve Shirt
 - ***Examples of what NOT to wear:***
 - *Tank-Tops*
 - *Capri's*
 - *Sandals and/or Flip Flops*