



**Rhapsody Hill Farm**  
LESSONS, LEASES, & BOARDING

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## Release and Waiver of Liability Agreement

**Please read this release and waiver of liability agreement carefully. Make sure you understand its contents and seek any advice you may need before executing this release and waiver of liability agreement.**

The undersigned student (the "Student") or the student's parent or legal guardian (the Parent) for himself or herself and on behalf of the student named herein acknowledges the inherent risks involved in riding and working around horses, which risks include bodily injury or even death from using, riding or being in close proximity to horses, among other risks. Further, both horse and rider can be injured in normal use and competition and schooling;

In consideration for the privilege of riding and/or working around horses at **Rhapsody Hill Farm**, Student and Parent for himself or herself and on behalf of Student, agree and acknowledge as follows:

1. Student and Parent hereby waive any and all claims for personal injury, death, illness, loss, expense, emotional condition or property damage that Student or Parent may have against **Rhapsody Hill Farm, Horses and its owners, family members, employees, agents and successors** (collectively hereinafter "RHF"), except to the extent said claims are caused by the gross negligence of RHF.
2. Student and Parent hereby forever release and hold harmless RHF from and against any and all liability or responsibility for any claims, loss, damage, injury, death, illness, emotional condition, medical or other expense, that Student or Parent may suffer or that Student or Parent may cause another to suffer arising out of Student's participation in the activities or programs of RHF or use of RHF's facilities, property or equipment, except to the extent said claims are caused by the gross negligence of RHF.
3. Student and Parent on behalf of themselves and any family member or spectator accompanying Student while on the premises of RHF further release and hold harmless RHF from and against any and all liability or responsibility for any claims, loss, damage, injury to such family member or spectator or to any horse owned or brought onto the premises of RHF by Student or Parent, except to the extent said claims are caused by the gross negligence of RHF.
4. Student and Parent acknowledge that they are each responsible for complying with all rules and practices of RHF, and they will comply with directions of the principals and employees of RHF while on the premises of RHF.
5. To induce the owner(s) of any horse at RHF that is not owned by RHF ("third party owner") to allow the Student to ride or work with such horse at RHF, the Student and Parent also:
  - a) agree that it is the duty of RHF and not the third-party owner to determine the ability of Student and others at RHF to engage safely in equine activities and to safely manage the horse owned by the third party owner;
  - b) waive any claims for injury or death of Student or any other person, or for damage to any property, that Student or Parent may have against the third-party owner, resulting from any equine activities of Student;
  - c) release the third-party owner from any action, claim for damages that either of them may have on account of injury or death of Student or any other person, or for damage to any property, in any manner related to or arising from equine activities at RHF; and
  - d) indemnify and hold harmless the third-party owner from all liability, damages, claims and costs, including without limitation attorney's fees, that any person may assert by reason of injury or death of any person or damage to any property caused in whole or in part by any act or omission of Student or Parent or any horse ridden by Student.

**I have read and understand the content of this release and waiver of liability agreement. I am aware that by executing this agreement, I am waiving certain legal rights that I, my child or our heirs, next of kin, executors or administrators may have against RHF.**

☐ I give permission for photos of me or my child to be taken and used in RHF promotional materials.

Note: Please complete **all** fields.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Student DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_