

Hearts & Hooves Volunteer Registration Form - Minor

Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____

Address: _____ Parent name: _____

City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Telephone (home): _____ Telephone (mobile): _____

Telephone (work): _____ Email: _____

Employer/Organization: _____ School: _____

Describe your horse experience (if any): _____

How did you hear of Hearts & Hooves? _____

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony? ____ No ____ Yes If yes, when? _____

In order to create the most meaningful volunteer experience, your input is valuable to us. Please tell us your expectations, goals or objectives for volunteering with our program:

Please indicate your choice of times to volunteer in order of preference (1st, 2nd, etc); mark all available times.

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
8:00 am						
9:00 a.m.						
10: 00 a.m.						
11:00 a.m.						
12:00 p.m.						
1:00 p.m.						
2:00 p.m.						
3:00 p.m.						
4:00 p.m.						
5:00 p.m.					X	X
6:00 p.m.					X	X

How would you like to support Hearts & Hooves and our special equestrians?

Horse handler: _____ Sidewalker: _____ Fundraising/marketing: _____

Grounds Maintenance: _____ Cleaning: _____ Public relations: _____

Clerical: _____ Gardening: _____ Photography: _____

Crafts: _____ Other: _____

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Medical History, Release & Emergency Contact Information (minor)

Participant: _____ Rider Volunteer Staff

DOB: ____/____/____ Age: ____ Height: ____ Weight: ____ Gender: M F

Address: _____ City: _____ AR Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Alternative #: _____ Mobile: _____

()Parent ()Legal Guardian ()Caregiver Name: _____

Address (if different than above): _____

Phone: _____ Alternative #: _____ Mobile: _____

Emergency contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Telephone: _____

Emergency contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Telephone: _____

Emergency contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Telephone: _____

Physician Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Hospital preference: _____ Insurance Co.: _____

Are there any known allergies (such as animal, insect, etc.) and/or health conditions (asthma, heart, high blood pressure, seizures, etc.) that might be affected by participation in activities at Hearts & Hooves? Y N If yes, please specify: _____

Do you have any physical and/or mental health conditions, problems and/or disabilities which may affect your ability to safely ride a horse or participate in the activities for which you have completed this form? Y N If yes, please specify (a statement from your physician may be required). _____

MEDICATIONS (include prescription & over-the-counter: name, dose, & frequency and reason for taking): _____

Has your physician or any treating specialist expressed concerns about riding or being near horses? Y N If yes, please attach a statement from the physician allowing for participation in these activities.

In the event of an emergency, I _____ consent / _____ do not consent for my child/ward to be treated by a doctor or trained medical professional at the stables or at a clinic or hospital near Hearts & Hooves.

I have completed the above information to the best of my knowledge and will assume the responsibility for my own health and safety or that of my minor child/ward during any activity associated with Hearts & Hooves.

Signature: _____
Parent or legal Guardian

Date: _____

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PARENTAL/GUARDIAN PERMISSION AGREEMENT AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I, _____ give permission for my child/ward, _____, to participate in activities relating to horses, either on my own horse(s) or on horse(s) provided by Hearts & Hooves, including but not limited to grooming and horseback riding with Hearts & Hooves.

I understand that the activity of riding or working with or around horses involves numerous risks of injury including loss of control, collisions or obstacles. I understand that an animal, irrespective of its training, and usual past behaviors and characteristics, may act or react unpredictably at times, based upon instinct or fright. I acknowledge that these are inherent risks to be assumed by each participant on the activity and that I allow my child to participate at his/her own risk. I agree to fully assume any risks of injury or death in connection with activities caused by or related to participation in activities with Hearts & Hooves.

I acknowledge that if I my child/ward has any allergies (i.e. insect, animal, etc.) or known medical conditions (i.e., asthma, high blood pressure, etc.) that might be affected by participation in horse activities that I am responsible for providing and administering the necessary medications. I understand that although Hearts & Hooves strives for and promotes safety in equine activities, I am solely responsible for my child/ward's health and safety at all times.

I am aware that Hearts & Hooves, its advertising agencies, news media and any other persons interested in its work may periodically take films and photographs. **They _____ may / _____ may not use pictures or videos of me or my child/ward and/or audio recordings of my child's/ward's or my voice.**

I have read all the information supplied by Hearts & Hooves and any questions I have about the activities or this or any other form have been answered. I recognize that accidents do occur and that certain risks and dangers exist in all activities. These risks include, but are not limited to, loss or damage to personal property, injury or fatality due to participation in activities, accident or illness in remote places, and accidents while traveling to and from activity sites. I understand that Hearts & Hooves does not carry any insurance on any horse or persons involved in any horse related activity if I bring my own horse or any other onto the property.

In consideration of my involvement with Hearts & Hooves, I personally assume any and all risks in connection with my child/ward's participation in the activities and I, on behalf of myself, my spouse, my heirs, assigns, and legal or personal representatives, hereby release all claims, including negligence, arising out of this participation and associated activities while on the premises, and I hereby indemnify and hold harmless Hearts & Hooves, Inc., their successors and assigns, their agents and employees, and their sponsors or affiliates from any liabilities, actions, and claims, including negligence, arising from any accident or injury to my person or property.

I understand that all information (written and/or verbal) about participants at this center is confidential and will not be shared with anyone outside the center without the express written consent from center management. I also understand that any pictures or videos I take while at Hearts & Hooves may not be published or forwarded in any format, including social media, without written consent from Hearts & Hooves.

I acknowledge that I have carefully read this agreement, that I fully understand its contents, and that I sign this form with full cognizance of its nature and effect. I acknowledge that the terms herein are contractual and not a mere recital. I further acknowledge that I am aware that I am releasing certain legal rights that I otherwise may have and that I am entering into this contract in behalf of myself and/or my family of my own freewill.

By signing this release, I acknowledge that I have carefully read the foregoing and that I fully understand its contents.

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

Signature of Participant (if 18 years of age or older)

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

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Barn Rules

Hearts & Hooves wants to provide you and our special equestrians the most meaningful riding experience. To help assure your enjoyment and safety, we ask that you observe the following guidelines at all times:

1. Please park in designated parking areas; do not block lane, shop door, drives or other vehicles.
2. All participants, family members and/or their guests are asked to stay in the designated "people areas" at all times unless explicitly instructed otherwise per occurrence. **Please do not go into barns or pastures unless specifically directed to by instructor (or allow siblings/guests to). Do not allow siblings or participants to play on wheelchair ramp or in entrance to arena.**
3. Please do not bring any personal pet(s) to the Stables; if you must, keep them in your vehicle.
4. Please respect this property. Place trash in designated receptacles.
5. **No running, yelling or smoking around the horses by participant or family member – you may scare the horse.** This includes while in direct contact with the horse as well as areas near the horse, i.e., waiting to mount, in bleacher area, **siblings watching lessons**, etc. This includes running or jumping on the bleachers.
6. **No gum or candy is allowed while in contact with the horse;** a participant may choke if the horse makes a sudden start or the horse may end up a mess if the drink, gum or candy is dropped! Volunteers and staff are role models. Drinks are only allowed if specifically approved by instructor each occurrence.
7. Smoking anywhere at the Stables is discouraged; smoke may scare the horses as well as present a fire hazard if the cigarette is improperly disposed of. No smoking in any of the barns or buildings. **If you must smoke, please discard any cigarette butts appropriately: not on the ground.**
8. Many horses are not accustomed to strangers and/or children. For your protection, do not pet horses that are not used in your lesson.
9. When approaching a horse, speak softly; a startled horse may kick or pull. Never tease or abuse a horse; bad and dangerous habits may develop.
10. Do not feed the horses treats unless supervised by an instructor. Fingers can sometimes be mistaken for carrots and some of our horses don't have the teeth to chew the treats! In addition, please do not put your hands on the muzzle (mouth) of the horse; although soft and inviting, it may teach a horse to nibble and therefore scare or injure a rider.
11. Horses should never be tied to stall doors in the barns or cross-boards on the fence (use posts instead).
12. Do not use barn owned or boarded horses, tack, etc. without consent every usage.
13. There are only two telephone lines at the stables, which you are welcome to use for local calls. Since it is a business phone, please limit your calls to 5 minutes.
14. Hearts & Hooves has many animals other than horses. Although Hearts & Hooves does not expect any harm, petting any of these animals is at the individual's risk. As with any animal, instinct due to fright or perceived danger may cause the animal to react accordingly.
15. **Climbing or playing in or on stored hay, fences, wheelchair ramp or gates is prohibited for participants or for guests.** Please stay out of all restricted areas and do not climb on any fences for your safety and the safety of our participants.

I have read the above rules and have been given a chance to ask questions concerning the ones that I do not understand. I agree to adhere to these rules and to explain them to any guest(s) that may come out with me at any time.

Signature - Participant/Volunteer

Date

Signature - Parent or Legal Guardian

Date