

**WILLOW POND STABLES, LLC**

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**ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK**

READ THIS FORM CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING IT.  
YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES THAT YOU UNDERSTAND IT.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, reside at \_\_\_\_\_ (Address),  
in (City), \_\_\_\_\_ (State), \_\_\_\_\_ (Zip) \_\_\_\_\_.

I HEREBY:

1. **ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HORSES ARE UNPREDICTABLE AND DANGEROUS!** I understand that a horse may, without limitation and without warning or apparent cause, buck, stumble, trip, roll, fall, rear, bite, kick, run, and make unpredictable movements or reactions to sounds, sudden movements, people, other animals, unfamiliar objects, and hazardous surface or subsurface conditions. Further, a horse may spook, jump obstacles, collide with another horse or person, step on a person's feet, push or shove a person, knock or throw a person to the ground, and that saddles or bridles (tack) may loosen or break – all or any of which may result in serious injury or death.
2. Acknowledge that due to the unpredictable nature of horses, working with horses in any manner, including but not limited to horseback riding, is an inherently dangerous activity and involves risks that may cause serious injury and, in some cases, death.
3. Acknowledge the risk and danger of injury or death inherent in being on the premises, the handling or riding of the horse(s), and use of saddles, bridles, and equipment provided to me by Willow Pond Stables, LLC.
4. Acknowledge and agree that ALL RIDERS MUST WEAR A PROTECTIVE HELMET.

**WARNING**

**UNDER THE MICHIGAN EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT,  
AN EQUINE PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO  
OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN AN EQUINE ACTIVITY RESULTING  
FROM AN INHERENT RISK OF AN EQUINE ACTIVITY (PA 351 of 1994).**

I have read this Acknowledgment of Risk form carefully and fully understand its contents.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Equine Participant**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Print Name of Equine Participant**

Willow Pond Stables, LLC

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_