



**RELEASE OF RESPONSIBILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND WAIVER**

Adults should be aware that despite the best efforts of stable owners, stables staff, teachers and instructors, there are many risks inherent to participation in horse activities by children. By their nature, horses have the propensity to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm or death to persons on or around them. Their reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement and unfamiliar objects, persons and animals is unpredictable.

We call to your attention the fact that children in particular have the potential to act in an inattentive and/or negligent manner that may contribute to harm to themselves or others.

WARNING: UNDER COLORADO LAW, AN EQUINE PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN EQUINE ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISKS OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES. (SECTION 13-21-120, CO. REVISED STATUTES.)

Please take the time to consider these issues carefully before deciding whether to sign below.

**WE ENCOURAGE QUESTIONS ABOUT ALL SAFETY ISSUES.**

Bearing the above admonition in mind, I as parent/guardian or responsible adult acting on their behalf and with their full knowledge, hereby release and discharge, indemnify and hold harmless Poudre River Stables, LLC, Karin Livingston, persons or entities acting on their behalf, and their successors and assigns, against all claims, demands and causes of action whatsoever, either in law or equity, relating to injury, disability, death or other harm, to person, property or both, arising from the named child's participation in any and all activities on or originating from stables property.

I have made a personal assessment of the potential risk to my child and accept it. I understand a suitable ASTM/SEI-approved helmet is required for all children whenever riding on stables land and other equipment, including but not limited to proper footwear, may be required at any time.

Child's Name (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Responsible Adult(s) (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_