

### RELEASE AND WAIVER

I acknowledge, understand, and agree that I am requesting to participate in equine related activities at The Grove at Five Points as a volunteer, participant, employee, owner, or spectator, and that involvement in these activities carry an inherent dangerous risk of loss and accident – including bodily and personal injuries, death, and property damage

Further, I understand that no horse is a completely safe horse. If a horse is frightened or provoked it may divert from its training and act according to its natural survival instincts which may include, but are not limited to: stopping short, changing direction or speed at will, bucking, rearing, kicking, biting, or running from danger.

By my participation, I expressly assume any and all risk of injury or loss, including death, and agree to indemnify and hold The Grove at Five Points and their agents, Jennifer Shattuck and Mike Caine, harmless from and against any and all claims suffered during, or in connection with, these activities, whether or not such claim, injury or loss resulted directly or indirectly from the negligent acts or omissions of said agents.

I am familiar with, and agree to abide by, appropriate equestrian safety practices. I agree that if I am a parent or guardian of a minor participant in equine activities on the Property, I consent to the participation by the minor and agree to all of the above provisions and agree to assume all of the obligations of this agreement on behalf of the minor.

PARTICIPANT

GUARDIAN OR PARENT OF PARTICIPANT  
(if participant is a minor)

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Print Name

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Print Name

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Signature

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### WARNING

Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities.