

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF EQUINE LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

All jockeys/riders, owners, contestants, and their family members are expected to display good sportsmanship at ALL times. No level of abuse toward any animal at this event will be allowed. Foul language, misconduct or abusive comments spoken to any contestant, spectator, staff member or volunteer will result in immediate contestant disqualification and no refund or entry fees. Contestants are also responsible for traveling companions and family members. All decisions made by the race director/producer are final in submitting my entry. By signing this release and waiver and assumption of risk and indemnity agreement, I hereby release the show organizers: Robin Frost, Lawrence Frost, Barbara Lasko, Apple Hill Stables, LLC, and anyone else from any claim or right for damages which may occur to me, my horse, my child, or any other property at this event. I realize that there are certain risks in any sport, and I take full responsibility for myself and/or my child if an accident should occur. It is also understood that by signing this entry, I have read, understand and agree to abide by all rules.

I/we hereby enter into this Release and Waiver of Equine Liability, Assumption of Risk, and Indemnity

Agreement (this "Agreement") as consideration for being a participant in or spectator of equine activities at Apple Hill Stables, LLC, located at 4261 Union Street, Levant, Maine 04456.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, YOU ARE GIVING UP CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE

RIGHT TO RECOVER DAMAGES IN CASE OF BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE

ARISING OUT OF YOUR PARTICIPATION IN EQUINE ACTIVITIES AT APPLE HILL STABLES, LLC,

WHETHER CAUSED BY NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE.

READ THIS AGREEMENT CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING IT. YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES YOUR

UNDERSTANDING OF AND AGREEMENT TO ITS TERMS.

By signing this form, I/we hereby acknowledge on behalf of myself and/or my child(ren) that I/we have

familiarized myself with the activities that I and/or my child(ren) will be allowed to participate in, and I/we do hereby acknowledge and agree that I and/or my child(ren) will participate in these activities without restriction or limitation. I/we recognize the inherent risks of equine activities, including but not limited to:

- Bites, kicks, abrasions or contusions from horses
- Being thrown or bucked off by horses
- Scratches or other injury from stalls or enclosures
- Scratches or other injury from grooming tools and other equine equipment and tack
- Allergic reactions to animals, hay or other allergens
- Tripping in holes or on materials or equipment
- Slipping, falling, or otherwise being injured in the barn, in stalls, or on the grounds, which can be slippery, muddy, wet or contain or present other hazards

I/we hereby specifically forever waive and release Apple Hill Stables, LLC, its related entities and any of

their members, owners, principals, agents, representatives, employees, equine professionals, or facilities, as well as the owners of any horses leased to and used by Apple Hill Stables, LLC in conducting its business (collectively, the "Released Parties"), from any liability for any bodily injury, death, or loss of personal property and expenses thereof arising out of the inherent risks of

participating in equine activities, including without limitation the risks listed above, EVEN IF THE RELEASED PARTIES NEGLIGENTLY CAUSED THE BODILY INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE.

I/we hereby acknowledge that although there may be supervision by one or more equine professionals

at Apple Hill Stables, LLC, there will not be a nurse on the premises and the Released Parties bear no

responsibility for my or my child(ren)'s health or medical care.

I/we certify that I/we have sufficient health, accident, and liability insurance to cover any bodily injury, death, or property damage caused to a third party as a result of my and/or my child(ren)'s participation

in equine activities. If I/we have no such insurance, I/we certify capability for personally paying for all such expenses.

I/we agree to indemnify, save, and hold harmless the Released Parties from and against any loss, liability, damage, attorneys' fees, or cost that any of them may incur arising out of or in any way connected with either my and/or my child(ren)'s participation in equine activities at Apple Hill Stables, LLC.

I/we hereby acknowledge that I/we have fully read this Agreement and clearly understand and accept

the entire document. I/we understand that it affects my and/or my child(ren)'s legal rights and hereby consent to be bound by its terms. I/we sign this Agreement of my and/or my child(ren)'s own free will with full knowledge of its consequences and herein acknowledge that this Agreement shall be binding

on me and/or my child(ren) during the entire period of participation in equine activities, whether on this date or any subsequent date.

If I and/or my child(ren) participate in equine activities at Apple Hill Stables, LLC, I and/or my child(ren)

assume any such risk and hereby acknowledge and agree that the Released Parties shall bear no responsibility for the inherent risks involved in participating in equine activities.

WARNING: Under Maine law, an equine professional has limited liability for an injury or death resulting

from the inherent risks of equine activities.

Contestant/Rider Signature:

_____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 18):

_____ Date: _____