

# CAMP CARTER YMCA HORSEBACK RIDING INFORMATION FORM & RELEASE



**Note:** Children must be 7 years of age or older to ride without parental assistance. Ring rides are offered for younger children.

Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently taking medication (prescribed or otherwise)? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, what are you taking & how does it affect you? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any allergies or reactions to medications? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please identify & explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wear contact lenses? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you had surgery in the past year? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any physical conditions that would prevent you from participating in horseback riding?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

## RELEASE OF LIABILITY:

I am aware that **all** participants must wear a riding helmet, long pants and proper riding boots. I also understand that as a participant I will assume the risk of physical injury that could result from this activity. I also understand the Wrangler will teach Stop, Start and Turn procedures to each group in the arena and that said Wrangler will make the decision if the group as a whole can ride out of the arena on a trail ride. If **all** participants in the group cannot control his or her horse the Wrangler may make the decision to continue the ride only in the arena area. By signing this release, I further understand:

The YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth will not assume responsibility for any injury incurred while participating in any athletic events, childcare programs, parent/child events & outings, special events, sports programs, or any related YMCA sponsored activities. Certain risks of injury are inherent during participation in these programs and events. Nor will the YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth be responsible for any lost or stolen items while members and/or program participants are using YMCA facilities, on YMCA premises, or on off-site YMCA programs locations. I, the undersigned for myself and my heirs, do hereby release the YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth and its employees and agents from any and all claims for injury, loss, or damage I may suffer as a result of my participation, including any injury caused by the negligence, if any, of the YMCA, its officers, employees, agents, volunteers, or the negligence of anyone else. I give my permission to the YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth to use photographs, film footage, or tape recordings, which may include my image or voice for purposes of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs for no compensation.

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature (if under 19) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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