

2BU Youth Ranch

Hereinafter known as "Ranch"
17412 E Foothills Rd
Spokane, WA 99217

PLEASE FILL OUT ONE PER **INDIVIDUAL** VISITING THE
RANCH AND PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

**Equine Riding Instruction and/or Training instructions and/or Participation in Other Ranch Activities Agreement,
Liability Release and Assumption of Risk of Agreement**

READ CAREFULLY AND COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS BEFORE SIGNING

First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____

Emergency Contact Info

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Phone #: (_____) _____ - _____

Relationship to participant: _____

Medical Insurance Info

My medical insurance company is: _____

My policy number is: _____

I do not carry medical insurance

Safety Questions

Does this participant have any physical or mental condition(s), which may affect his/her safety and ability to ride, drive and/or train a horse?

YES NO (Circle One)

If you circled "YES" how can we help them with their special needs?

REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANT AND AGREEMENT PURPOSE I, the above listed individual hereinafter known as the "PARTICIPANT", and the parents or legal guardians thereof if a minor, do hereby voluntarily agree to participate in all the RANCH activities including horse riding as a student of this RANCH, and that if I ride a horse provided by THIS RANCH, I will do so for instruction purposes.

AGREEMENT ACOPE AND TERRITORY AND DEFINITIONS: This agreement shall be legal binding upon me the registered PARTICIPANT, and the parents or legal guardians thereof of a minor, my heirs, estate, assigns, including all minor children, and personal representatives: and it shall be interpreted according to the laws of the state and county of THIS RANCH'S physical location. This agreement is intended to be valid and binding at all times now and in the future when THIS RANCH permits me (directly or indirectly) to enter THIS RANCH property, be on THIS RANCH'S property, be near any horse, receiving riding and/or training instruction or guidance from its associates and/or when I ride and /or train and/or am near horses on or off of THIS RANCH'S property. Any dispute by the PARTICIPANT shall be litigated in, and venue shall be the county in which THIS RANCH is physically located. This agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as the law permits. If any clause, phrase or word is in conflict with state law, then the single part in null and void. The term "HORSE" and "EQUINE" shall refer to all equine species. The term "I", "WE", "ME", "MY" shall all herein refer to the above registered participant and the parent of legal guardians thereof if a minor.

INHERENT RISKS/ASSUMPTION OF RISKS I/WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT: Risks, conditions, and dangers are inherent in (meaning and integral part of horse/equine/animal activities/ranch activities, regardless of all feasible safety measures which can be taken, and I agree to assume them. The inherent risk include, but are not limited to any of the following: The propensity of an animal to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, death, or loss to persons on or around the animals; the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to sound, sudden movement, unfamiliar objects, persons, or other animals; Hazards, including, but not limited to, surface, or substance conditions; A collision, encounter and/or confrontation with another equine, another animal, a person, or an object; The potential of an equine activity participant to act in a negligent manner that my contribute to injury, harm, death, or loss to the participant or to other persons, including but not limited to, failing to maintain control over the equine and/or falling to act within the ability of the participant. Horses are 5-15 times larger, 20-40 times more powerful, and 3-4 times faster than a human. If a participant falls from horse to ground it will generally be a distance from 3.5 to 5.5 feet and the impact may result in harm to the participant. Horseback riding and equine training are activities in which one smaller, weaker predator (the human) tries to impose its will on, and become one unit of movement with, another much larger, stronger prey animal that has a mind if its own (the horse) and each has limited understanding of the other. If a horse is frightened or provoked it may divert from its training and Bucking; Rearing; Kicking; Biting and/or Running from danger. **I also acknowledge that these are just some of the risk and I agree to assume others not mentioned above. I am not relying on THIS RANCH to list all possible risks for me.**

CONDITIONS OF NATURE WARNING, UNFAMILIAR AND SUDDEN SIGHTS, SOUNDS AND MOVEMENTS WARNING, AND INSOECTIONS OF PREMISES I/WE AGREE THAT: This RANCH is NOT responsible for total or partial acts, occurrences, or elements of nature and/or sudden and/or unfamiliar sights, sounds and/or sudden movements that can scare a horse, cause it to fall, or reaction some other unsafe way. SOME EXAMPLES ARE: Thunder, lightning, rain, wind, wild and domestic animals, insects, reptiles, which may walk, run or fly near, or bite or sting a horse or person; and irregular footing on out-or-door groomed or wild land which is subject to constant change in condition according to weather, temperature, and natural and man-made changes in landscape. I also understand that these are just some of the risks and I agree to assume others mentioned not mentioned above. I am not relying on the ranch to list all possible conditions for me. The participant and parent or legal guardian have inspected this RANCH'S facilities and are satisfied that all premises conditions are reasonably safe for this participant's intended purpose, usage and presence upon this RANCH'S premises.

SADDLE GIRTH/NATURAL LOOSENING I/WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT: Saddle girths (fastener straps around horse's belly) may loosen during riding. Participants must alert the instructor or attendant of any girth looseness so action can be taken to avoid slippage of saddle and the potential for the participant to fall from the horse.

PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR/HELMET WARNING I/WE AGREE THAT: I for myself and on behalf of my child and/or legal ward have been fully warned and advised by THIS RANCH that protective headgear/helmet, which meets or exceeds the quality standards of the SEI CERTIFIED ASTM STANDARD F 1163 Equestrian Helmet, should be worn while riding and/or driving and/or training and/or being near horses, and I understand that wearing of such headgear/helmet at these times may reduce severity of some of the wearer's head injuries and possibly prevent the wearer's death from happening as the result of a fall and other occurrences. **I am not relying on THIS RANCH and/or its associates to provide a certified helmet for me or to check any headgear/helmet or headgear/helmet strap that I may wear, or to monitor my compliance with this suggestion at any time now or in the future.**

EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT (EALA) WARNING OR LANGUAGE: I/WE ACKNOWLEDGE THAT: I have reviewed this state's EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT WARNING OR LANGUAGE, a copy of which is attached hereto, and incorporated as if full set forth herein. **INSTRUCTION TO SIGNERS: DO NOT SIGN UNLESS A COPY OF THE EALA WARNING OR LANGUAGE IS ATTACHED TO THIS AGREEMENT.**

MEDICAL INSURANCE: I/WE AGREE THAT: Should medical treatment be required, I and/or my medical insurance company shall pay for **ALL such incurred expenses.**

PHOTO RELEASE I/WE RELEASE: release all rights to photos taken of you or the above mentioned for future use by 2BU Youth Ranch, its staff, founders, and/or Board of Directors in ranch publications, videos, books, newsletters, etc.

Please check all that currently apply to this Participant

- Age 18 or Older
- Under age 18
- Over 240 Lbs?
- Under 10 hours riding experience?
- Over 10 hours riding experience?

