

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. Colorado State Statute §13-21-119.

**SUNDANCE SCHOOL OF RIDING, LLC,  
AND  
ARVADA INDOOR EQUESTRIAN CENTER**  
Rules and Responsibilities of Participant/Guest/Boarder Agreement

Sundance School of Riding, LLC (Sundance) is the Manager of Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center.

*Participant/Guest/Boarder must initial and sign on the next page to show agreement with each rule and responsibility. Participant includes, but not limited to, Students, Riders and/or Guests observing.*

Barn Hours 8:00 AM to 10:00 PM

**GENERAL:**

- \* NO SMOKING, drug use (including all types of marijuana) or alcohol use.
- \* All Guests are the responsibility of the Boarder and/or Student and must sign Release of Liability and Rules & Regulations forms before being allowed on the premises.
- \* Please park only in designated parking areas and drive no faster than 5 mph while on Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center property. Parking is not allowed in front of the barn entrances, arena gates, portable fencing, and on the roads in and out of the facility.
- \* Trailer parking is allowed in designated areas. There is a charge for trailer parking.
- \* Trailers and personal property is stored at your own risk, Sundance and/or Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center is not responsible for the loss or damage of such property.
- \* Latex balloons, firecrackers and other potential noise making items are prohibited.
- \* You and your Guests must wear closed-toe footwear at all times even if not riding or handling a horse. Bare feet, sandals or other footwear that leaves the foot exposed is prohibited.
- \* Special arrangements must be made with Sundance Management if you need to need to be on the premises outside of stated operating hours.
- \* Abuse of any animal or person is not allowed.
- \* Horses are not allowed where underground septic systems are located including in front of the main barn.
- \* I WILL SHUT ALL GATES!
- \* All trainers and farriers on Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center property are subject to the approval of Sundance Management and must complete The Release of Liability Form and Rules and Regulations Form before performing any services.
- \* Boarders may use the round pens for a maximum of 15 minutes.

- \* Boarders that have a horse(s) turned out in a round pen must remain on the property, and be available to remove their horse(s).
- \* A signed release must be in place before entering any other stall or working with any horse other than your own.
- \* Arena and round pen areas should never be used to feed or bathe your horse. Horses should be fed in their stalls and bathed at the wash stations.
- \* I will promptly notify Sundance Management, not a volunteer or other trainers, of any malfunctioning, defective or faulty equipment and any hazardous or dangerous conditions.
- \* The only people authorized and licensed to conduct business out of Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center is Sundance School of Riding, LLC. Anyone in Violation "i.e." brokering of horses, taking people out for trail rides for a fee, training without the written expressed endorsement of Sundance will be subject to immediate termination of contract and eviction.
- \* If you use a water hose anywhere on the property, it must be disconnected from the water hydrant, drained completely of water, and recoiled on the ground after each use.
- \* Trailer-in and ride-in horses are allowed in designated areas with prior Sundance Management approval.
- \* A community tack room is available only for horses boarded in the barn.

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**CHILDREN:**

- \* Children under the age of 8 must be supervised by a responsible adult at all times, and ALL children/adults may not yell, run or otherwise spook the horses.
- \* No children are allowed on or around tractors or equipment, whether running or not.
- \* No baby strollers, bicycles, motorized vehicles or toys likely to spook horses are permitted without prior permission from Sundance Management.
- \* All minors/children will be made aware of these rules and regulations by their Guardian.
- \* Any Participants/Boarders/Guests that have minors who ride the horse(s) are responsible for the minor to follow all rules stated in this Rules and Responsibilities Agreement.

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**DOGS:**

- \* No Dogs are Allowed on the premises.
- \* If you have a Service Dog, all required paperwork must be submitted and approved by Sundance Management prior to the dog being allowed on the premises.

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**TRAINERS:**

- \* All trainers and instructors must be pre-approved by Sundance Management, must carry commercial liability insurance, and must agree and sign the Professional Use Policy.

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**SAFETY AND ETIQUETTE RULES:**

- \* I agree to adhere in strict accordance with all instructions received from Sundance Management personnel.
- \* If I am not clear on an instruction, I will immediately request clarification to my satisfaction.
- \* I will act with cooperation and consideration for others.
- \* I will ride under control. I will keep my horse under control at all times.
- \* I will be courteous to riders and always aware of activity around me.
- \* I will not ride in aisle ways.
- \* I will clean up after myself, my horse, my guests, farriers and vets immediately and at all times.
- \* I will keep the arenas, round pens, tack room, aisle ways and wash station clean and neat.
- \* I will pick up and put away tack, manure forks and all other equipment when I am done using it.
- \* I will NEVER leave my horse unattended outside the horse's assigned pen.
- \* I will tie my horse only in designated areas to tie rails or rings. All horses must be tied with a quick-release knot or snap. Never tie to panels, gates, stall doors, round pens or fence rails.
- \* I will remove lead ropes, halters, and grooming supplies from the tack area before I leave to ride.
- \* I will not approach an animal without the owner's supervision and/or express permission. (For the safety of all concerned).
- \* If someone else has their horse tied in the grooming area, I will ASK before tying my horse next to it.
- \* If my horse is tied in a place where others want to pass through, I will move my horse promptly so that they can pass safely.
- \* I will not access feed or bedding supplies without express permission from Sundance Management.
- \* My feed and treat supply will be stored in a rodent proof container.
- \* Each Boarder must supply a properly fitted halter and lead rope for each horse and store them in plain view on the stall door.
- \* If I require music or other audio for my riding I will ask others before playing the audio.
- \* I will ensure that my horse can safely load and unload from a trailer.
- \* I will not borrow or handle other Boarder's property without their express permission.
- \* I will not feed ANYTHING to other Boarder's horses without their express permission.
- \* I WILL SHUT ALL GATES.

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**RIDING SAFETY AND ARENA ETIQUETTE:**

- \* All riders who are jumping must wear a properly fitted ASTM/SEI riding helmet with the chinstrap securely fastened.
- \* All minors must wear a properly fitted ASTM/SEI riding helmet with the chinstrap securely fastened, at all times, riding.

- \* All riders over 18 years of age that choose not to use a helmet while riding must fill out a Helmet Rejection Waiver.
- \* All riders must wear proper attire at all times, including closed-toe footwear with a heel.
- \* No one may jump on premises without another adult present and prior permission from Sundance Management.
- \* Longeing is only permitted in round pens and other designated longeing areas. You may longe your horse while riders are in the arena only with those rider's permission.
- \* Riders going in opposite directions must pass left-shoulder to left-shoulder, and riders going in the same direction must pass only on the inside.
- \* Equipment such as jumps, barrels or poles may only be set up by or under the direction of Sundance Management or approved trainers.
- \* If any rider falls, all other riders must immediately halt their horses and dismount, assist the fallen rider, then inform Sundance Management.
- \* Please pick up your horses manure.
- \* All activities must yield to lessons. All longeing must yield to riders.
- \* All mounting, dismounting and tack adjustments need to be done in the middle of the arena.

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**OTHER PEOPLE, WITH YOUR HORSE:**

- \* If someone else will be riding or caring for your horse while you are away, you must inform Sundance Management prior.
- \* If you lease your horse, you must provide Sundance Management with a copy of the lease agreement.
- \* Sundance will occasionally host trainers, clinicians or groups at which times the arena may be closed to riders not participating in the activity. Times and dates will be posted ahead of time and Boarders are encouraged to participate.

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**MEDICAL & VETERINARY:**

- \* I assert I have disclosed any and all health issues or medication that is relevant to Participant/Boarder/Guest's (including all minor children) participation or observation of any activities at Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center.
- \* I will cease any and all activity at Arvada Indoor Equestrian Center and promptly report any unusual feelings (e.g., physical discomfort, nausea, trouble breathing, apparent injury) and fill out Sundance Incident Form available at the Barn Office, on my and/or my minor child(ren)'s behalf.
- \* I agree that Sundance and their agents can administer emergency first aid and CPR when deemed necessary and is available by Sundance and/or their agents.
- \* I authorize Sundance and their agents to secure medical and/or veterinary care when it is deemed necessary by Sundance and/or their agents.
- \* I authorize emergency transport to medical and/or veterinary care should that be deemed necessary by Sundance and/or their agents.
- \* I authorize Sundance and their agents to share my medical information with emergency or medical personnel if deemed necessary by Sundance and/or their agents.

- \* I release Sundance from all liability and indemnify Sundance against all expenses incurred for any and all care and transportation listed above.
- \* All of the above pertains to myself and my minor child(ren).

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**I RECOGNIZE THAT EQUINE ACTIVITIES ARE DANGEROUS AND I AGREE TO ACCEPT ANY AND ALL RISKS** on behalf of myself, my minor child(ren) and my equine (horse pony, mule, donkey or ass).

I AGREE TO ADHERE AND FOLLOW ALL THE RULES AND RESPONSIBILITIES LISTED ON THE RULES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTICIPANTS, BOARDER AND GUESTS DOCUMENT I HAVE INITIALED.

Signature of Participant/Boarder/Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Participant/Boarder/Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian for Child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name and age: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_