

**Oak Knoll Equestrian Center**  
**&**  
**Alicia Swinton Equestrian**  
**RELEASE and WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

**Alicia Swinton owner of Alcia Swinton Equestrian 707-758-3056**

**NOTICE TO VISITOR/VOLUNTEER/PARTICIPANT/STUDENT WORKERS/ASSISTANTS/ INSTRUCTORS (BOARDERS/RIDERS/STUDENTS), HEREON AFTER I and GUARDIAN, (If applicable), *MUST READ THIS ENTIRE DOCUMENT AND INITIAL EACH PARAGRAPH BEFORE SIGNING IT. BY SIGNING THE DOCUMENT AGREE TO ALL ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS...***

1. Visitors/Volunteers/Participants/Boarders/Riders under the age of 18 years and their parent/ legal guardian must read the entire *Oak Knoll Equestrian's Release and waiver of liability*. After reading, Parent or legal Guardian of Minor involved must agree to the terms of this waver by signing their signature and initial in designated areas on *Oak Knoll Equestrian and Alicia Swinton Equestrian* release and waiver of liability(SRS form),

I \_\_\_\_\_(Visitor/Volunteer/Helper/Participant/Boarder/Rider/ Parent/Guardian hereon after I), ACKNOWLEDGE that in order to participate in Oak Knoll Equestrian/*Alicia Swinton Equestrian*, I must follow all written and verbal terms and rules listed in all SRS form(s), as well as on the premises, 1571 Oak Knoll Lane, Newcastle 95658.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Intial) \_\_\_\_\_(Guardian Initial)

I \_\_\_\_\_, fully understand, acknowledge, and appreciate the risk of injury involved with horses (also including ponies, mules, or donkeys) and in participating as a Visitor/Volunteer/Groom/Rider/Helper at/for Oak Knoll Equestrian. I also agree to exercise common sense, respect, and FOLLOW instructions and/or commands given to me by Alicia Swinton (ASE owner/instructor/trainer), and I agree to ALWAYS ASK QUESTIONS if I do NOT understand any instructions/commands I am given to insure my safety, and the safety of all students/horses/fellow peers at OKEC...

\_\_\_\_\_ (initial) \_\_\_\_\_(Guardian Initial)

I ACKNOWLEDGE that mounted and un-mounted equestrian activities, including but not limited to: working with a horse, grooming, feeding, caretaking, riding a horse,

driving or riding in a cart drawn by a horse, riding, and other mounted and

un-mounted equestrian activities, AND ANY ACTIVITIES THAT INVOLVE BEING AROUND/HANDLING/RIDING HORSES are INHERENTLY DANGEROUS ACTIVITIES, which involve a risk of injury, accidents, illnesses or even death. I ACKNOWLEDGE that I may sustain any of the listed injuries/illnesses. I EXPRESSLY ASSUME ALL KNOWN /UNKNOWN RISKS involved in such activities when working with horses at Oak Knoll Equestrian/Alicia Swinton Equestrian and choose to PARTICIPATE AT MY OWN RISK. Pregnant women should ride horses only under the advice of their physician. Stable advises pregnant women to abstain from Horseback Riding and horse related activities, including both unmounted and mounted activities.

\_\_\_\_\_ (initial) \_\_\_\_\_(Guardian Initial)

I ACKNOWLEDGE that due to the nature of equestrian activities, accidents can and do occur, even if the utmost care and safety is exercised. I hereby, EXPRESSLY WAIVE, RELEASE, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE Oak Knoll Equestrian/Alicia Swinton Equestrian and property owners Bryan and Tracy Wiklund (and their Instructors, Volunteers, Helpers, Assistants, Agents, Employees, Sponsors, and Affiliates), from ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, CLAIM, LOSS, DAMAGE, COST, OR EXPENSE arising from, or attributable in any legal way to, ANY NEGLIGENT ACT OR OMISSION on the part of any such person or organization.

\_\_\_\_\_ (initial) \_\_\_\_\_(Guardian Initial)

I AGREE THAT: I, for myself and on behalf of my child and/or legal ward, have been fully warned and advised that protective headgear which meets or exceeds the quality standards of the SEI CERTIFIED ASTM STANDARD F 1163 Equestrian Helmet should be purchased and worn while riding and being near horses and I do understand that the wearing of such headgear at these times may reduce the severity of some head injuries and possibly prevent death as the result of a fall or other occurrences.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Initial) \_\_\_\_\_(Guardian Initial)

I ACKNOWLEDGE that I have carefully read this waiver and release, and that I fully understand that it is a RELEASE OF LIABILITY. I also ACKNOWLEDGE that I am waiving any and all rights that I may have to bring a lawsuit in which I could assert claim against Oak Knoll Equestrian/Alicia Swinton Equestrian and any of its affiliates, including but not limited to owner/operator, Alicia Swinton, and all affiliates hired by Alicia Swinton involved in Oak Knoll Equestrian/Alicia Swinton Equestrian and all the other persons mentioned for any damages caused by negligence of the aforementioned parties. I hereby consent to the terms of this waiver.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Visitors/Volunteers/Participants/Boarders/Riders under the age of 18 years, I ACKNOWLEDGE that I have carefully read this waiver and release on behalf of my child or ward, and that I fully understand that it is a RELEASE OF LIABILITY. I ACKNOWLEDGE that I am waiving any and all rights that I have to bring a lawsuit in which I could assert claim against Oak Knoll Equestrian, Alicia Swinton Equestrian, Alicia Swinton, owners of premises and all the other persons mentioned for any damages caused by the negligence of the aforementioned parties. Parents or guardians of Visitors/Volunteers/Participants/Boarders/Riders will reimburse Oak Knoll/ASE for defense costs and any judgment associated with any subsequent lawsuit. I hereby consent to the terms of this waiver and allow my child or ward to participate as a visitor/volunteer/participant/boarder/rider at Oak Knoll Equestrian/Alicia Swinton Equestrian.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

(Parent/Legal Guardian Signature if visitor/volunteer/participant is under 18 years of age)

\*Would you like us to contact you by phone/email about our future camps? Please check all that apply:

\_\_\_\_\_:Spring \_\_\_\_\_:Summer \_\_\_\_\_:Fall \_\_\_\_\_:Winter

**\*\*\*CANCELTATION POLICY-** No Call/No Show- FULL charge of lesson cost. NO EXCEPTIONS!

\*\*Less than 24 hours notice to cancel lesson- May be charged up to full price of lesson scheduled (up to discretion of Alicia Swinton-owner Alicia Swinton Equestrian) \*\*\*When signed up for events/home/away shows/cross country practice/any trailer outings and cancel at anytime after signing up, you can be charged up to total fee of event/home or away show/cross country practice/any trailer outings (including trailering fee, and coaching fee) UP to discretion of Owner/Trainer Alicia Swinton (Owner of Alicia Swinton Equestrian)

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*For cancelation policy- Your card will only be charged if you violate the cancelation policy**

Credit card number:

\_\_\_\_\_ Expiration:

\_\_\_\_\_ 3 digit code:

\_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code:

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