

# Harvest Farm/Rally

## Hold Harmless/Release

The undersigned acknowledges the inherent risk involved in riding and working around horses, which risks include bodily injury from using, riding or being in close proximity to horses among other risks, and further that both horse and rider can be injured in normal use or in competition and schooling.

In consideration for the privilege of riding and working around horses at **the MidSouth Regional Polocrosse Rally** the undersigned does hereby agree to hold harmless and indemnify the **US Pony Club, MidSouth Region, Huntsville Pony Club, Harvest Farm**, their officers, sponsors, and members and further release them from any liability or responsibility for accident, damage, injury or illness to Undersigned or any horse owned by me or to any family member or spectator accompanying the Undersigned on the premises of the **Harvest Farm, Harvest, AL**.

**I fully understand that riding and the playing of polocrosse is a dangerous activity.** I fully understand that riding is a very dangerous activity with many inherent risks including (i) The propensity of an equine to behave in dangerous ways, which may result in injury to the rider, trainer, groom, or handler, (ii) The inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons, or animals. I wish to participate in these activities knowing they are dangerous. I accept and assume all the risks of injury (including death) to my property or me.

**In exchange for being permitted to participate in these activities for myself, my heirs, guardian, and legal representatives, I release and agree not to make or bring any claim of any kind against US Pony Club, MidSouth, Huntsville Pony Club, Harvest Farm, or their masters, officers, directors, members, employees, or guests or any landowners, landholders or the persons making property available for the MidSouth Polocrosse Rally, for injury (including death), to me or any damage to my property whether from anyone's negligence or not, or any other cause, arising out of my participation in these dangerous horseback riding or related activities; and I also agree if anyone makes any claims because of any injury to me (including death), or for any damage to my property, I will keep all those released by this agreement free of any damages or costs because of those claims. My signature hereby indicates my agreement.**

Rider Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Warning:** Under Alabama law, an equine activity sponsor or 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, pursuant to the Equine Activities Liability Protection Act.