



**HORSE & PONY SHOW PARTICIPANT RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

***READ BEFORE SIGNING***

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the BLUFFTON FREE STREET FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC. Horse & Pony Show program, related events and activities, I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned, acknowledge, appreciate, and agree that:

1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and,
2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
3. I willingly agree to comply with the state and customary terms and conditions for participation. If however I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE, INDEMNIFY, AND DEFEND, AND HOLD HARMLESS THE BLUFFTON FREE STREET FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC., CIVIL CITY OF BLUFFTON, WELLS COUNTY 4-H ASSOCIATION, their officers, officials, agents and/or employees, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event (“Releasees”), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND IT’S TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

x \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
*Participant’s Signature OWNER AND RIDER/SHOW*

**FOR PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF PARTICIPANTS OF MINOR AGE**

(Under age 18 at time of registration)

This is to certify that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for this participant, do contest and agree to his/her release as provided above of all the Releasees, and, for myself, my heirs, assigns, and next of kin, I release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities incident to my minor child’s involvement or participation in these programs as provided above, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
*Parent/Guardian’s Signature*

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*Emergency Phone #(s)*

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