



**LUWISOMO Outdoor Ministry and Retreat Center  
Waiver of Liability and Legal Release for LUWISOMO Stables  
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I, \_\_\_\_\_, acknowledge and accept that horseback riding and activities related thereto, involve the risk of personal injury. By my signature, (and, in case of a minor, the parent's or guardian's signature), they and I, hereby waive all rights, if any, claims, causes of action and lawsuits against LUWISOMO Outdoor Ministry and Retreat Center and its employees for any injury, liability, or damages which may occur while riding any horse, whether leased or owned by LUWISOMO or by any other person, or for any injury or damages which may occur while participating in any activity related to horseback riding. I agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless LUWISOMO or any person or entity whose land a horseback ride crosses, for any accident, injury, or loss that might occur, and free such persons from all liability for such injury or loss. I understand that horseback riding always involves danger and I ride at my own risk.

I understand that horseback riding involves being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communications, transportation, and medical facilities; that these areas have many natural and man-made hazards which horseback riders cannot anticipate, identify, modify, or eliminate; that horses can be excitable, difficult to control, and unpredictable; and that accidents can happen to anyone at any time

I agree to take full responsibility for myself and the animal I am riding. I am aware that wearing a certified safety helmet is a good preventive measure against head injury, and further understand that helmets are required for all riders. (If you do not have the required helmet LUWISOMO will provide one for you) My signature below constitutes acceptance of the above terms and conditions. I have read and fully understand this liability release.

**Medical Release Horse/Rider**

I further agree to allow and be financially responsible for any necessary emergency medical treatment by any available physician at any available medical institution in the event of my injury or illness. I have read and understand this liability release.

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Initialed \_\_\_\_\_

**Notice of Wisconsin Law Provisions**

...A participant in a recreational activity...accepts the risk inherent in the recreational activity of which the ordinary prudent person is or should be aware.

1. Act within the limits of his or her ability.
2. Heed all warnings regarding participation in the recreational activity
3. Maintain control of his or her person and the equipment, devices, or animals the person is using while participating in the recreational activity.
4. Refrain from acting in any manner that may cause or contribute to injury to himself or herself or to other persons while participating in the recreational activity.

**A violation of this law constitutes negligence**

**WIS STATS 895.525 (3) (4)**

**NOTICE:**

***A person who is engaged for compensation in the rental of equines or equine equipment or tack or in the instruction of a person in the riding or driving of an equine or in being a passenger upon an equine is not liable for the injury or death of a person involved in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, as defined in Section 895.481 (1) (e) of the Wisconsin Statutes.***

Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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**Requirements for Participating in LUWISOMO Trial Rides:**

- Riders must be 8 years of age or older (no exceptions)
- All riders must wear a helmet
- Riders must be wearing suitable attire such as long pants, shirts, and shoes that are closed toed closed healed shoes
- No Running or Screaming
- No Riding Double
- Riders must remain with the group at all times
- When riding do not hold your horse back, or trot your horse to catch up
- If you are not riding you must sit on a bench or remain in your car
- Anyone not following these rules will be unable to ride or continue on their trail ride

**Print Name**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

**Rider Signature**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Guardian/Parent if Rider is a Minor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone

\_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address

In Case of Accident Notify: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Any Known Medical Conditions \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Wrangler's /Stable Director's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*LUWISOMO Outdoor Ministry and Retreat Center is dedicated to providing faith-growing opportunities in a Christ-centered outdoor ministry setting for all ages to refresh the whole person through the blessings of people, facilities, and God's Word.*