



GRAND PARADISE RANCH  
**SPORT HORSE SHOW**  
**OCTOBER 16-17, 2021**

APPROVED BY:  
THT, WDAIL & WDAA

**PLEASE NOTE**  
MISHO-SLADS-AQHA RECOGNITION  
PENDING CONFIRMATION OF  
SOMEONE ATTENDING SHOW THAT  
WOULD LIKE POINTS COUNTED

ENTRIES CLOSE:  
Friday, OCTOBER 8, 2021

FOR SHOW UPDATES, VISIT  
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# **HALLOWEEN SPORT HORSE SHOW** **OCTOBER 16-17, 2021**

**DEADLINE TO SIGN UP IS OCTOBER 8, 2021**

**OCT 16 CLASSICAL DRESSAGE / WESTERN DRESSAGE**

**OCT 17 HUNTER / JUMPERS**

*HALLOWEEN COSTUMES OPTIONAL KEEPING SAFETY OF RIDER AND HORSE IN MIND*

**OCT 17 HALLOWEEN HORSE / RIDER COSTUME CLASSES**

PLEASE SIGN UP FOR THIS SHOW VIA REGISTRATION FORMS IN THE GRAND PARADISE RANCH VIEWING ROOM.  
THE FORMS CAN ALSO BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE WEBSITE AT [WWW.GRANDPARADISERANCH.COM](http://WWW.GRANDPARADISERANCH.COM)

PLEASE PUT COMPLETED FORMS WITH PAYMENTS IN THE IN THE BLACK PAYMENT BOX IN VIEWING ROOM OR  
MAIL TO [LINDA FREEMAN 901 GRAND PARADISE RANCH, CASEYVILLE IL 62232](mailto:LINDA.FREEMAN@GRANDPARADISERANCH.COM).

**WDAA Show # 21-368**  
Recognized show  
Pending WDAA Confirmation

**Thoroughbreds Helping Thoroughbreds**  
THT high point awards for registered  
Thoroughbreds

### **AQHA/MISHO/SLADS**

Pending guarantee someone will attend show to justify fees for these show recognitions.  
Please contact Linda Freeman at 618-779-0579 to discuss recognizing these award programs  
and I will be happy to do so

## **Grand Paradise Ranch Sport Horse Show**

Grand Paradise Ranch | 901 Grand Paradise Lane | Caseyville, IL 62232 | [www.grandparadiseranch.com](http://www.grandparadiseranch.com)

Current Dressage and WDAA Tests will be used

## JUDGES:

Jackie Lemons VanGorkom

## GENERAL FEES:

Office & Grounds Fee	\$30 Per Day, Per Horse/Rider Combination
Grand Paradise Ranch Coaching/Training Fee <i>Required for GPR Students ONLY</i>	\$40 Per Day, Per Horse/Rider Combination
Stall Fee	\$30 Per Day
Credit Card Convenience Fee	3%
Post Entry Fee ( <i>after October 8, 2021</i> )	\$10 Per Day, Per Horse/Rider Combination

## CLASS FEES:

Dressage Tests - Intro through Fourth Level	\$20 Per Class
Western Dressage - Intro through Level 4	\$20 Per Class
Halloween Horse/Rider Costume Class	\$20 Per Class

## PRIZES:

Ribbons Awarded	1st through 6th Place
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# Grand Paradise Ranch Sport Horse Show

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

The management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel any entries, disqualify any riders or exhibitors, prohibit entries and cancel award prizes without claims for damages; to cancel or combine unfilled classes, or to reschedule classes after due notice to exhibitors; to change rings or rotate judges. Exhibitors are notified that any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the judges or officials, on the part of the owner, manager, rider, or groom shall disqualify the horse, and the owner shall forfeit his entry fee and other fees.

Show management reserves to itself the power to prohibit any person from attending or showing a horse in the ring and to remove any groom or horse from the show without being liable for compensation.

In accordance with the 1989 Federal Waste Tracking Act, which restricts the disposal of medical waste, bio -hazardous medical waste containers will be provided. All exhibitors and their agents are responsible for the proper disposal of this waste.

No person will be allowed in the show ring during the time of judging except the exhibitor and those having official or requested duties to perform.

**HORSE / RIDER Combinations:** Please note this is a schooling show, keeping this in mind, hunter / jumper horses are allowed to be shown by multiple riders in the same class. Under saddle classes will be split to accommodate accordingly if required. This rule does not apply to dressage and western dressage classes.

**ENTRY PROCEDURE:** Entries must be made on an official entry form or photocopy of same and must be filled out completely, including all classes entered, all signatures, (no dittos), organization membership numbers and fees. Entries are accepted on a first-come, first served basis until classes are filled. Entries received after the closing date will be accepted only if the schedule permits. Each late entry that has been accepted shall be assessed a late fee of \$10 per show (per horse/rider combination). Changes to entries (\$10 fee) after the closing date will be at the sole discretion of the show management. Credit cards will be accepted with a 3% convenience fee per horse/rider combination added to your total.

**RETURNED CHECKS:** Checks returned by the bank for any reason are regarded as a most serious offense and will be handled according to the following procedure: A 10% penalty (minimum \$25.00) will be assessed for each returned check. Credit cards that do not go through will incur a penalty of at least \$10 for each occurrence.

**DECLINED CREDIT CARD CHARGE:** A declined credit card charge will incur a \$10 fee per occurrence.

**REFUNDS:** All fees, less a \$30 administrative fee, will be returned if horses are scratched before the Closing Date.

# Grand Paradise Ranch Sport Horse Show

## COVID-19 ACTION PLAN

We are all in this together and the situation requires that each one of us take personal responsibility for the health, safety, and welfare of ourselves, our family members, and our colleagues and peers in the competition environment. Whether participant, competition organizer and staff, or vendor and support personnel, we each need to exercise caution, take precautionary measures, be accountable, and always utilize good judgement while interacting with one another at competitions.

**STAY HOME IF YOU ARE FEELING SICK.** Anyone feeling unwell at any time should not come to or stay at the facility. Anyone exhibiting symptoms of COVID-19, or who has been tested positive or have been in contact with someone who has been tested positive for COVID-19 within two weeks of the event cannot enter the competition grounds. (*\*Healthcare personnel who have treated patients using appropriate medical-grade PPE during performing professional duties are exempt from this restriction*).

**TEMPERATURE CHECKS/MONITORING.** Everyone entering competition grounds is required to self-monitor their temperature once-daily prior to entering the competition grounds. If state/local authorities require it, or competition management chooses to require it, temperatures may be monitored by competition management upon access to the grounds.

**FACE MASKS/FACE COVERINGS.** Competition Organizers, Competitors and Attendees of this competitions must comply with state and local requirements regarding use of face coverings/masks. In the absence of state or local requirements, the show will be following CDC guidelines. To mitigate the risk of spreading COVID-19, Competition Organizers can impose more restrictive requirements if they so choose. You can find recommendations for proper use of face masks and face coverings via the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention website. **\*\*A participant may choose to wear a facemask or face covering when mounted on a horse and cannot be disqualified or penalized for doing so while competing.** You can find recommendations for proper use of face masks and face coverings via the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention website.

**SOCIAL DISTANCING.** Competition Organizers, Competitors and Attendees of this competitions must comply with social distancing requirements regarding social distancing. In the absence of state or local requirements, the show will be in compliance with CDC guidelines. To mitigate the risk of spreading COVID-19, Competition Organizers can impose more restrictive requirements if they so choose.

### THE CENTER FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND INFECTIOUS DISEASE ADVISES THAT EVERYONE SHOULD:

**WASH YOUR HANDS** often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing. It's especially important to wash before eating or preparing food, before touching your face, after using the restroom, after leaving a public place, after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing, after handling your cloth face covering, after touching animals or pets. If soap and water are not readily available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry. Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.

**AVOID CLOSE CONTACT.** Put 6 feet of distance (about 2 arms' length) between yourself and people who don't live in your household.

**COVER YOUR MOUTH AND NOSE WITH A CLOTH FACE COVER WHEN AROUND OTHERS.** Everyone should wear a cloth face cover in public settings and when around people who don't live in your household, especially when other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain. Continue to keep about 6 feet between yourself and others. The cloth face cover is not a substitute for social distancing.

**COVER COUGHS AND SNEEZES.** Always cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow and do not spit. Throw used tissues in the trash. Immediately wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not readily available, clean your hands with a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol.

**CLEAN AND DISINFECT FREQUENTLY TOUCHED SURFACES DAILY.** This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks. If surfaces are dirty, clean them. Use detergent or soap and water prior to disinfection. Then, use a household disinfectant.

**MONITOR YOUR HEALTH DAILY.** Be alert for symptoms. Watch for fever, cough, shortness of breath, or other symptoms of COVID-19. Take your temperature if symptoms develop.

**Entry Form for Saturday, October 16 ONLY Deadline to Sign Up 10/8/2021**

**ALL BREEDS DRESSAGE & WESTERN DRESSAGE CLASSES ENTRY FORM**

Rider's Name:	Horse's Name:
Rider's Phone:	Horse's Breed:
Rider's Email:	WDAA Member:      Yes      No
Rider's Address:	MISHO Member:    Yes      No
Riders Age if under 21:	THT Member:        Yes      No

*Please include a copy of the horse's current negative Coggins and signed copies of the Grand Paradise Ranch forms with this entry form. Please only include one rider/horse combination per entry form. Questions regarding show or schedule, call Linda @ (618) 779-0579.*

Mail entry forms, current Coggins, release forms and payments to name and address below or put in black payment box at GPR in Viewing Room.

Linda Freeman  
901 Grand Paradise Lane  
Caseyville IL 62232

Classical Dressage		
\$	USDF Intro Test A – Open	\$20
\$	USDF Intro Test A – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	USDF Intro Test B – Open	\$20
\$	USDF Intro Test B – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	USDF Intro Test C – Open	\$20
\$	USDF Intro Test C – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Training Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	Training Test 1 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Training Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	Training Test 2 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Training Test 3 – Open	\$20
\$	Training Test 3 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	First Level Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	First Level Test 1 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	First Level Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	First Level Test 2 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	First Level Test 3 – Open	\$20
\$	First Level Test 3 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Second Level Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	Second Level Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	Second Level Test 3 – Open	\$20

\$	Dressage Test of Choice	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Test of Choice	\$20

Western Dressage		
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 1 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 2 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 3 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 3 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 4 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Intro Test 4 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 1 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 2 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 3 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 3 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 4 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Basic Test 4 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 1 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 1 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 2 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 2 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 3 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 3 – ATR/JTR	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 4 – Open	\$20
\$	Western Dressage Level 1 Test 4 – ATR/JTR	\$20

\$	<b>Total Class Fees</b>
\$	<b>Office/Grounds Fee -\$30 Per Day, Per Horse/Rider Combo</b>
\$	<b>Coaching/Training - \$40 Per Day, Per Horse/Rider Combination (Required for GPR Lesson Students)</b>
\$	<b>Stalls - \$30 per day Please circle days Fri / Sat / Sun</b>
\$	<b>Credit Card Convenience Fee 3%</b>
\$	<b>TOTAL FEES</b>

**Agreement to hold harmless:** In consideration of acceptance of this entry I agree to hold harmless any directors or officers as well as any owners, trainers, family members or agents of Grand Paradise Ranch from any claim or loss or accidental injury or death which may be alleged to have been caused directly or indirectly to myself, child or horse.

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**Signature – Rider or Parent/Guardian if under 18**

Circle Type:    **Mastercard**    **Visa**    **Amex**    **Discover**    Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Code \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make checks payable to Grand Paradise Ranch**

**Entry Form Sunday, October 17 ONLY Deadline to Sign Up 10/8/2021  
SCHOOLING HUNTER/JUMPER & HORSE / RIDER or HANDLER HALLOWEEN CONTEST ENTRY FORM**

Rider's Name:	Horse's Name:
Rider's Phone:	Horse's Breed:
Rider's Email:	WDAA Member:      Yes      No
Rider's Address:	MISHO Member:    Yes      No
Riders Age if under 21:	THT Member:        Yes      No

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UNDER SADDLE / NO JUMPING		
\$	Walk / Trot Class – Any age	\$20
\$	Walk Trot Equitation Class – Any age	\$20
\$	Walk / Trot / Canter Class – Any age	\$20
TROT A POLE		
\$	Trot a Pole A - Amateur	\$20
\$	Trot a Pole B - Amateur	\$20
\$	Trot a Pole under Saddle - Amateur	\$20
PEE WEE CROSS RAILS		
\$	Pee Wee Cross Rails Walk Trot A	\$20
\$	Pee Wee Cross Rails Walk Trot B	\$20
\$	Pee Wee Walk/Trot under Saddle	\$20
CROSS RAILS		
\$	Cross Rails Over Fences 2' - A	\$20
\$	Cross Rails Over Fences 2' - B	\$20
\$	Cross Rails Under Saddle	\$20
SHORT STIRRUP 18" (Rider has not reached age 11 by 12/1)		
\$	Short Stirrup Over Fences 18' - A	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Over Fences 18" - B	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Under Saddle	\$20
SHORT STIRRUP 2' (Rider has not reached age 11 by 12/1)		
\$	Short Stirrup Over Fences 2' - A	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Over Fences 2' - B	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Under Equitation OF 2'	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Under Saddle	\$20
\$	Short Stirrup Equitation on Flat	\$20
BEGINNER RIDER		
\$	Beginner Rider Over Fences 2' -A	\$20
\$	Beginner Rider Over Fences 2' -B	\$20
\$	Beginner Rider Under Equitation 2'	\$20
\$	Beginner Rider Under Saddle	\$20
\$	Beginner Rider Equitation on Flat	\$20

LOW HUNTER		
\$	Low Hunter Over Fences 2'3" - A	\$20
\$	Low Hunter Over Fences 2'3" - B	\$20
\$	Low Hunter Under Saddle	\$20
LIMIT RIDER HUNTER		
\$	Limit Rider Hunter Over Fences 2'6" – A	\$20
\$	Limit Rider Hunter Over Fences 2'6" – B	\$20
\$	Limit Rider Hunter Equitation OF 2'6"	\$20
\$	Limit Rider Hunter Under Saddle	\$20
\$	Limit Rider Hunter Equitation on Flat	\$20
NOVICE CHILD/ADULT OVER FENCES		
\$	Novice Child/Adult Over Fences 2'9" - A	\$20
\$	Novice Child/Adult Over Fences 2'9" - B	\$20
\$	Novice Child/Adult Under Saddle	\$20
JUMPER CLASSES		
\$	Beginner Jumper 2' II, 2(b)	\$20
\$	Beginner Jumper 2' II, 2(b)	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Jumper 2'3" II,2(b)	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Jumper 2'3" Table II,1	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Rider Jumper 2'6" II,2(b)	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Rider Jumper 2'6" Table II,1	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Rider Jumper 2'9" II,2(b)	\$20
\$	Intro/Novice Rider Jumper 2'9" Table II,1	\$20
COSTUME CLASS HORSE/RIDER- OR HANDLER		
\$	Halloween Costume Class	\$20

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Signature – Rider or Parent/Guardian if under 18

Credit Card Circle Type: **Mastercard Visa Amex Discover**

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Credit Card \_\_\_\_\_ Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

**Please make checks payable to Grand Paradise Ranch**

**RELEASE, WAIVER, HOLD HARMLESS, AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**

The undersigned Participant/Spectator/Visitor/Guest/Client (collectively "Participant"), on his/her own behalf and as the Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) of a minor Participant, for good and valuable consideration, agrees to the following terms and conditions of this Release, Waiver, Hold Harmless, and Indemnification Agreement ("Agreement"):

1. **Assumption of Risk and Waiver:** Participant understands and accepts the risks of engaging in Equine Activities (as defined below), while mounted or unmounted, as well as merely being near a horse, mule, or pony (collectively "equine"), include, but are in no way limited to: (i) The propensity of an equine to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them (i.e. jump, run, kick, buck, bolt, spin, rear up, strike, bite, etc.); (ii) The unpredictability of an equine's reaction to sounds (i.e. machinery, equipment, vehicles, doors, snow and ice falling, rain, wind, thunder, voices, animals, fireworks, guns, motors, etc.), sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons, other animals (i.e. loose or contained dogs, wild and domestic animals, etc), or other things (i.e. jumps, poles, cones, flowers, mini-bikes, water, etc., and training devices such as whips, bats, etc.); (iii) Certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; (iv) Collisions with other equines or objects; (v) The potential of a participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to Participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the animal, or not acting within his or her ability; and (vi) Riding and training tack and equipment may contribute to or cause injury to Participant. Participant agrees that engaging in Equine Activities under this Agreement includes, but is in no way limited to, those defined in the Illinois Equine Activity Liability Act, as well as riding one's own or another's equine, competing, training, exercising, petting, leading, transporting, feeding, watering, bathing, watching, or transporting equines, or assisting with any of these activities, as well as auditing equine related clinics, and/or boarding Participant's equine at Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc.'s facility ("the Facility"), whether for a limited or extended period of time, and otherwise interacting with or merely being in the vicinity of equines ("Equine Activities"). Participant understands the injuries, death, loss, and property damage that may result from the accepted risks of engaging in Equine Activities, boarding Participant's equine, or just being near an equine, that equines are powerful and have the potential to be dangerous, even without warning, and that the risks listed in this Agreement are just a sampling and Participant is not relying on Released Parties (as defined below) to list all possible equine-related risks. Participant therefore agrees, on his/her own behalf and on behalf of his/her minor Participant, that he/she understands and agrees to assume the risks and dangers inherent in Equine Activities, auditing or watching Equine Activities, and boarding Participant's equine at the Facility, agrees to inspect and remain responsible for the condition and proper adjustment of Participant's tack and equipment, agrees to at all times to be responsible for Participant's personal safety, remain financially responsible for Participant's and Participant's equine's medical expenses and lost value, and waives Participant's right to any claims arising from participation in or observation of any Equine Activities, boarding Participant's equine at the Facility, riding Participant's equine or someone else's equine, whether on or off the Facility, being near an equine, or merely being present on real property owned, leased, rented, borrowed, visited, organized upon, or otherwise occupied or utilized by Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc., Linda Freeman, Tom Freeman, and/or their respective officers, directors, owners, employees, independent contractors, spouse, heirs, trustees, beneficiaries, assigns, agents, trainers, clinicians, volunteers, guests, visitors, invitees, boarders, and others acting on their behalf, (collectively "Released Parties") regardless of whether or not Participant's presence at the Facility is related to equines or Equine Activities.

2. **Release, Hold Harmless, Indemnification:** Participant agrees to release, hold harmless, and indemnify the Released Parties for any and all illness, injury, death, damage, and/or any and all other claims or losses of any kind or nature (collectively "Loss") incurred by Participant, Participant's equine, or third party, whether caused by Participant directly or indirectly, even if caused in whole or in part by the negligence or any other fault of the Released Parties, except willful and wanton misconduct. Participant agrees to reimburse Released Parties for their attorneys' fees and costs incurred to defend against any such claims.

3. **Governing Law and Time Limitation:** The Parties agree that this Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois and all disputes relating to the interpretation and enforcement of this Agreement will be resolved exclusively by the State Court in St. Clair County, Illinois. The Parties submit to this jurisdiction and venue for these purposes. Participant agrees that any claims for Loss of any kind by Participant against the Released Parties, must be brought within one (1) year of the date they accrue and any claim for personal property Loss, including but not limited to the loss value of the equine, is limited to \$500.00 (Five Hundred Dollars).

4. **Attorneys' Fees:** Participant agrees to reimburse Released Parties for any and all attorneys' fees and costs he/she/it incurs in enforcing the terms of this Agreement and/or in defending or prosecuting any claims or causes of action involving or in any way relating to Participant.

5. **Participant Certification:** Participant certifies that he/she has read this entire Agreement and understands, agrees, and intends on his/her own behalf, and on behalf of his/her minor Participant, spouse, heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, to be bound by all of the terms and conditions contained herein.

**WARNING UNDER THE EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT, EACH PARTICIPANT WHO ENGAGES IN AN EQUINE ACTIVITY EXPRESSLY ASSUMES THE RISKS OF ENGAGING IN AND LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY RESULTING FROM THE RISK OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: (on my own behalf and on behalf of minor, if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Minor Participant's Name and Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_



**RELEASE, WAIVER, HOLD HARMLESS, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, DEFEND, AND INDEMNIFY  
AGREEMENT FOR INFECTIOUS DISEASES INCLUDING COVID-19 RELATED LOSS**

**WARNING:  
IMPORTANT NOTICE**

**BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, YOU ARE GIVING UP CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO RECOVER DAMAGES IN CASE OF ILLNESS, INJURY, OR DEATH (collectively "Loss") ARISING OUT OF YOUR PRESENCE AT THE FACILITY SPECIFICALLY RELATED TO COVID-19 OR ANY OF ITS MUTATIONS, FORMS, DERIVATIVES, OR OTHER INFECTIOUS DISEASES (collectively "COVID-19").**

I, the undersigned, hereby enter into this Release, Waiver, Hold Harmless, Assumption of Risk, Defend, and Indemnify Agreement for Infectious Diseases Including COVID-19 Related Loss ("**Agreement**") in consideration of my, and my minor child if applicable (collectively "**I**", "**me**", or "**my**"), ability and permission to access, utilize, occupy, visit, attend, or otherwise be present on Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc. property ("**the Facility**") during and after the COVID-19 pandemic, for any reason, whether or not related to equines or equine activities.

**1. Risk of Loss/Protective Measures/No Guarantee:** By signing this Agreement, I hereby acknowledge that I have familiarized myself with the risk of Loss being present at the Facility for any reason whatsoever and the protective measures at the Facility intended to minimize my risk of exposure to COVID-19. I agree the protective measures are satisfactory and sufficient for me to accept and assume the risk of my COVID-19 exposure resulting from accessing, utilizing, occupying, visiting, attending, or otherwise being at the Facility occupied by other individuals; however, I understand and agree that Released Parties cannot guarantee: (a) the protective measures can or will prevent my exposure to COVID-19; (b) will be complied with by all individuals at the Facility; or (c) that others will not act in a negligent manner that may contribute to my Loss or contraction of COVID-19. I agree to fully comply with all protective measures required by Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc. as they now exist or may be revised from time-to-time. I accept full responsibility for my own safety and the sanitization of myself and my personal property and/or other personal property I contact at the Facility. If I am a parent or legal guardian of a minor individual at the Facility, I consent to the minor's presence at the Facility and agree to remain responsible for the minor's Loss and minor's compliance with all required protective measures.

**2. Medical Attention/Disclosure:** I understand and agree that engaging in equine activities or merely being at the Facility exposes me to inherent risks of personal injury that may require medical attention including, but not limited to, first aid and/or emergency medical care. I therefore consent to personal contact by Released Parties and/or medical personnel deemed necessary for providing for my care at the Facility and/or the hospital, even at the risk of my COVID-19 exposure. I agree to hold Released Parties harmless for such medical attention and any Loss directly or indirectly resulting therefrom. I agree that in the event I am diagnosed as infected with COVID-19, I authorize medical personnel to provide Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc. information regarding my Loss and treatment for contact tracing or any other purpose.

**3. Release/Hold Harmless/Defend/Indemnify:** I agree to release, hold harmless, defend, and indemnify Grand Paradise Ranch, Inc., Linda Freeman, Tom Freeman, the owner/tenant/lessor/user/occupier of the Facility, and their respective relatives, heirs, trustees, beneficiaries, related entities, members, managers, owners, officers, directors, agents, assigns, employees, working students, volunteers, contractors, trainers, clinicians, guests, visitors, invitees, partners, lessors, lessees, licensors, licensees, and others acting on their behalf (collectively "**Released Parties**") from and against any liability, attorneys' fees, costs, or other Loss I may incur arising out of or in any way connected with my exposure to or contraction of COVID-19 as a direct or indirect result of my presence at the Facility whether by my negligence or the negligence or other wrong doing of Released Parties (except willful and wanton or intentional misconduct).

**4. Bound Parties/Governing Law/Jury/No Expiration/Time Limitations/Severability/Modification:** I understand and agree the terms of this Agreement are binding on my spouse, partner, family members, minor child, heirs, agents, trustees, beneficiaries, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns and I agree to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement on my own behalf and on behalf of my minor for purposes of permitting our presence at the Facility. In the event of a claim or dispute arising out of or relating to the interpretation or enforcement of this Agreement, I agree Illinois law applies, that all disputes surviving this Agreement must be resolved exclusively by the state court in St. Clair County, Illinois and I waive my right to a jury trial. I agree that this Agreement does not expire and that any surviving claims must be brought within one (1) year of the date accrued. If any provision of this Agreement is deemed invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall be valid and enforceable to the fullest extent of the law. This Agreement can only be modified in writing signed by myself and Linda or Tom Freeman.

**WARNING**

**BEFORE SIGNING THIS FORM, I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL OF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED THEREIN. I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I DO NOT NEED ANY FURTHER EXPLANATION OF ITS CONTENTS AND WAIVE ANY FURTHER EXPLANATION. I HAVE VOLUNTARILY AGREED TO ITS TERMS AND PROVISIONS, UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT I HAVE OTHER FACILITIES TO CHOSE FROM, AND AGREE THAT NO OTHER STATEMENT, REPRESENTATIONS OR INDUCEMENT, APART FROM WHAT IS STATED IN THIS AGREEMENT, HAVE BEEN MADE TO ME TO OBTAIN MY CONSENT AND MY SIGNATURE.**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: (on my own behalf and on behalf of minor, if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact (name and phone #): \_\_\_\_\_

## **HARD HAT AGREEMENT**

I, the undersigned, being over 18 years of age and riding only my own horse, understand that either failing to wear protective headgear, or wearing protective headgear not ASTM/SEI approved while riding horses, increases the risk of serious injury and/or death. Understanding these risks, I am voluntarily electing to ride without protective headgear and/or without an ASTM/SEI approved headgear.

I, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my spouse, heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, agree to release and hold Grand Paradise Ranch, as well as its managers, officers, directors, members, partners, subsidiaries, parent companies, affiliates, agents, attorneys, assistants, representatives, assigns, volunteers, employees, independent contractors, trainers, animal owners, and others acting on their behalf, as well as these individuals' spouse, heirs, relatives, agents, attorneys, assigns, and others acting on their behalf (collectively "Released Parties"), harmless for any illness, injury, death, damage, or other loss incurred by me or others as a result of my not wearing protective headgear or wearing protective headgear not ASTM/SEI approved.

I, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my spouse, heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, agree to reimburse Grand Paradise Ranch for any and all attorneys' fees and costs incurred by it in enforcing the terms of this Agreement and/or in defending or prosecuting any claims or causes of action arising out of this Agreement.

This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois. All disputes relating to the interpretation and enforcement of the provisions of this Agreement shall be resolved exclusively by the state court located in St. Clair County, Illinois, and I hereby submit to the jurisdiction and venue of the court for such purpose. I, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my spouse, heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, agree that any and all claims and/or causes of action, for injury, death, property damage or other claims or losses, against Grand Paradise Ranch, and/or their respective heirs, spouse, directors, members, subsidiaries, affiliates, agents, officers, assigns, volunteers, employees, independent contractors, and affiliated groups, must be brought within one (1) year of the date of the occurrence giving rise to such claim or loss.

By signing below, I agree that I have read this entire Agreement and understand, agree, and intend on my own behalf, and on behalf of my spouse, heirs, agents, representatives, relatives, successors, and assigns, to be bound by all of the terms and conditions contained herein.

### **WARNING**

**UNDER THE EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT, EACH PARTICIPANT WHO ENGAGES IN AN EQUINE ACTIVITY EXPRESSLY ASSUMES THE RISKS OF ENGAGING IN AND LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR INJURY, LOSS, OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY RESULTING FROM THE RISK OF EQUINE ACTIVITIES**

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

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_