

# Horse Board Contract

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

Owner's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Telephone Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

Equine Insurance company, telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Name, Registration: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_ Color: \_ Sex: \_ Distinguishing Markings: \_\_\_\_\_

- I understand that I am boarding my horse at my own risk. (INITIAL) \_\_\_\_\_
- I have inspected Hunter's Rest and found it to be satisfactory for my and my horse's safety.
- I agree to follow all rules established by Hunter's Rest, including wearing a helmet and hard-soled, heeled shoes at all times when mounted, riding only in designated areas, and riding only when announced to Hunter's Rest management.
- I understand that in case of emergency, I will be contacted at one of the above telephone numbers. In the event that I cannot be reached, I hereby designate Hunter's Rest management or their representatives to seek reasonable veterinary care. (Initial)
- I understand that it is my responsibility to have my horse current with all inoculations and proof of negative coggins.
- Hunter's Rest boarding includes:
  - Free choice loose and block mineral and salt bricks, in pasture and in stalls.
  - Run-in shed(s) are available for horse use at will. Stalls always available for use as needed.
  - Water in all fields.
  - Secure tack room for supplies.
  - Reasonable use of sundry stable items such as occasional use of sponges, scrapers, incidental veterinary supplies (such as Furacin or alcohol); Loaner tack as required.
- The following services are available at Hunter's Rest for an additional fee as agreed:
  - Body clipping -- full or high trace: \$75, plus clipper blade set. 'Belly' clip: \$50.
  - Mane thinning-shortening. Sheath cleaning: \$20 each
  - Show prep package: (includes bathing, trimming, tack cleaning): \$30
  - Shipping: \$2 per mile. Prorated if more than one horse is traveling or if a Hunter's Rest horse is also shipping.

**I understand** that while said horse is boarded at Hunter's Rest, Hunter's Rest, its owners and its agents are NOT liable for injury, sickness, death or theft suffered by the horse or any other cause of action arising from or connected to the boarding of this horse. I am responsible for carrying appropriate insurance on my horse, equipment, and tack, and I have been advised that Hunter's Rest STRONGLY SUGGESTS that I have insurance for my horse, or full medical-surgical coverage if I deem necessary. Hunter's Rest is NOT responsible for insurance on my personal items. (INITIAL \_\_\_\_\_)

**I agree** to hold harmless Hunter's Rest for any claim resulting from damage or injury caused by said horse and agree to pay legal fees incurred by Hunter's Rest in defense of a claim resulting from my horse.

**Hunter's Rest** is NOT responsible for any injury incurred by family or friends at Hunter's Rest. I understand that it is MY responsibility to act in an appropriate manner around my horse and other horses on the property, and to instruct any visitors I might bring to do the same.

**Hunter's Rest** reserves the right to terminate this contract at any time. I understand that my horse will not leave the premises in any case until all debts are paid to Hunter's Rest.

**I understand** that any damages my horse directly, or indirectly, causes, will be charged. Broken fences, jumps, stable equipment, tack and other items belonging to Hunter's Rest will be paid for or replaced by me if my horse causes destruction.

**I hereby state** that, to the best of my knowledge, my horse arrives at Hunter's Rest free of infectious diseases or illness, and that I have disclosed all facts regarding said horse.

**I understand** that the base boarding rate at Hunter's Rest is \$250 per month, not inclusive of shipping, veterinary services (other than minor wound or injury care) nor farrier. The base training rate at Hunter's Rest is \$800, including the above mentioned boarding package. Extra services can be provided at an agreed upon rate.

**Feeding:** Hunter's Rest feeds a combination of Triple Crown 12% supplement pellets, Triple Crown Complete (a high fat, beet pulp based textured feed), and, during the winter months, soaked beet pulp reconstituted with hot water. Feeding is twice daily unless otherwise noted. Supplements will be fed, but owner must provide them.

**Blanketing:** Hunter's Rest will blanket horses as required. Owner must provide blanket. Hunter's Rest strongly recommends the heavyweight Rambo turnout.

Owner's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Hunter's Rest management signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_