

# Manes & Motions Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc.

## **FREEDOM RIDE**

### Sponsored Trail Ride

#### **Instructions**

1. Sign up supporters using the pledge form. List the donor name, address, phone number and amount of the pledge.
2. There is no minimum per-person pledge. Riders pay a \$40. registration fee to participate in the ride and collect sponsors.  
**Register by June 20th and receive a free lunch!**
3. Any participants who collect over \$100 will receive a t-shirt. The top fund-raisers will receive an additional prize.
4. Please check to see if your employer participates in a matching contribution program.
5. Collect all donations before the event. Submit all donations and pledge sheet to Manes & Motions on the morning of the ride. Checks should be made payable to: Manes & Motions Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc.
6. All pledges must be turned in to qualify for prizes.
7. **Helmets are required for all riders. This will be enforced.**

#### Questions?

Call Janice at 860-685-0008 or e-mail manesandmotions1@yahoo.com

The sponsored trail ride will be held Saturday June 27<sup>th</sup>. (rain or shine) in the scenic town of Old Lyme, CT on the private property of Lord Creek Farm. The farm is conveniently located just minutes off of I95. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. and riders are welcome to ride out after 10:00 a.m. Morning snacks and juice will be provided and riders that pre-register by June 20th will receive a free lunch after the ride. Extra lunches are available for \$10 each. Additional lunches will be available while quantities last. Prizes will be awarded at 1:30 p.m.

Manes & Motions is a 501 (c) 3, non-profit organization. Our mission is to provide benefits in the areas of therapy, education, sport and recreation, through the use of equine assisted activities for the purpose of contributing positively to the well being of individuals living with physical, emotional and/or cognitive disabilities. Manes & Motions strives to provide these benefits in a safe, compassionate, challenging and enjoyable environment. Your support enables us to continue to provide these benefits.

#### **DIRECTIONS:**

Route 9 South to I95 North, take the first exit after the Baldwin Bridge #70, go left at the end of the exit onto Route 156 W. Continue 2.7 miles on Rt156W to Lord Hill Lane on your left. Drive down the dirt lane and you will be directed to parking areas.

#### **OR**

From I95S take exit #70 toward Old Lyme, go straight at the end of the exit onto Route 1. Continue to the intersection of Route 156, turn right onto Rt156 West, continue 2.5 miles to Lord Hill Lane on your left. Drive down the dirt lane and you will be directed to parking areas.

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Middletown, CT 06457  
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**FREEDOM RIDE**  
**June 27, 2009 Sponsored Trail Ride**

**Registration** (please print clearly)

Rider's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Conditions/Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_

Rider Fee: \$40 \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Lunches \$10 x \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Riders who register by June 20th will receive a free lunch!*

Mail to: Manes & Motions Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc.  
2150 Corbin Ave. (This is our mailing address)  
New Britain, CT 06053

Make checks payable to: Manes & Motions Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc.

**This registration form must be accompanied by the signed waiver.**

All sponsorships must be submitted on June 27<sup>th</sup>.

All sponsorships must be turned in to be eligible for prizes.

Please bring proof of rabies vaccine and negative Coggins dated after January 1, 2009.

Manes & Motions reserves the right to keep and use any likeness captured during this event for public relations purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Rider



## Release And Agreement Not To Sue, Including Claims For Negligence

In consideration of my being provided the opportunity to engage in equine activities and/or being allowed access on private land (the "Land"), I make the following representations:

I understand and agree that using the facilities, fields and trails on the Land involves certain inherent risks, dangers and hazards which can result in serious personal injury and that personal injuries and damage to property are a common and ordinary occurrence in the use of such facilities, fields or trails. I understand that trail riding can involve being in remote areas for extended periods of time, far from communication, transportation and medical facilities. That these areas may have natural hazards which management cannot anticipate, eliminate, modify or control and accidents can happen to anyone at any time. I hereby agree to freely and expressly assume any and all risks of injury to myself or damage to my property while engaging in activities that are the subject of this Release.

I acknowledge and understand that I have been advised that it is recommended that all riders wear a helmet while engaged in equine activities. I also acknowledge and agree that I am riding at my own risk.

I understand that there is absolutely NO GUARANTEE OF MY SAFETY.

I understand that I am responsible for any damage to the facilities, fields or trails while it is in my possession. This includes, but is not limited to, theft or loss.

I understand there are NO WARRANTIES, expressed or implied, and that I use said facilities, fields and/or trails AS IS.

I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless, and to release and forever discharge Manes & Motions Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc., its directors, officers, employees and any affiliate, the owners or lessors of land on which I engage in equine activities, the persons in control of land on which I engage in equine activities, and the guests, invitees, other participants in any activities associated with this Release, business invitees, spouses, children, relatives, independent contractors, and insiders of any of the foregoing, sponsoring agencies of such activities, and the owners/lessors of the premises ("Releasees"), with respect to all and any injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, whether arising from the negligence of the Releasees or otherwise, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I understand that I am not allowed to enter any land of any person unless this document is in full force and effect without alteration, amendment or change. No person has the authority to alter, amend, or change the provisions of this document insofar as they benefit or might benefit the released persons.

If a guardian of a person lacking legal capacity to contract signs this document, the signing person represents and warrants that he or she has the legal authority to bind the person on whose behalf he or she signs.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I WILL BE GIVING UP RIGHTS BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of individual rider)

\_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Printed name of rider)

\_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of parent/guardian for participants under 18 years of age)