

ENTRY FORM

Please Print or Type
 Only One Owner Per Entry Form
 Exhibitor **MUST** Sign Agreement
 You May Duplicate This Entry Form

OWNER:

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

TRAINER:

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City, State, Zip: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____

Equistar # OFFICE ONLY	Name of Horse and Breed Reg. No. (if any)	Name of Rider/Driver/Handler <small>PLEASE INDICATE IF JUNIOR EXHIBITOR</small>	Class #	Class #	Class #	Class #	Fee

HELMET POLICY

EXHIBITORS UNDER 18 OR ENTERED IN HUNTER HACK *MUST* WEAR A HELMET

EXHIBITORS 18 & OVER: HELMETS ARE REQUIRED UNLESS THIS HELMET WAIVER IS EXECUTED. I REALIZE THAT HORSE ACTIVITIES ARE DANGEROUS AND THAT NO AMOUNT OF PRE-PLANNING CAN ELIMINATE THE RISK OF INJURY OR DEATH. I AM AWARE THAT EQUISTAR REQUIRES THE USE OF HELMETS, WHICH COULD HELP PREVENT PERMANENT BRAIN DAMAGE IN THE EVENT OF AN ACCIDENT. AGAINST THE ADVICE OF EQUISTAR, I AM REFUSING THIS CRITICAL SAFETY PRECAUTION. I CHOOSE TO MAKE THE HELMET REQUIREMENT OPTIONAL BY RE-WRITING THE SENTENCE: "I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THIS HELMET WAIVER."

_____ EXHIBITOR or PARENT

FEE TOTALS

DESCRIPTION	NO.	FEEES	TOTAL
Office Fee		\$5/Horse	
Regular Class		\$10/Class	
Championship Class		\$10/Class	
Membership (Membership Fee One Time Only)		\$1/ Exhibitor	
***Sponsorships:		\$10/Class	

*** Sponsorship- Please help sponsor classes! \$10 per class and your name will be announced as a class sponsor. To the right, list class(es) you would like to sponsor!

A signed, open check or Driver's License **MUST** be left at the Show Office for fees accrued during the show.
 Please remember to close out your account with the Show Secretary before you leave! You may pay by cash or check payable to: Equistar Inc.

EQUISTAR/ FREEMAN FARMS/ ELEMENTAL FARMS ASSUMPTION OF RISK, WAIVER & INDEMNIFICATION
THIS DOCUMENT WAIVES IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS - CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT

I AGREE in consideration for my participation in the Equistar Horse Show held on _____, 2010, (hereinafter "THE EVENT") to the following:

I AGREE that I choose to participate voluntarily as a rider, driver, handler, longeur, lessee, owner, coach, trainer, or as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor in THE EVENT produced, sanctioned, sponsored and/or located on property owned by: Equistar Inc. dba Equistar Horse Shows AND/OR Elemental Farms AND/OR Freeman Farms; AS WELL AS the Owners, Officer, Directors, Agents, Personnel, Volunteers, Sponsors and Employees of EQUISTAR, FREEMAN FARMS AND ELEMENTAL FARMS (hereinafter "THE EVENT SPONSOR")

1. *Acknowledgement of Inherent Risks of Equine Activities Assumption of Risk.* I AM FULLY AWARE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT ACTIVITY WITH HORSES AND THE EVENT INVOLVE INHERENT DANGEROUS RISKS OF ACCIDENT, LOSS, AND SERIOUS BODILY INJURY INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, BROKEN BONES, HEAD INJURIES, SPINAL INJURIES, TRAUMA, PAIN, SUFFERING, OR DEATH (hereinafter "HARM"). I REPRESENT that I have the requisite training, coaching, and abilities to safely participate in THE EVENT. I am aware that there are numerous inherent risks of equine activities, whether preparing for, entering, attending, participating in, or leaving THE EVENT. The inherent risks include those dangers and conditions which are an integral part of equine activities, including, *but not limited to:* (a) the propensity of an equine or other animal to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (b) the unpredictability of the equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movements and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (c) certain hazards such as surface or subsurface conditions; (d) collisions with other animals or objects; (e) the potential of a participant or other Participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant, me, or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within his or her ability; (f) the breakage or failure of tack or other equipment; and (g) the potential that an equine or animal may cause injury or harm to the rider or other persons or animals in the vicinity. *I am not relying on THE EVENT SPONSOR to list within this document all possible inherent risks or all risks of participating in any of the Activities at any location.*

2. *Waiver and Release of Liability.* With full knowledge and appreciation of these and other inherent risks associated with equine activities and THE EVENT, I freely and voluntarily assume the risks of the equine activities involved in any aspect of them. In this connection, I also voluntarily agree to waive any and all rights to sue and hereby release THE EVENT SPONSOR from all liability, loss, claims, or actions for injury, death, expenses, or damage to person or property resulting from the inherent risks of THE EVENT, or resulting from any action or inaction by THE EVENT SPONSOR. This waiver and release is effective even if the injury, death or damage to person or property is caused by, or contributed to by, actions or failure to act of THE EVENT SPONSOR and which actions or inactions constitute ordinary negligence or a violation of any applicable law pertaining to equine activity liabilities. Neither MYSELF NOR MY REPRESENTATIVES shall make any claim against, maintain an action against, or recover from THE EVENT SPONSOR, its sponsors, directors, officers, members, employees, agents, volunteers, representatives, designated officials, or others acting on their behalf for injury, loss, damage or death of the MYSELF, to the MY HORSE, or to MY PERSONAL PROPERTY (*regardless of ordinary negligence by THE EVENT SPONSOR or regardless of an alleged violation of an applicable equine activity liability law*).

3. *Indemnification.* I AGREE to indemnify (that is, pay any losses, damages, or costs incurred by) THE EVENT SPONSOR with respect to claims made by others for any HARM or property damage caused by ME, my agents, employees, associates, invitees or my animal(s) at THE EVENT.

If I am a parent or guardian of a junior participant in THE EVENT, I consent to my child's participation and AGREE to all of the above provisions and AGREE to assume all of the obligations of this RELEASE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, WAIVER AND INDEMNIFICATION on the child's behalf.

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to the above and to the RULES set forth below.

ALL SIGNATURES ARE MANDATORY!

Exhibitor or Parent

Owner/Agent

Trainer/Coach

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

Signature: _____

Print: _____

Print: _____

Print: _____

SHOW/FACILITY RULES:

1. EQUISTAR reserves the right to refuse service to anyone for any reason; to accept, reject, or cancel any entry; and, to limit entries.
2. EQUISTAR reserves the right to add, cancel, or consolidate classes; and/or cancel shows at any time and for any reason
3. EQUISTAR reserves the final and absolute right to interpret all rules and regulations, arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard to or arising out of or connected to any Equistar show, and the right to amend or to add to these rules as it is determined necessary. Any exhibitor who violates these rules will forfeit all entry fees, privileges, premiums and awards, and EQUISTAR shall have the full power to exclude the violator from further participation in the show and/or future EQUISTAR shows.
4. The show shall be conducted in accordance with *general* rules of the current USEF or AQHA Rule Book, to the extent that said rules do not conflict with a specific EQUISTAR rule, which shall govern.
5. The decisions of the judges are final. EQUISTAR accepts no responsibility for decisions of the judges.
6. Exhibitors are hereby notified that any unethical, discourteous, or unsafe act by them, their riders, drivers, handlers, grooms, trainers, invitees or agents shall disqualify their entry and the owner shall forfeit any fees or charges as well as prize money which he or she may have won at that show. WITHOUT BEING HELD LIABLE FOR DAMAGE OF ANY KIND, EQUISTAR shall have the full power to exclude the offending individual(s) from further participation in the show and/or future EQUISTAR shows, and to have the individual(s) removed from the grounds. THIS SHALL BE ACCEPTED AS A CONDITION OF ENTRY.
7. No competition numbers shall be released by the Show Office until the Entry Form is complete and all necessary paperwork has been provided. A signed open check or a Driver's License MUST be left with the Show Office for fees accrued during the show. Please remember to close out your account before you leave. You may pay by cash or check. There will be a \$50 service fee on returned checks.
8. To be eligible for a Championship class, the horse must have entered, shown, and been judged in any class in its division or any class specified as a prerequisite.
9. Equistar reserves the right to use all photographs and video taken during the show. Exhibitor hereby agrees to Equistar's use of his or her & animal images for publicity purposes.
10. **All signs and facility rules must be followed at all times! No docs**

12-553. Limited liability of equine owners and owners of equine facilities: exception: definitions

- A. An equine owner or an agent of an equine owner who regardless of consideration allows another person to take control of an equine is not liable for an injury to or the death of the person if:
1. The person has taken control of the equine from the owner or agent when the injury or death occurs.
 2. The person or the parent or legal guardian of the person if the person is under eighteen years of age has signed a release before taking control of the equine.
 3. The owner or agent has properly installed suitable tack or equipment or the person has personally tacked the equine with tack the person owned, leased or borrowed. If the person has personally tacked the equine, the person assumes full responsibility for the suitability, installation and condition of the tack.
 4. The owner or agent assigns the person to a suitable equine based on a reasonable interpretation of the person's representation of his skills, health and experience with and knowledge of equines.
- B. Subsection A does not apply to an equine owner or agent of the equine owner who is grossly negligent or commits wilful, wanton or intentional acts or omissions.
- C. An owner, lessor or agent of any riding stable, rodeo ground, training or boarding stable or other private property that is used by a rider or handler of an equine with or without the owner's permission is not liable for injury to or death of the equine or the rider or handler.
- D. Subsection C does not apply to an owner, lessor or agent of any riding stable, rodeo ground, training or boarding stable or other private property that is used by a rider or handler of an equine if either of the following applies:
1. The owner, lessor or agent knows or should know that a hazardous condition exists and the owner, lessor or agent fails to disclose the hazardous condition to a rider or handler of an equine.
 2. The owner, lessor or agent is grossly negligent or commits wilful, wanton or intentional acts or omissions.
- E. As used in this section: 1. "Equine" means a horse, pony, mule, donkey or ass.
2. "Release" means a document that a person signs before taking control of an equine from the owner or owner's agent and that acknowledges that the person is aware of the inherent risks associated with equine activities, is willing and able to accept full responsibility for his own safety and welfare and releases the equine owner or agent from liability unless the equine owner or agent is grossly negligent or commits wilful, wanton or intentional acts or omissions.