

2019 MEMBERSHIP & USE APPLICATION (Polo players Basic Park Membership)

Rider Name:		Date:
Parent/Guardian name if under age 18:		
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Email:	Date of Birth:

<u>\$60 -- Annual (Polo Player) PARK Membership Fee</u>

As a Polo Member, I _________ fully understand and accept that this type of membership only qualifies riders to utilize The Horse Park within a polo only capacity, this includes but is not limited to: riders which come to the Horse Park whom *Do Not* own, lease, or sponsor a horse on Horse Park premises and are only riding in a polo game or lesson. If I wish to utilize The Horse <u>Park</u> as a 'Basic Day Use Member' (other than in a polo capacity), I must pay a day use fee of \$<u>30 each day</u> at The Horse Park office prior to riding.

I also understand and accept that Polo Members may not ride alone or without a helmet regardless of age. Should I, as a Polo Member purchase, lease or sponsor a horse and board this horse on Horse Park property, I understand and accept that I *must* become a full member of The Horse Park at Woodside.

Print Name:

Sign Name:

Must be signed by a Parent or Guardian if Member is under the age of 18

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PLEASE DON'T FORGET TO SIGN THE RELEASE ON THE BACK



General Agreement & Release of Liability

I, _____ (Must be signed by a Parent or Guardian if person named above is under the age of 18), hereby acknowledge that I have requested permission to participate in equestrian or other activities on the premises of The Horse Park at Woodside. I have read and agree to abide by the Horse Park Facility Use Rules. I am aware that combined training and eventing, jumping, trail riding, conditioning, polo and all other forms of equestrian activities, including the teaching, training or coaching thereof can be hazardous. I am voluntarily participating in equestrian or other activities with the knowledge of the danger involved and herby agree to accept any and all risks of injury or death. In consideration for being permitted to use the facilities at the Horse Park at Woodside, I hereby agree that I, my heirs, my distributees, guardians, legal representatives and assignees will not make a claim against, sue, attach the property of, or prosecute the Horse Park at Woodside, its landlord, directors, officers, members, employees or assignees, for any claim I now have or may hereafter have for death, injury or property damage resulting from my use of the facilities at the Horse Park at Woodside, whether caused by my acts of omission or negligence or anyone else's. In addition, it is understood that any and all insurance that I have shall be primary. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I shall defend, indemnify & hold harmless the Horse Park at Woodside, its landlord, directors, officers, agents and employees for and against any and all claims, damages, losses, expenses and liabilities of every kind, including but not limited to attorney's fees, in any way arising out of or in connection with my activities under this Agreement. This indemnify shall apply regardless of any active and/or passive negligent act or omission of the Horse Park at Woodside, its landlord, directors, officers, agents and employees.

I have carefully read this agreement and release and fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a Release of Liability, a waiver of legal rights and contracts between me and The Horse Park at Woodside. I sign this agreement and liability at my own free will. I further acknowledge that there are no warranties either express of implied, concerning the facilities, events or activities at The Horse Park at Woodside.

I acknowledge that I have read and understand The Horse Park rules. Furthermore I agree to comply with all rules and policies, and I am aware that I am responsible for following all rule/policy updates as they become available on The Horse Park website. I understand that violation of the Rules may result in removal from the property and the revocation of my membership to The Horse Park.



Signature (required):_____

(Must be signed by a Parent or Guardian if Member is under the age of 18)

Print Name:

Emergency Contact Name(s):

Emergency Contact #(s):



Horse Park Rules

These rules are in place to protect the rider, horse, and the integrity of the cross country course. Any violation of HPW rules/policies may result in the revocation of membership and/or removal from the property. Please review the Horse Park website regularly for full rules and policy/rule changes. **General Rules:**

• PLEASE DRIVE SLOWLY! 10 MPH ON ALL HORSE PARK ROADS!

- Membership is required to use the Horse Park facilities
- All membership types must comply with Horse Park dog policies/rules
- Only Dog Members and Full Members are allowed to bring their dogs to the Horse Park
- Helmets required for anyone 18 or under (regardless of riding style)
- No jumping allowed without helmets (regardless of age)
- No jumping alone anywhere on the property (this includes arenas)
- No unattended or loose horses no unattended turnouts in the Round Pen!
- No unattended or loose dogs in barn areas or arenas.
- All injuries and incidents must be reported to the office immediately
- No smoking anywhere on the property
- No open flames, campfires or cooking
- Arenas and cross country course may be closed due to weather conditions
- Drive on designated roads only, NOT on the cross country course!
- Close pasture and other facility gates behind you
- All members and visitors, please clean up after yourself and your horses!
- All members and visitors must show respect and be courteous to others and staff
- Yield to Horse Park staff and equipment
- No Dogs permitted to accompany a rider or riders while riding
- Rider's family, guests, and spectators must stay off course and keep to designated viewing areas.
- Rider's family, guests, and spectators must respect the "NO DOG" policy on the cross country course.
- Show exhibitor's (non-members) are not permitted to use jumps on the cross-country course.
- Dogs **MUST** be leashed, kenneled, housed or tied in barn areas at all times/Dogs are **not** allowed in any arena!
- All riders/trainers must either attain a HPW "Day Use" or "Full" membership with required paperwork and/or insurance certificate (trainers) **PRIOR** to using the facility.
- All "day use" members must check in and pay use fee **BEFORE** using the facility



• Riders, when schooling on the cross country course, **MUST** wear a safety helmet, protective vest, approved medical armband, and be accompanied by a partner over 18 years of age with a cell phone.

- Riders must never jump a "closed" fence or any "closed" section of the cross country course.
- When cross-country course is closed it pertains to all the portions of the course, for all types of riding and driving.
- No unauthorized vehicles permitted on the course.

Violations

Please report any infractions of these rules by fellow members, boarders, trainers, or staff to the Horse Park office immediately.

Any violation of HPW rules/policies may result in the revocation of membership and/or removal from the property!

Emergencies

Please immediately notify the Horse Park Office or a Horse Park office employee. If the Office is closed or no one is available, please use a Cellular Telephone to summon help by dialing 911. The Horse Park is located at 3674 Sand Hill Road in Woodside, San Mateo County, California. Updates on activities and facility conditions are available on the website or by calling the Horse Park office at (650) 851.2140 during regular business hours. You may check status on and enter any Horse Park managed clinic, show or event, renew your membership or make a donation online.

Entrance Gate Access Procedure/Hours

Gates will automatically open/close as each vehicle enters and exits during regular business hours. Between 8:00pm - 6:00am accesses to the park will be for **Emergency Only** and will require an access code. Only full-service boarders and resident trainers will have access to the access code. The code **cannot** be transferred to anyone other than the assignee!

DOG RULES

Cross-Country Course Designated Hours for Dogs: Sunrise - 10:00 am & 5:00 pm – Sunset

- Why Are There Rules For Dog Members?
 - 1. Member safety is the #1 priority at the Horse Park. The shared environment of dogs and horses provides a challenging mix of uses. Many horses are frightened of loose or loud dogs, dogs running through water or at high speed, or dogs chasing after tennis balls, Frisbees or other thrown objects. Loose horses are a hazard and are extremely dangerous to pedestrians, vehicles and other riders. Strict adherence to Horse Park rules is necessary to keep the Park safe and available to all members.
- Who May Bring Dogs To The Horse Park? Where Are They Allowed?
 - 1. Dog Walker Members and Full Members may exercise their dogs on the cross-country course or bring leashed dogs to the remainder of the Horse Park. If it is otherwise unoccupied, dogs may also be exercised off leash in the south parking lot/trailer parking area.
 - 2. Show participants may bring dogs only during events and must obey all Horse Park rules. Subject to following such rules, show participants may exercise their dogs on the crosscountry field or perimeter trail during designated dog hours only.



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- 4. The cross-country course is designated into "interior" and "perimeter" areas. See below for separate uses. The perimeter trail is the trail along the external fence line of the Horse Park. The tracks of the cross-country course are the interior areas.
- Rules That Apply On Cross-Country Course
 - 1. Permitted members may exercise their dogs on the cross-country course during designated hours if the course is open to equestrian use and at any time the Horse Park is open if the closed to equestrian use.
 - 2. Designated hours for interior cross-country access are currently sunrise to 10AM and 5PM to sunset.
 - 3. The perimeter trail is open to permitted members and their dogs at any time the Horse Park is generally open, and whether or not cross-country is open to equestrian use, but subject to right of way and general rules.
 - 4. If a competition is being run which utilizes the cross-country course, no dogs are allowed on the interior cross-country course or the perimeter trail at any time during the active phase of the competition.
 - 5. Dogs may be off leash in the cross-country field **ONLY** if they are under complete voice control at all times (and should never be more than 100 feet from the handler). It is the handler's ultimate responsibility to be on the lookout for approaching horses, in all directions.
- General Dog Rules
 - 1. All dog walkers must abide by general park hours and rules.
 - 2. Dogs **MUST** be leashed, kenneled, housed or tied in barn areas at all times.
 - 3. Dogs may not ever enter an arena, and are not permitted next to an arena that is being used.
 - 4. Horses/Riders always have right of way. It is **mandatory** that even when it is otherwise permitted for a dog to be unleashed (i.e. on cross-country), any dog who is being approached in any direction by a horse, must be put on a leash and must yield to the horse/rider, even IF the rider grants permission to stay unleashed.
 - 5. No dogs may accompany you while riding or "run alongside" vehicles, including golf carts, motorcycles, etc.
 - 6. Please clean up after yourselves and your dog's wherever you are at the Horse Park, including on the cross-country field.
 - 7. Courtesy refuse bags are available at the entrances to the cross-country course and near the Four Winds Annex and courtesy leashes are available at the main office if you have forgotten your own.
 - 8. No "Professional Dog Walkers" are permitted at the Horse Park at any time.
 - 9. The Horse Park practices a "no tolerance" policy as it relates to aggressive, disobedient, mismanaged, and/or mishandled dogs. Any such dogs will not be allowed to return to the Horse Park and members may lose their membership privileges.