

Virginia Equine Stables
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This is a boarding contract with Virginia Equine Stables.

The following terms and conditions shall govern the boarding of the horse _____, owned by _____, here in after referred to as the horse owner.

Virginia Equine will provide the horse with an assigned stall for individual feeding twice daily. The horse will be turned out with at least one other compatible horse as determined by the barn manager. The rate for board is \$_____ per month. The first monthly payment is due upon the arrival of the horse at Virginia Equine and the following board payments are due as you receive your bill. Deworming will be charged to the monthly board bill and will be collected with the next board payment.

The horse shall have been vaccinated for flu, rhino, strangles, potomac horse fever, eastern/western/tetanus, rabies and shall have a current negative Coggins. The choice of veterinarian is limited to Virginia Equine, but specific veterinarian preferences will be honored by the staff, unless, in an emergency, the veterinarian will be determined by the staff. The owner can use their farrier of choice.

Neither Virginia Equine, its owners, or employees shall be held liable for any disease, accident, injury, or death of the horse while it is at Virginia Equine unless Virginia Equine has been guilty of fraud or gross negligence. The horse owner shall be responsible for any and all insurance for the horse or any equipment.

In the event of any problem occurring involving the health and well being of the horse, Virginia Equine shall make every effort to contact the owner at the following telephone numbers:

1. _____
2. _____

In event that Virginia Equine is unable to get in touch with the owner, then Virginia Equine is authorized to make such decisions as it feels are necessary to care for the horse, up to and including the authority to euthanize the horse as it receives advice from a veterinarian that this course of action is recommended.

Virginia Equine acknowledges and understands that said horse, _____ is / is not covered by an accident / full mortality insurance policy which includes / does not include and endorsement for colic surgery. (Please circle were indicated) The contact person (s) and telephone numbers are:

Insurance Company_____

1. _____
2. _____

In every event involving the potential destruction of the horse, Virginia Equine will attempt to get the opinions of two veterinarians, and, if applicable will get authorization from the insurance company. Further, if colic surgery is recommended by the veterinarian, Virginia Equine will contact the insurance company, if applicable, and obtain authorization to permit the surgery so long as the estimated operating room expenses do not exceed \$_____. If the owner has not designated an amount in the paragraph, Virginia Equine is authorized to have the horse shipped to such clinic as it determines, and the owner shall assume all responsibility for the costs or such transportation and medical care as are incurred. The owner agrees to hold Virginia Equine harmless from the results of any decisions under this paragraph unless such decisions are the result of fraud or gross negligence.

All payments due under this contract will be paid before departure of the horse unless other arrangements have been made. It is understood that in the event that any payments are not made when due, that the owner shall be liable for any balance due over thirty days. The owner shall pay any and all legal fees paid to collect any amount due.

A thirty-day notice is required to be submitted to Virginia Equine prior to leaving the boarding facility. There is no refund of board once it is paid for the month. If uncertain of a departure date, a daily rate of \$20 per day is available. This daily rate also applies to any horses coming to visit, go on trial, etc. under the boarder's name and account at Virginia Equine.

This contract is constructed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia and the provisions of Virginias Lien Statute shall apply.

The owner agrees to execute the "Waivers of Rights " if it is applicable and attached to this contract.

This contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and may not be amended or modified except in writing, signed by both parties.

Horse Owner _____ Date_____

Virginia Equine Representative_____ Date_____