

# Jack's Livery Stable

## Horseback Riding Questionnaire

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First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

How many times have you ridden a horse?

- \_\_\_\_\_ Never  
\_\_\_\_\_ 1 or 2 times  
\_\_\_\_\_ 3 to 5 times  
\_\_\_\_\_ 6 to 10 times  
\_\_\_\_\_ 11 to 20 times  
\_\_\_\_\_ Over 20 times

Have you ever ridden a saddle horse on Mackinac Island?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Have you ever owned your own horse?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Have you ever taken riding lessons?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Have you ridden horses in the past year?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Are you afraid of a horse?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

What kind of rider do you consider yourself to be?

- \_\_\_\_\_ A beginner rider  
\_\_\_\_\_ An average rider  
\_\_\_\_\_ A better than average rider  
\_\_\_\_\_ An expert horseperson

What type of horse do you prefer?

- \_\_\_\_\_ A quiet horse that follows other horses  
\_\_\_\_\_ A horse that will lead other horses  
\_\_\_\_\_ A horse that requires an experienced rider

Do you prefer to have a guide accompany you for the entire ride?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

How long do you plan to ride?

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1 hour  
\_\_\_\_\_ 1 1/2 hours  
\_\_\_\_\_ 2 hours  
\_\_\_\_\_ More than 2 hours

What types of riding have you done?

- \_\_\_\_\_ Western  
\_\_\_\_\_ English  
\_\_\_\_\_ Both  
\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Rider's Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

### RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION

I recognize and understand that horses, because of their size, strength, and unpredictable nature, can be extremely dangerous animals and, therefore, horseback riding is an inherently perilous activity, which poses a very real potential for severe human injury and/or death.

Being aware of these hazards, it remains my desire to rent, on an hourly basis, a saddle horse with related tack and equipment, from Gough-Brodeur Stables, Inc.

As partial consideration for the rental to me by Gough-Brodeur Stables, Inc. of a saddle horse with related tack, I agree to accept and assume all (100%) of the risk involved in this activity, and, in doing so, specifically acquit, relive, exempt, and release Gough-Brodeur Stables, Inc. from any and all claims for injury or accident or damages sustained or occasioned by this activity, whether due to my own negligence or the negligence of Gough-Brodeur Stables, Inc. its agents, or employees.

I also indemnify, hold harmless, and accept all responsibility, and will defend Gough-Brodeur Stables, Inc. from any liability or damages for injury to person(s) or property occasioned by any negligence by me in connection with this horse rental activity.

I further represent that I have attained the age of eighteen (18) years, and am under no legal disability which would prevent me from executing this Release.

#### WARNING

Under the Michigan Equine Activity Liability Act, an equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in an equine activity resulting from an inherent risk of the equine activity.

**THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY  
DO NOT SIGN THIS RELEASE IF YOU DO NOT UNDERSTAND OR AGREE WITH  
ITS TERMS.**

Signature of a parent or adult guardian is required for those persons under 18 years of age.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian (if required): \_\_\_\_\_