**Trail of Faith Farms Volunteer Application Form**

Office Use Only

Called:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Orientation:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: 2260 Middle Road Trenton, NC 28585

Email: [trailoffaithfarms@yahoo.com](mailto:trailoffaithfarms@yahoo.com)

Phone: 252-503-7393

Date of Application: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Text: Y N

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

State: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Employer/School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian (if Minor):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about Trail of faith Farms? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Can you walk for 40 minutes and jog for short distances?** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­

Given a chance to change sides frequently, can you hold your arm at shoulder height and support a modest weight? Y N

Are you comfortable working around horses/ponies? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

What experience (helpful but not necessary) do you have with horses?

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**HEALTH HISTORY**

Recent medical tests: Date of last tetanus shot?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Allergies:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Medications:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your current health status, particularly regarding the physical/emotional demands of working in a therapeutic riding program. Please address fitness, cardiac, respiratory, bone or joint function, recent hospitalizations/surgeries or lifestyle changes:

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**EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

In case of an Emergency

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Contact Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Contact Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer’s Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Hospital/Town:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

In case of emergency, I give permission to Trail of Faith Farms to secure medical treatment including x-rays, surgery, hospitalization and medication.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Background Information**

**(Volunteer, Parent or Guardian if minor)**

Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a crime, including sex-related or child-abuse related offenses? Yes\_\_\_\_\_\_ No\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Current Driver License: #\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

State Issued:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ or NA\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize Trail of Faith Farms to receive information from any law enforcement agency, including police and sheriff’s departments, of this state or any other state or federal government, to the extent permitted by state and federal law, pertaining to any convictions I may have had for violations of state or federal criminal laws, including, but not limited to convictions for crimes committed upon children. I understand that such access is for the purpose of considering my application as an employee/volunteer, and I expressly DO NOT authorize the operating center, its directors, officers, employees or other volunteers to disseminate this information in any way to any other individual, group agency, organization or corporation.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Volunteer Pledge**

As a volunteer at TOFF, I agree to follow the rules and guidelines in this or any following editions of the TOFF Volunteer Handbook. I have read or have had the Volunteer Handbook explained to me, and I will keep the current edition for reference. I will attend continuing education training/volunteer classes once a year (or more often if required by TOFF) throughout my volunteer service. I understand that violating the rules and guidelines at TOFF may result in my dismissal from the program. If my contact information changes, I will notify the volunteer coordinator as soon as possible.

I understand that the staff at TOFF, including instructors and administrators, is in control of the activities that I participate in and I will follow their direction. I understand that from time to time the guidelines or rules may change and that it is the responsibility of the TOFF staff to inform me of those changes in a timely manner.

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

(Please print legibly)

SIGNATURE:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

For minor or ward of the state: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(Please print legibly)

**DISCHARGE POLICY**

Unfortunately, volunteering at a Therapeutic Riding Center is not an appropriate activity for everybody and we occasionally have to decline or discontinue services to those who do not follow and respect the policies at TOFF. If a volunteer does not abide by the Volunteer Handbook and/or Center Policy as outlined in the Handbook and supporting documentation, that volunteer will be excused from volunteering at Trail of Faith Farms. Instances may involve continual inappropriate attire, unsafe behaviors that jeopardize self and others, inappropriate language and actions, misuse of center property and horses, disrespect of riders and/or staff, betrayal of center confidential information as well as continual disregard for authority. These are only examples and not to be considered a complete list of offenses that would constitute a discharge/dismissal from TOFF.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Confidentiality Policy**

I acknowledge that all TOFF riders & their families have a right to privacy that gives them control over the dissemination of medical and other sensitive information. I agree to keep confidential all such medical, social and personal information to myself.

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**PHOTO RELEASE**

I consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by Trail of Faith Farms of any and all photographs and any other audio-visual materials taken of me for promotional material, educational activities, and exhibitions or for any other use for the benefit of this program.

o I do consent

o I do NOT consent

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

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**VOLUNTEER LIABILITY RELEASE**

As a volunteer at Trail of Faith Farms, I acknowledge the risks and potential for risk of horseback riding program. However, I feel that the possible benefits to me and the clients with which I work are greater than the risk assumed. I hereby, intending to be legally bound for myself, my heirs and assigns, executors of administrators, waive and release forever ALL claims for damages against Trail of Faith Farms, its Board of Directors, instructors, therapists, volunteers and/or employees for any and all injuries and/or losses I may sustain while participating at Trail of Faith Farms. I waive and release ALL claims against Trail of Faith Farms for loss or damage to sunglasses, clothing, footwear, moving and parked vehicles, and any other belongings or possessions brought onto TOFF property.

I further release TOFF for any actions of its Board of Directors, instructors, therapists, volunteers and/or employees occurring outside the scope of the program itself, including but not limited to transportation, care, giving, horse exercising, etc.

I understand that UNDER NC LAW, AN EQUINE ACTIVITY SPONSOR OR EQUININE PROFESSIONAL IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO OR THE DEATH OF A PARTICIPANT IN AN EQUININE ACTIVITY RESULTING FROM AN INHERENT RISK OF EQUINE ACTIVITY, PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 99E, CODE OF LAWS GENERAL STATUES OF NC.

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

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

I declare that the information provided above is accurate to the best of knowledge. I know of no reason I should not participate in this operating center’s program. I understand the responsibilities listed in the job description and agree to fulfill those responsibilities. I also understand that occasionally, due to unforeseen circumstance, I may be called upon to fulfill the responsibilities of other positions within the program.

Volunteers are encouraged to promote Trail of Faith Farms in the community. However, I understand that no volunteer may represent, commit or obligate themselves to Trail of Faith Farms without the express permission of the Executive Director, Program Director or other individual as designated by the Board of Directors.

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

Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Availability**

Note: TOFF is closed on Sundays.

Volunteer Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **Time** | **Sunday** | **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
| 9 am |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 am |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 am |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 12 pm | **Sunday** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 pm | **Is the** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 pm | **Day of** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3 pm | **Rest** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4 pm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 pm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6 pm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7 pm |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |