

Tu Fox Farm: Lesson Program Registration

Rider Name & Date of Birth: _____

Thank you so much for your commitment to riding and horsemanship development at Tu Fox Farm! We are looking forward to another great semester!

Please indicate the package that you are interested in for the Spring 2025 Semester (February – May):

- ☐ Once-per-Week (Saturday Morning Academy – includes Saturday IEA lessons)
- ☐ Twice-per-Week (Wednesdays and Saturday Morning Academy)
- ☐ Twice-per-Week (Tuesdays and Thursdays – preference given to lessors)
- ☐ Individual Lessons for Academy Riders @ \$75 per lesson
- ☐ Boarders/Full-Lessors: 2 lessons per week @ \$50 per lesson, billed by # of Tuesdays in month

As you make your selection, please be aware:

- All new Academy riders start in Saturday lessons and should plan to add Wednesday lessons when their riding level and commitment advances.
- ALL Academy lessons purchased in packages run **RAIN OR SHINE** except in the most severe weather situations. If you haven't heard that lessons are cancelled directly from your trainer, assume that lessons are still being held. Horsemanship lessons will be given whenever riding isn't possible. Individually purchased academy lessons may be rescheduled to another day in the month in which they were purchased if approved by the trainer and notification is given at least 48 hours in advance OR a doctor's note is provided for illness.
- **There are no make-up lessons or credits available for missed lessons when purchasing academy lesson packages for any reason** (As of 8/1/2022). Any variation from this is SOLELY at the discretion of the trainer. Owners and full-leasers may purchase individual lessons at the beginning of each month for \$50 per lesson (\$60 for haul-in lessons,) and make-ups/credits/training rides will be provided for missed lessons. **Deductions should not be made from due payments for lessons that will be missed – payments are for a spot in the program, not based on attendance.**
- Lesson Packages may be paid for at the beginning of the semester (Feb 1), in two equal payments (Feb 1 & Mar 1), or at the beginning of each month of the semester. A fee schedule is on the next page for your review. A \$25 late fee will apply to any payments made after the due date, with a \$10 per day fee added on top starting on the 3rd of the month.
- A **30-day notice is required** before a rider stops or reduces lessons so that a replacement rider from the waiting list may be notified to fill their lesson spot.

Rider Name: _____

Parent Name: _____

Rider Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Important Dates for 2025 Spring Semester

FEBRUARY

1 First Day of Spring Semester
16 IEA Regionals – NO LESSONS

APRIL

7-11 Spring Break – NO LESSONS
22-27 IEA Nationals

MARCH

14-16 HJ Fox – NO LESSONS
13-16 IEA Zone 4 Finals – NO LESSONS

MAY

3-4 HJ Fox – NO LESSONS
24 Last Day of Spring Semester
30 Bonfire?

Payment Options

Lesson Day(s)	Payment Due February 1	Payments Due Feb 1 & Mar 1	Monthly Payments Feb thru May
Saturday	\$900 (A)	\$487.50 ea (B)	\$262.50/mo (C)
Wednesday/Saturday	\$1650 (D)	\$900 ea (E)	\$487.50/mo (F)
Tuesday/Thursday	\$1650 (G)	\$900 ea (H)	\$487.50/mo (I)

Chosen Payment Plan: _____

I UNDERSTAND THAT NO REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED AFTER A PACKAGE IS PURCHASED.

I UNDERSTAND THAT BY CHOOSING AN ACADEMY RIDING PACKAGE, I AM SIGNING UP FOR THE ENTIRE SPRING SEMESTER AT TU FOX FARM FROM FEBRUARY 1, 2025 UNTIL MAY 24, 2025. IF MY RIDER DECIDES AT ANY POINT TO DISCONTINUE LESSON, THE REMAINING BALANCE FOR THE SEMESTER IS DUE UPON RECEIPT OF MY 30-DAY NOTICE.

Rider Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

EQUINE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

I hereby enter into this agreement in consideration of my ability and permission to ride OR use any Horse owned by Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt ("Owner") whose address is 1203 Harmony Grove Church Rd, Auburn, GA 30011 OR for the right to handle any horse on the Tu Fox Farm Equestrian property, including those who are privately owned.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

BY SIGNING THIS AGREEMENT YOU ARE GIVING UP CERTAIN LEGAL RIGHTS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO RECOVER DAMAGES IN CASE OF INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE, ARISING OUT OF YOUR RIDING OR USE OF THE OWNER'S HORSE AND/OR PARTICIPATION IN EQUINE ACTIVITIES AT TU FOX FARM, INCLUDING INJURY, DEATH, OR PROPERTY DAMAGE ARISING OUT OF THE NEGLIGENCE OF YOU OR JORDAN SCHMIDT, TU FOX FARM, OR CECILIA RISLEY OR ANY STUDENT HELPERS.

READ THIS AGREEMENT CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING IT. YOUR SIGNATURE INDICATES YOUR UNDERSTANDING OF AND AGREEMENT TO ITS TERMS.

By signing this form, I hereby acknowledge on behalf of myself that I have familiarized myself with the activities that I will be allowed to participate in, and that I do hereby acknowledge and agree that I will participate in these activities without restriction or limitation. I recognize the inherent risks involved in riding and working with horses, including but not limited to:

- Bites, kicks, abrasions or contusions from horses.
- Being thrown or bucked off by horses.
- Scratches or other injury from stalls or enclosures.
- Scratches or other injury from grooming tools and other equine equipment and tack.
- Allergic reactions to animals, hay, or other allergens.
- Tripping in holes or on materials or equipment.
- Slipping, falling, or otherwise being injured in the barn, in stalls, or on the grounds, which can be slippery, muddy, wet, or contain or present other hazards.

I hereby specifically forever waive and release Tu Fox Farm and Jordan Schmidt and its principals and agents, including but not limited to Cecilia Risley, from any liability for injury arising out of the inherent risks from riding, working or participating in a stable environment and/or with horses, as well as from the active negligence of Tu Fox Farm and Jordan Schmidt, its principals and agents.

Name of Rider: _____ Initial: _____ Release Page 1 of 2

By signing this agreement I hereby acknowledge that although there may be supervision during my time spent at Tu Fox Farm, there will not be a nurse on the premises and Tu Fox Farm and its principals and agents bear no responsibility for my health or medical care.

I agree to indemnify, save and hold harmless Tu Fox Farm and its principals and agents from and against any loss, liability, damage, attorneys' fees, or costs that they may incur arising out of or in any way connected with either my presence or participation at Tu Fox Farm and Jordan Schmidt or any acts or omissions of Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt principals or agents.

By signing this Agreement, and by initialing the paragraph below, I hereby acknowledge my complete understanding, agreement and consent to my presence and/or participation in the activities at Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt without restriction, without liability to Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt its principals or agents, and with full knowledge and understanding of the disclosures, waivers, and releases herein.

If I am present at and participate in the activities of Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt, I do so at my own risk, and I hereby acknowledge and agree that Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt and/or any of its principals and agents shall bear no responsibility or risk associated with injuries that could arise from my presence or participation at Tu Fox Farm or Jordan Schmidt or Cecilia Risley.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Participant's Signature: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian if _____
Participant under 18 years old