

Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center



Letter to Parents & Clients

Dear Interested Client,

Thank you for your interest in Vinceremos and our therapeutic riding programs! If you are new to our riding center or have not attended in a while, please note that the attached application forms are required. Our sessions during the school year run for 11 weeks (summer sessions vary). If the current schedule is full when you apply, you will be added to the waiting list for the next session.

It is mandatory that you return your entire registration packet with the following items complete:

- All Release Forms Signed
- If riding, all Physician Forms and Signature lines (pages 6 & 7) signed by your Doctor or a Nurse
 Practiconer make your Dr. appointment now!
- If desired, complete your Scholarship Request, including your letter to be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee (pages 8 & 9).

When we have received your forms we will contact you to arrange an assessment to determine which program would be best, then we will let you know if you have received a scholarship.

All riders will be required to make their payment prior to riding on the 1st day of classes, no exceptions. You can make your payment via phone, mail or in person.

WEATHER POLICY

Even though we have a covered arena, we must be very conscious of lightning. For your safety, Vinceremos' Weather Policy is as follows: If there is lightning detected less than 6 miles away, we will not ride until it is clear for 30 minutes. If the Weather Policy is in effect, we will conduct unmounted lessons in the barn. Even if the weather seems clear, this will be determined at the Center's discretion for your safety.

Thank you for your help and cooperation. We look forward to another successful session!

Best, The Vinceremos Team



Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center



Attendance and Payment Policy

Vinceremos has been providing equine activities for our clients for 39 years. We appreciate the opportunity to serve you and enjoy seeing the positive impact horses and horse sports add to your life. Our commitment to maintaining the highest quality service for our clients defines the Vinceremos experience. Small class sizes and experienced instructors means that these standards are preserved.

To maintain these standards, we need your help. Any questions or concerns should be emailed to concerns@vinceremos.org.

PARTICIPANT'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

Enrollment:

Vinceremos sessions run concurrently with the school year. Participants are required to submit new forms each year before the Fall Session. Fall clients are automatically enrolled in the Winter and Spring Sessions and will be billed accordingly.

Arrival Time & Attendance:

Participants must be ready for their class 5 minutes before the scheduled start time. Late arrivals may not be able to participate. If you are 15 minutes late you will not be able to participate.

Please notify the office if you are not attending your lesson at 561-792-9900.

Participants who miss 2 consecutive lessons without notifying the office will be considered withdrawn.

Participants may request a change in their lesson time and/or day by calling the office. This is subject to availability.

2020-2021 Pricing:

Tuition is based on the number of weeks in the session, regardless of attendance. Tuition proration will only be considered when clients join mid-session.

Pricing per	Therapeutic	Hippotherapy with	Equine Assisted	Equine Assisted
lesson	Riding	Physical Therapist	Learning	Psychotherapy
Private	\$60	\$70	\$75	\$150
Semi-Private	\$55		\$60	\$100
Group (3-5)	\$50		\$35	\$70
Group (6-10)			\$25	\$40

Additional activities: Holiday Horse Show = \$25 Donation

Volunteering = \$25 Donation

WHEN WE COME BACK TO VINCEREMOS



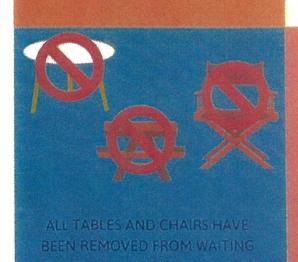
WASH YOUR HANDS FREQUENTLY

Regularly and thoroughly clean your hands with an alcohol-based hand rub or wash them with soap and water. We will have a hand sanitizer station



MAINTAIN SOCIAL DISTANCING

Maintain one pony length away from each other



You can bring a bench or lawn



ALL GARBAGE CANS HAVE BEEN REMOVED

please take your garbage with you!

Source: World Health Organization





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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Participant Name:				
Male Female Date of Birth: Age:				
Address:				
			Zip:	
Email:				
Home Phone:		Cell Ph:		
School/Institution Atte	nding:			
How did you hear abou	t Vinceremos?			
Parent/Guardian Infor	mation:			
Parents/Guardians:				
Please check if info	rmation is same as abov	re.		
Address:	www.commons.com			
City:		State:	Zip:	
Email:				
Home Phone:		Cell Ph:		
Participant's Personalit	ty Profile:			
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Participant's Medical Information:	
Diagnosis - Primary/Secondary:	
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Physician's Name:	Physician's Phone Number:
referred Medical Facility:	
lealth Insurance Company:	Policy #:
Allergies and Treatment Required:	
urrent Medications:	Medical Bracelet?
ny other special information we should	know?
Participant's Physical Skills:	
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AUTHORIZATIO	ON FOR EMERGENCY MEDICAL TREATMENT
Participant Name:_	
	the event emergency medical aid/treatment is required due to illness or injury during the process of or while being on the property of the agency, I authorize Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center to:
	in medical treatment and transportation if needed. ecords upon request to the authorized individual or agency involved in the medical emergency treatment.
	includes x-ray, surgery, hospitalization, medication, and any treatment procedure deemed "lifesaving" by s provision will only be invoked if the person(s) above is unable to be reached.
Date:	Consent Signature:
	Participant (if 18 years of older), Parent or Legal Guardian
- or -	
process of receiving 1. Parent or legal g	AN: I do not give my consent for emergency medical treatment/aid in the case of illness or injury during the g services or while being on the property of the agency. Suardian will remain on site at all times during equine assisted activities. Bergency treatment/aid is required, I wish the following procedure to take place:
Date:	Non-Consent Signature:
	Participant (if 18 years of older), Parent or Legal Guardian Please do not sign this non-consent if consent is signed above.
PHOTO RELEAS	
and all photograph	Do Not Consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center of any s and any other audio/visual materials taken of me for promotional material, educational activities, any other use for the benefit of the Center.
Date:	Signature: Participant (if 18 years or older), Parent or Legal Guardian
	Office Use Only New Client Existing Client Assessed By Instructor





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EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY RELEASE, WAIVER OF RIGHT TO SUE, AND ASSUMPTION OF ALL RISKS

READ BEFORE SIGNING	
This Equine Activity Liability Release, Wa	iver of Right to Sue and Assumption of All Risks Agreement (the "Agreement") is hereby
given by	(person signing) on his/her own behalf OR as the parent of
ruardian of	(participant) to VINCEREMOS RIDING CENTER, INC., a Florida

not-for-profit corporation, as the equine activity sponsor (the "Sponsor"), and to each officer, director, agent, employee, volunteer, equine professional (as defined in the Act referenced herein), instructor, therapist, aide, heir, personal representative, successor and/or assign of the Sponsor (who also shall be included within the word "Sponsor") and agrees as follows:

In consideration of the opportunities provided by the Sponsor to the undersigned, including any minor or legal ward in whose behalf the undersigned signs this Agreement (collectively, the "Participant"), for the enjoyment of equine activities and the use of the Sponsor's facility and equipment, the Participant hereby agrees as follows:

- 1. This Agreement is given in part under the Florida Equine Activities statutes (Chapter 773) as it may now provide or be hereafter amended (the "Act"). All terms defined by the Act shall have the same meaning herein, and the Act is hereby incorporated in this Agreement by reference. This Agreement shall be so construed as to provide to the Sponsor the fullest protection of a release, waiver of claim and recovery, right to sue and assumption of all risks that is afforded by the Act, and by other applicable statutes and general
- 2. The Participant hereby acknowledges that he/she has full and complete notice and understanding of the Act and of all the dangers and/or conditions which are an integral part of equine activities which may cause, contribute to or result in the death or personal injury of the Participant or damage to the Participant's property (the "Risks"), including, but not limited to:

The propensity of equines to behave in ways (such as, but not limited to, buck, stumble, fall, rear, bite, kick, run, and make unpredictable movements, spook, jump obstacles, step on a person's feet, push or shove a person, saddles or bridles may loosen or break) that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around the equine;

The unpredictability of an equine's reaction to sounds, sudden movement, persons, other animals, or unfamiliar objects;

Hazards, including, but not limited to, surface or subsurface conditions;

A collision with another equine, another animal, a person, or an object;

The potential of an equine activity participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury, death, or loss to the person of the participant or to other persons, including, but not limited to, failing to maintain control over an equine or failing to act within the ability of the participant;

The inability of anyone whomsoever to predict or foresee an equine's reaction to excitement, weather conditions, sound, movements, objects, vehicles, persons, animals, reptiles, birds or insects, and the effects of such reactions;

The dangers and risks of tack or harness loosening, slipping, or breaking for whatever reason.

The dangers and risks of becoming entangled in tack, harness, or vehicles used in an equine activity;

The risks of falling from or otherwise becoming unstable on an equine or a vehicle used in an equine activity for any reason whatsoever or for no identifiable reason;

Any negligent act or omission by the Sponsor which causes or results in the death or personal injury of the Participant or damage to the Participant's property.

 The Participant hereby expressly assumes all risks and dangers of injury, loss, damage, or death which are in any way resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities and/or associated with the Risks enumerated in paragraph 2 above.

Please initial	Initial: Date:





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- 4. The Participant hereby releases and waives all rights which he/she may have or hereafter have against the Sponsor for injury, loss, damage or death which is in any way resulting from the inherent dangers of equine activities and/or associated with the Risks enumerated in Paragraph 2 above, and the right to sue or to bring any action against the Sponsor in connection therewith. The Participant agrees to completely indemnify and hold the Sponsor harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, suits, actions, losses, liabilities, costs and/or expenses, including medical costs and attorney's fees, which are occasioned by, or otherwise attributable to, matters for which the Participant has hereby assumed the risk and is responsible in accordance with this Agreement.
- 5. The Participant agrees to comply with all rules and regulations posted or otherwise communicated by the Sponsor. The Participant agrees that the Sponsor has made reasonable and prudent efforts to determine the Participant's ability to engage in the Equine Activity offered by the Sponsor and the Participant has disclosed all known physical and psychological conditions to Sponsor to assist Sponsor in evaluating the Participant for participation in the Equine Activity offered by the Sponsor.
- 6. The Participant agrees that mounting, riding, walking, dismounting, grooming, training, handling, feeding, and otherwise being in the physical proximity of horses is a dangerous activity which produces a foreseeable risk of mortal or serious personal injury and/or property loss to the Participant in such activity as well as to the person or property of others.
- 7. This Agreement shall remain valid and in full force and effect from and after the date opposite the signature of the Participant until expressly revoked by the Participant in a written notice personally delivered to the Sponsor.
- 8. This Agreement shall be construed under Florida law in such manner as will render it, and each provision of it, fully enforceable; provided, however, that if any provision of this Agreement shall be unenforceable, such provision (or so much thereof as is unenforceable) shall be deleted and the remainder of this Agreement shall continue in full force and effect. Venue for purposes of any litigation or arbitration concerning this Agreement shall be in Palm Beach County, Florida.
- 9. If this Agreement is executed by the undersigned for and on behalf of a minor Participant as named below, the undersigned hereby warrants and represents that he/she is in fact the legal parent or guardian of such minor, with full rights of custody and control; that this Agreement is given on behalf of and is intended to be binding upon said minor Participant, his/her heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns; and the undersigned further agrees that this Agreement shall also be as fully binding on the undersigned as if it were entered into solely on his/her own behalf.
- 10. This Agreement shall be binding upon the heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns of the Participant and the undersigned. WARNING

Under Florida Law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

I HAVE FULLY READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING EQUINE LIABILITY RELEASE, WAIVER OF RIGHT TO SUE AND ASSUMPTION OF ALL RISKS. I HAVE CONSULTED AND RELIED UPON MY OWN ADVISORS ON ALL QUESTIONS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT. I HAVE NOT RELIED UPON THE SPONSOR FOR ANY ADVICE OR EXPLANATION IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

Print Participant Name: Signature (Participant or Parent/Guardian	Date:		
Address:			
Telephone Numbers: Cell ()	Home ()	Work ()	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Email:			



Physician's Statement Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center



Dear Health Care Provider:		
Your patient,	is interested in participating in	supervised equine activities.
(Participant's Name)	
In order to safely provide this service, and Physician's Statement Form. Properties of the contraindications to equine activities are present, and to what degree. That regarding this patient's participation is address/phone below.	lease note that the following condi Therefore, when completing this form, nk you very much for your assistance.	tions may suggest precautions and please note whether these conditions of you have any questions or concerns
Orthopedic Atlantoaxial Instability - including neurologic symptoms Coxa Arthrosis Cranial Deficits Heterotopic Ossification/Myositis Ossificans Joint Subluxation/Dislocation Osteoporosis Pathologic Fractures Spinal Joint Fusion/Fixation Spinal Joint Instability/Abnormalities	Medical/Psychological Allergies Animal Abuse Cardiac Condition Physical/Sexual/Emotional Abuse Blood Pressure Control Dangerous to Self or Others Exacerbations of Medical Conditions (i.e., RA, MS) Fire Settings Hemophilia Medical Instability Migraines PVD Respiratory Compromise Recent Surgeries Substance Abuse Thought Control Disorders Weight Control Disorder	Neurologic Hydrocephalus/Shunt Seizure Spina Bifida/Chiari II Malformation/Tethered Cord/ Hydromyelia Other Age - Under 4 years Indwelling Catheters/Medical Equipment Medications, i.e. Photosensitivity Poor Endurance Skin Breakdown
THIS S	ECTION MUST BE COMPLETED IN	FULL
Past/Prospective Surgeries:		
List Medications:		
Seizure Type:	Controlled? Y N Date of	Last Seizure:
Shunt Present? Y N Date of Last		
Independent Ambulation: Y N Assis	ted Ambulation: Y N Wheelchair:	N Braces/Assistive Devices? Y N
For those with Down Syndrome: Atlan	toDens Interval X-Rays Date:	Result: +
Neurologic Symptoms of AtlantoAxial I		
		oto.
Physician's Signature:	U .	ate:



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	Т	HIS	SECTION MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL
Participant:			DOB: Height: Weight*:
			*Clients over 200 pounds will participate in unmounted activities.
Participant Address:			Participant Phone:
Special Precautions/Needs:			
			Date of Onset:
Please indicate cu	ırrent	or po	st special needs in the following systems/areas, including surgeries:
	-	T	If Yes: Degree of Impairment/Comments
Auditory			
Visual			
Tactile Sensation			
Speech			
Cardiac			
Circulatory			
Integumentary/Skin			
Immunity		-	
Pulmonary	1		
Neurologic	-		
Muscular			
Balance			
Orthopedic	****************	-	
Allergies			
Learning Disability			
Cognitive			
Emotional/Psychological			
Pain			
Given the above diagnosis	and m	edica	Il information, this person is not medically precluded from participation in
equine assisted activities. I	unde ntrain	rstan Idical	d that PATH International will weigh the medical information given against the ions. Therefore, I refer this person to PATH International for ongoing
evaluation to determine eli			
Name/Title:	nastani panagani interit	0100144611014Are-m	MD DO NP PA Other
Physician's Signature:	W. N. S.	***************	Date:
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Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center Financial Aid



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FINANCIAL AID

Applications for Financial Aid are made each year ahead of the Fall Session or during a Client's initial Assessment. All awards are made based on available funds and financial need. Applicants are required to fill out the Financial Aid Application enclosed and submit at least two (2) of the following documents:

FOR	EMPLO	YED INDIVIDUALS:
1)		Pay Stubs: 30 days of recent pay stubs from all employers for both parents.
2)		W2 Forms: For the last tax year.
3)		Social Security Award Letters or any other Financial Aid received.
FOR	SELF-EN	MPLOYED INDIVIDUALS:
1)		First page of your Federal Tax Return for the most recent year.
2)		1 Month of your most current bank statement.
Plea	se black	out Social Security Numbers and Bank Account Numbers.
		please attach a brief letter as described on the following page under "Reason for this Scholarship?".
Othe	er financ	cial resources you may apply to:
В	ellasAng	gels.org
G	ardiner	Scholarship: http://www.fldoe.org



Vinceremos Therapeutic Riding Center Financial Aid Request Form



Participant Name:	Date:
Parent/Guardian Name/s:	
E-Mail:	
School/Day Program:	
Other therapies the Participant is participating in: *Required	
Financial Informa	ation
Family Size: Number of Children: N	lumber of Children with Special Needs:
Total Gross Monthly Wages (your wage & spouse or other): \$	
Monthly Child Support: \$ SSI: \$ Parent/Guardian Marital Status Single Married Dir Occupations(s):	vorced
Consideration Are there any special circumstances that need to be taken into consideration.	•••••
Reason for Requesting thi Please answer this question in letter format addressed to the VTI submit it with the Participant paperwork.	s Scholarship? RC Board of Directors, Scholarship Committee and
How do you feel your Participant will benefit from lessons at Vin	ceremos Therapeutic Riding Center?
· ·	
- The Scholarship Committee reserves the right to make except extreme need.	cions based on specific situations that demonstrate
I certify that the above information is accurate and complete t	o the best of my knowledge.
Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date:
Ear Office Use ONLY: Received By	Date: Reviewed: Y N



Sign me up!

I can volunteer in the following areas at Vinceremos:

0	Lesson help (leading and sidewalking)
0	Parent/Rider Association
0	Barn maintenance or handyman/woman work
0	Lawn work
0	Special events (fishing tournaments, Horse Show, summer camp)
0	Auction assistance
0	I have a special talent or skill that I could share (Tell us!)
Na	nme Rider's Name
Be	est way to reach you: