

Policy #: _____

13. RIGHT OF LIEN

OWNER is put on notice that the STABLE has and may assert and exercise a right of lien, as provided for by the laws of the Province of Alberta, for any amount due for the board and keep of HORSE(S), and also for any storage or other charges due hereunder, and further agrees that the STABLE shall have the right, without process of law, to attach a lien to your HORSE(S) after two (2) months of non-payment or partial payment and the STABLE can then sell HORSE(S) to recover its loss. For more information please see the Animal Keepers Act of Alberta.

14. USE OF FACILITIES

The OWNER acknowledges from time to time the STABLE will be hosting and renting the facilities for events which will use areas of the common facilities. The STABLE will do their best to make available alternate areas and times for the use of the OWNER during these events.

15. ASSIGNMENT

This AGREEMENT may not be assigned by the OWNER without the express written consent of the STABLE.

16. SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO THE STABLE

17. GOVERNANCE

This AGREEMENT is governed by the Province of Alberta and any dispute will be litigated in the Province of Alberta

In witness whereof, the parties have executed the AGREEMENT as of the _____ day of _____, 20____

_____ Date _____
Signature of OWNER or legal guardian

_____ Date _____
Signature of STABLE or Agent

FACILITY AND BARN RULES AGREEMENT

GENERAL FACILITY RULES

- When in yard, barn or arenas, all horses must be supervised and have a halter, rope on bridle on for control.

- Please do not hand feed any horses, give treats to, or otherwise touch other people's horses without permission.
- Smoking is prohibited on the property, please be mindful of the language you use.
- No dogs allowed.
- Please respect the privacy of the yard areas around the houses. Do not enter the back yard.
- In the barnyard, dispose of your horse's manure in a pen or manure spreader or use the muck tubs provided.
- If a gate is closed keep it closed, if a gate is open keep it open; there is a reason it is the way it is.
- We all appreciate a clean facility, let's all work together to keep it that way.

BARN RULES

- Barn and Arena doors are to be kept closed.
- Please only tie horses in grooming stalls in barn or designated tie areas.
- Sweep up dirt/hair and your horse's manure BEFORE and AFTER riding, using shovels and tubs provided.
- Put equipment and belongings away during your ride. AEC is not responsible for lost or stolen articles.
- Anyone caught by security cameras as having not cleaned up will get a \$10/incident clean-up charge added.
- Extra Feed can be fed in the barn or outside and is to be stored in mouse proof containers in the feed room or at home.
- Garbage cans have been provided.
- Anyone wanting to use their own farrier may use the barn during non-lesson times, or outside anytime. No nails in manure tubs! Contact us for a barn farrier schedule.
- Last person out of the barn & arena, please turn off all inside lights.

ARENA RULES

- Everyone riding or working at AEC must read, understand & sign/submit a Release of Liability/Risk Waiver. No one is to ride in lessons or otherwise, this includes riding your horse, without first submitting a waiver or lesson/board agreement.
- Barn hours are 8am-10pm. See website calendar for closures for maintenance, clinics, shows or camps.
- **Therapy sessions get priority for use of arena and barn; therefore, barn and arena are not open for use during those times.**
- No lunging in the arena during lessons or when there are 3 or more riders in the arena. Only 1 horse at a time.
- General riding is allowed in the arenas during lessons. However, as a suggestion, familiarise yourself with the lesson schedule posted and try to arrange your riding at the least congested times.
- The lesson instructor has control of the arena during lessons. Please listen to their requests. Manure in the arenas breaks down and creates dust, so please pick up any manure in the arena when you are done riding using the fork and manure bucket provided.
- Heeled footwear and long pants are mandatory while riding. No sandals or bare feet when near any horse.

- ASTM Approved Riding Helmets are mandatory for riders under 18, and for all riders while in lessons, even 18+, helmets are STRONGLY recommended.
- No riders under the age of 18 may ride/handle a horse alone. Riders 14-17 must have a companion present. All riders under the age of 14 must be accompanied by a responsible adult when at AEC, unless in a lesson.
- No jumping (including free/chute jumping) unless you are in a lesson with or are supervised by an AEC instructor. No exceptions.
- Please adhere to the following arena etiquette: When you are entering the indoor arena, look first to see when it's safe and announce yourself by saying "Door!" before you open it. Check your girth and tack before mounting. If a lesson is in progress, familiarise yourself with the course being ridden so as not to get caught in an unsafe location. If horses are working both ways in the ring, pass left to left. Walking horses should be to the inside if busy. If a rider and/or horse should fall, STOP all movement immediately. Listen to the instructions of any instructor present. If no instructor is in the arena, make sure both horse and rider are okay before resuming your ride. In case of a power outage, stop immediately and dismount. The emergency lighting should go on. Don't resume your ride until the power has been restored if dark.
- AEC has a 3 strikes you're out policy, should this policy be enacted you will be asked to move your horse and leave within 24 hours.

I acknowledge that I have read and understand the Amethyst Equine Connections Inc. rules, and agree to abide by them. In addition, I understand and accept the consequences that will follow should I not respect said rules.

Name: _____

Date: _____

Signature

Amethyst Equine Connections is a **DRAMA FREE** facility. If you or your horse bring drama to our facility at any point in time you will be asked to leave. No exceptions.