

Alexandra Brooks Dressage Training Agreement

Horse Owner Name: _____

Owner's Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Emergency Contact: _____

Horse's Name: _____

Age: _____ Breed: _____

Horse's current training background:

Goals for putting horse in training:

Is horse entered into a show or event that trainer needs to know of? YES NO

If YES - when, where and what level is horse entered to compete at:

Who is entered to compete on the horse:

Have you entered horse into training with the goal being better performance at above event or show? YES NO

Veterinarian: _____

Vet's Phone: _____

Farrier: _____

Last Farrier Ap: _____ Next Appointment: _____

Last Dewormer (date & type): _____

Last Vaccines (date & type): _____

1. Training includes but is not limited to: riding sessions, ground handling sessions, lunging sessions and owner lessons. All training is conducted at the discretion of the Trainer with communication with owner. Training rates are as follows: Full training \$600 per month **O**. Partial training \$450 per month **O**. (Please check which training package you are paying for).
 1. Full training includes 4-5 sessions per week (20 sessions per month). Up to two sessions may be used as owner lessons.
 2. Partial training includes 3 sessions per week (12 sessions per month). One session may be used as an owner lesson.
 3. Schedule of training rides, owner lessons or owner taking horse to clinics with other professionals should be a collaborative effort between owner and trainer. Alexandra Brooks Dressage strongly believes and supports riding with other professionals for further education, however owner should keep in mind what their training package entails and the number of days in a month.
2. We encourage you to check on your horse's progress by regularly visiting the barn. However, we do ask that you set up an appointment ahead of time so we can ensure you will be given the attention you deserve.
3. All horses in training must be current on worming and vaccinations.
4. Owners will be informed of, and must authorize, any additional services or veterinary appointments. Our current veterinarians will render services unless otherwise specified. In any case if we determine that immediate emergency veterinarian care is needed we will make every attempt to contact the Owner for approval. If we are unable to make contact, the owner authorizes Alexandra Brooks to act on their behalf and approve emergency services. All services will be at the expense of the Owner.
5. Should the owner want the trainer to show the horse in a show, prior agreement must be arranged. Owner is responsible for all costs associated with showing, minus Trainer show clothing. Day fees will be split amongst all owners attending show. Horses must be in full training for a *minimum* of 1 month full training in order for trainer to show horse. Any and all decisions for entering trainer into a show on horse must be made in writing with clear and explicit agreement from both parties.
6. _____ **(Initial)** I understand and assume the unavoidable risks inherent in all horse related activities, included but not limited to bodily injury and physical harm to horse, rider and spectator. In consideration therefore the undersigned does hereby agree to hold harmless and indemnify Alexandra Brooks and further release them from any liability or responsibility for accident, damage, injury or illness to the undersigned, to any family members or to any horses placed in training.

7. Training will begin on _____ and the Owner agrees to pay for **O Full Training or O Partial Training** — — — (Please check one)
8. All training fees are due by the 1st of the month and must be paid on a month to month basis in advance. Payment must be received by the *5th* of each month or a *late fee of \$25* will be added to the account balance. Late fees will continue to accrue monthly until balance is paid in full unless other arrangements are made. You will not receive an invoice unless there are additional charges. You should receive an invoice via e-mail on a monthly basis for any additional charges.
9. Either party may terminate this agreement by notifying the other in writing with a 30 day notice. The Owner agrees to pay Alexandra Brooks the amount due prior to the delivery or pick up of said horse.
 1. Early termination of training agreement done by Alexandra Brooks Dressage will result in a refund of money by taking the number of training rides done multiplied by regular training ride/lesson rates and subtracting that number from the training package amount.
 2. Early termination of training agreement done by owner (for whatever reason) will result in a forfeit of the remainder of training package balance.
10. Board for the horse being put in training is handled by the owner and all costs associated with that are to be taken care of and paid in full by owner. Trainer is not responsible for any costs associated with boarding or caring for horse.
11. When owner drops horse off for training it is understood that Alexandra Brooks Dressage operates under the understanding and practices that all horses have different shapes and needs for equipment. Trainer asks that horses are left with their own saddle, pads, bridles, brushes and boots. If Trainer feels it is necessary for the horse to be lunged Alexandra Brooks Dressage has a lunging surcingle, lunging equipment and tools that will be used on any horse in training.

Signature of Owner

Date

Signature of Trainer

Date