

Adoption / Lease Application

Name:	Date:

Are you applying to adopt_____ Or lease_____

Considerations Before you begin completing this form, please note that any incomplete application, including failure to submit requested photos, will not be considered.

Before you submit your application, have you thoroughly thought about the expense of owning/leasing a horse? Below are some cost examples associated with horse ownership. We have found that a typical 1,000 lb. equine costs about \$4,000 minimum per year to own.

\$250 - \$300 monthly: Grain and hay with additional costs for full or part boarding
\$70 - \$100:
Hooves shod every 6 weeks
\$4 - \$12: Wormer every 6 weeks
\$300+: Annual vet visits, vaccinations,
Coggins test
\$125+: Annual teeth floating
At least 1 - 2 hours each day to feed, clean stalls/pasture, and grooming if you are part boarding or keeping the horse on your own property
Miscellaneous expenses such as tack, grooming items, and fly spray
Funds for any emergency such as colic hospitalization or tendon / ligament injuries ranging from \$1,000 - \$3,000+

If the horse becomes ill and requires medical attention, this can range from a simple vet call and exam for \$100 or could be in the thousands such as colic surgery.

Our goal is to adopt/lease each horse into a. home where its emotional, social, and medical needs will be met and where it will be happy, safe, and loved .

What will you do with your adopted horse should the horse become unsound or unfit for riding?

If you do not intend on keeping the ADOPTED (does not include leasing)horse for its lifetime, even if it becomes unsound for riding, please do not fill out this application. Our goal is to find good, forever homes for the horse.



Application Information

I understand that this is only an application and implies no guarantee of approval to adopt/Lease. Tall Pines Animal Rescue reserves the right to deny any application.

I understand that an adopting party enters into a contractual agreement with Tall Pines to provide a home for the equine for as long as Tall Pines feels that the adoption/lease is in the best interest of the equine. I further understand that adopted equines may not be sold, traded, given away, placed in another person's care, or removed from Ohio without Tall Pines expressed written consent.

I understand that if I am no longer able to care for the adopted/lease equine, the equine must be returned to Tall Pines at no cost or recourse to Tall Pines

The signed adoption agreement and donation (adoption fee) must be received in order for this agreement to be finalized.

Please indicate your preference for an adopted/lease equine:

- ____ Pony _____
- _____ Mare (1st Choice) _______ (2nd Choice) ______
- _____Gelding (1st Choice) _______ (2nd Choice) _______
- _____ Ridable
- ____ Untrained Horse
- _____ Un-rideable/Companion Horse
- Any Horse
- Horse Breed
- ____ Hands High

Age Preference: (1-3, 4-10, 10-20, over 20) ______



<u>1. About the Adopter and Household:</u>

ame: Age:	
ome Address:	
ow long have you lived at this address?	
ome Phone: Cell Phone:	
nail Address:	
nployer Name:	
ddress:	
arried Single	
nnual Household Income: Less than \$20K; \$20K - \$30K; \$30K - \$40K; \$40K-\$50K \$50 -\$60K; Over	
you are not working, what is the source of your income?	
ow many dependents do you have? List their ages:	
as anyone in your household been charged or convicted of a crime against animals or humans? Yes N yes, please explain:	10
2 Horse Ownership History:	
Do you currently own a horse or lease other equines? Yes No	
yes, how many, breed(s), and for how long?	
If no, have you ever owned a horse? Yes No	
yes, please explain how long ago and under what circumstances?	

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c. What other animals do you own? _____

3. Equine Living Arrangements:

a. Will the equine live on your own property? ____ Yes ____ No

If not, please provide the name, address, and phone number of facility where you will board the horse:

If yes, do you own or lease your property? _____ Own ____ Lease

b. Describe the type of run-in, corral, or stall that will be provided (include size) and acreage of property including turn out areas:

c. What type of fencing do you or the facility have? _____

Tall Pines Animal Rescue horses will not be approved to facilities that fence with barb wire.

4. Adopter's/Rider's Riding Experience and Goals for the Horse:

- a. Do you agree to NOT let others ride your leased horse?_____
- b. What is the height and weight of the riders(s)? _____
- c. How would you describe the rider(s)' riding abilities: ____ Experienced Rider
- _____ Somewhat Experienced _____ Limited in Experience _____ Inexperienced Rider
- d. How long has/have the rider(s) been riding horses? _____
- e. Planned use of horse: __ Dressage __Jumping __ Western __ Trails/Pleasure
- ____Pasture Pal ____ Handicap Program ___ Lesson Program ___Youth Program
- f. How many times per week will the horse be ridden? ______
- g. Please check all that apply:
- ____ The rider is experienced and intends to ride and train themselves
- ____ The rider will hire their own trainer or instructor

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_____ The rider would like to hire a trainer or instructor but does not know any

h. If the rider uses a trainer or instructor, or plans to use one, please provide their name and contact information:

5. Responsibility of Care:

a. Who will be responsible for the daily care of the adopted/leased horse?

b. If you have never owned a horse before, or have not owned one in some time, will you be enlisting the help of an equine professional to work with you with care? ____ Yes ____ No

c. What type of hay will the horse be fed? How much and how often each day?

d. What brand of grain will you provide? How much and how often each day? ______

e. Do you or the facility where you will be boarding provide clean water for your horse 24 hours a day?	_Yes _	
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What is the water source?

f. How many hours will the horse be turned out each day?

g. Under what conditions do you stall a horse and for how long?

h. Do/will you provide a salt block for your horse 24 hours a day? ____ Yes ____ No

I. What is your de-worming plan (how often and type of wormers)? ______

j. How often will/do you have your farrier trim or shoe? ______

k. How often will/do you have your equine's teeth examined?

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6. Knowledge of Basic Horse Care:

a. For what reasons would you call your vet?		
b. List the signs of colic:		
What would you do if you notice these signs?		
c. What are some of the causes of sudden lameness?		
What would you do if you notice theses signs?		
d. What is founder (laminitis) and what would be the first clue it is occurring?		
What would you do if you notice these signs?		
e. How long should you wait after feeding to ride?		
How long should you wait after riding to feed?		



7. If you do not have a horse at the present time, please research and give two names each, and phone

numbers, of equine veterinarians and blacksmiths in your area that will be contacting

Veterinarian:	_Phone:
Veterinarian:	_Phone:
Blacksmith:	Phone:
Blacksmith:	Phone:

If you do have horses, please list the veterinarian and blacksmith you currently use. Please inform them that TPAR will contact them to discuss your ability to care for an adopted equine

Veterinarian:	Phone:
Blacksmith:	Phone:
	8. List three references:
Name Address Phone Relationship	
1	
2	
3	

9. Please enclose photographs

of (1) Any horse or dog you own (2) The facilities where you plan to keep the adopted horse, including shelter and turn-out available to the equine. Please email your information to tallpinesanimalrescue@aol.com

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10. How did you hear about Tall Pines Animal Rescue?

_____ Website _____ Facebook Page

_____Internet Search _____ Word of Mouth _____ Other (Explain) _____

11. Please describe, in detail, your purpose for wanting to adopt a rescued horse:

