



## Volunteer Dress Code

For the health and safety of our participants, staff, and clients - please read and adhere to the following procedures.

- Participants are required to wear long pants and closed toed shoes which encases the entire foot.
- Clothing must be tidy, free of holes and suitable to safely work around horses and in other barn activities. Footwear should be sturdy enough to enable running or jogging as needed. It may be necessary to wear a belt to help keep long pants and/or breeches in place.
- Avoid wearing wind pants or exercise pants that are constructed of slippery material. The sound may be distracting to some riders as well as the horses.
- During warm weather, tank tops with spaghetti straps are not permitted. Please wear a shirt that covers the point of shoulder that is also long enough to tuck in as needed. Please refrain from wearing leggings or other thin-material pants.
- Avoid dangling jewelry (i.e. earrings, necklaces, bracelets) or anything that could hang on the saddle or equipment in the event of an emergency.
- ASTM/SEI helmets certified for equestrian use are required when mounted. Participants under the age or 18 must wear a helmet when handling a horse.
- To ensure proper helmet fit, do not wear hoods or hats under the helmet. Participants with long hair should keep it in a low ponytail.
- Avoid tying shirts or jackets around your waist. If you think that you may get warm during a session, please leave additional articles of clothing hanging in designated areas.
- Hoods may impede visibility, please leave them down when working around the barn or riding horse.
- Chewing gum is prohibited during program participation as well as working around or riding the horses.

I agree to the dress code listed above

\_\_\_\_\_ Participant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

JPEC Staff Signature \_\_\_\_\_