

**ASSOCIATE MEMBER CONTRACT**

**Associate Membership  
with the Scarlet & Gold Riding Club  
Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina  
Agreement/Contract**

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ by the membership of the Scarlet & Gold Riding Club (SGRC), located aboard Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune NC (a non-profit, private organization authorized to operate as such by the CG MCB CLNC), hereinafter referred to as the club, and (Your full name(s)) \_\_\_\_\_ who is (are) eligible for

membership in accordance with the club by-laws hereafter referred to as an associate member.

WHEREAS, the club permits members as described in the club bylaws to provide instruction to other members of the club and WHEREAS, the associate member has entered into an instructional agreement with a club member or has a care or lease agreement with a club member. NOW THEREFORE, in and for consideration of annual membership dues as set forth in the club by-laws, and in further consideration of the covenants and promises hereinafter contained, the parties agree as follows, to wit:

**I**

***Member(s) agree:***

- a. To pay the amount of \$50 annually due June 1st, and said amount to be paid in full, payment shall be made by check, money order or cash to the Scarlet & Gold Riding Club.
- b. To be responsible for the cleanliness of club areas used by the associate member and to report any damage caused by the member or guests.
- c. To comply with all provisions of the club by-laws, club procedures, club rules and regulations and such rules and regulations published by Base Order when using facilities and trails aboard the Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune.

**II**

**The Scarlet & Gold Riding Club agrees:**

To maintain the facilities currently under the care of the club and to make improvements and disburse all moneys collected for debts, maintenance and improvements for the mutual benefit of members of the club in accordance with the constitution, by-laws, and private fund activity regulations.

**III**

Associate member understands that the club may terminate this agreement for cause at any time, but only upon approval by a majority vote of a quorum at a regular or special general membership meeting. Causes for terminating this contract include, but are not limited to the following:

- a. Recurring noncompliance with safety rules and provisions listed in the by-laws, published rules or any Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune orders.
- b. Abuse or mistreatment of horse(s) as defined in the club bylaws.
- c. Neglect of horse(s), as defined in the club bylaws
- d. Verbal or physical abuse of any member or guest.

**IV**

Non-payment of club account is grounds for immediate termination of this contract. In the event that this contract is terminated by either party prior to the end of the year for which has been paid, no refund will be made to the member.

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Associate Member

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President, Scarlet & Gold Riding Club

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Vice President, Scarlet & Gold Riding Club

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