



# U.S. EVENTING ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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Membership valid from December 1 through November 30 of each year. Explanation of membership categories below.

Complete this form and mail to the USEA or register online at services.useventing.com.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ (Required for USEA Year-End Awards)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ USEA Area (See back for details): \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1. MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Auto Renewal My USEA #: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2. MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

All members receive a subscription to Eventing USA magazine. Effective for 2021 a \$5.00 COVID-19 recovery fee will be added to the cost of all memberships.

Life Member \$1,500 + \$5: Non-transferable..... \$1,505.00

Life Member 60 & Over \$1,000 + \$5: Non-transferable..... \$1,005.00

Full Member \$95 + \$5:..... \$100.00

Young Riders must state birthdate.

(Young Rider Area Declaration must be received by March 15)

Collegiate Program Member \$70 + \$5:..... \$75.00

(\$25 discount) with verification of participating USEA Affiliate College/University.

TO RECEIVE THE DISCOUNT: Your Team Coach/Team Advisor must provide a roster

of the Eventing Team members to the USEA. Print Name of College/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Member \$70 + \$5: Age 18 and under..... \$75.00

Open to all competitors through the end of the calendar year of their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.

Join the USEA Interscholastic Eventing League (IEL) – available to students from

7th to 12th grade. Print Name of Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Supporting Member \$50 + \$5: Not allowed to compete at this level. \$55.00

Partial Year Membership: Valid only Sep. 1 - Nov. 30 of each year. \$40.00

To receive this discount you MUST join the coming membership year as well.

## 3. FOREIGN USEA FULL/SUPPORTING MEMBERSHIPS

Canada/Mexico ..... Add \$35.00 for postage

All other ..... Add \$47.00 for postage

## 4. AREA PROGRAM FEES

USEA membership required to participate in ALL Area Programs.

Adult Rider Program Member: ..... \$25.00

Must hold at least a Supporting Membership to participate in this program.

Young Rider Program Member: ..... \$50.00

For Modified level and below.

Young Rider Program Member: ..... \$75.00

For Preliminary level and above.

**FOR YOUNG RIDERS AGE 25 AND BELOW** Please provide emergency contact:

Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency #: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

## 5. MEMBERSHIP CHOICES

Do not send me Eventing USA magazine.

Do not include my name on third party non-USEA related mailing lists.

Do not send me Member Thank You and USEA Decal.

**PAYMENT: (TOTAL OF 1, OR 2, 3, 4, 6, AND 7)** Do not send cash.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CV code #: \_\_\_\_\_ Billing Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Print name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR PURCHASE

USEA Medical Armband Holder & Card:..... \$10.00

U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing:..... \$12.00 (includes postage)

## 7. PLEASE SUPPORT THE USEA PROGRAMS

I would like to make a donation to the USEA to support its educational programs and ensure the future of the sport of eventing. I understand the USEA is a 501(c)(3) educational organization and all donations\* are fully tax deductible. \*Donations are not considered restricted donations but USEA will make every attempt to honor your intent.

USEA Inc. (Equine Welfare and Safety and Educational Programs)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

USEA Foundation ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## 8. IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL MEMBERS

Are you a member of?  USEF Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

USET Foundation  USPC Rating: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check all that apply:  Instructor  Event Organizer  Farrier

Horse Breeder  Trainer  Veterinarian  Volunteer

Check here if you would like additional information on the USEA Instructors' Certification Program (ICP).

## 9. AMATEUR RIDER DECLARATION (AGE 19 AND OLDER)

**AMATEUR STATUS:** For all returning USEA members, Amateur status will be automatically transferred each year. It is the responsibility of each competitor to inform the USEA of any changes to their status. The benefits of amateur status are not retroactive. Amateur status begins at the time it is declared to the end of the current competition season. A fine of \$50.00 will be assessed for all Amateur exemption petitions to the USEA.

### PLEASE READ – USEF DEFINITION OF AMATEUR STATUS

**USEF Rules for Eventing** Appendix 3, Section 4.4: **AMATEUR RIDER (AR)** - The following may participate in Eventing competitions as an Amateur. **A)** Any competitor in possession of a valid Amateur Card issued by the USEF, or **B)** Any Senior USEA member who competes in the Training, Novice or Beginner Novice level who meets the requirements of Federation GR1306. Individuals declaring such status must present, upon demand, an audited financial statement in support of the claim of eligibility; failure to do so will be deemed a violation. Misrepresentation of eligibility under this provision will subject an individual to disciplinary action under GR1307.6, GR1307.8, GR1308.3 and Chapter 6. Amateur certification under this provision is valid for Eventing competitions only and does not confer Amateur status for participation in any other Breed or Discipline.

*I hereby declare that I am NOT professional, but I am eligible for Amateur status under the conditions set forth in the above USEF rule.*

**NAME:** (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_

This document serves as the affidavit for your Amateur Status Eligibility.

Please be sure to include Amateur status on entry forms.

Check Enclosed (Payable to USEA Inc. in U.S. funds only)

Charge my:  Visa  MasterCard  AmEx

## USEA MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

A rider competing in any USEA recognized competition, at any level, must hold a Full, Junior, Collegiate, or Life membership and have an approved and current medical armband or bracelet. (A fee of \$100 will apply to consider re-instatement of qualifications for the current year championships and current year-end awards, only). USEA requires ALL foreign competitors to be members of the USEA in order to compete at USEA recognized competitions.

**EVENTING TESTS:** Starter Test, Derby Cross, Coach Allowed Test (CAT), or Schooling Show competitors who are non-members will not be required to pay a non-member fee to compete. To use the USEA X-entry online system, an ID number must be created. ID numbers do not require membership and can be created by going to the USEA home page and clicking on Online Services. Click **"New User?"** to create profile. All forms can be found at [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com).

**Postage Note:** *Eventing USA* magazine is mailed at the periodical rate. The post office will not forward it if you move. Notify the USEA Membership Department at least six weeks before you move to continue to receive your publication at no charge. There will be a \$5.00 charge for replacement magazines.

**AREA DESIGNATION:** For the purposes of Awards, Qualifications, and Programs. If left blank, your Area designation will default to your mailing address.

**Effective for 2021 a \$5.00 COVID-19 recovery fee will be added to the cost of all memberships.**

**LIFE MEMBER:** Entitled to all benefits of membership for the life of the member. This membership is non transferable. Receives a life subscription to *Eventing USA* magazine, life membership card, and enjoys all voting privileges. **\$1,505.00.**

**LIFE MEMBER AGE 60 & OVER.** All benefits as life members. **\$1,005.00**

**FULL MEMBER:** Entitled to all benefits of membership. Riders competing at Beginner Novice level and above must be a Life or Full member. Receives a subscription to *Eventing USA* magazine, membership card, and enjoys all voting privileges. **\$100.00 a year** Go to [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com) and click on "Membership" to view a complete list of member benefits.

**COLLEGIATE PROGRAM MEMBER: (\$25 Discount)** The Affiliate College/University must submit a roster of its team members to receive the discounted rate. Receives all Full Member benefits. Only open to students who's University/College holds an active Affiliate membership with the USEA. A drop down menu of USEA Affiliated Colleges/Universities will be available when the collegiate member registers online with the USEA. Those not registering online will be able to fill in the name of their College/University on the membership form. **\$75.00 a year**

**JUNIOR MEMBER:** Age 18 and under. Open to all competitors through the end of the calendar year of their 18th birthday. Entitled to all benefits of full membership. **\$75.00 a year**

**INTERSCHOLASTIC EVENTING LEAGUE (IEL) MEMBER:** The Affiliate Team or ICP instructor/coach must register with the USEA. Students and junior members from 7th grade to 12th grade may join the IEL by selecting their Affiliated Team or ICP instructor. A drop down menu of USEA Affiliated Teams or ICP instructors will be available with the Interscholastic member registers online with the USEA. Those not registering online will be able to fill in the name of their Team or ICP instructor on the membership form. **\$75.00 a year**

**SUPPORTING MEMBER:** Receives *Eventing USA* magazine, membership card, and enjoys all voting privileges. Does not have the right to compete. **\$55.00 a year** Competing? Upgrade to the Full Member status and pay the difference of \$45.00.

**PARTIAL YEAR MEMBERSHIP: Valid September 1 through November 30.** If you are not yet a USEA member, you can join after September 1 and pay **\$40.00** and receive the full benefits of membership until November 30. Receives all membership perks. To obtain this partial membership you MUST join the USEA for the remainder of the current membership year and join the upcoming membership year as well.

**AUTO RENEWAL:** The USEA now offers the ability for you to auto renew your membership each year. We will send you a 30-day notice before the renewal occurs, listing what will be charged to your credit card for the upcoming membership year. You can cancel this option at any time by logging into your member profile account. You may also sign up for auto-renewal of your Area Program membership as well.

**ONLINE SERVICES: Renew or join online at [services.useventing.com](http://services.useventing.com).**

**USEA PROGRAMS:** Your donation goes to support: USEA, Inc. (General Fund), USEA Foundation, Course Advisors, Course Design Ed., Equine Welfare, Equine Cardiovascular Research Study, Eventing Hall of Fame, Future Event Horse Series, Instructor's Certification Program, Officials Training and Continuing Education, American Eventing Championships, Young Event Horse Series, Frangible Technology Research, Adult Rider Program, Young Rider Program, Intercollegiate Eventing, and Classic Series.

**U.S. EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION (USEF) MEMBERSHIP:** The USEF requires that all owners, agents, lessees, trainers and riders of horses at USEF/USEA registered events competing at the Modified level or above must either be current members of the USEF, or pay a \$45.00 USEF Show Pass fee. For USEF membership information, please contact the USEF at (859) 258-2472. For more information regarding fees, visit [www.usef.org](http://www.usef.org).

**AMATEUR STATUS:** For the definition of the Amateur status, please refer to the U.S. Equestrian Federation *Rules for Eventing*, Appendix 3.4.4 Amateur (A). If you are unclear about whether you qualify as an amateur or professional, e-mail: [amateurinquiry@usef.org](mailto:amateurinquiry@usef.org).

**AMAZON.SMILE:** The AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5 percent of the purchase price from your eligible smile.amazon.com purchases. Remember, only purchases made at smile.amazon.com (not www.amazon.com) generate AmazonSmile donations for the USEA!

## USEA MEMBER REWARDS PROGRAM

The USEA Member Rewards Program offers unique cost savings from a variety of businesses only for USEA members. Enrollment is free and automatic when you renew your membership each year with the USEA. Access your special USEA Member Rewards codes by logging into **services.useventing.com**.

**AVIS:** USEA members can save up to 25% off your next car rental. To rent a car, visit Avis or call toll free at 1-800-331-1212. And remember to use your Avis Discount number: B155130 to enjoy these special savings! **BIG ASS FANS:** Association members are eligible for up to 25% off Big Ass Fans! Call 866-678-4289 or email [equinediscounts@NTRA.com](mailto:equinediscounts@NTRA.com) for more information on your equine discount! **BUDGET:** Up to 25% off Budget's great rates. To book your car, visit Budget Car Rental or call toll-free 1-800-527-0700 and mention the USEA Budget Discount number (BCD): R584730 to receive your discount. **CONSTANT CONTACT:** USEA Members receive an additional 10% off the standard prepaid discounts. That is 20% off six months, or 25% off the full year. **EQSPORTSNET:** USEA members receive a 50% discount on subscriptions to [www.eqsports.net](http://www.eqsports.net). Packages start as low as \$5 per month! **ETALON DIAGNOSTICS:** Etalon Diagnostics is offering a discount to USEA members who may use the code "USEAMember" to receive a 15% discount off Minipanel PLUS test and a gift with purchase. Visit Etalon Diagnostics to receive your discount. **FARMERS INSURANCE:** Preferred pricing for all USEA Members. You have access to auto and home insurance from Farmers GroupSelect. Call 877-491-5089 or visit [www.myautohome.farmers.com](http://www.myautohome.farmers.com) to receive your quote **HORSE & COUNTRY:** Horse & Country provides USEA members a 15% discount on annual memberships. **HOTEL ENGINE:** USEA is proud to partner with Hotel Engine, a private hotel booking platform, to connect affinity organizations and their members to deeply discounted hotel rates. **JOHN DEERE:** Full Time Program - Eligible for up to 28% off MSRP -OR- Eligible for up to \$2,700 in cash discounts. Part Time Program - Eligible for up to \$2,700 in cash discounts. Call 866-678-4289 or email [equinediscounts@NTRA.com](mailto:equinediscounts@NTRA.com) for more information. **LIFELock:** Get 30 Days Free and 10% off your first year of LifeLock identity theft protection. **MOTEL 6:** Motel 6 has partnered with USEA to provide all members a 10% discount at any of the 1,100+ pet-friendly Motel 6 locations in the U.S. and Canada. **NATIONWIDE®:** Preferred pricing for all USEA Members. To enroll or get more information, contact 877-738-7874 or visit [PetsNationwide.com](http://PetsNationwide.com). Members are able to enroll at any time. **OFFICE DEPOT/OFFICE MAX:** USEA Members can save up to 80% on over 93,000 products. Shop online or in any Office Depot or OfficeMax store. Enjoy FREE next-day delivery on online orders over \$50! **PARKER EQUINE INSURANCE:** Parker Equine Insurance, a division of Parker General Insurance, offers a 5% discount to all USEA ICP certified instructors. **RED ROOF INN:** Red Roof Inn - 15% discount on stays at all locations! Take advantage of accommodations like free Wi-Fi, HBO, ESPN, CNN, and pets stay free. **RX:** USEA members can receive a FREE card to start saving up to 75% on prescription drugs today! This card has no fees and it will never expire. One card covers entire household, including pets. Accepted at 9/10 pharmacies. **SHERWIN WILLIAMS:** Association Members are eligible for up to 40% off! Use your account at any retail location across the United States and Canada. Call 866-678-4289 or email [equinediscounts@ntra.com](mailto:equinediscounts@ntra.com) to set up your individual account! **STABLE SECRETARY:** USEA sponsor Stable Secretary provides a 10% discount on their subscription services to all USEA members and a 25% discount to ICP instructors. **STRIDER:** Strider will provide USEA ICP instructors 15% off StriderPlus services and 15% off Strider eWaiwers services. **UPS:** Save up to 34%\* on a broad portfolio of shipping services including air, international, ground and freight services. **WYNDHAM:** As a member of USEA you will receive up to 20% off the "Best Available Rate" at over 7,500 participating locations worldwide.