



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 https://services.useventing.com.

Please use the fields below to update your information.

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 *Eventing USA* magazine.)

Life Member: Non-transferable. \$1,500.00

Full Member: \$85.00

Young Riders must state birthdate.
(YR Area Declaration must be received by March 15)

Collegiate Program Member: \$60.00

(\$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: Age 18 and under. \$60.00

Open to all competitors through the end of the calendar year of their 18th birthday.

Supporting Member: Not allowed to compete with this level. \$40.00

Partial Year Membership: Valid only Oct. 1 - Nov. 30 of each year. \$25.00

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 21 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

USEA Print Omnibus: \$12.00 each (includes postage)

Check the issue(s) you want to purchase:

Winter/Spring (Jan. 1 - May 31) Summer (Jun. 1 - Aug. 31) Fall (Sept. 1 - Nov. 30)

U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing: \$10.00 (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.

NOTE: A person's Amateur status must be declared for each competition season.

To be eligible for the USEA Year-End Awards, this section must be completed and signed. 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-registered competition, at any level to include Beginner Novice level, must hold a Full, Junior, Collegiate, or Life membership and have an approved and current medical armband. (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 <https://services.useventing.com> under **"Membership"** and click on **"Documents."**

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.

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.
\$1,500.00 one time fee.

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. **\$85.00 a year** Go to <https://services.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 the USEA to receive the discounted rate. Receives all Full Member benefits. Only open to students who's University/College holds an 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.
\$60.00 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.
\$60.00 a year

SUPPORTING MEMBER: Receives *Eventing USA* magazine, membership card, and enjoys all voting privileges. Does not have the right to compete. **\$40.00 a year** Competing? Upgrade to the Full Member status and pay the difference of \$45.00.

PARTIAL YEAR MEMBERSHIP: Valid October 1 through November 30. If you are not yet a USEA member, you can join now and pay **\$25.00** 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 <http://services.useventing.com>.

USEA PROGRAMS: Your donation goes to support: USEA, Inc. (General Fund), USEA Foundation, Course Advisors, Course Design Ed. (X-C and show jumping), Equine Welfare, Equine Cardiovascular Research Study, Eventing Hall of Fame, Future Event Horse Series, Gold Cup Series, Instructor's Certification Program, Officials Training and Continuing Education, American Eventing Championships, Website Development, Young Event Horse Series, Frangible Technology Research, and NAYRC.

USEA HORSE LIFE REGISTRATION POLICY

All horses competing in any USEA recognized competition, at any level to include Beginner Novice level, must be a valid Full or Limited registration. A fee of \$100 will apply to consider re-instatement of qualifications for the current year championships and current year-end awards only.

ALL foreign horses must be registered with the USEA with **Full** or **Limited** registration status.

To register your horse go to <https://services.useventing.com> and log into your account, then click on **"Horse Registration"**.

FULL STATUS: Registration for Preliminary level horses and above: **\$150.00**

UPGRADE to FULL STATUS: Upgrade Beginner Novice and Training horses to compete at the Preliminary level and above: **\$110.00**

LIMITED STATUS: Registration for horses competing at New Event Horse, Beginner Novice, Novice, Training, four- and five-year-olds competing in Young Event Horse Tests. **\$40.00**

FUTURE EVENT HORSE: Registration for yearlings, two- and three-year-olds competing in Future Event Horse Tests: **\$25.00. NOTE:** Young and Future Event Horses please provide copies of your pedigree papers when registering your horse.

FEH UPGRADE to FULL STATUS: Upgrade FEH horses to compete at NEH, YEH tests, Beginner Novice, Training, Preliminary level and above: **\$125.00**

FEH UPGRADE to LIMITED STATUS: Upgrade FEH horses to compete at NEH, YEH tests, Beginner Novice, and Training levels: **\$15.00**

HORSE NAME CHANGE: \$25.00

CHANGE IN OWNER/RIDER: No charge

RESTRICTED: TEST Horse registration - allows for use of the USEA Xentry online entry system to enter competitions categorized as Eventing Tests, such as at the STARTER TEST, Coach Allowed Test (CAT), DERBYS or COMBINED TESTS level(s) only.

(THIS IS NOT A VALID HORSE REGISTRATION FOR COMPETITION) Horses registered at this level will not earn competition points nor be considered for USEA Leaderboards, Annual Awards or AEC Qualifications.)

ONLINE SERVICES: Renew or join online at <https://services.useventing.com>.

USEA HORSE LIFE REGISTRATION AND YEAR-END AWARDS POLICY:

Horses must be registered at Limited or Full Status to be considered for USEA high score leaderboards, year-end awards, and/or qualifications for USEA Championships. Award points and qualifications are not retroactive.

HLR FORM: Horse Life Registration Forms are available online at <https://services.useventing.com> under "Membership" and click on "Documents".

Please fax (703) 779-0550, e-mail to memberservices@useventing.com, or mail your completed form to the USEA, 525 Old Waterford Rd, NW, Leesburg, VA 20176.

WHEN TRANSFERRING OWNERSHIP, A BILL OF SALE MUST BE SUBMITTED TO COMPLETE TRANSFER. Submit paper-work either by fax (703) 779-0550, e-mail to memberservices@useventing.com, or mail to the USEA, 525 Old Waterford Rd, NW, Leesburg, VA 20176. Please black out price or any other private information you do not wish to share.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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 Preliminary level or above must either be current members of the USEF, or pay a \$30.00 USEF Show Pass fee. For USEF membership information, please contact the USEF at (859) 258-2472. For more information regarding fees, please view the ***U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing*** at www.useventing.com under "Competitions", click on "Documents", and "Rulebook".

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.