





# 2024 S.T.A.R.S. Volunteer Registration Form

Please Print Name: Home Phone: Cell Phone: Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: Address: City: State: Zip: How did you learn about STARS? Do you have CPR training? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Do you have First Aid Training? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Have you been certified in the past? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No | Have you been certified in the past? \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_\_No Check which areas you are interested in: (check as many as apply) \_\_\_\_ Working with horses \_\_\_\_ Working with Fund Raising \_\_\_\_ Working with Volunteer Recruitment Working with participants \_\_\_\_ Working with Public Relations \_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_ **Photo Release** I consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by S.T.A.R.S. of all photographs and any other audio/visual materials taken of me for promotional printed materials, social media, educational activities, exhibitions, or any other use for the benefit of the program. Signature: Date: In Case of Emergency Please Print Home/Cell Phone: Work Phone: Contact Name: Physician: Phone: Hospital and Town: In case of emergency, I give permission to S.T.A.R.S. to secure medical treatment including x-ray, surgery, hospitalization, medication, and transportation if needed. Date: Signature:

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Volunteer Name:				
May we release your contact inf	formation to committee chairs	s?YES	NO	
Long pants only; shorts will not be allowed. Riding boots are preferred for safety. At the minimum, closed toe and enclosed heels are mandatory.  Intent to disrupt, harm, or harass staff, volunteers, or horses will not be tolerated.  If you are not feeling well, please notify the director.				
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If you have had a background check, please submit a copy if possible. If not, please go to a South Dakota Clerk of Courts office and request one. It is free.  If you have turned one in previously, you do not need to re-submit.				
_	Volunteer Liability R	elease	_	
Volunteers shall be 16 years or older. If a volunteer is under 16, the volunteer must have guardian supervision. As a volunteer at S.T.A.R.S. I acknowledge the risks and potential for risks of a horseback riding program. However, I feel that the possible benefits to myself and the participants I work with are greater than the risk assumed. I, therefore, intending to be legally bound, for myself, my heirs and assignees, executors, or administrators, waive and release forever all claims for damages against S.T.A.R.S., its board of directors, instructors, therapists, volunteers and/or employees for any and all injuries and/or losses I may sustain while participating in S.T.A.R.S.				
Date:	Volunteer/ Guardian Signature:			
<b>WARNING:</b> Under South Dakota law, an equine professional is not liable for any injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to 42-11-2.				
Do you have horse experience? Yes No  Explain:				
Do you have experience working w  Explain:	vith individuals with challenges?			

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# **Availability**

Please mark your availability below. Check any boxes you anticipate being present. Feel free to show up to help even if you have not signed up in advance! We can always use help! Pre-planning helps us know how to adjust the flow of riders and volunteer assignments to get everyone their opportunity to ride in a timely manner.

SESSION 1	SESSION 2				
☐ Tue, June 11	☐ Tue, July 23				
☐ Thu, June 13	☐ Thu, July 25				
☐ Tue, June 18	☐ Tue, July 30				
☐ Thu, June 20	☐ Thu, Aug 1				
☐ Tue, June 25	☐ Tue, Aug 6				
☐ Thu, June 27	☐ Thu, Aug 8				
☐ Tue, July 2	☐ Tue, Aug 13				
$X$ (no rides Thu, July 4 $^{th}$ )	☐ Thu, Aug 15				
☐ Tues, July 9	☐ Tue, Aug 20 MAKEUP RIDE DATE				
☐ Thu, July 11 MAKEUP RIDE DATE  Watch texts and Facebook	Thu, Aug 22 MAKEUP RIDE DATE for cancellations!				
<b>T-Shirt</b> Please wear your STARS t-shirt to all STARS events. Any color STARS t-shirt is acceptable.					
Please check one:					
$\square$ I DO NOT need a t-shirt this year, please use th	nat money for other STARS needs this year				
☐ I DO need a t-shirt this year (check size) – optional \$10 donation to cover t-shirt cost					
☐ Child SM ☐ Child M ☐ Child LG					
☐ Adult SM ☐ Adult M ☐ Adult LG ☐ Adult XL ☐ Adult 2X ☐ Adult 3X Additional T-shirts may be purchased subject to availability					

#### **COMPLETE & RETURN TO:**

Valerie Hicks, Program Director