



# 2008 U.S. Eventing Association Membership Application

PLEASE NOTE: A \$10.00 fee will be charged for all membership renewals handled by telephone. To avoid this charge please fax or mail your membership, or use our online renewal service on our website at [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com).

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**Membership valid from December 1, 2007 thru November 30, 2008.**

<b>MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES:</b> For details please read the back side of this form.	<b>Qty</b>	<b>Price</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>Life Member</b>		<b>\$1,500.00</b>	
<b>Full Member</b> Includes all USEA publications. Young Riders must state birthdate.		<b>\$82.00</b>	
<b>Family Member(s)</b> May only be attached to a Full or Life Member residing at the same address, and may ONLY compete at the Novice and Training Levels. <b>Limit four per household.</b>		<b>\$57.00 each</b>	
<b>Junior Member</b> 18 and under. In the year of your 19th birthday you will be required to upgrade to a Full membership for an additional \$25. (Born in 1989) Includes all USEA publications.		<b>\$57.00</b>	
<b>Non-Competing Member</b> Includes all USEA publications.		<b>\$46.00</b>	
<b>Subscribing Member</b> Receives six issues of the bi-monthly <i>Eventing USA</i> color magazine only.		<b>\$25.00</b>	
<b>USEA Medical Card Armband</b> Holder only. Download and print card from our website under Forms & Documents.		<b>\$5.00</b>	

**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.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  USEA Inc.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  USEA Endowment Trust

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  American Eventing Championships

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Course Advisors

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Course Design Ed. (x-c and show jumping)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Equine Welfare

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Eventing Hall of Fame

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Gold Cup Series

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Instructors' Certification Program

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Officials Training and Continuing Ed.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Young Event Horse Series

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  Website Development

Donations are not considered restricted donations, but USEA will make every attempt to honor your intent.

**Foreign USEA Full Memberships:**  Canada \$107.00  Mexico \$124.00  All other \$162.00

**Foreign USEA Subscribing Memberships:**  Canada \$34.00  Mexico \$40.00  All other \$53.00

**TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**PAYMENT:**  **Check Enclosed** (Payable to USEA Inc. in U.S. funds only)  **Visa**  **Master Card**  **American Express**

Card No: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Print name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

**JOIN NOW:**

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

Male  Female Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY MEMBERS JOINING:** 1st Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

2nd Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

3rd Name: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B.: \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

USEA membership number of current Full or Life Member you are adding family members to: # \_\_\_\_\_

Are you renewing your current membership? If yes, what is your USEA member number? \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL MEMBERS:** Are you a member of:  USEF Member # \_\_\_\_\_  USET Foundation  USPC Rating: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR INSTRUCTORS:** Are you an:  ICP Certified Instructor (USEA recognized)  Instructor

**AMATEUR RIDER DECLARATION: USEF Rules for Eventing Appendix 3, Section, 2.4:**

**AMATEUR RIDER (AR)** – For the purposes of Eventing, an Amateur is a Senior Rider whose remuneration from the activities listed in GR808 does not exceed \$2,500.00 in either the preceding or current calendar year. In order to compete as an Amateur a rider must possess either a USEF Amateur Card or have on file in the USEA office a signed affidavit stating that he/she is in compliance with the above definition. Amateurs in Eventing are subject to the relevant provisions of GR809-810.

I hereby declare that I am eligible for Amateur status under the conditions set forth in the above USEF rule.

Name: (please print) \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

I am in the possession of a USEF Amateur Card.  This document serves as the affidavit for 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.

**MEMBER CHOICES:** Please check the appropriate box below if you **DO NOT** want these USEA publications sent to your address.

- Do not send USEA *Eventing USA* magazine.  Do not send printed book of *USEF Rules for Eventing*. I will view rule book online in PDF format.  
 Do not send USEA *Omnibus*.  Please do not include my name on mailing lists.

## **USEA HORSE LIFE REGISTRATION**

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All horses competing at the Preliminary level and above must be registered at Full Status.

All Young Event Horses and Novice and Training level horses moving up to Preliminary must upgrade to Full Status.

- **Future Event Horse:** Registration for yearlings, two- and three-year-olds competing in FEH Tests: **\$25.00**
- **Young Event Horse:** Registration for four- and five-year-olds competing in YEH Tests, and Novice thru Training level: **\$40.00**
- **Beginner Novice Horse:** Registration for BN horses to be considered for USEA high score year-end awards and/or qualifications for USEA Championships: **\$40.00**
- **Limited Status:** Registration for horses competing at Novice and Training levels only: **\$40.00**
- **Upgrade to Full Status:** Upgrade Novice and Training horses to compete at the Preliminary level and above: **\$110.00**
- **Full Status:** Registration for horses competing at Preliminary level and above: **\$150.00**

### **USEA Horse Life Registration and Year-End Awards Policy:**

**Beginner Novice Horses and Riders:** Registration of horses and membership of riders competing at the BN level is not required EXCEPT where the owner/rider wishes the horse and rider to be considered for USEA high score year-end awards and/or qualifications for USEA championships.

**HLR Form:** Horse Life Registration Forms are available online at [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com) under "Join Us! (Membership)" and click on "Forms & Documents", or in the *Omnibus*. Please fax or mail your completed form to the USEA (703) 779-0550 to avoid a \$10 phone-in processing fee.

## **USEA MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES**

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A rider competing in any USEA registered competition, at any level, must be a current USEA member, and have an approved and current medical armband.

Event organizers may waive the USEA membership requirement at the **BEGINNER NOVICE LEVEL ONLY**. In such cases, non-members will be required to pay \$25.00 at each competition they enter.

Riders competing at novice level or above (beginner novice level exempt) must register their horses with the USEA, and must be a Full, Family, Junior, or Life member. (Please complete the Horse Life Registration Form and fax or mail to the USEA to avoid a \$10 phone-in processing fee).

All forms can be found at [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com) under "Join Us! (Membership)" and click on "Forms & Documents."

The *Omnibus* and *Eventing USA* are mailed at the non-profit standard and periodical rate. The post office will not forward them if you move. Notify the USEA office six weeks before you move to continue to receive your publications at no charge.

- **LIFE MEMBER:** Entitled to all benefits of membership for the life of the member. This membership is not transferable. Receives a life subscription to the *Omnibus*, the bi-monthly *Eventing USA* magazine, *U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing*, life membership card and enjoys all voting privileges. **\$1,500.00**
- **FULL MEMBER:** Entitled to all benefits of membership for twelve months. Riders competing at the preliminary level and above must be a Life, Full, or Junior member. Receives a subscription to the *Omnibus*, six issues of the bi-monthly *Eventing USA* magazine, one copy of *U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing*, membership card and enjoys all voting privileges. **\$82.00 per year.**
- **JUNIOR MEMBER:** Members may compete as Juniors up to and including the calendar year of your 18th birthday. In the year of your 19th birthday you will be required to upgrade to a Full membership for an additional \$25 (Born in 1989). Juniors are entitled to all benefits of membership for twelve months. Receives a subscription to the *Omnibus*, six issues of the bi-monthly *Eventing USA* magazine, one copy of *U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing*, membership card and enjoys all voting privileges. Riders competing at the preliminary level and above must be a Life, Full or Junior member. **\$57.00 per year.**
- **FAMILY MEMBER:** Must live at the same address as a Full or Life member, **cannot** be added to a Junior membership. Enjoys all voting privileges and the right to compete at the novice and training levels only. The household will receive one copy of the *Omnibus*, the bi-monthly *Eventing USA* magazine, *U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing* and other select mailings. Family members may only compete at the novice and training levels. **Limit four family members per household. \$57.00 per year.**
- **NON-COMPETING MEMBER:** Receives a subscription to the *Omnibus*, six issues of the bi-monthly *Eventing USA* magazine, one copy of *U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing*, membership card and enjoys all voting privileges. Does not have the right to compete. **\$46.00 per year.**
- **SUBSCRIBING MEMBER:** Receives six issues of the bi-monthly association's magazine *Eventing USA*, membership card, and enjoys all voting privileges. Does not have the right to compete. **\$25.00 per year.**

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

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**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 \$20.00 non-member fee and a \$5.00 discipline fee at every competition entered. (Juniors and USEF Platinum members are exempt from the discipline fee). For USEF membership information please contact the USEF at (859) 258-2472. For more information regarding fees please see the current edition of the U.S. Equestrian Federation Rules for Eventing. (A PDF version of the current rules for eventing may be viewed at [www.useventing.com](http://www.useventing.com)).