



May 11 – 14, 2017

**REGISTRATION FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ ADS Member Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/ST/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Names of additional members of your family/group: \_\_\_\_\_

Day and Estimated Time of Arrival: \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration is \$65 PER PERSON for ADS Members. \$15 additional fee for non-members.** *(This fee can be applied towards an ADS membership up to 30 days after the event.)*

**Registration Fee Includes:**

- 4 days of scheduled activities and use of all driving facilities, arenas, cones field, open obstacles
- Reception Party & Croquet Thursday Evening
- Pizza Party Friday Evening
- Awards Dinner Saturday Evening
- Carriage Museum Tour for \$10 per person, if purchased with registration

**Learning:**  
**CAA Driver Proficiency Program**  
 Muffy Seaton will be available to evaluate anyone wishing to take the CAA proficiency test. For further information go to caaonline.com Fees for testing are separate and can be paid while at the Grand Oaks Resort. **Application must be made in advance.**

**Clinicians Available for Lessons**  
 See page 2 for list of instructors and contact information.

**If you are bringing horse/pony/donkey/mule/zebra:**  
 Stalls are \$35 each per night.  
 2 bags of shavings are required for each stall. Additional shavings are available on the grounds for purchase at \$8 per bag. Stall stripping is not required.  
 Shavings are not required for tack stalls  
 Please indicate if you are bringing a stallion.

Stabling requests: \_\_\_\_\_

*(If you wish to be stabled next to someone, please note it here)*

**Please note:** Current Coggins & proof of EHV-1 vaccine current within 6 months must accompany registration. A current Health Certificate is required when bringing horses into the State of Florida.

**DO NOT MAIL health certificates.** Keep in your possession for presentation at the Florida Agricultural Check Point.

**Fees:**

Registration fee \$65 x _____	\$ _____
ADS Non-member fee \$15 x _____	\$ _____
Stabling: \$35/stall/night	
Number of stalls _____ X _____ nights	\$ _____
Shavings \$16/Stall x _____	\$ _____
Museum Tour \$10 x _____	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

**Make checks payable to Grand Oaks Resort or by Visa or MasterCard**

\_\_\_\_\_

Card Number \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Name as it Appears on the Card \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Mail completed registration form, proof of Coggins & EHV-1 vaccine, ADS Waiver, & Grand Oaks Liability Release to:

Grand Oaks Resort  
 3000 Marion County Road  
 Weirsdale, FL 32195

**If you are staying on the grounds please note location:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Housing:** For housing options available at The Grand Oaks Resort contact the Resort Office at 352-750-5500 Ext. 231. A list of motels can be found on page 2.

Housing options at the Grand Oaks Resort include full RV hook-ups, Elect/water only hook-ups, and cottages.

**Be sure to check out The Southern Drive shirts available for purchase!**  
*Order form with pictures and prices on page 4.*

**The Southern Drive at the Grand Oaks Resort**  
**3000 Marion County Road, Weirsdale, FL 32195**  
**Phone: 352-750-5500 Email: [marilyn@thegradoaks.com](mailto:marilyn@thegradoaks.com)**  
**[www.thegradoaks.com](http://www.thegradoaks.com)**

## THINGS YOU MIGHT NEED TO KNOW:

### HOUSING INFORMATION

For information on housing at Grand Oaks including RV Hook-ups, contact the Resort Office at 352-750-5500 Ext. 231.

The following motels are within 8 miles of The Grand Oaks Resort:

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|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| • Marriott Towneplace Suites | The Villages | 352-753-8686 |
| • Comfort Suites             | Lady Lake    | 352-751-5788 |
| • Microtel                   | Lady Lake    | 352-259-0184 |
| • Holiday Inn Express        | Lady Lake    | 352-750-3888 |
| • Waterfront Inn             | The Villages | 352-753-7535 |

### HOUSE RULES

Helmets are required by all drivers or passengers under the age of 18 and anyone driving in a designated obstacle.

Stallions must be identified when requesting stalls.

All horse stalls must have shavings. Tack stalls do not require shavings.

All horses must have a stall; no daily haul-ins.

All camping must include hook-ups. No generators or "dry camping" permitted.

Motorized vehicles are permitted only on asphalt roads, this includes golf carts.

Anyone needing "unfamiliar horses" for the CAA Proficiency Exam will need to reserve in advance. The cost is \$50/horse.

### CLINICIANS AVAILABLE FOR PRIVATE LESSONS

The following driving instructors are available for lessons. All are wonderful! To schedule a lesson, contact directly.

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|------------------------|--------------|--|
| • Muffy Seaton         | 540-454-1092 | <a href="mailto:fourfleas@aol.com">fourfleas@aol.com</a>                           |
| • Bob Giles            | 352-208-0476 |  |
| • Gary Yeager          | 352-286-5365 | <a href="mailto:yeagerequineservices@gmail.com">yeagerequineservices@gmail.com</a> |
| • Elizabeth Keathley   | 615-849-5105 | <a href="mailto:ekeathley1@ggmail.com">ekeathley1@ggmail.com</a>                   |
| • Thorsten Zarembowicz | 352-857-9718 | <a href="mailto:zarembowicz@gmx.de">zarembowicz@gmx.de</a>                         |
| • Kacy Tipton-Fashik   | 352-409-1398 | <a href="mailto:kacyf@thegradoaks.com">kacyf@thegradoaks.com</a>                   |

*Kacy is available for 4-in-hand lessons with a Grand Oaks Team. Reservations must be made in advance*

**If you are not familiar with any of the instructors, professional bios will be available at a later date.**

### GOLF CART RENTALS

Golf carts are available for rent during your stay at the Grand Oaks but they must be reserved in advance. To make reservations, contact Lori in the Resort Office at 352-750-5500 Ext. 231.

### DIRECTIONS TO THE GRAND OAKS RESORT

From I-75 North: Stay on CR 25 until you reach Griffin Ave. Follow the road until it makes a sharp left turn. At the top of the hill is the Grand Oaks Truck/Competitor Entrance, make a left. Continue following the road until you reach the arena. Make a right into the parking area. From I-75 South: Once on CR 25 at the next light make a right onto Griffin Ave. Follow the road until it makes a sharp left turn. At the top of the hill is the Grand Oaks Truck/Trailer Entrance, make a left. Continue following the road until you reach the arena. Make a right into the parking area.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

For additional information or any questions you may have, contact Marilyn Hunt at [marilyn@thegradoaks.com](mailto:marilyn@thegradoaks.com) or 352-750-5500 Ext. 237. We invite you to visit the Grand Oaks website at [www.thegradoaks.com](http://www.thegradoaks.com)

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## **MORE THINGS YOU MIGHT NEED TO KNOW:**

**Safety Check:** Everyone is required to pass inspection at the Safety Check to receive a number. Numbers must be displayed on carriages at all times. If you plan to play or practice in any of the open obstacles, Safety Check will also include a short driving test in an obstacle.

**Daily Briefing & Updates:** Each morning there will be a short briefing on the day's events. Daily briefings will also include any updates to the schedule or posted information. It is to your advantage to attend. Check the schedule for time and place.

**Team Derby Jackpot:** The Driving Derby is a "Team Challenge". Each team will be made up of 4 drivers chosen by random within each level, Training and Preliminary. All drivers entering the Derby Jackpot will have their name placed in a box, and the teams will be chosen by a blind draw. The entry fee for each driver is \$25. The two winning teams will split the pot. Sign-up for the Derby will be onsite.

## **The Schedule – A work in progress, lots more to come . . .**

### **WEDNESDAY May 10<sup>th</sup>**

Stabling Opens  
Safety Check & Numbers

### **THURSDAY MAY 11<sup>TH</sup>**

Registration Open  
Daily Briefing & Updates – Safety Check & Numbers  
"Harness Basics – Singles & Pairs" *Demo & Participation*  
Private Lessons – Contact Individual Instructors to Schedule Lessons  
Welcome Reception & Croquet

### **FRIDAY MAY 12<sup>TH</sup>**

Daily Briefing & Updates – Safety Check & Numbers  
SAFARI DRIVE  
"Carriage Maintenance" *Lecture & Demo*  
"Using Reinboards to Improve Your Driving" *Demo & Participation*  
Private Lessons – Contact Individual Instructors to Schedule Lessons  
Pizza Party! (Cash Bar) Sponsor's Paddock

### **SATURDAY MAY 13<sup>TH</sup>**

Daily Briefing & Updates – Safety Check & Numbers  
Private Lessons – Contact Individual Instructors to Schedule Lessons  
TRAIL CONES  
TEAM DERBY JACKPOT (Separate \$25.00 fee-Enter at event)  
Florida Whips General Members Meeting  
Fabulous Grand Oaks Dinner Followed by Awards & *Funny Money Auction!*

### **SUNDAY MAY 14<sup>TH</sup>**

Daily Briefing & Updates  
Private Lessons – Contact Individual Instructors to Schedule Lessons  
Cowboy Church  
"Museum Tour" (Must have purchased ticket with event registration)  
Brunch in the Bistro (Reservations advised, pay on your own)

# THE SOUTHERN DRIVE POLO SHIRT ORDER FORM

Your shirts will be available at the event when you check in.



The Southern Drive  
AT THE GRAND OAKS



## EMBROIDERED POLO SHIRTS

A subtle diamond jacquard texture gives this moisture-wicking polo a finer, elevated appearance.

**LADIES SHIRTS:** available in Fuchsia (dark pink), White or Blue Wake (turquoise)

- 5-ounce, 100% polyester
- Gently contoured silhouette
- Self-fabric collar
- 1-button Y-placket with a semi-clear, dyed-to-match button
- Set-in, open hem sleeve
- Subtle curved hem

**MEN'S SHIRTS:** available in Navy, White or Graphite Gray

- 5-ounce, 100% polyester
- Flat knit collar
- 3-button placket with semi-clear, dyed-to-match buttons
- Set-in, open hem sleeves

Please Make A Separate Check Payable To The American Driving Society And Include It, And This Order Form, With Your Event Registration Form.

**Shirt Orders Must Be Postmarked No Later Than April 17, 2017.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

EMBROIDERED POLO SHIRTS	Write quantity in boxes below \$25 each				Write quantity in boxes below \$30 each			Amount
	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	
<b>LADIES SHIRTS</b>								
Fuchsia (NEW COLOR)								\$
Blue Wake								\$
White								\$
<b>MEN'S SHIRTS</b>								
Navy (NEW COLOR)								\$
Graphite Gray								\$
White								\$
<b>TOTAL AMOUNT INCLUDED</b>								<b>\$</b>

**The American Driving Society DISCLAIMER and HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT for RECREATION AND EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITIES**

This form must be signed by every participant or if a minor, their consenting parent including each person who rides with a driver on a carriage anytime from arrival at the Activity to departure. I understand and agree that neither The American Driving Society, Inc. (ADS), its officers, the Educational Event Organizer(s), clinician(s), judges, officials, workers, volunteers or organizing committee, nor the property owners accept or shall have any responsibility of any nature whatsoever for accidents, damage, injury or illness to the horses, owners, riders, drivers, grooms, passengers, attendants, spectators or any other person or property in connection with this Educational Activity/Event.

NAME OF ACTIVITY The Southern Drive at the Grand Oaks DATE(S) TO BE HELD May 11 - 14, 2017  
LOCATION The Grand Oaks Resort, Weirsdale, FL ORGANIZER Southeast Region Rec Drive

I hereby expressly agree without any limitation or condition for myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents: (1) to be bound by the rules and bylaws of the ADS and any local rules of this Educational Activity/Event; (2) that every participant is eligible and (3) to accept as final any decision of the Organizer on any questions arising under the ADS rules and bylaws or any local rules of the Educational Activity/Event. I also agree, without any limitation or condition to hold the ADS, its officers, directors, employees and agents, judges, officials and organizing committee, harmless from any and all liability, loss, claims or actions, causes of action, judgements or demands of any nature whatsoever. I am fully aware and appreciate that equine sports, including participating in this particular activity/event involve inherent dangerous risk of serious injury or death. By participating I do so voluntarily and expressly assume any and all risks of injury to me or loss of my horses(s) or equipment. I agree to release and voluntarily waive the right to sue the ADS, its officers, directors, employees, and agents, judges, personnel, volunteers, officials, and organizing committee, including their agents and employees from and against all claims for damages, including money damages, for any action taken or otherwise any harm caused by me or my horse to others, including whether arising from directly or indirectly from the negligence of the ADS Activity/Event.

I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the ADS its officers, directors, employees, clinicians, members, volunteers, coaches, representatives, assigns, judges, officials and organizing committee, their agents and employees from any and all claims for loss or injury caused by me or my horse that occur during or in conjunction with this Activity/Event.

I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of participation, the ADS and/or the Activity/Event may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cablecasts, broadcasts, internet, film, news media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the activity for the promotion, coverage, or benefit of the activity/event, sport, or the ADS. BY SIGNING BELOW I AGREE to be bound by all applicable ADS rules and all the terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT.

PARTICIPANT Signature \_\_\_\_\_ ADS Member Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Parent or Guardian must sign if participant is under 18)*

Note: If you require special dispensation at the above Activity/Event please state your need below

Note: At all ADS registered activities and events, the participant is required to be a member of the ADS or pay a non-member fee of **\$15.00**. Remember to include your current ADS number. You may be asked to present your current membership card.

## LIABILITY RELEASE for The Grand Oaks Resort

(Please Print Legibly)

Name (known as the "Guest") \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Town, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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

Upon completion of this document, the Guest may engage in any or all of the activities offered at The Grand Oaks Operating LLC, 3000 Marion County Road, Weirsdale, Florida, hereinafter referred to as The Property. The undersigned Guest understands and accepts any and all risk included with visiting The Property and that there may be unforeseen and unexpected hazards encountered upon The Property including, but not limited to, observation of or participation in, carriage rides and horseback riding or other events, shows and demonstrations. Therefore, Guest does hereby release, acquit and forever discharge The Grand Oaks Operating LLC, their parent, related affiliated and subsidiary companies or entities and the officers, directors, employees, trustees, volunteers, agents, representatives, successors and assigns of each from any and all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs, expense or compensation of any nature arising out of or in any way connected with Guest's presence upon The Property or any activities engaged in or events conducted thereon. Guest understands that this Release includes any claims based on the negligence, action or inaction of any of the parties herein released and covers bodily injury and property damage suffered by Guest, Guest's child or ward or any person or property for which Guest has responsibility or authority over during or after such participation. Guest further understands that this Release applies to any and all occurrences upon The Property including but not limited to equine activities. Guest further acknowledges and agrees that this Release is given in perpetuity and is intended to and does apply to Guest's presence upon The Property at any time subsequent to the execution of this liability waiver.

This document is meant to be a full and complete release from any and all liability that may arise on The Property. This release is given freely and voluntarily by the Guest while on the property and signature herein so signifies that the Guest has read and understands its contents.

Managers and employees of The Property have the right to deny service to any guest when safety to themselves or others is in question.

**Warning:** Under Florida law, an Equine activity sponsor or Equine Professional is not liable for injury to, or the death of, a guest in equine activities.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Guest: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Guardian (if Guest is a minor child): \_\_\_\_\_

Acceptance by Activity Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: All passengers / grooms must also sign a copy of this liability waiver!**

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