

Groom/Hotwalker License Application

2025



OFFICE USE ONLY	
Date _____	License # _____
F.P. Date _____	Total Fees _____
Pymt Type <input type="checkbox"/> Invoice <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Check # _____	<input type="checkbox"/> CC# _____
Clerk: _____	Reviewed by: _____

1. Location(s) Canterbury Park Running Aces HISA Number _____

2. License Type(s) Groom/Hotwalker (\$10) Exercise Rider (\$20) Other Lic Type Fingerprints* (\$25)

3. Applicant Name _____
Last (include suffix, if applicable) First Middle Maiden/Alias

4. Legal Address _____
(Where all information regarding your application may be sent) Street City State/Province/Country Zip Code

5. Local Address _____
(If different from above) Street City State Zip Code

6. Phone _____ 7. Email Address _____

8. SSN/SIN	9. Date of Birth	10. Age	11. Sex	12. Height	13. Weight	14. Eye Color	15. Hair Color	16. Race	17. Place of Birth

18. Are you a U.S. Citizen? YES NO

19. If no, of what country are you a citizen? _____

20. Immigration ID # _____

21. Marital Status Married Single

22. If married, full name of spouse, including maiden name _____

ALL OF THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED "YES" OR "NO". GIVE DETAILS PROVIDED IN SPACE BELOW. INCLUDE ALL ARRESTS AND/OR CHARGES ON THIS APPLICATION. FALSIFYING YOUR ARREST RECORD OR ANY PART OF THIS APPLICATION IS A GROSS MISDEMEANOR PURSUANT TO MS 240.26 SUBD. 2. NOTE, IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT REGARDING WHAT INFORMATION MUST BE INCLUDED AS PART OF THIS APPLICATION, PLEASE CONTACT AN INVESTIGATOR AT 952-496-7950 OR 651-925-3944.

23. Have you ever been arrested or charged with a crime involving neglect or mistreatment of animals? YES NO

24. Within the last 10 years, have you ever been arrested or charged with any crime, including crimes that did not result in a conviction or the charge was dismissed? Do not include driving offenses other than DWI. Attach additional paper if necessary. YES NO

Year	Arresting/Charging Agency	Offense	Convicted
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

25. Have you ever been charged with a violation of law or rule relating to horse racing, pari-mutuel betting, or any other form of gambling? Attach additional paper, if necessary. YES NO

Year	State	Offense	Disposition/Judgment

***THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS APPLY TO YOU.* IF YOU ARE MARRIED, THEY ALSO APPLY TO YOUR SPOUSE.**

26. Has your or your spouse's racing or gaming license ever been denied, suspended, or revoked in any racing or gaming jurisdiction or is a complaint pending against either of you by any racing or gaming authority? YES NO

27. Have you or your spouse ever been fined \$500 or more or been discharged, expelled or ejected from any casino, racetrack or by any racing official, commission or gaming authority? Attach additional paper, if necessary. YES NO

Date	State	Offense	Disposition (fine, suspension, revocation)

28. By checking this box, you certify that you (and your spouse, if married) are in good standing and welcome to apply in all racing and gaming jurisdictions.

29. Employer's Name at Racetrack (if applicable) _____

30. **EMPLOYER'S SIGNATURE** (if applicable) _____

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____)

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AFFIDAVIT OF QUALIFICATION FOR CLASS C LICENSE
AND CONSENT STATEMENT (Pursuant to Minnesota
Statute §240.08. subd. 2)

31. I, _____ (Print Full Name), under oath state that:
1. I am not in default in the payment of an obligation or debt to the State of Minnesota under Statute, Chapter 214.
 2. I have never been convicted of a felony in a state or federal court, OR for occupations that do not involve gaming operations, security, surveillance, or the handling of pari-mutuel or card club revenues; I have not been convicted of a felony or crime involving fraud or misrepresentation within 10 years.
 3. I do not have a state or federal felony charge pending.
 4. I have been discharged from any supervision related to a disqualifying offense for a period of at least 5 years.
 5. I am not required to register pursuant to section 243.166 (Predatory Offender Status)
 6. I am not now, nor have ever been connected with or engaged in an illegal business.
 7. I have never been found guilty of fraud or misrepresentation in connection with racing or breeding.
 8. I have never been found guilty of a violation of law or rule relating to horse racing, pari-mutuel betting, or any other form of gambling which is a serious violation as defined by the Minnesota Racing Commission's rules.
 9. I have never knowingly violated a rule or order of the Minnesota Racing Commission or a law of Minnesota relating to racing.
 10. I have never been convicted of or entered a guilty plea, Alford plea, or plea of no contest to a criminal offense involving neglect or mistreatment of animals.

In addition, I understand, agree and hereby irrevocably consent that suits and actions relating to the subject matter of the attached class C license application, or acts or omissions arising from such application, may be commenced against me in any court of competent jurisdiction in Minnesota by service on the Minnesota Secretary of State of any summons, process or pleading authorized by the laws of Minnesota.

- I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct, and that I am in compliance with all applicable racing, tax, affirmative action and laws and rules.
- I further hereby authorize the release of information to the Minnesota Racing Commission and the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension in order to verify the information contained herein.
- I further consent to searches of my person and property on the grounds of an association at all times without a search warrant, either in my presence or absence, and I hereby waive any and all rights which I now or may hereafter have to object to such searches, and waive all claims arising out of such searches against the Minnesota Racing Commission and its members, employees and agents, and the racing association on whose premises the search is made and the officials, employees and agents of such association.
- I further understand that issuance of a class C license by the Minnesota Racing Commission does not necessarily entitle me to any rights of privileges at any licensed track.
- In addition to the foregoing information, the Affidavit of Qualification and Consent Statement is incorporated herein by reference and submitted in support of this class C application.
- I hereby certify that I have read and understand the Notice of Intended Use of Data and Disclosure of Social Security Notices below.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT, except that this Affidavit and Consent Statement are submitted in support of the attached application for a class C license from the Minnesota Racing Commission.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

32. _____
Signature of Applicant

33. _____ day of _____, _____

Notary Public Signature

Affix Seal or Stamp

***Fingerprints are required for new applicants and must be resubmitted every 5 years for applicants ages 18-70.**

Pursuant to Minnesota Rule 7877.0140, any license badge issued by the Minnesota Racing Commission is considered part of a temporary license pending completion of an investigation of qualifications and fitness. This temporary status may last for up to 60 days after the temporary license is granted. Any individual whose license is denied or who withdraws an application for a Class C license shall immediately surrender the individual's badge to the Commission.

NOTICE OF INTENDED USE OF DATA

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. §13.04, subd. 2 (2015) you are hereby informed that the information requested on this application will be used by the Minnesota Racing Commission (MRC) to determine your qualifications as a class C licensee, and to assist the MRC in conducting a background investigation of you. You have the right to refuse to supply the information requested. However, if you refuse to supply this information, the MRC may not be able to determine your qualifications and, as a consequence, may refuse to issue a license. If you supply the information requested, the MRC will be able to process your application promptly. Upon receiving a class C license, all application information provided by you, except your social security number, including the fingerprint identification card, will become public data. Prior to receiving a license, the application information - with the exception of your name and address, which are public - is considered private data on individuals and will be available only to the following: Members, employees and agents of the MRC whose work assignment requires that they have access to the information; the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension; Alcohol and Gambling Enforcement Division and private background verification companies, the Minnesota Attorney General; the Minnesota State Commissioners of Administration, Finance and Revenue; the Minnesota Legislative Auditor; national and international racing organizations and agencies; parties to judicial proceedings pursuant to court order; other individuals or agencies that may be specifically authorized by state statute or federal law to have access to such information; individuals and agencies for which law or legal order authorizes a new use or sharing of the information after this Notice was given.

DISCLOSURE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

You are required to provide your social security number on this class C license application. It will be used for identification purposes in administering the tax laws of Minnesota. Authorization for requiring your social security number is found at 42 U.S.C. § 405 (c) (1). It is the Minnesota Racing Commission's intent to also use your social security number for identification purposes other than those relating to tax collection. You have the right to object to this additional use of your social security number. Should you wish to object to such additional uses you must do so at the time of filing this application.

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