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10 January 1996

Secretary of State  
Division of Corporation  
The Capital  
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Re: Baker County Riding Club

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed is the original and one copy of the Articles of Incorporation of Baker County Riding Club, Incorporated. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$122.50 in payment of the filing fees (\$70.00) and a certified copy of the Articles (\$52.50).

If you have any <sup>GAVE</sup> questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

*Terence M. Brown*

*Chuck*  
*Directors Darla Christopher*  
AUTHORIZATION BY PHONE TO  
CONTACT *air II + chub*

TMB/DATE  
Enclosures

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TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

OF

THE BAKER COUNTY RIDING CLUB, INCORPORATED

A NOT FOR PROFIT FLORIDA CORPORATION

The undersigned incorporator to these Articles of Incorporation, hereby forms a corporation under the laws of the State of Florida as follows:

ARTICLE I

NAME OF CORPORATION

The name of this corporation is THE BAKER COUNTY RIDING CLUB, INCORPORATED.

ARTICLE II

TERM OF EXISTENCE

The date when corporate existence shall commence shall be the date of filing of these Articles of Incorporation by the office of the Secretary of State of the State of Florida and the corporation shall have perpetual existence thereafter.

ARTICLE III

GENERAL NATURE OF BUSINESS

This corporation is organized for the following purposes:

- A. To promote western horsemanship and related sporting events.

B. To engage in any and all other lawful purpos  
The net earnings of all corporate activities will be devoted exclusively to charitable, educational or recreational purposes.

#### ARTICLE IV

##### NOT FOR PROFIT NATURE

Notwithstanding any other provision of these Articles of Corporation, the corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an organization exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or the corresponding provision of any other United States Internal Revenue law.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of any article, the purpose of which the corporation is organized is exclusively charitable within the meaning of Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

In the event of dissolution, the residual assets of the corporation will be turned over to one or more organizations which themselves are exempt as organizations described in Sections 501(c)(4) and 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954 or corresponding sections of any prior or future Internal Revenue Code or to the Federal, State or Local government for exclusive public purpose.

## ARTICLE V

### INITIAL REGISTERED OFFICE AND AGENT/PRINCIPAL OFFICE

The street address of the initial registered office of this corporation in the State of Florida will be 486 North Temple Avenue, Starke, Florida 32091, and the name of its initial registered agent at such address is Terence M. Brown. The street address and mailing address of the Principal Office is 2 Red Top Road, Macclenny, Florida 32063.

## ARTICLE VI

### DIRECTORS

The corporation shall have four directors initially. The number of directors may be increased or decreased from time to time by bylaws of the corporation, provided that the corporation shall always have at least one director. The name and street address of the initial directors of this corporation, who shall serve until their successors are duly elected and qualified are:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Robert Clinton Chavers President	2 Red Top Road Macclenny, Florida 32063
Charles Monroe Rowe Vice President	Route 1 Box 376 Macclenny, Florida 32063
Mary Catherine Bales Secretary	Route 2 Box 254-A Macclenny, Florida 32063
Dana B. Rigdon Treasurer	Route 1 Box A 610 Macclenny, Florida 32063

## ARTICLE VII

### INCORPORATOR

The name and street address of the incorporator signing these Articles of Incorporation is:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Terence M. Brown	486 North Temple Avenue Starke, Florida 32091

## ARTICLE VIII

### BY LAWS

The Corporation shall adopt a set of bylaws governing their day to day activities. The power to adopt, alter, amend or repeal bylaws shall be vested in the Board of Directors of this corporation.

## ARTICLE IX

### MEMBERS

This corporation shall have members. Members of the corporation will be required to meet the following qualifications:

To be interested in horse related activities.

Members shall be admitted by a majority vote of the Board of Directors. The Corporation shall not discriminate on the bases of race, sex, religion or national origin.

## ARTICLE X

### AMENDMENT

These Articles of Incorporation may be amended in the manner provided by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, acknowledged and filed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation under the laws of the State of Florida, this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1996.

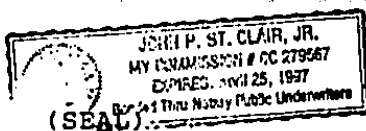
  
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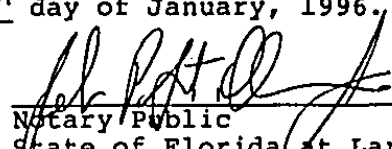
STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF BRADFORD

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this day, before me, a Notary Public, duly authorized to take acknowledgments in the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared TERENCE M. BROWN, who produced his drivers license as identification to me known to be the person described as the Incorporator in and who executed the foregoing Articles of Incorporation and acknowledged before me that he subscribed to those Articles of Incorporation.

WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State aforesaid this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1996.



  
Notary Public  
State of Florida at Large  
My Commission Expires:

ACCEPTANCE BY REGISTERED AGENT

Having been named Registered Agent and designated to accept service of process for the above-stated corporation, at the place designated herein, I hereby agree to act in this capacity, and I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relative to the proper and complete performance of my duties.

DATED: 1/12/46

  
TERENCE M. BROWN

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