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WOODRIDGE FARM LESSON PROGRAMS






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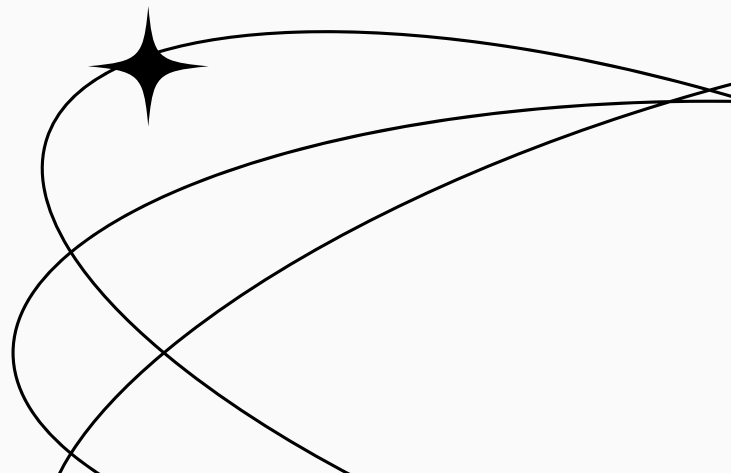
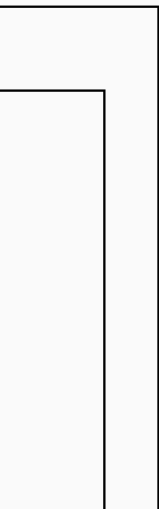
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WELCOME TO

WOODRIDGE



WoodRidge Farm offers safe, affordable, and customizable riding lessons to equestrians (ages 6 and up), experience levels, and goals. Our instruction is centered in the Saddleseat discipline. This style is performed in an English (Cutback) saddle, and focuses on the exhibitor's ability to showcase both their own equitation and form, as well as the natural born gifts of the Saddlebred breed. Saddlebreds are flashy, high-energy horses with massive personalities! They love to perform, and riders in our instruction will learn to work with their horses to create a beautiful and entertaining show.



1. PROGRAMS AND PRICING

Introductory Lessons.....\$48/30 min

Each rider will complete one Introductory lesson before officially joining our program. This lesson will cover safety, grooming, and preparation procedures, as well as basic riding skills (mounting/dismounting, steering, and cues). Experienced riders will be evaluated during this lesson, and placed accordingly for future lessons.

Private Lessons.....\$48/30 min

Work one-on-one with an instructor to perfect equitation and other riding skills. Private lessons often include lunge lesson/work out rides, riding new/challenging horses, or trouble shooting areas that need attention.

Group Lessons.....\$48/30 min

Who doesn't love riding with friends? Enjoy the fast paced environment of a group lesson, while learning to navigate traffic, perform patterns and equitation maneuvers, all while maintaining composure and proper form in the saddle.

*Riders must be evaluated before being scheduled for group lessons

Lesson Cards are available for purchase.

We accept cash, check, or Venmo @Eden-Michael-1

Horses, helmets, and riding tack are included!

2. WHAT TO KNOW

ARRIVE 10 MIN. EARLY

We want to enjoy all of our time with you, so please be prompt to your appointment! In order for things to run smoothly we need to stick to our schedule. Your lesson time will begin and end at the previously agreed upon time - even you aren't there!

WEAR APPROPRIATE ATTIRE

All riders are expected to adhere to our dress code, including long pants and fully enclosed shoes. Gloves are optional but recommended (especially in winter). Please see our dress code page for specifics!

24 HR CANCELLATION POLICY

In order to provide services as the price that we do, we must adhere to a 24 hour cancellation policy. This time allows us to fill your spot and ensure both we and the horses can earn a living!



3. DRESS CODE

BOOTS

Favorite brand: Ariat

Paddock boots are ideal for Saddleseat riding. All boots should have a small heel (less than 1"), and flat soles.

HELMET

Favorite brand: Ovation

A properly fitting helmet is probably the most important part of your riding attire! While we do have helmets to lend for beginners, you are safest in a new, well fitted, well cared for helmet!

*Additionally, long hair should be pulled back.

PANTS

Favorite brand: Freedman or Kerrits

Bootcut riding pants including a knee patch that enhances grip which increase the rider's chances of sticking with the horse in case of unexpected behavior.

*Shorts are not allowed for riding.

SHIRT

Shirts should mirror "school attire". T-shirts and wide-strapped tank tops are acceptable in warm weather. Shirts must easily overlap the belt or be tucked in- no midribs or spaghetti straps.



4. HORSE CAMP

Ask us about getting on the waitlist for our popular summer camp! This week-long camp meets each day to participate in games, crafts, rides, seminars and other fun horse-focused activities!



5. STUDENT WORK PROGRAM



This program is only eligible for riders who are currently regularly enrolled in at least two lessons per week.

This program allows students to earn free riding lessons, in exchange for providing general groom services for Woodridge Farm. To participate, students must be capable of performing all tasks included in the Student Work Program Checklist. These tasks also involve grooming, bridling, saddling, and providing post-lesson care (such as baths, toweling, and hoof care) for lesson horses. New student applicants must pass an evaluation to confirm their ability to complete these tasks before acceptance into this program.

This program is only valid for ONE FREE LESSON PER WEEK. Hours cannot accumulate or be used in future weeks. Those who chose to work more than five hours per week are appreciated, and are working at their own leisure and on their own time. Students enrolled in this program must already have a standing schedule of AT LEAST two paid lessons per week, making the earned free lesson their third ride of the week.

CONTACT US TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

