



Summer Riding Camp At Hunter's Edge Horse Farm 2010

Hunter's Edge Horse Farm will be offering 1 one-week session of riding camp. Camp is open to kids between the ages of 7-16. **Riders of all levels are welcome!** The focus will be on developing an interest in horsemanship and riding. If the camper has previous experience, then the work will focus toward sharpening skills and developing current knowledge.

The one-week session will be June 14-18. Campers should plan to be at camp on Monday morning at 8 am and be picked up each afternoon at 4:30. All campers are invited to participate in the Friday evening riding exhibition and hotdog roast for their parents at 6:30 pm.

Each day we will focus on a different riding discipline. **In addition to 2 mounted hunt seat lessons a day and 1 basic horsemanship topic a day, the camper will be exposed to a different riding discipline.** We will be having a dressage day, fox hunting day, western pleasure day, side saddle day, and a jumper day. Riding exhibitions will be presented and students will be given pertinent information pertaining to each discipline. We have invited various equestrians from the area to ride and present. We feel that it is important to expose the new rider to various riding possibilities!!!

Our schedule will include rotation of **barn chores, grooming/bathing, instruction in tack cleaning, tack assembly, wrapping/bandaging, nutrition, etc.** We will also provide a center for campers to participate in **equine related crafts.**

Come join us for a great week of fun with new friends - both human and equine. We'll try to match you with an equine buddy for the week so that you can have the real experience of "horse ownership" by being responsible for the care of the animal. The camper will probably ride a variety of horses or ponies during the camp experience. (Image below by Kelli Swan)



You can register by filling out the attached application and mailing it to Vonda Reel, 10207 Rawley Pike, Hinton, VA 22831. If you have additional questions call Vonda Reel at 540-867-5999.

Fees: One-week day camp session- \$350

Campers will be admitted on a first-come, first-serve basis. The camp session will accommodate only 20 day campers. Registration will be accepted beginning January 1, 2010. One-half of the registration fee is required as a deposit. The deposit, less a \$25 cancellation fee, is refundable through May 1, 2010. There will be no refunds made for a camper leaving during their session, except with the written verification of a physician of injury or physical illness. Any camper breaking farm rules including the possession or use of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, or weapons will be dismissed from camp immediately with no refund of fee. A camper who exhibits emotional, psychological, or behavioral conditions which are disruptive to the camp program or harmful to herself/himself will be dismissed with no refund of fee.

Camper's Name _____ Sex _____

Camper's date of birth _____ Age _____

Grade completed by June 2008 _____ School Attended _____

Camper's SS # _____ Home phone number _____

Camper's Address _____

With whom does the camper live? _____

If parents are divorced, indicate parent with legal custody: _____

Parents or legal guardian's names and addresses:

Parents or legal guardian's place of business and work phone numbers:

Parents or legal guardian's cell phone or pager numbers:

(please advise the Camp Director of any custody agreements affecting visitation of the child)

Emergency Contact person other than parents: _____

Emergency Contact person phone number(s): _____

Any medical conditions? (please describe in space below):



Does camper take any medications on a regular basis? If so, please list in space below:

Does camper have any allergies to medication, food, or insects (bees)?

Can the camper have Children's Tylenol if deemed appropriate by the camp nurse? _____

Family physician name: _____ phone number: _____

In the event of an emergency, camp personnel have my permission to call for an ambulance or to take my son/daughter to the closest emergency department for emergency medical care as deemed appropriate by the medical staff at the hospital.

Parent's Signature Mom: _____ Dad: _____

Legal guardian: _____

Please describe in the space below what the camper wishes to learn from the camp experience:

What are the camper's hobbies? _____

Likes: _____

Dislikes: _____

Please describe in the space below any previous riding experience that the camper may have had:

Has the camper walked on a horse? _____

trotted? _____ cantered? _____

jumped? _____ if so, to what height? _____

What is the camper's height and weight so that we can match the camper with an equine buddy?

Ht _____ Wt _____



Parents and Camper's agreement: I, as a camper or parent or guardian of a camper, understand that Hunter's Edge Horse Farm takes reasonable precautions to insure that programs and activities at Hunter's Edge Riding Camp are conducted by qualified personnel in a safe and responsible manner. However, I further understand that these activities involve certain risks and include, but are not limited to horseback riding, swimming, and bicycling. I, the undersigned, as a camper, individually, or parent or guardian of a camper, individually or on behalf of the camper, recognize these risks and agree to assume these risks by attending or allowing the camper to attend Hunter's Edge Riding Camp and participate in these activities.

I, as a camper, individually, or as a parent or guardian of a camper, individually and on behalf of the camper, hereby release, discharge, and agree to indemnify Hunter's Edge Horse Farm, its owners, and employees from all liability for damage, injury, or illness to the camper or his or her property relating to or deriving from his or her presence at Hunter's Edge Horse Farm Riding Camp or participation in or travel to or from Hunter's Edge Horse Farm activities.

I, as a camper, individually, or as a parent or guardian of a camper, individually and on behalf of the camper, hereby grant permission for Hunter's Edge Horse Farm to use any photographs of the camper taken during the camping session in newspapers, magazines, brochures, or other media for promotional purposes.

I, as a camper, individually, or as a parent or guardian of a camper, individually and on behalf of the camper, hereby grant permission for the transportation of the camper to and from Hunter's Edge Horse Farm in a farm vehicle by authorized farm employees.

Emergency Authorization:

I, as parent or guardian of a camper, give permission to the medical or dental personnel selected by the camp director to order x-rays, routine tests, and treatment for the camper, and in the event that I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician or dentist selected by the camp director to hospitalize, secure treatment for, and to order injection and/or surgery for the camper. I further acknowledge that I will be responsible for the payment of all charges related to the medical or dental services for the camper. This form may be photocopied for use out of camp.

I have read and understand the contents of this application, including the Refund and Cancellation Policy, Payment Policy and Parent's or Legal Guardian and Camper's Agreement.

Camper's Signature: _____ Date _____

Mom's Signature: _____ Date _____

Dad's Signature: _____ Date _____

Legal Guardian's Signature: _____ Date _____

