



Horsemanship Academy

Summer Camp 2025

Monday – Friday
9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
(Early drop off and late pick up available)

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Overview

Meadow Creek Farm caters to all levels of aspiring riders with its Hunt Seat Equitation horsemanship academy. From beginners to seasoned riders Meadow Creek Farm has something for everyone, most importantly FUN.

Owner and instructor Helaina Ricciardi ensures a positive experience for each equestrian camper. Meadow Creek provides a variety of trained horses and ponies to suit any level. Horse owners may also choose to bring their own mount.

Students spend their days in an all-encompassing equitation experience. Before jumping into the saddle for individually tailored daily riding lessons, students learn and perform the basics of routine horse care and stall management.

Afternoon hands-on horsemanship lectures and demonstrations range from basic grooming and tacking, to the identification and management of common horse ailments. As available there will be guest visits from horse care specialists such as farriers and vets. On Fun Friday's students celebrate their accomplishments with horse-related games and an end of session jeopardy game.

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Academy begins at 9:00 AM and ends at 3:00 PM. Early drop off and late pick up options are also available (**prior arrangements as well as payment are required by start of session**)

For more information on Meadow Creek Farm's horsemanship academy, a tour of our facilities, or information about any of our other programs (lessons, boarding and leasing) please contact us at 845-363-6000.

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Rules and Regulations

1. **All** students must wear protective headgear, properly fitted, ASTM/SEI approved helmet. It must be worn when: anyone regardless of age is mounted on a horse. Meadow Creek has helmets available to borrow if you do not have your own. Appropriate safe footwear is required (riding boots or hiking boots are preferred; sneakers are not permitted when riding.)

2. If a student would like to bring their own horse or pony to horsemanship academy with them, proof of negative coggins & proof of rabies vaccination must accompany the horse and be shown upon arrival. Overnight stabling is available upon request.

3. Students are required to bring their own lunches and plenty of beverages daily. Small coolers are recommended.

4. All instruction is at the discretion of the instructor. Each student will be allowed to learn at a level deemed safe for them.

5. There is a limit of 20 students per session. Please reserve your spot early. Discounts are available for multiple weeks or multiple children. Meadow Creek reserves the right to cancel sessions for any reason, including insufficient enrollment.

6. **All registration forms are to be completely filled out, signed and returned to Meadow Creek Farm with payment in full by May 15, 2025.**

Checks must be made payable to Meadow Creek Farm. A non-refundable deposit of \$300 required at time of registration to hold your spot. There is a \$35.00 return check fee. Payment must be paid in full (by the absolute latest) at the start of the session.

*Unless otherwise notified, you received your first choice!

7. Meadow Creek Farm, affiliates, and associates shall not be liable whatsoever for any injury or damage to any person or property of any spectator, visitor, student or any other persons or animals by reason of any event occurring during the horsemanship academy; and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor hold the same as well as its officers, agents and/or employees harmless for any accident or loss which may occur by fire or otherwise. All students will be required to fill out standard release forms prior to horsemanship academy.

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Application for Enrollment

Child's Name: _____	Parent or Guardian _____										
Address: _____ _____	Email: _____										
D.O.B. _____ Riding Experience _____	Contact Info: (Home) _____										
	(Work) _____										
	(Cell) _____										
Number of weeks you are requesting: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	Physician Contact Info: _____										
Weekly Sessions Available (Weeks may be cancelled at MCF's discretion)	Allergies: _____										
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Summer Camp Rates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$550 per week or \$150 per day \$525 per week for multi week discount \$525per week for multi child discount (For the Same Weeks) Early Drop Off or Late Pick up: \$20/hour (Prior Notice Required) <p style="color: red; font-weight: bold;">\$500 per week for early enrollment. All campers enrolled & paid by 3/5. Additional discounts are available for any camper enrolling in 5 or more weeks.</p>	Make Checks Payable To: <div style="text-align: right;"> Meadow Creek Farm 321 Skidmore Road Pleasant Valley, NY 12569 </div>										

