

## COVID-19 Protocols Beginner Lessons



The health and wellbeing of Wake Robin Farm's clients and staff is our priority. In order to maintain a safe environment at the farm we ask that all visitors abide by the COVID-19 protocols outlined below. Thank you in advance for your cooperation!

### General Biosecurity

- All visitors must provide a completed **Self Declaration** form. If your health status changes at any time please advise Wake Robin Farm immediately
- Do not come to the barn if you are experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms or have been in contact with someone who is experiencing symptoms within the previous 14 days
- If you have experienced COVID-19 symptoms you must provide 2 negative COVID-19 tests prior to visiting the farm again
- Do not come to the barn if you have been in close proximity to someone with COVID-19, you must isolate for 14 days prior to visiting the farm again
- Do not come to the barn if you have traveled outside of the province of Ontario in the previous 14 days or have been in contact with someone who has travelled outside of the province of Ontario within the previous 14 days
- Maintain min. 2 meter distance between you and other people at all times while at the farm
- Clean hands upon arrival and departure
- All visitors must wear a non-surgical mask at all times when 2 meter social distancing is not possible

### Scheduling Your Lessons

- All lessons must be pre-scheduled by email at [info@wakerobin.ca](mailto:info@wakerobin.ca)
- Assigned times are based on arrival/departure times at the farm so that WRF can manage number of visitors at the farm at any given time
- Please do not arrive early or stay after your allotted time
- **1 parent may accompany the rider to their lesson.** No additional visitors (friends, kids, neighbors etc.) are allowed at the farm
- No pets are allowed at the farm
- Please provide min. 24 hours notice if you are unable to attend your lesson. Make up lessons can be scheduled within a 2 week period if proper notice has been provided. 1 make up lesson is allowed per month

### Required Equipment

In order to reduce the need for sharing equipment between riders WRF is now asking all students to bring the following items for their lessons. These items are available to purchase at any local equestrian store.

Check out Greenhawk Saddlery <https://www.greenhawk.com/wdStore.asp?strlcID=7> In store purchases are now available!

- Non-surgical mask
- Boots with a small heel (standard rubber rain boots are fine as long as they have a small heel)
- Comfortable long pants/leggings
- Grooming kit - including curry comb, hard brush, soft brush and hoof pick (Junior grooming kit available at Greenhawk)
- Saddle pad (available at Greenhawk)
- Crop (available from Greenhawk)
- Please note: ASTM approved riding helmets are still available to borrow from WRF. Helmets are sanitized between rider use.

### Visiting the Farm

- Please arrive at your assigned lesson time
- Non-surgical masks must be worn at all times while in the barn
- Rider to wait for their instructor at the front door of the barn. Do not enter the barn without your instructor
- Parent may watch from the front door or wait at the picnic table area
- Rider to wash hands with hot water and hand soap provided in washroom. Please use paper towels for drying and dispose of them in garbage bin provided in washroom
- **The toilet will remain out of order for the time being (don't forget to go before you leave home!)**
- Use only your own grooming tools, crop and saddle pad (see list above)
- Each set of cross ties has a cleaning station with hand sanitizer and disinfectant spray for your use
- Play areas at WRF are closed
- Do not leave any garbage, coffee cups anywhere in the barn
- Please do not loiter, we're happy to have you come visit but, for now we need to keep visits efficient and short. :)

**Wake Robin Farm**

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