



Welcome to the Cactus Rose Ranch!

OUR GOAL IS VERY SIMPLE. WE WORK TOGETHER TO PROVIDE YOU AND YOUR FAMILY WITH A HIGH QUALITY RANCHING EXPERIENCE. FROM HORSEBACK RIDING TO CATTLE SALES WE STRIVE FOR A LEVEL OF QUALITY THAT WE ARE PROUD TO SHARE WITH OUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS. HERE AT THE CACTUS ROSE WE BELIEVE IN EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE AND WE WOULD BE HONORED BY THE OPPORTUNITY TO EARN YOUR BUSINESS!



We are so happy you're here!

LET'S CHASE YOUR HORSE DREAMS TOGETHER

The team here at the Cactus Rose is as invested in your horsemanship journey as you are. We want to create confident and knowledgeable riders while maintaining a safe and positive environment. Our curriculum focuses on both excellent care of our equine partners and growth of the riders' skills.

Horseback riding supports mental health, boosts confidence, and is fabulous physical exercise. Horses are sensitive to our emotions and body language making them excellent teachers and therapists. We support a continuous growth mindset for our students and our family. We believe that horsemanship provides a wonderful foundation for life and that the lessons we teach here will benefit our students in every aspect of life.

Dave Welch spent 8 years in the United States Marine Corps and trained hundreds of students to be successful Marines. That leadership carries over into our lesson program. Our students not only learn the fundamentals of horseback riding, they will learn valuable life lessons from a Marine that will carry over into every aspect of their lives for years to come.

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Our Curriculum

WHAT CAN BE MEASURED CAN BE IMPROVED

OUR CURRICULUM PROMOTES SAFETY ABOVE ALL ELSE

Safety Categories

- Students must score 100% on the safety category to pass a level

Privileges expand

- Each level comes with new expanding privileges within the stable. It's important that these privileges match the student's knowledge of handling horses.

Ride at your comfort level

- There is no pressure to move up within the levels from our staff. Riders can take the curriculum at their own pace.

Our comprehensive curriculum covers not only riding skills, but horsemanship skills, knowledge, and care.

A step by step curriculum is provided to every student so that they can prepare with their instructors and schedule levels testing days at their own pace. Students will also be provided with flash cards for level testing when preparing for a test. There are no trick questions here at the Cactus Rose, it's important to us that we are developing confident and knowledgeable horseman.

Students are presented with a certificate and BELT BUCKLE for every level that they have passed. We host a quarterly awards and celebration gathering and we highly encourage all of our students to attend these so that they can cheer for their peers! Did we mention... with every level completed the student is awarded a **customized belt buckle!**



Monthly Membership Opportunities

"NO HOUR OF LIFE IS WASTED THAT IS SPENT IN THE SADDLE" - WINSTON CHURCHILL

RANCH HOURS

Spend extra time at the barn

- Ranch hours are an extra bonus that we offer our monthly membership students. Join our text thread to receive alerts about when ranch hours will take place

RODEOS AND SHOWS!

Let's go to a show!

- Occasionally we will replace the group horsemanship class by going to a ranch rodeo or to a schooling show! This is a great way for the students to watch riders with more experience and keep them excited about what they are working toward!

REAL LIFE LESSONS

There's more to horses than just riding!

- Every week we host a group horsemanship class for our members. On occasion we have guest instructors in place of that! Everything from local business owners talking about entrepreneurship to cowboys teaching roping technique!

RESCUE HORSES

Be a hero to a rescue horse

- Here at the Cactus Rose we occasionally rescue, rehabilitate, and retrain horses in need. Be a part of the process from start to finish and make a positive impact.

- THE CACTUS ROSE RANCH -

We're always looking to improve the ranch and the riding school! We send out quarterly surveys to check in on our students. This is the perfect opportunity to give us feedback on what we are doing great and what we can improve on! All responses are anonymous.

Services At The Cactus Rose

OUR MEMBERS BECOME PART OF THE FAMILY

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP \$325/MONTH

- *Best Deal!*
- *Weekly Riding Lesson*
- *Weekly Un-Mounted Horsemanship Class*
- *Optional horsemanship levels testing opportunities*
- *Horses provided if needed*
- *Additional opportunities to spend time around the horses & Assist in their care if interested*
- *Best for students looking to make horse friends and that are serious about becoming great riders. With a focus on honing skills such as dedication and teamwork. Classes available for both children and adults.*
- *Level Up Test - Additional \$150 - Includes custom belt buckle!*
- *Discounts available! Ask us or check out our website*
 - TheCactusRoseRanch.com

UNMOUNTED MEMBERSHIP \$200/MONTH

- *The Cactus Rose Tribe: (For Adults) Spend time regularly grooming, hand grazing, and enjoying the presence of the horses. Additional opportunities to visit during lessons and events with members. Perfect for adults looking to spend time in the company of horses and with horse lovers.*
- *Pony Pals: (For Kids) Weekly group activities with other littles. Horse related games and pony rides. Perfect for kiddos that aren't quite ready for riding lessons, but love horses and ponies. Parents must stay during Pony Pals meetings.*
- *Family Discount: \$300 for 3-5 Cactus Rose Tribe/Pony Pals members. \$450 per month for 6 or more.*

Let's Get Started!

START A JOURNEY THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME

ASSESSMENT LESSON \$75

- *Assessment lessons are FREE for students that join the monthly membership at the time of their assessment lesson*
- *Required for all riders new to the Cactus Rose Horsemanship Program before attending other lessons*
- *45-60 minute private session*
- *Limit of 1 assessment lesson per rider per year*
- *Horse provided if needed*
- *We put you through a workout on horseback! This allows us to more easily assess your current skill and confidence level. All levels of riders welcome including beginners.*

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

- *The Cactus Rose provides helmets for assessment lessons. Within the first month students are expected to provide their own properly fitted riding helmet.*
- *Students must wear smooth soled shoes with a low heel*
- *(Riding boots and helmets are most affordable online). Chicks' Saddlery is a great place to look for helmets! Cavenders is the best local selection for boots.*

"Awesome trainer, great horses, beautiful surroundings and a sweet family! Definitely recommend. Our daughter is learning so much."

- Gina Kiehl