



2-Day Trail Riding Clinic Registration

The following 4 items must be accompanied with payment: 1) Clinic Registration Form; 2) Liability Form; 3) Helmut Form; 4) Full payment (secures your spot).

Name (Please Print): _____ **Date:** _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Cell:** _____

Emergency Contact: _____

Phone: _____ **Cell:** _____

Payment method is by check only. Please send to: **Rider Horsemanship**, 2764 Whitehaven Road, Quantico, MD 21856.

Preparing You and Your Horse for the Trail Clinic

In this 2-day clinic, you will be taught the “secrets” (ingredients) to Caroline’s inspirational, and trusting, bridleless and bareback trail and freestyle riding! You will have the opportunity to learn the same awareness and horsemanship skills that she uses every time she prepares a horse for the trail:

- Awareness and Embodiment Exercises® that will help you identify fear (tension within you, anxiety, nervousness, trepidation, etc), over come it and replace it with confidence
- 3 Simple Awarenesses (within) that build safety, trust and leadership between you and your horse
- Ground exercises that develop deeper levels of connection, communication and partnership between you and your horse
- Riding exercises that develop deeper levels of connection, communication and partnership between you and your horse
- Obstacle course work that improves trust, partnership and leadership and identifies problems before they happen on the trail
- Local trail work both days

All breeds, disciplines and ages welcome (exception: No stallions or colt-starting, green horses ((less than 5 rides)).

Clinic begins 9am, breaks for 1.5 hour lunch, resumes again until 4-5pm, with a group gathering at the end to discuss particular achievements, address questions or talk about what students have learned. Auditors welcome to attend.

Cost (Costs includes lunch and refreshments)

Participants: \$350* • Auditors: \$30/day

*Overnight accommodations for you and your horse are not included.

Stall, and/or pen rental: \$20/day. You are responsible for bedding (shavings only), feed and water.

Nearby historic and waterfront hotel (2 blocks from Rider Horsemanship):

www.whitehavenhotel.com.

General Clinic Information

Format

Caroline Rider will be the instructor at each clinic. No more than 8 participants within each clinic with their horses. Rider Horsemanship will take the first 8 students to register and pay the deposit for each clinic. There will be a waiting list after the participant spots are booked. If there is a cancellation of one of the 8 participant spots we will contact the names on the waiting list. If you are contacted to fill a spot we will require a non-refundable deposit of half the clinic price to confirm your participation in the clinic.

Caroline pays individual attention to each and every participant in her clinic. If an apprentice is available, they will accompany Caroline to all 2009 Horsemanship Clinics. This is to ensure that in addition to direct group and one-on-one instruction directly from Caroline, owners can always be assured of help when they need it most.

Clinics begin anytime between 8-9am and usually wrap up between 4-5pm, with a 1.5 hour lunch break.

The actual progress depends on the participants and their horses. Caroline's ultimate goal is to help each participant:

1. Gain a better understanding of their horse through education & insights into equine behavior.
2. Incorporate that knowledge with newly acquired skill sets learned.
3. Create a more fulfilling and rewarding relationship with their horse.

Auditors

The cost to observe is \$30.00 per day prepaid. Children 12 & under are free. Seating may be limited at select clinics. Please note - we may ask observers to bring lawn chairs at these clinics.

Observers are asked to reserve ALL questions for after the clinic. Training products, DVD's and clothing will be for sale at each clinic.

Please note, the following are not allowed: video taping & pets.

Deposits/Final Payments

To confirm your participation *full payment* is due upon registration, with signed paperwork and forms. The deposit is NON REFUNDABLE. The deposit will be held in the event you cancel or

do not show up for the clinic. The clinics have very limited participation and the spots fill quickly. Please be sure you are willing to commit to attending the clinic. Payment can be made by check, or money order.

The final payment will be due one month before the clinic, no exceptions. Call 410-873-2350, or email: info@riderhorsemanship.com to sign up or for more information.

Cancellation

You are responsible for filling your spot should you cancel. Please check in with us should we have a wait list. 50% of the deposit is non-refundable. The remaining amount paid is refundable if the spot can be filled by another participant.

*We reserve the right to cancel, and/or reschedule due to lack of registration.
Clinics are held rain or shine.*

Clinic Rules and Policies

By signing up to participate in, or audit, a Rider Horsemanship Clinic, I am stating that I have read, understand and agree to the following rules and policies:

1. **Full payment** & ALL forms are due 30 days PRIOR clinic participation. Remaining balance is due 2 weeks PRIOR clinic.
2. Clinic openings are on a first come, first served basis. If the clinic is full, your name will be put on our wait list.
3. There is a charge for auditing and is subject to specific format.
4. Refunds for cancellations are as follows – full refund prior to 30 days before clinic with replacement from wait list; audit fees are non-refundable. Refunds will be processed immediately if refund criteria being met.
5. No stallions, no exceptions.
6. No “Green” horses: horses with less than 5 rides.
7. Kids under 12 years old receive free audit if accompanied by paying adult.
8. **Mandatory:** copy of current NEGATIVE coggins, and vet records (Rhino Flu Vaccination included). You will not be accepted otherwise.
9. \$35 fee for NSF checks.
10. All participants must sign a liability waiver.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please make a copy of this form for your records.