

# Summer Camp on Horseback

## Registration Form

Hours: 8:30-12:30

3108 E. Palm Valley Blvd.

Round Rock, TX 78665

(512) 341-0685

This horseback riding camp is for school-age children ages 5-16. My goal is to facilitate your camper in having a fun, safe time while learning about horses. My horse instruction curriculum will include, but not limited to:

- Indoor activities such as instructional video and lectures
- Grooming and tack-up
- Riding basics
- Safe horsemanship
- Mounted games

### Parent / Guardian Information:

Camper Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent / Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Bus. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about camp? \_\_\_\_\_

### Tuition Information / Hours

Weekly sessions are \$200. Make checks payable to Connie Mitchell. Full payment is required to reserve camp space and is non-refundable. Check and registration form can be mailed to Connie Mitchell, 3108 E. Palm Valley Blvd., Round Rock, TX 78665. Camp hours are from 8:30-12:30.

**Camper Riding Ability:**

Please circle the appropriate riding level. Please use the ‘goals’ as a guideline to determine which group to sign up for. For safety reasons, please do not advance your child if they cannot complete the goals from the beginner/novice list.

Beginner/Novice	Little or no riding experience or lacks confidence. Can ride a gentle horse at a walk, perhaps trot a little	
	<p><b>Goals:</b>  <u>On the Ground:</u>            1. Learn to groom and pick feet            2. Learn to tack up            3. Learn to safely lead the horse            4. Learn to safely mount/dismount  <u>Mounted:</u>            1. Achieve rider balance at walk and trot            2. Find a steady rhythm            3. Establish energetic forward movement            4. Control direction</p>	5. Maintain left to right balance 6. Learn the different gaits: halt, walk, trot 7. Learn transitions: a. walk to halt, halt to walk b. Walk to trot, trot to walk c. trot to halt, halt to trot 8. Begin bending work using aids a. riding a corner b. riding a large circle c. riding serpentines
Intermediate/Advanced	Can walk, trot, and lope/canter, but needs to improve skills. Previous experience and instruction, good form and control	
	<p><b>Goals:</b>  <u>On the Ground:</u>            1. Groom and pick feet independently            2. Tack up independently            3. Lean to safely and securely tie a horse            4. Improve skills for safely leading the horse            5. Safely mount/dismount independently  <u>Mounted:</u>            1. Hone balance and precise use of aids            2. Improve bending              a. figure 8's              b. corners</p>	c. serpentines 3. Improve on transitions: a. walk to halt, halt to walk b. walk to trot, trot to walk 4. Learn to lope a. learn correct leads b. how to sit the lope c. transitions from trot to lope, lope to trot 5. Develop lateral work a. hindquarter pivot b. side pass

**Desired Camp Weeks (please circle):**

\*\*\* I am doing something a little differently this year. I will have specific weeks for Beginner/Novice (B) riders, specific weeks for Intermediate/Advanced (I) riders; and a combined week (C) so family/friends of different riding abilities can ride together. Please mark the appropriate week for the students’ riding level. An Intermediate/Advanced student may sign up for any week. \*\*\*

<b>May 30-June 3 (B)</b>	<b>June 6-10 (I)</b>	<b>June 13-17 (C)</b>	<b>June 20-24 (B)</b>	<b>July 11-15 (I)</b>
<b>July 18-22 (C)</b>	<b>July 25-29 (B)</b>	<b>Aug 1-5 (I)</b>	<b>Aug 8-12 (C)</b>	

**Items Needed for Camp:**

- Riding Boots: Boots must have a low heel. Please – no hiking boots, hunting boots, construction boots, tennis shoes, or sandals.
- Helmet (bicycle helmet is fine)
- Long pants.
- Sack lunch and water (water bottle that can be carried and big enough to put ice in it).
- Sunscreen.

**Proof of Immunization:**

State Law requires that parents provide proof of the latest immunizations each year, before the camper may register\*. Please list any allergies or conditions, and other information (physical, medical, social, psychological), which may be pertinent to your camper.

<b>DTP:</b>	<b>Polio:</b>	<b>HIB:</b>	<b>MMR:</b>	<b>TB:</b>
<b>Allergies/Conditions:</b>				
<b>Other things we should know about your child:</b>				

\* If your child is returning from a previous year, Immunization records are on file.

**Person to Contact (Other than Parent):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Bus. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**Professional Contact:**

Doctor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance Information:**

Name of Policy Holder: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Company: \_\_\_\_\_

**Release:**

It is understood that Connie Mitchell, Mitchell family, and staff are hereby released from all liability with respect to any accidents whatsoever for injury, harm or damage, whether foreseen or unforeseen, whether resulting from any act, omission or negligence of Connie Mitchell, Mitchell family, and staff, that may occur to the camper. The undersigned assumes total responsibility and risk of injury to minor child. The undersigned assumes total responsibility for all payments and medical treatment. The undersigned understands that Connie Mitchell does not carry insurance. The undersigned has read and understands contract terms.

Photos are taken of each camper throughout the week; these photos may be used for advertising purposes for Equitech Stables and by Connie Mitchell. If you wish to not have your child's photo appear in such advertisements, please initial below:  
\_\_\_\_ I would prefer my child's photo not be used for media coverage or advertisements.

**Warning:**

Under Texas Law (Chapter 87, Civil Practice and Remedies Code), any equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

<b>I have read and understand this release:</b>	
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<b>Signature of Parent or Guardian</b>	<b>Date</b>