



Avery Ranch Camp/Clinic Schedule 2021

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To Reserve your spot, please register before the camp's start. Contact Avery Ranch:
AveryRanchCO@aol.com : and ask for the Registration Form. Limited school horses are available.

May:

Anatomy of a Dressage Test

One Day - 5/22 Morning 9:30 - 12:30



What happens when that judge rings her bell? The magic happens! This morning of Dressage tests will give the participants a perspective of what questions are being asked in a Dressage “test”. What are the differences in the levels? What are USDF, RMDS, USEF ? What level should I train for and what level would I be happy and relaxed showing? How do you get that pesky circle into the middle of the ring AND keep it round?? We will answer these questions and more. Each participant will pick at least one test to concentrate on, but we will explore the “questions” that are specific to the Levels and universal for all tests. Cost**: \$75 (Own Horse Discount Price -OHD): \$85

June:

Dancing Dressage I

6/19 Saturday Morning 9:30 - 12:00



Ambitious? YES! But, FUN!! In a wonderful but, intense morning, each horse and rider will create a routine to our favorite music! Using school figures, we will develop a “dance” that will intertwine music with cool Dressage moves. Come laugh and create musical freestyles at whatever level you and your horse are comfortable. Limited school horses are available. Cost**: \$85 (OHD -\$65)

June:

Pony Pals

6/7 - 6/10 Mornings 9:00 - 12:30



Who wants their own perfect horse? Last year, over the four fun filled days, the girls made collages with what they learned about breeds, colors, tack, conformation and health care for their “ponies”. They met and talked with a real Farrier while he worked and received their own magic horseshoe ring that he made for them. Each day they handled, groomed and rode (often two of the three horses) with an emphasis on learning about jumps and courses. With the hot sun, after each ride they gave their horses baths. The transformation in four days of the girls while they lived and breathed horses was amazing! (I think some of them actually became horses for a little while!) Horse facts and fun outshone the sun in the beautiful blue sky! We look forward to more Pony Pal Adventures! Please contact AveryRanchCO@aol.com as registration is limited. Cost**: \$475 for four days of fun!

Eye/Hoof Coordination

One Day - 6/6 Morning 9:30 - 12:30



How many horse reasons can you think of for them picking up their feet to not step on poles? Right! They do not want to fall down or trip! The gymnastics of regularly placed poles and cavaletti help our naturally rhythmic partners to develop the muscles and trust of partnership. They love patterns and can remember them with clear accuracy! In this fun filled morning, we will use poles and cavaletti to give our horses “horse” reasons for picking up their feet and remembering where to put them back down. Horses are amazing creatures! We (the humans) will learn to listen to our horse's natural rhythm to create balance and relaxation . Cost**: \$85 (OHD \$65)

July:



Fitness Fun (for Horse & Rider)

Equilightness (Yoga and Horse related body awareness and balance)

One Day - 7/10 Morning (9:00 - 12:00)

Riding Fit? In this morning of peace and balance, we will spend an hour with a professional Yoga instructor, to look at our bodies as our horse looks at them (oh dear - only from the point of view of balance and strength) She will look at each participant's balance and develop a strengthening program that will help each rider. Then we will talk about the fitness of the horse and how different disciplines require different fitness emphases. We will look at conformational clues and sweat patterns in relation to fitness development. Finally, we will try work programs on our horses and test their fitness as a base line for program development. Cost**: \$85 (OHD \$75)

Dancing Dressage II

7/24 Morning 9:30 - 12:00



Challenge yourself and your horse to dance with another horse and rider! With the music flowing, multiple horse and rider groups will create a perfect Pas-de-deux, Pas-de-trois and/or Quadrille!! (That's 2,3 & 4 horses all dancing together at the same time!) Laughter and group support creates lots of fun for the directionally challenged! Each group will decide on music they like (It should be about 2 minutes long) and then create a fun-filled dance.

Cost**: \$85 (OHD \$65)

August:

The Lyrical Horse (drawing, painting horses from life)

8/14

Come explore the romantic equine! In this camp, we will sketch from live models and study the horse's structure and movement by observation and feel. Then in your chosen medium, we will add color and texture to our sketches! In this camp, we will look at the magic of pencil, pastel, watercolor and acrylics.



All Summer Long!

Red Horse Society!

Mornings 10:00 - 12:00

Once a month, those dashing darlings of stage and screen get together to develop, practice and laugh their way through variations of Quadrilles with 3 - 6 horses all dancing at the same time!! Wahooo! We also will studiously look at different Dressage principles that relate to our routines (and not running into each other)!

Cost**: \$40 (OHD \$35)

Dates: 5/8,6/26,7/31,8/21,9/18

