

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How soon do I have to register?

Availability is on a first come, first served basis, so you should register as soon as possible. Registration for summer camps begins April 1. Registrations will be accepted as long as openings are available.

All riders must have a registration, liability release and emergency medical release completed by a parent/legal guardian. The forms are available on our web site. We are happy to mail or fax all forms or you can pick them up at the stables.

Can I/my family come to watch my child ride?

Family and friends are welcome to come watch campers from designated areas. We will do a brief presentation on Friday for all guests.

How much time will campers spend riding?

Campers will ride for approximately 2 hours each day (including mounting time). They will also have 2-3 hours of groundwork with the horses.

What should campers wear? Do they need to bring anything for camp?

We recommend that all riders wear long pants and boots with a low heel. Tennis shoes are acceptable, but footwear should not be open-toed. All campers will be required to wear an ASTM/SEI certified riding helmet (provided). Bicycle helmets are not appropriate for horseback riding. Riders will be outside unless it is raining, so all campers should dress according to the weather.

Campers should bring a packed lunch and an extra drink or water bottle. Other suggestions: Sunscreen, a jacket for cooler weather, bug repellent.

Will my child be able to choose his/her horse/pony?

We use both horses and ponies for camp. Horse/pony assignments will be made by the riding instructor, and will be based on the riders skill level and size. Campers will usually ride the same horse/pony throughout the week but groundwork will be done with other horses/ponies. Campers who have ridden here before may request their favorite mount, and we will do our best to accommodate all requests. However, we cannot guarantee that all requests will be met.

What do you offer besides camp?

We offer trail rides, arena rides, pony rides, English/Western lessons and therapeutic riding. For more information on any of the services we offer, you can contact us at 304-243-4042.

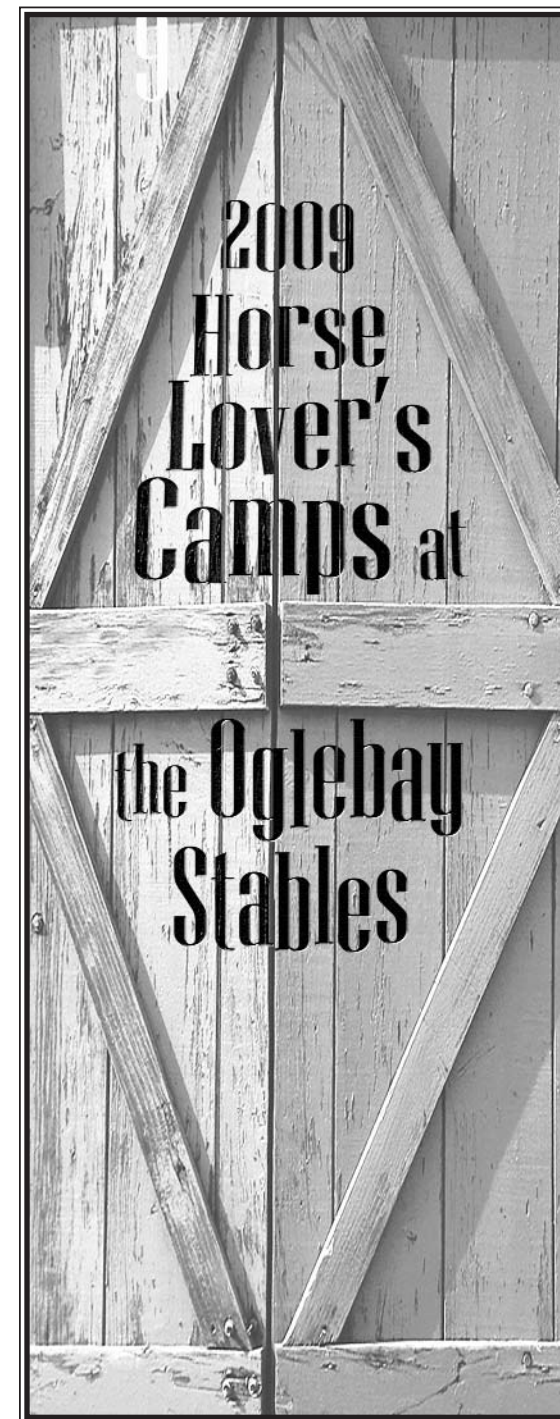


Resort & Conference Center

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2009 Horse Lover's Camp Information

Weight Restrictions: Riders must weigh under 220 pounds

Cost: \$169.60 (\$160 plus tax)

Camp Dates & Times

Ages 7 - 14, Monday - Friday, 9am to 3pm

June 8 - 12	Level 1
June 15 - 19	Level 1
June 22 - 26	Level 2
June 29 - July 3	Level 3/4
July 20 - 24	Level 1
July 27 - 31	Level 2
August 3 - 7	Level 3/4
August 17 - 21	TBD

NEW! Ages 4-6

July 6 - 10	AM session: 9 - 12 PM session 12:30 - 3:30
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NEW! Special Needs Camp, ages 4 and up

July 13 - 15	9am - 3pm
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Some restrictions apply

Level 1

Appropriate for campers with little to no horse experience. All Level 1 camps include basic English and Western riding. Ground lessons will cover safety, horse body language and basic care.

Level 2

Students will choose to ride either English or Western. Students must be able to walk, stop and steer no assistance and trot with minimal assistance. Ground lessons will cover safety, tacking up, horse colors and breeds.

Level 3

Open to students who have completed level 2 prerequisites and are able to trot independently. Ground lessons will cover safety, special equipment and first aid.

Level 4

Open to students who have completed all other levels and are starting to canter. Ground lessons will cover safety, different disciplines and gaits.

NEW! Ages 4 - 6 Camp*

In this new camp, riders will learn the basics of grooming and riding. All riding will be on a lead-line. This camp is also open to older riders who are nervous or timid and require more assistance

Required Documents

All campers must have a registration, liability release and emergency medical release completed by a parent/legal guardian. Grandparents and other relatives may not complete this paperwork unless they have legal custody of the camper.

Forms can be downloaded at www.oglebay-resort.com/stables.htm.

Before & After Care Available

Before care:	7am - 9am
After care:	3pm - 6pm
Cost:	\$3/hour per child

