

Parent/Guardian Signature

Horseback Riding at Kierson Farm

Whether you are a timid beginner or a seasoned pro, Kierson Farm invites you to "Come Ride With Us!" The Kierson Riding Academy, 107 W Woodschurch Road, Flemington, teaches lessons by appointment only, 7 days a week on farm-owned school horses. Private, semi-private, and group lessons are available as well as participation in fun local shows and tournaments. Kierson Farm Instructors are dedicated to creating an atmosphere of learning and responsibility for all students, ensuring a positive and productive introduction to horses. Kierson encourages everyone from 4 to 94 to come give horseback riding a try. They own many seasoned lesson horses to accommodate the smallest of riders and to challenge the most accomplished of equestrians. There is no specialized equipment needed to get started. All new riders are to wear hard-soled shoes (sneakers work well) and long pants. Pants must come down to the shoe (capris/shorts are not allowed). Shirt tails are to be tucked in and long hair tied back.

Special one-time use offer for Bridgewater Residents – Save \$20.00!

Checks payable to Kierson Farm

Lessons are offered in 6 week semesters. Semester start dates are 9/17, 10/29, 12/10, 1/21, 2/19, 4/2, 5/14, 6/25, 8/6. Please see reverse for schedule.

Three ways to register! In person at the Bridgewater Recreation Department, 100 Commons Way, via postal service, or by placing your form and payment in the Recreation drop slot on the Garretson Road side of the Administration Building. Questions? Please call the Recreation Department at (908) 725-6373.

Bridgewater Recreation, 100 Commons Way, Bridgewater NJ 08807 (908)725-6373 www.bridgewaternj.gov 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday Riding at Kierson Farm 2018 Checks payable to "Kierson Farm" Class, Day & Time Participant Last Name First Name Parent/Guardian Name Email Address (please print legibly) **Mailing Address** Town Home # Cell# Work # By checking here, I am indicating that my child has individual needs due to a disability. I need to be contacted regarding reasonable accommodations as per the ADA for my child and will be notified regarding special considerations for my child. Note: The Bridgewater recreation Department will need this form three (3) weeks prior to the start of this program. Please note that neither the Bridgewater Recreation Department nor Kierson Farm provide individual medical insurance coverage for its participants. Each participant will be covered under his/her own family's medical policy. It is recommended that the players have insurance before they participate. The Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel, alter, supplement, limit registration or change any other information..

Date

Kierson Farm Lesson Information

- *Payment is due at registration.
- *Registration is taken as first come, first served
- *Make ups will be accepted; all make-up lessons must be completed within the 6 week semester
- *All cancellations must be made within a 12 hour notice-no exceptions, make-ups or refunds will be allowed.

Group Lessons

Group lessons are offered at various times throughout the week. Lessons are 1 hour in length, with 45 minutes on horse time and 15 minutes of off horse care. All new riders begin in group lessons. Groups can range from 3 to 10 riders. Group lessons are booked in one hour time slots starting on the hour. Intro to Kierson Group: Required for first time students. Focus on Horsemanship through 30 minutes of riding time & 30 minutes of horse care instruction and hands-on learning.

Skill Building Group: The next step for riders who have completed a semester of Intro to Kierson. Riding lessons are custom built to meet each individuals needs. Riders will advance through various stages of learning with the use of a variety of teaching techniques. Riders enrolled in our Skill Building Classes will learn to ride a variety of horses at the Walk, Trot, and Canter.

Academy Group: Academy groups are reserved for riders that are members of the Kierson Academy Team.

Prívate Lessons

Private lessons are offered for the serious rider at set times throughout the week. Private lessons consist of 30 minutes of on horse time. Private lessons are offered only to riders who have shown exceptional skill and dedication, as well as members of our academy team. Private lesson are booked every half hour on the half hour. Please call to schedule.

Semí Prívate Lessons

Semi Private Lessons consist of 30 minutes of on horse time in groups of 2 or 3 riders. These are recommended for riders who are looking for more specialized attention, or as a step up for Tiny Tots before they are ready for a group lesson.

Tiny Tot Lessons

Tiny Tot lessons are offered for children ages 3-5 who are in the beginning stages of riding only. Riders who have progressed past this stage are required to enter our private, semi private, or group lessons. Lessons will consist of 20 minutes of on horse time and 10 minutes of grooming and off horse care, for a total of 30 minutes. Tiny Tot lessons are a great way to get your young rider confident in the saddle.

Group Lesson Times

<u>Monday</u>	
5 PM	Skill Building
6 PM	Intro To Kierson
Wednesday	
6 PM	Skill Building
<u>Sunday</u>	
2 PM	Skill Building
3 PM	Skill Building
4 PM	•

Please note that lesson times are subject to change. You may contact Kierson Farm at (908)528-3307 to confirm availability.

Tiny Tots, Semi-Private, Private Lesson packages – please contact Kierson Farm @ (908)528-3307 for schedule.

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