



Stanford Red Barn

STANFORD RED BARN SUMMER LEASING AND LESSON PROGRAM

May 15 to September 15, 2009

The Stanford Red Barn Equestrian Center is proud to continue its summer leasing and lesson programs for another season! We offer full and partial leases on a wide variety of horses, along with a complete lesson program and the option of participating in local competitions.

I. THE SUMMER LEASING PROGRAM

We offer full and partial leases to a limited number of community members each summer at reasonable rates. Riders have the exclusive option of attending local horse shows and clinics at the Red Barn with approved trainers, as well as being able to ride on their own schedule. Tack is provided.

Rider requirements: Riders must be a minimum of 13 years of age (incoming 9th graders), and be able to safely tack up their own horse and ride securely at the walk, trot and canter without supervision.

Why choose Stanford's leasing program?

- Flexibility: Request up to 6 days/week of riding up to two of your top three preferred horses.
- Ride any time you wish, between 8 am and 8 pm daily, rain or shine.
- Experience owning a horse without the commitment of purchasing one
- Participate in lessons, shows and clinics at the beautiful historic Red Barn
- Work with amazing instructors in a variety of settings and experiences with opportunities to learn, grow and develop as a rider and horseperson.

Monthly lease fees:

Lease fees do not include lessons or showing costs.

Partial lease	2 days per week	\$350.00
	3 days per week	\$500.00
Semi-full lease	4 days per week	\$700.00
	5 days per week	\$875.00
Full lease	7 days per week Exclusive use	\$1000.00

These fees are based on assuming the costs for boarding and routine expenses of maintaining a horse on a monthly basis. They are discounted approximately 30% from the general public rates.

II. THE SUMMER COMMUNITY LESSON PROGRAM

Regular Instruction:

We offer group and private lessons for all levels of riders ages 14 and over (teen and adult classes are mixed) in hunt seat equitation and dressage from Monday to Saturday. Evening classes are also available. Instructors have backgrounds in dressage, hunt seat and eventing and are experienced adults with a supportive approach and a high emphasis on safety and good horsemanship. Riders should be able to tack up their own horses with supervision and able to ride securely at the walk and trot prior to joining a group lesson.

Junior Lesson Program: students between the ages of 10 and 13 (incoming 5th-8th graders) may also learn to ride at Stanford In private or semi-private lessons. Contact the lesson director for scheduling and availability. Space is limited.

Beginner Rider Clinics:

Beginning Rider Clinic: This is a unique opportunity for riders with less experience to learn correct riding and horsemanship skills in a relaxed setting. Riders will learn how to safely handle, groom, tack and untack their mounts, as well as basic English riding technique at a walk and trot. Classes meet twice weekly for two hours.

Adv. Beginning Rider Clinic: These classes are for riders who can comfortably walk and trot (posting) and who are ready to learn to canter and further refine their skills. Horsemanship skills and horse care are also part of this two hour, twice weekly class.

Dressage at Stanford:

We are pleased to offer a summer dressage program with USDF gold medalist Rachel Williamson and assistant Avery Brown. Regular group lessons for both experienced dressage riders and those who would like to learn more about this discipline have just been added to our schedule and fill up quickly.

Dressage I: For riders who would like to begin learning about dressage as a discipline and are comfortable at the walk, trot and canter as basics. Skills will include an Introduction to lateral work, bending, and elemental dressage tests.

Dressage II: For dressage & experienced hunt seat riders seeking more experience with First through Third Level movements as appropriate.

See schedule (next page) for more information

Summer Lesson Schedule

Day	Time	Lesson	Instructor
Monday	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.	Dressage II	Rachel
	Afternoon	Private lessons by appointment	By appointment
Tuesday	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.	Dressage I	Avery
	6:30 to 7:30 p.m.	Intermediate I	Beth
	7:30 to 8:30 p.m.	Advanced	Rebecca
Wednesday	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.	Dressage II	Rachel
	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.	Beginning Clinic	TBD
	2:00 to 4:00 p.m.	Advanced Beginning Clinic	Beth
Thursday	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.	Dressage II	Rachel
	6:00 to 7:00 p.m.	Intermediate II	Beth
	7:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Advanced	Jessica
Friday	9:00 to 11:00 a.m.	Beginning Clinic	TBD
	2:00 to 4:00 p.m.	Advanced Beginning Clinic	Beth
Saturday	9:00 to 10:00 a.m.	Advanced	Jessica
	10:00 to 11:00 a.m.	Intermediate II	Jessica
	11:00 to 12:00 p.m.	Advanced Beginning	Jessica
	1:00 to 2:00 p.m.	Intermediate I	Katherine
	2:00 to 4:00 p.m.	Private lessons by appointment	By appointment
Sunday	No lessons: Lessor riding day Volunteer barn hours		

All participants in the summer program must adhere to the community riding programs guidelines, dress codes, barn rules and general rider expectations as outlined on our website, and must sign a release of liability prior to participation.