



Welcome to The Stables of Wulf Crest Farm! Thank you for your interest in our lesson program. Get to know our wonderful horses and ponies, and meet our caring staff and knowledgeable instructors. We offer top-notch training for both horse and rider, starting with correct, classical Equitation. We have multiple instructors available to suit your needs and help you reach your goals, all while having fun and staying safe.

Important Reminders for Your Next Lesson:

- **Check the Lesson Calendar:** Visit [our website](#) before your lesson to find out which horse you will be riding.
- **Upon Arrival:** If you are here for an evaluation lesson, please wait in the lounge for your instructor to bring you to the barn. Ensure you have completed the necessary documentation and paid for your lesson.
- **Payment Information:**
 - **Evaluation Lessons:** Payment of \$100 is required prior to your lesson. Pay via check (The Stables at Wulf Crest Farm) or Zelle (billing@wcfstables).
 - **Ongoing Lessons:** Payments must be made before the start of each class. See the Payment Policy below.

Evaluation Rides:

- All riders, regardless of level, will have a one-hour evaluation ride. This includes grooming, tacking, and a riding assessment to determine your riding level and equestrian goals.

Safety Requirements:

- All riders must wear approved helmets when mounted or riding a WCF horse. Each student is required to wear a study boot with a heel on it, preferably riding boots.

Current Students:

- Arrive 30 minutes before your lesson to find your horse and tack up. Instructors will assist with tacking during the lesson time if needed. We recommend parents of younger beginners learn how to tack and untack horses to allow more saddle time. Plan on staying 30 minutes after your lesson to untack, properly groom and put your horse either in their stall or designated field. Please check with your instructor prior to leaving whether your horse should be turned out, or can stay in.

Tack and Grooming:

- **Tack:** Collect all necessary tack (saddle, bridle, girth, pads, etc.) and place it in the grooming stall. Each horse has their specific tack and no private tack is allowed to be used. Properly put away tack after lessons, with stirrups up, girths back, and wet saddle pads left to dry separately. Dirty bits should be wiped off and put back on their hooks.
- **Grooming:** Groom your horse thoroughly before the lesson (curry comb, hard brush, soft brush, hoof pick).
- **Cleanliness:** Clean up any manure in the grooming stalls and horse hair from your left behind. Proper muck buckets and pitchforks are left in each grooming stall.

Thank you for helping us maintain a safe and enjoyable environment for everyone at The Stables of Wulf Crest Farm.

THE STABLES



AT
WULF CREST FARM

RIDER'S INFORMATION

Please Print Clearly

Rider's Name _____

If Minor, Parent or Guardian's Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone Number _____

Form of Payment _____ Amount _____ How did you hear about us? _____

GENERAL USE RELEASE

WITNESS THIS RELEASE dated this _____ day of _____, 20____, by and between

The Stables at Wulf Crest Farm LLC , hereinafter referred to as **Management**, and _____,

hereinafter referred to as **User**, and, if User is a minor, User's parent or guardian,

_____. For consideration received, and in return for the use, today and on all

future dates of the property, facilities and services of Management, Management's instructors, employees, drivers

and agents; User, User's heirs, assigns, and representatives, hereby agree as follows:

1. Inherent Risks and Assumption of Risk. The undersigned acknowledges there are inherent risks associated with equine activities such as described below, and hereby expressly assumes all risks associated with participating in such activities. The inherent risks include, but are not limited to the propensity of equines to behave in ways such as, running, bucking, biting, kicking, shying, stumbling, rearing, falling or stepping on, that may result in an injury, harm or death to persons on or around them; the unpredictability of equines reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; collisions with other animals; the limited availability of emergency medical care; and the potential of a participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the animal or not acting within such participants ability.

User acknowledges that horses, by their very nature are unpredictable and subject to animal whim. User assumes all risks in connection therewith, and expressly waives any claims for any injury or loss arising therefrom. User agrees to abide by and follow Manager's rules and regulations which shall be posted and/or available from time to time. User further acknowledges that the behavior of any animal is contingent to some extent upon the ability of User. User assumes all risks therefore and warrants a full and fair disclosure of Rider's abilities has been made to Manager.

User expressly releases Management from any and all claims for personal injury or property damage, even if caused by negligence (if allowed by the laws of this State) by Management or its representatives, agents or employees.

Warning

Under Virginia Law, an equine activity sponsor or an equine professional shall not be liable for an injury to or death of a participant engaged in an equine activity resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities pursuant to Va. Code Ann. §3.1-796.132.

2. User agrees to assume any and all risks involved in or arising out of User's use of any equipment or livestock pertaining to the rental of horses or taking of riding lessons, the use of any arena on the premises of Management and for purposes of taking riding lessons either on the premises or lessons given off the premises by Management personnel.

3. USER (OR USERS PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF USER IS A MINOR) AGREES TO HOLD HARMLESS, INDEMNIFY AND DEFEND MANAGEMENT AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DEMANDS, CAUSES OF ACTION, DAMAGES, JUDGMENTS, ORDERS, COSTS OR EXPENSES, INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S FEES, WHICH MAY IN ANY WAY ARISE FROM OR BE IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH USER'S USE OF OR PRESENCE UPON THE PROPERTY OF MANAGEMENT AND THE FACILITIES LOCATED THEREON. In the event User is a minor, the parent or guardian shall further indemnify, defend and hold Management harmless from any such claims by said minor child.

4. In the event User is using User's own horse, or a horse(s) not owned by Management, User warrants said horse(s) shall be free from infection, contagious or transmittable diseases. Management reserves the right to refuse access or use of any horse upon the premises that does not appear to Management to be in good health, or is deemed dangerous or undesirable.

5. Any action brought under this agreement shall be brought within one (1) year of the incident or accident giving rise to said claim. User agrees that damages shall be limited to \$250 for property damage, actual expenses incurred, and a maximum of \$10,000 for non-consequential damages such as pain and suffering.

6. User agrees to waive the protection of any applicable statutes in this jurisdiction whose purpose, substance and/or effect is to provide that a general release shall not extend to claims, material or otherwise, which the person giving the release does not know or suspect to exist at the time of executing said release.

Parent or Guardian if Rider is a Minor

Rider

Manager/Instructor for The Stables at Wulf Crest Farm LLC



For lesson inquiries, please contact us at info@wcfstables.com or at (571)-699-9943.

Lessons must be canceled 24-hours in advance to avoid being charged for a missed lesson.

Lesson Type	Lesson Rates
Private Lesson -- 1 Hour	4 Block of Lessons = \$384 (<i>\$96 per lesson</i>) 8 Block of Lessons = \$752 (<i>\$94 per lesson</i>) 12 Block of Lessons = \$1,080 (<i>\$90 per lesson</i>) Pay as you go \$100/lesson
Private Lesson -- ½ Hour	4 Block of Lessons = \$260 (<i>\$65 per lesson</i>) 8 Block of Lessons = \$504 (<i>\$63 per lesson</i>) 12 Block of Lessons = \$720 (<i>\$60 per lesson</i>) Pay as you go \$65/Lesson
Group Lesson -- 1 Hour	4 Block of Lessons= \$280 (<i>\$70 per lesson</i>) 8 Block of Lessons = \$544 (<i>\$68 per lesson</i>) 12 Block of Lessons = \$780 (<i>\$65 per lesson</i>) Pay as you go \$70/Lesson

Block payments are prepaid at the beginning of the Block. If lessons are not prepaid you will be billed at Pay as you Go rate.

Payment Policy

Lessons:

1. 'Pay as you go' lessons must be paid on the day of the lesson and prior to the service being rendered.
2. A block of lessons (4, 8, or 12) can be purchased prior to the start of the lesson date, which offers a discount off the 'pay as you go' lesson rate. If we do not have a block payment on file you will be charged the 'pay as you go' lesson rate.
3. Lessons are entered monthly into our accounting system. An invoice will be emailed showing your current block lesson count or 'pay as you go' lessons.

Boarding: Board invoices are invoiced on the 20th of the month and are due on the 1st of the following month. If payment is an issue, please send a message to billing@wcfstables.com.

IEA/Show Team Practice: IEA/Show team practice fees are invoiced on the 20th of the month and are due on the 1st of the following month.

Cancelation Policy: Lessons must be canceled at least 24 hours in advance by sending an email to info@wcfstables.com or texting 571-699-9943. If a student fails to cancel, The Stables at Wulf Crest Farm reserves the right to charge for the lesson in full. Students will be notified on the limited basis for in house cancelations due to weather, events or holidays.

Show Fees: Show fees are invoiced within a few days of the show date and are due within 10 days of the invoice date.

Late fees: An automatic 5% late fee is applied to overdue invoices for each month an invoice is overdue. There will be a 14 day grace period after the invoice due date before the late fee is applied. Customers will receive an invoice reminder email prior to the late fee being applied. Clients who are routinely late on payments will be required to have a credit card on file with Wulf Crest. If a payment is more than 30 days late, we will process your balance on your credit card with an extra 3.4% processing fee, as well as late fees as described above.

Please send an email to billing@wcfstables.com if you have any questions about our fee schedules or payment policies.

Payment Methods

Zelle: billing@wcfstables.com

Pay via credit card on invoice

ACH Transfer via Quickbooks Invoicing

*****Please note what you are paying for in the 'memo' or notes section*****

We have read and understand the above stated guidelines and agree to comply with this policy.

Parent Name

Signature

Date