



KRAUS FARMS EQUESTRIAN CENTER
333 HILLSBORO RD.
ST. LOUIS, MO 63049

WELCOME TO KRAUS FARMS



Kraus Farms Equestrian Center has served the community for over 70 years and is one of the largest ranches in the state.

While working with the horses, campers will learn the gifts of trust, confidence and respect.

WESTERN AND ENGLISH EQUESTRIAN SUMMER CAMPS

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NEW

REGISTRATION IS ONLINE AT WWW.KRAUSFARMS.COM



Our staff of instructors stress safety, horsemanship and fun in English and Western disciplines. In addition to horseback riding, each camper will learn how to groom, saddle, bathe, and care for a horse.

Campers will participate in many hands on activities with the horses when they are not riding. The skill level of the rider will determine the activities that surround that particular camp.

Mini Buckaroo Camp

5 and 6 year olds, 4 day camps are held Monday through Thursday, unless otherwise noted.

**Please review the registration form for dates that are half day and full day.*

Half day camps are held 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

Full day camps are held 8:00 am to 3:00 pm

Requirements: No previous experience required.

- Goals: To become comfortable around horses, being lead on horseback daily with an emphasis on becoming an independent rider, learning to lead a horse, groom a horse, tack a horse using miniature horses.



Camps that are held for our 7 to 14 year old age group run from 8:00 to 3:00 Monday through Friday, unless otherwise specified. Aftercare is available from 3:00 to 5:00 for an additional fee. A demonstration will be held for family and friends on Friday afternoons. Each camper also receives a participation ribbon at the end of their demonstration.

Whether you're a beginner rider or an advanced rider, each group will experience the beauty of a trail ride in the surrounding hills adjacent to Kraus Farms. (Ages 7-14 only)

Western Horsemanship

Requirements: Be confident at a walk, trot and canter. Either be a current intermediate level western rider at Kraus Farms or previously attended Wrangler camp.

- Goals: Campers will learn training techniques on the ground, showmanship, horsemanship under saddle, trail class, advanced riding maneuvers and what to look for when buying a horse.



Manes & Tails Camp

Requirements: Previous riding experience is not required.

- Goals: Campers develop the ability to walk, trot and canter by the end of the week. Obtain basic horsemanship skills and learn how to groom, bathe and saddle a horse.



Hats & Chaps Camp

Requirements: Control at a walk and trot, perform simple arena patterns and desire to improve your western riding. You are also eligible if you have taken the Manes & Tails Camp previously.

- Goals: Execute simple lead changes and advanced arena patterns. Increase his or her knowledge of the western horse and its capabilities.



Wrangler Camp

Requirements: Able to walk, trot and canter or have attended our Hats & Chaps camp previously.

- Goals: Learn the pattern for barrel racing and pole bending. Execute a trail class pattern using obstacles, western pleasure and showmanship skills.



Short Stirrup Camp

Requirements: Walk, trot and canter & execute a posting trot.

- Goals: Confidence at a canter, recognizing leads. Improve form and balance, master ground poles and begin jumping cross-rails.

Hunter Hounds

Requirements: Walk, trot and canter without stirrups and can execute simple arena patterns.

- Goals: Master executing a crossrail course and work towards jumping 2' courses.



Grand Prix Camp

Requirements: Can execute a cross-rails course, execute lead changes and properly jump small verticals.

- Goals: Course design, show preparation, jumping 2' courses.
- Must be evaluated prior to enrollment if you are not currently a student at Kraus Farms.



*Please register for your camp on-line
at www.krausfarms.com*

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