

KENTUCKY HORSE PARK POLICE AND THE LEXINGTON DIVISION OF POLICE PRESENT



Mounted Police Civilian Equine Sensory Training Clinics Saturday, Sept. 29 & Sunday, Sept. 30, 2018 (Alltech Arena)

(identical one-day clinics)







Our clinics (grounded in natural horsemanship techniques) are fun, laid back, with lots of help and encouragement from our mounted police clinicians.

<u>Limit - 30 riders per clinic</u>. Riders are then divide into three smaller groups rotating through the following sessions, each with two mounted police instructors.

Obstacle Session: first done in-hand until rider and horse are comfortable with the various obstacles. There is no pressure to work the obstacle session under saddle until you and your horse feel comfortable. Riders often choose to spend the whole session working in-hand to build the horse's self-confidence. **New this year - optional outdoor obstacle course training will be offered during the indoor obstacle session time period.**

Drill/Sensory Session: Rider/horse teams work side by side allowing horses to gain confidence working in close proximity to other horses. When the group is comfortable, the trainers will introducing sensory items - "horse toys" - such as large balls, flags, noises, etc. This sensory work is done with safety in mind. Riders and horses are not pushed beyond their comfort level. We want each rider/horse to leave the arena a with a sense of accomplishment and increased confidence.

Equitation Session: instruction in classical equitation.

We welcome horses of all breeds (gaited and non-gaited) and riders from all riding disciplines with western or English tack. Our riders typically have a wide range of riding skills and experience and usually range in age from 20s to 60s. Must be 18 yrs. old to register.

FYI: our clinics are fundraisers for the mounted police horses and are co-sponsored by the Friends of the Lexington Mounted Police, Inc. and the Kentucky Horse Park.

Contact: Anne Anderson for more information at 859-299-5744 or annependeranderson@gmail.com.







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Rider Registration Fee: \$220 (fee includes donuts & coffee, hot buffet lunch, a stall the night prior to the clinic and day of clinic). If you need to arrive earlier or stay a day later, there will be a \$20 fee for each night. When you are registered, the clinic organizer will contact you to let you know where to submit the Coggins copy for our clinic liability insurance purposes.

Required: A copy of your Coggins which must be current at the time of the clinic.

Note: When you trailer into the Horse Park, you must have a copy of your current Coggins & Health Certificate to show the state health inspector. (12 months if in-state, 30 days if outside state for the Health Certificate)

Auditor registration fee: \$25. Please register online. (Audit fee does not include lunch)

Cancellation Policy: Cancellations 30 days out will receive a full refund.

Cancellations 29-10 days out will receive a \$75 refund.

Please bring: Helmets! Riders must wear helmets during all clinic sessions!

- A rope-style halter (if you don't have this, we will have plenty)
- 12 ft. lead rope
- Regular tack (bell boots or leg wraps if desired), feed/water buckets, etc.

Stall Information: All participants will be furnished a 10x10 stall (asphalt flooring) in an enclosed **Barn** (#22). Stalls will be on a first-come, first-served basis but there will be plenty available. Water will be available from a freeze-proof hydrant at the end of each barn. You will need to provide your own bedding (shavings only) and water/feed buckets. Shavings/hay can be purchased from an on-site concessionaire, Devers, Inc. at 859-233-9702.

Parking: Horse trailer parking: TBA.

Note: No parking between Barn #22 and the back of Alltech Arena except for unloading

Check out for Saturday clinic must be completed by Sunday Noon (Sept. 30) **Check out for** Sunday clinic must be completed by Monday Noon (October 1st)

Medical & Veterinary Information: Medical coverage will be provided by Lexington Division of Fire during clinic hours. An EMT will be on-site and readily available. They can also be reached at 859-231-5600. Veterinary coverage will be provided by Hagyard Equine Medical Institute: 859-255-8741.

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8:00-8:30	Alltech Arena (Concourse area) Coffee/Donuts/ Introductions
8:30-9:00	Groundwork/obstacle demonstration
9:00-9:30	Prepare mounts for instruction.
9:30-10:45	Group A (Groundwork/Obstacles in-hand and an optional outdoor obstacle course) Group B (Equitation) Group C (Drill/Sensory)
10:45-11:00	Break
11:00-12:15	Group A (Equitation) Group B (Drill/Sensory) Group C (Groundwork/Obstacles in-hand and an optional outdoor obstacle course)
12:15-1:30	Lunch/Q&A
1:30-1:45	Prepare mounts for instruction.
1:45-3:00	Group A (Drill/Sensory) Group B (Groundwork/Obstacles in-hand and an optional outdoor obstacle course) Group C (Equitation)
3:00-4:00	Optional Obstacle competition/games





Mounted Police Instructors

Mounted Police Instructors for this year's sensory clinic have extensive knowledge policing from horseback and teaching civilian sensory clinics. The instructors will utilize techniques from the ground and under saddle to teach and build confidence in the horse/rider team. Instructors have trained their respective units and mounted police officers and civilians from around the country and Canada.

Kentucky Horse Park Mounted Police Lexington Mounted Police Megan Lau, Maryland National Capital Park Police-MC Toronto, Canada Mounted Police

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