

CALL TO REGISTER: 716-655-1335 First come, First serve

Phone: 716-655-1335 • Fax: 716-655-2972 15 Reiter Road, East Aurora, NY 14052 othlorientrc.org **Registration is required for each session you want to attend.** Your spot is not rolled over session to session unless you have registered to continue.

Riders can register for multiple sessions.

2022 Session Calendar

Session I: March 14 - April 9 (4 wks)

No lessons April 10-17

Session 2: April 18 - May 14 (4 wks)

No lessons May 15 - 22

Session 3: May 23 - June 18 (4 wks)

No lessons June 19 - 26

Session 4: June 27 - July 23 (4 wks)

No lessons July 24-3 I

Session 5: August I-27 (4 wks)

No lessons August 28 - September 4

Session 6: Sept. 5 - Oct. I (4 wks)

No lessons October 2-9

Session 7: Oct. 10 - Nov. 5 (4 wks)

Interested in information about the 2023 season? Call 716-655-1335 to join our mailing list.

If you are receiving OPWDD self-directed services, please ensure your fiscal intermediary is aware that these classes are now conducted by agency staff and the budget should be amended accordingly.

2022 SESSION FEES:

All sessions are 4 weeks in length and riders come for their lesson on the same day and time over the course of that 4 week session.

Group Lesson Fee:

\$200 per rider/per session

60 min. lesson. Minimum 3 - maximum 4 riders*

*if the minimum of 3 riders is not reached for a group lesson, that lesson will be changed to a semi-private lesson at the rate and lesson length stated below.

An option to move to another group lesson will be provided if available.

Semi-Private Lesson Fee:

\$220 per rider/per session 45 min. lesson, 2 riders max.

Private Lesson Fee:

\$240 per rider/per session
30 min. lesson, 1 rider
Private lessons are available based on needs of the individual rider

Payment:

You will be invoiced for each session you register for.
Payment by check or money order preferred.
Payment details provided during registration process.

GROUP LESSON DAYS/TIMES:

Mondays-Thursdays:

10-11am • 11:30-12:30pm • 1-2pm 5:30-6:30pm • 7-8pm **Saturdays:**

9-10am • 10:30-11:30am • 12-1pm

Subject to change. No lessons Fridays or Sundays. Schedule varies for semi-private & private lessons. Call for details.

Can't come to your lesson?
Running late? Weather concerns?
Questions?

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Schedule subject to change. Unless notified, lessons that fall on a holiday are held per usual. We do not follow school holiday or closure schedule.

LESSON DETAILS

- Lessons are conducted by a trained instructor
- Each rider has a trained volunteer to lead their horse & up to 2 sidewalkers
- Sidewalker needs are discussed at registration. Caregivers are asked to be available to sidewalk if needed
- All riders use a mounting ramp or mounting block to get on their horse
- Lessons are held in the heated Angel Indoor Arena or in the outdoor arena (weather dependent)
- Lessons are walk/trot only, no jumping or cantering/galloping
- We use halters, reins & lead lines, no bridles with bits

ELIGIBILITY

Participants are welcome at LTRC regardless of diagnosis

- Ages 3 & up
- Weight limit: 200 lbs. (subject to change)
- Doctor approval required for riders with a diagnosis
- Siblings & beginner recreational riders welcome

ABSENT OR RUNNING LATE?

RIDER ABSENCE

If you cannot attend your lesson contact Rider Hotline ASAP.

Makeups/credits NOT provided for lessons missed by rider.

LATE ARRIVAL

If you are running late, contact
Rider Hotline. If you DO NOT notify
us that you are running late, your
horse will be put back in their stall
after 15 minutes of waiting for you*,
lesson will not be held for you
and no makeup provided.
*Based on instructor's time device.

RIDER HOTLINE: 716-655-1335

CANCELLATIONS

Unless you hear directly from LTRC, lessons are being held.

You will be notified of a cancellation with as much notice as possible.

If your lesson is cancelled by LTRC, a makeup, credit or refund is offered.

We do not follow school holiday or closure schedules.

WEATHER

We have an indoor and outdoor riding arena. Lessons are held in most weather situations **EXCEPT** thunder/lightning, high winds, extreme cold/ heat, etc.

If it's ONLY raining (no thunder & lightning, high winds, etc.) lessons will be held in the indoor arena.

ALTERNATIVE LESSONS

If mounted lessons have to be shortened due to weather or other concerns, an alternative non-riding option will be offered.

PARKING

Park in front of Angel Indoor Arena on left as you come down driveway. Additional parking available in front of office ahead on right.

SPEED LIMIT IS 5 MPH!

HOW TO DRESS

- Dress for the weather, in clothes that may get "horsey". Horses, arenas and barn can be smelly, dusty, hairy, etc.
- Wear close-toed shoes that don't slip off (i.e. sneakers, hiking or barn boots) with a hard sole and tread on the bottom. **Partipication is not permitted if wearing sandals, Crocs, flats, slides, slippers etc.**
 - Wearing pants and dressing in layers is recommended
 - The indoor arena is heated for inclement weather
 - Apply bug spray or sunscreen if needed prior to lesson

Caregiver(s) must stay on site during lesson. Children must be supervised at all times. Observers and service dogs welcome.

Lothlorien is open to the general public. Call 716-655-1335 today to register, ask questions or schedule a tour.

HELMETS

An ASTM-SEI approved helmet for equestrian riding is REQUIRED. Bring your own or use helmet provided by LTRC. Ask about helmet purchase options.

LTRC helmets come in several sizes, sanitized as needed. Bike, skiing, skateboarding, etc. helmets are NOT permitted.

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