

Fall 2025

Rocky River Stables, 19901 Puritas Ave, Cleveland, OH 44135 www.valleyriding.org, 216-267-2525, info@valleyriding.org

Valley Riding offers group lessons every day except Tuesday, which is dedicated to our Therapeutic Riding Program. Advanced registration, payment, and waiver/release is required for all classes. NEW STUDENTS, please call 216-267-2525 for information, availability, and registration. Cash/check payment preferred. Checks payable to Valley Riding Inc. Credit card accepted in-person or pay online via our website, www.valleyriding.org. In person credit card transactions will be charged a 3% service fee.

Lessons must be cancelled 24 hours in advance by calling 216-267-2525. Please leave clear voicemail with rider's name, lesson day, and time. Refunds will be made with a Doctor's excuse. Attendance is the participant's responsibility. Refunds will NOT be given because of non-attendance.

Group Lesson Session Dates

COST: \$605.00 for 11 weeks (ONE makeup)
Payment for current students due by Summer Week 9

Up to 5 riders per group. Organized with riders of similar ability. Available for children 8 and up and adults. Lessons are 45 minutes long, same day and time each week, taught primarily in our indoor arena. Riders with some experience may require an evaluation lesson for class placement. Riders must provide their own helmet. Long pants and hard soled shoes with a small heel required. **Weight limit 160 lbs.**

Only one makeup lesson is offered per session if students have given 24hr notice of absence. Makeup will take place on the 12th week of the current session and is same day/time as their regularly scheduled lesson. Makeup dates are listed below.

Class	Session Dates	<u>Makeup</u>
Sun	Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5, 12, 19, Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, 30	Dec 7
Mon	Sept 8, 15, 22, 29, Oct 6, 13, 20, 27, Nov 3, 10, 17	Nov 24
Tues	Sept 9, 16, 23, 30, Oct 7, 14, 21, 28, Nov 4, 11, 18	Nov 25
Wed	Sept 10, 17, 24, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Nov 5, 12, 19	Nov 26
Thurs	Sept 11, 18, 25, Oct 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Nov 6, 13, 20	Dec 4
Fri	Sept 12, 19, 26, Oct 3, 10, 17, 24, Nov 7, 14, 21, 28	Dec 5
Sat	Sept 13, 20, 27, Oct 4, 11, 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 22	Nov 29

No lessons: Sunday, October 26, Fall Horse Show; Friday, October 31, Halloween

Beginner One Group Lessons – Thurs. 7pm OR Sat. 9:45am Ages 8 and up, under 160 lbs.

Private lessons are available on a limited basis. Please call 216-267-2525.

Our **Therapeutic Riding Program** (fully accredited through PATH Int.) on Tuesday is designed for those with physical, and/or mental challenges. We operate throughout the year, providing weekly therapeutic activities to children and adults with a variety of challenges, including but not limited to: amputations, autism, multiple sclerosis, traumatic brain injury, hearing and visual impairments. Benefits of therapeutic riding include enhancement of: balance, coordination, flexibility, muscle tone, verbal skills, posture, self-confidence, self-esteem, social skills, and learning skills. Physician's statement and evaluation ride are required before enrollment is approved. **Evaluation Fee - \$30.00, 11 Week Session Fee - \$605.00.**If you are interested in this program/volunteer opportunities, please call the office.

Beginner English Horsemanship

Cost: \$350 for 5 weeks

Ages 8 and up, Under 160 pounds

Each 90 minute lesson includes general care, safety, grooming, tacking, and riding. Designed for students new to the lesson program with no formal instruction. Long pants and hard soled shoes with a small heel required. Helmets may be borrowed.

Saturdays 1:30 PM-3:00 PM

Session 1 – Sept 13, 20, 27, Oct 4, 11 Session 2 – Oct 18, Nov 1, 8, 15, 22

One Day Beginner English Horsemanship

COST: \$70 per 2 hour class
Ages 8 and up, Under 160 pounds

Each 90 minute lesson includes general care, safety, grooming, tacking and riding. Designed for students new to the lesson program with no formal instruction.

Long pants and hard soled shoes with a small heel required. Helmets may be borrowed.

Friday, October 10 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM Saturday, November 29 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM

Girl Scout/Boy Scout Riding Program - \$60.00 per rider

This program is two hours long. The first hour consists of a beginning riding lesson. The second hour is spent touring the barn and learning basic care. Children must be at least 8 years old and under 160 lbs. Maximum 12 children.

Boarding is Available - \$700 per month

- 2 fenced outdoor arenas with all-weather footing and lights and 1 indoor arena
- 2 outdoor 60' grass round pens and 1 all-weather 60' outdoor round pen
- Access to the Cleveland Metroparks Bridle Trail
- 2 wash racks 1 indoor with hot and cold water and 1 outdoor
- Aisle ceiling fans
- Horses are fed hay + grain 3x a day and watered 3-4x a day depending on the weather
- Stalls (10x11) are cleaned Monday-Saturday by Valley Riding Employees and can be cleaned on Sunday for \$10.00
- Limited turnout available for \$3.00 a day

Educational Group Tours - \$75.00

Tours for up to 20 individuals, pre-school through adult. Meet some of our horses/ponies, learn about their care and feeding.

Call 216-267-2525 to schedule.

WE DO NOT OFFER TRAIL RIDES OR HORSE RENTALS.