

Bunker Park Stable Equine Riding Lesson Sessions 2026

Thank you for choosing Bunker Park Stable! Our lesson sessions are a great way for horse lovers to have a fun, safe introduction to horses and western riding. Please read through the following ***Equestrian Lesson Session Details and Requirements*** before you make your session selections.

We strive to create a program that is suitable for most riders with a variety of learning styles, ages, and abilities. Riders come in with many different background experiences and different learning goals that they would like to achieve. Not everyone learns at the same pace, there will be times of struggle and we want riders to learn how to work through the struggles with the skills they learn. Each horse is an individual and presents its own challenges and learning opportunities.

- Lessons are taught by qualified instructors to ensure students receive a safe and educational experience.
- Lessons will include demonstrations, discussions, and structured riding practices.
- We offer multiple lesson session options for riders of all levels and abilities.
- Lessons are offered and structured for different age groups:
- **Age 4-6: Pony** lesson students spend the first 10 minutes of every lesson learning safety, grooming their ponies and leading them, then riding the ponies for the remaining 20 minutes. Students must be fully potty trained.
- **Age 5-7: Peewee** lesson students spend the first half hour of the lesson working together on grooming and saddling their horses, then riding for the second half.
- **Age 7-9: Peewee Transition** lesson students spend the first 15 minutes of each lesson working together on grooming and saddling their horses, then riding for the remaining 45 minutes.
- **Age 8-17: School age** students' horses will be saddled and ready, allowing the students to ride for almost the whole hour.
- All **Peewee - School age** students will spend their first lesson in the barn learning safety, grooming, saddling, and leading. Students will not ride on their first lesson.
- Lessons are designed as a group activity, students need to be able to complete tasks independently under the guidance of the instructors. Instructors need to divide their time equally between all the students to ensure everyone progresses and has a positive experience.
- Lessons may not be appropriate for riders with special needs, physical limitations, or neurodiversities that may impede their ability to work independently in a group setting. At Bunker Park Stable, rider safety is our top priority. Horseback riding requires a certain level of physical ability, including balance, strength, and coordination to maintain control and respond to the horse's movements. Please call the office at 763-757-9445 prior to registering for camp to discuss your individual needs and abilities, as horseback riding may not be suitable for everyone. Please understand that this decision is made solely with your safety and wellbeing in mind. Arena/trail environments can be unpredictable, and we are committed to ensuring that every participant, and every horse, remains secure and comfortable throughout the experience.
- The weight limit is 225 pounds.
- Attire: Long pants, closed-toe shoes (boots or tennis shoes) are required. Dress accordingly for the weather each day, lessons are held rain or shine.
- Arrival time is a minimum of 5 minutes before the start of each lesson. Late arrival: If you arrive 10 minutes after the lesson has started you will not join the lesson that week.
- Certified Equestrian Helmets are required for students under 18 and will be provided.
- If a lesson is missed there are no make-up lessons available. If you cancel your registration you will not get a refund or credit.
- In the event we would cancel due to extreme cold or dangerous weather, we will offer an alternative date.
- PeeWee lessons are sessions only. If your school aged student (8-17) enjoys their session and would like to continue, you can ask to be put on the waitlist for a permanent lesson spot.
- Non-Refundable, Non-Transferable full payment is due at time of registration.
- *Non-Transferable payment: monies cannot be used by or for anyone other than the registered student, for the selected session.*

Bunker Park Stable Spring Session Registration 2026

Andover, MN Phone: 763-757-9445 bunkerparkstableoffice@gmail.com

REGISTER NOW! Class size is limited to ensure individual attention!

Check Session	Ages	Dates	Time	Cost
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 week	4-6	Saturday May 9, 16, 23, 30	10:00-10:30a	\$100

You are only allowed to register your child for one (1) session. If your child enjoys their session and would like to continue we will add them to the appropriate waitlist.

If your child has special needs, physical limitations, or neurodiversity that may impede their ability to work independently in a group setting, please call the office at 763-757-9445 for more information BEFORE you register them for a session.

Student Name (One student per form): _____ Age: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Parent Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____ Alt. Phone: _____

- Has the student attended a previous BPS session or camp? Y / N
- Does the student have any *special needs, physical limitations, or neurodiversity* that may impede their ability to work independently in a group setting. ? Y / N
(if yes, please call our office prior to registering)
- I have read the attached *Equestrian Lesson Session Details and Requirements.* Y / N
- I understand the registration payment is non-refundable and non-transferable Y / N

How to Register:

- 1) Print out and complete the registration form *one per student***
- 2) EMAIL YOUR COMPLETED REGISTRATION to:
[**bunkerparkstableoffice@gmail.com**](mailto:bunkerparkstableoffice@gmail.com)**
- 3) We will contact you once we have received registration and take your non-refundable/ non-transferable payment by credit card.**

***NOTE: if you are unable to complete/ email the form, please send a detailed email with all the pertinent information to the above listed address and we will complete the form for you.**