

Join us
for our
16th Annual
Benefit



Win Prizes
based on fundraising
levels and recruiting
new riders.
Movie passes, gift certificates
to Home Hill restaurant,
LL Bean, EMS,
Stratford Saddlery
and more!

HIGH HORSES RIDE-A-THON

Saturday, October 10, 2009

*The Field's Family Farm
10 Ogdens Mill Rd., Hartland, VT*

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**NEW THIS
YEAR:**

Optional Trail
Obstacle Course

**ATTENTION 4H &
PONY CLUB
MEMBERS:**

All Junior Riders
encouraged to
participate

Come enjoy an 8 to 10-mile pleasure ride through the spectacular South Woodstock/Brownsville area of Vermont, while supporting a very worthy cause. The pledges you raise will enable people with disabilities to experience the wonder of being on a horse, as well as receive the many physical, mental, emotional, and social benefits derived from therapeutic riding.

Honorary Event Chair
Matt Trishman
knows the joy of riding



High Horses
Therapeutic Riding Program

*For more information, call
802-356-3386 or visit
www.HighHorses.org*





WHAT IS A RIDE-A-THON?

Since High Horses is funded primarily through donations, each year we hold a benefit ride as one of our major fundraisers. Money is raised by riders who bring in pledges from individuals and businesses who agree to sponsor their ride.

To participate in the Ride-A-Thon, **you must bring in a minimum total in pledges of \$150 for adults, and \$75 for children age 18 and under.** Ask as many friends, family, businesses or co-workers as possible to sponsor your ride!

All donations are tax deductible.

Pre-register by sending an email or calling Liz Claud at 802-356-3386 or Liz.Claud@HighHorses.org.

A complete and signed entry form, along with a copy of a current, negative Coggins certificate and a veterinary certified Rabies certificate for each horse must be presented at the beginning of the ride. (Sorry! No one will be able to ride without these items.)



ABOUT THE EVENT

The registration area opens at 8:00 AM.

Schedule:

All riders should begin the ride by 9:00 AM and return by 1:00 PM. Trails will be clearly marked and water will be available at designated places along the way. Please report any emergencies at these stations.

Rain or Shine:

The Ride-A-Thon will take place rain or shine.

Food:

Snacks will be available for each participant and lunch will be provided at rides' end.

Helmets:

All riders must wear an ASTM/SEI-approved helmet while mounted.

PRIZE AWARDED

Prizes will be awarded to those who recruit new/other riders and raise significant funds. See prize list on separate sheet.

ABOUT HIGH HORSES THERAPEUTIC RIDING PROGRAM

High Horses Therapeutic Riding Program is a non-profit organization providing equine-facilitated therapy sessions and therapeutic horsemanship training to children and adults with physical, mental, and emotional disabilities. High Horses is a premier center accredited by NARHA.

DIRECTIONS TO THE RIDE-A-THON

The Field's Family Farm in Hartland, Vermont

From Route 91 S: Take the Hartland Exit and go right at the end of the ramp. Travel approx. .5 miles into Hartland Ctr. In Hartland Ctr. take a left onto 12 N heading towards Woodstock and the Skunk Hollow Tavern. Travel 1.5 mi. to Hartland 4 corners. Take a left onto the Brownsville Rd. Go 1.5 miles to Jenneville Rd. Take a right onto Jenneville Rd. Go .5 miles to the driveway on the left. #10 mailbox at the top of the driveway. There will be a sign marking the event at the Field's house. Go down the driveway across the small bridge and turn left into the field to park.



Contact Phone Number:

Please call Liz Claud at 802-356-3386



High Horses

Therapeutic Riding Program

P.O. Box 681

Norwich, VT 05055

www.highhorses.org

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HORSE & RIDER ENTRY FORM



Only entries submitted on this form will be accepted. We require a SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH RIDER. Each form MUST be accompanied by a current, negative Coggins certificate and a veterinary-certified rabies certificate.

NOTE: Participation requires a total pledge minimum of \$150 for adults and \$75 for children 18 and under. (See Pledge & Sponsor form.)

Name of Rider Age (if under 19)

Address

Phone Email

Name of Horse Breed Age Sex Color

Name of Horse's Owner (if different from Rider)

Address Phone

Agreement and Waiver of Liability

I hereby enter myself and the above named horse, at my own risk, subject to all rules and regulations of this event. I will make no claim therefore against High Horses Therapeutic Riding Program, the land owners, their agents, employees, officers, directors or trustees. I further agree to hold High Horses Therapeutic Riding Program, the land owners, their agents, and employees free and harmless from any liability, claims, suits or damages of whatever kind that may be occasioned by horses ridden by me or the negligence of the person(s) in charge of such horse(s) and I agree to indemnify and hold harmless this organization, the land owners, and individuals against all liability, claims, suits and expenses including attorney fees incurred arising out of any injury to any person(s) or damage to any property caused by me, my horse(s) or attendant(s). I agree that I will wear a ASTM-approved helmet at all times when mounted, as will any riders of my horse(s).

Signature of Rider (Parent/Guardian if rider is under 19)

Signature of Horse's Owner (if different from Rider)

**A completed and SIGNED entry form, along with copies of current, negative Coggins certificate and proof of rabies vaccine must be presented at the beginning of the ride or may be mailed in advance to:
High Horses Therapeutic Riding Program, P.O. Box 681, Norwich, VT 05055**

PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED IN THE FOLLOWING CATEGORIES

Most Dollars Raised (Adult or Child)

LL Bean Gift Certificate

Prize Value: \$150

Recruit 3 or more Other Riders

Adult Prize:

Hopkins Center for the Arts Tickets

Prize Value: \$60

Recruit 3 or more Other Riders

Child—Age 18 and Under

Upper Valley Lanes (Bowling Party)

Prize Value: \$30

All of the following are for Adult or Child--everyone is eligible to win:

\$1,000 or More in Donations

*Choice of Home Hill Inn Restaurant
or Stateline Sports Gift Certificate*

Prize Value: \$100

\$500 or More in Donations

EMS Gift Certificate

Prize Value: \$50

\$750 or More in Donations

Stratford Saddlery Gift Certificate

Prize Value: \$75

\$250 or More in Donations

*Entertainment Cinemas or Nugget
Gift Certificate*

Prize Value: \$25

Most Raised by HH Staff

Dinner at Simon Pierce

Prize Value: \$60

Prize Eligibility:

- I have recruited 3 or more riders
- I have raised a total of \$ _____

- Adult Division
- 18 and Under Division: Age _____

NAME: _____

- Staff

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