



Horseback Riding Lessons

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# NEWSLETTER

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Spring I 2009

## **Holiday Camp Success**

Highland Riding School's Annual Holiday Camp 2008 proved to be a fabulous success. Campers, instructors, and horses enjoyed two days of fun-filled horsey activities. Holiday campers rode in a show on their last day of camp, showing off their new riding skills to their friends and family. Everyone who attended had lots of fun!

## **Working Student Training Day**

On February 8 Amanda Sugerman and Melissa Ellefsen will be hosting a working student training day from 9 a.m until 1 p.m. at the Riding School. The cost of the training day will be \$45, and students may either pack a lunch or bring \$3 for pizza. Students will receive training and education on how to properly care for our facility and school horses, as well the duties required to be a working student at HRS. Students will be able to use the knowledge obtained at this training session to become a part of our working student program on Saturday mornings from 9-12. Both current and prospective working students are encouraged to attend this training. Please call the Riding School or speak to your instructor if you are interested in attending the training day. Sign-ups are posted in the office.

## **Upcoming Session Schedule**

Here are a list of upcoming dates to put on your calendar!

- February 7- Preference Forms for Spring I Session are due.
- February 8- Working Student Training Day at HRS from 9-1.
- February 28- Winter Session Ends.
- March 2- Spring I Session Begins.
- April 25- Spring I Session Ends.

## **Barry Says**

Dear Barry,

The last time I rode you in my lesson, I noticed that your chest was shaved, but the rest of your body was still very furry. Why?

Yours Truly,  
Wondering Rider

Dear Rider,

*As you know, my coat grows very long in the winter to keep me warm. However, when I get ridden in my lessons this warm coat can make me quite sweaty. In order for me to stay comfortable while working, the front of my neck and chest was clipped. Don't worry though, I still have enough hair to keep me nice and warm!*

*Thanks for asking!  
Barry*