SEATON HACKNEY STABLES

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2026 Late Fall Troop

6-week x 1hr Program – Starts November 7th, 2026

Seaton Hackney Troop provides a program for individuals to acquire and improve their horsemanship and riding skills in a structured, supportive, and fun environment.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Rider's Name:_____ Age: ____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____Town: _____Zip: _____

Phone: _____Email: _____

ALL CLASSES WILL HAVE DEDICATED TIME TO LEARN & PRACTICE HORSEMANSHIP & HORSE CARE SKILLS AS PART OF THE CURRICULUM.

Bad weather? Call 1 hour prior to the Troop Program start time.

SELECT	TROOP	AGE	CURRICULUM	START	DAY	TIME
	Young Riders - Troop 1	5-6 Years old	W/T	11/7/2026	Saturday	12PM
	Young Riders - Troop 2	7-8 Years old	W/T	11/7/2026	Saturday	2PM
	Young Riders - Troop 1	5-6 Years old	W/T	11/8/2026	Sunday	12PM
	Young Riders - Troop 2	7-8 Years old	W/T	11/8/2026	Sunday	2PM
ALL LEVEL 1 TROOP RIDERS MUST BE ABLE TO RIDE INDEPENDENTLY AND HAVE INSTRUCTOR AUTHORIZATION TO ENROLL						
	Horsemanship	FUNDAMENTALS	No Riding	11/8/2026	SUNDAY	4PM
	LEVEL 1	FUNDAMENTALS	W/T	11/9/2026	MONDAY	4PM
	LEVEL 2	NOVICE	W/T	11/10/2026	TUESDAY	4PM
	LEVEL 2	NOVICE	W/T	11/11/2026	WEDNESDAY	4PM
	LEVEL 3	INTERMEDIATE	W/T/C	11/12/2026	THURSDAY	4PM
	LEVEL 4	INTERMEDIATE	W/T/C/X	11/13/2026	FRIDAY	4PM

By signing below, you agree that you have read this form in its entirety, understand the policies regarding refunds and makeup, and agree with the contents outlined. You also agree that you have signed and submitted a Waiver of Liability to the office.

For Class Descriptions / Polices / Make-up /Refund / Cancellations See the BACK of this form.

Customer Signature: _____ Date: _____

Tuition $395

Select Payment Method:

Check# _____ Cash: $_____ HBarnBucks:_____ (up to 25% of total)

CC Number: _____ Exp Date:_____CVV: ____ Zip code:_____

*Credit Card Processing Feeof $3.25% -Once Charged CC Is Erased

Office Person Initials: _____ Date Processed: _____

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Riders must be able to correctly perform the skills listed under curriculum before moving onto the next level and may need to repeat levels multiple times before moving up. Troop may have different Instructors during the duration of troop. A personalized assessment of your child's progress will be available either verbally or in writing at the end of Troop. We reserve the right to consolidate or cancel levels. Instructor(s) recommendation, riding tests for the upper levels and, in some cases, supplemental private lessons will be needed to advance to higher levels**.**

Please reference this legend for an explanation of the codes.

W	Walk	H	Horsemanship
T	Trot	X	Cross-Bars
D	Diagonals	XC	Cross-Bar Course
C	Canter		

HELMETS and BOOTS ARE MANDATORY

Helmets are available from Seaton Hackney at no charge.

Horsemanship 101and 201 Troops are held during the winter.

Horsemanship & Horse Care Goals: Good horsemanship is the foundation for any riding discipline. Horsemanship and unmounted lessons are a regular part of all our programs. We encourage our riders to learn about the whole horse, their care, conformation, how to tack, and how to properly groom. We teach them the different types of saddles, bridles and bits and when and how we use them. Riders learn how to put them on correctly and how to safety-check their equipment They learn how to properly warm up and cool down their horse, and they learn what to do after a lesson, before putting their horse away, based on the time of year and level of work. Once they have mastered these skills, they earn the privilege to arrive early and groom and tack their horses independently

Level 1 Goals: Can walk their horse to the ring, can hold reins properly, demonstrate correct position at walk and trot, can walk their horse to the ring, can hold reins properly, demonstrate correct position at walk and trot, can keep horse on the rail at a walk, can lengthen and shorten reins at a walk, can circle at the walk, can halt and hold for 3 seconds at the walk, knows how to go up to 2-point, even if position is not perfect. Learn to groom and saddle their horse with minimal assistance; learn to shorten stirrups and tighten girth. In the ring, learn to post, learn about diagonals, practice making the horse trot without help, practice to lengthen or shorten reins at a trot, practice to transition from trot to walk to halt and hold for 5 seconds, learn and practice proper 2-point position

Level 2 Goals: Learn how to bridle their horse and bring them out of the stall into the yard, practice sitting trot, practice 2-point at a trot, practice a 20 meter circle at walk and trot, learn how to half-seat at walk and trot, learn about ring management, know how to pass other horses, adjust distances, half-school, change direction across a diagonal, practice posting trot, learn about correct posting diagonals, practice communicating with other riders in the ring, practice working walk and free walk, learn how to steer with your leg, practice finding your own space in the ring

Level 3 Goals: Knows a warm-up routine, walk one lap at a working walk and two laps of trot, practice steering with your leg, practice identifying diagonal and switching diagonals, practice sitting and posting trot with circles and walk/halt transitions, practice changing directions at walk and trot with correct change in diagonals if needed, practice trotting in other ring figures (i.e. figure 8), practice identifying and changing correct diagonals, learning how to half-halt correctly at walk and trot, practice posting and sitting trot with no stirrups, practice taking feet in and out of stirrups at walk and trot, practice trot and 2-point over ground poles, learn the basis of how to ask for a canter transition, learn to canter on the lunge line, learn to trot a small cross rail in 2-point position

Level 4 Goals: Practice upward and downward transitions from walk, trot, and canter, practice posting and sitting trot without stirrups, practice 2-point trot without stirrups, practice canter and transition off the lunge line, canter one lap without breaking, practice ground poles at trot and canter in half-seat and 2-point, trot and canter a small cross rail course at the 2-point.

IMPORTANT TROOP POLICIES

EVALUATIONS: All new riders as well as aspiring level 1 riders must book an evaluation lesson before signing up. Level 1 riders must have taken at least 4 private lessons before joining Troop.

REFUNDS: Customers who need to cancel may do so up to two weeks before the Troop program starts.
Troop Tuition. After the program starts, the tuition is no longer refundable for any reason.

Transfers/make-ups: No Makeups due to scheduling and waitlist purposes.

In case of bad weather, two of the sessions may be horsemanship / ground sessions instead. In the unlikely event that Seaton Hackney Stables cancels a session, a make-up session will be scheduled accordingly.

DATE: _____ INITIAL: _____

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