



WE CAN RIDE, INC. *HORSES HELPING PEOPLE DISCOVER THEIR ABILITIES*

Dear Prospective Client:

Thank you for your interest in *We Can Ride!* Enclosed you will find the form needed for application to our program.

We Can Ride has four locations: The Hennepin County Home School in Minnetonka; East Wind Farm near Stillwater; the University of Minnesota Equine Center in St. Paul, and Woodpecker Woods near Delano. Our full program runs year-round in Delano & St. Paul, and April – October at Minnetonka and Stillwater. Therapeutic Riding classes are offered in eight-week Sessions, meet Monday through Thursday evenings, and Saturday Morning (site dependent) Early Childhood classes are only Tuesday mornings in Minnetonka. Carriage Driving in Delano is Monday nights. Hippotherapy is Monday morning in Delano, Tuesday morning in St. Paul, and Wednesday Morning in Minnetonka.

- ◆ The fee is **\$320.00** per eight-week Session for a group class (four clients per class) of therapeutic riding or horse-drawn carriage driving class (with two clients.) **Fees are to be paid before the Session starts.**
- ◆ The fee for Hippotherapy (which is a fifty minute class for one client under the direct instruction of a licensed PT or OT) is **\$1,280.00** for an eight-week Session (**\$160.00** per class, **to be paid at the time of service.**)
- ◆ There is a **\$30.00** annual membership fee due with the first Session's payment.

These costs represent approximately 45% of the actual cost of the program and therefore, *We Can Ride* actively fundraises to meet the rest of the expenses.

When an appropriate opening is available, you will be contacted to schedule a screening with our therapist and a certified instructor. There is a **\$40.00** fee, **payable at the time of the screening.** This screening confirms that hippotherapy, therapeutic riding, or horse-drawn carriage driving would benefit a prospective client and that there are no contraindications. If accepted, the client will be assigned an appropriate class slot and receive a Client Program Information Booklet that outlines the policies of *We Can Ride*.

There can be a wait to get into a class depending on client schedule, class availability, and the best class blend for the client. After we have received the "New Client Registration" form, you will be placed on our waiting list and contacted when an appropriate fit is available. If the form is misplaced, you can access one on the "Clients" page of our website. Please feel free to call or email if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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