



Lenawee Therapeutic Riding



Please keep this page for your reference.

Hello Therapeutic Riding Volunteers,

Welcome to the 2025 season. It's time to mark your calendars as we start our **37th** year of Lenawee Therapeutic Riding. Lenawee Therapeutic Riding sessions will be at 3 Bar B Rodeo Co. We are excited about using this very welcoming location. It is at 1220 Sword Hwy, Adrian. If you need directions, please contact me.

2025 Schedule

- ☆ Spring Volunteer OrientationApril 7, **MANDATORY FOR ALL NEW VOLUNTEERS**
- ☆ **Spring Session**.....Mondays, **April 14 thru May 19**
- ☆ Fall Volunteer Orientation.....Sept. 8, **MANDATORY FOR ALL NEW VOLUNTEERS**
- ☆ **Fall Session**.....Mondays, **September 15 thru October 20**

This packet contains all the paperwork you will need to complete for LTR 2025. **ALL** volunteers (returning and new) must complete this paperwork each calendar year. To register, please print volunteer registration packet, and complete the forms. All lines must be completed, all forms witnessed and signed. Incomplete paperwork may mean you will not be able to participate in this session.

New Volunteers:

- ☒ New Volunteer Information Form – **NEW volunteers need to complete, sign, and return.**
- ☒ Volunteer Central Application (online) – **NEW volunteers must complete this volunteer screening process.**

ALL Volunteers: all forms must return signed and witnessed.

- ☒ Paperwork must be completed and returned by **MARCH 15th** for the Spring/Fall Sessions and by **AUGUST 15th** if you are registering only for the Fall Session. Paperwork received after the deadline will not be guaranteed participation.
- ☒ Volunteer Confirmation Form (You may want to print out an extra form to keep.)
- ☒ Volunteer Registration and Emergency Treatment Form
- ☒ Volunteer Informed Consent and Release of Liability Agreement

Thank you for your prompt completion and return of paperwork. Remember that the number of riders depends on the number of volunteers who have completed and returned their paperwork by the March 15th deadline.

Return all paperwork to: Carolyn Baer, LTR Volunteer Coordinator
6495 Rome Road, Adrian, MI 49221

If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Baer at 517-442-3695 or adrianbaer@aol.com



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Volunteer Confirmation Form

Spring and Fall 2025

Name _____ Birth date _____ Height _____ (to better match you and the horse)

Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Phone #'s home _____ work _____ cell _____

E-mail Address: _____

Areas of Interest: (Check all that apply, some positions require additional training and/or Instructor's approval)

- Sidewalker Horse Leader Tack Coordinator Tack Assistant
- Mounting Assistant I am interested in further training as: horse leader or mounting assistant

Orientation is MANDATORY for new volunteers. Returning volunteers are encouraged to attend for a refresher. Please check below which Orientation you will attend.

- Monday, April 7 at 6:30 pm** New Volunteer Orientation & New Horse Trial
- Monday, Sept. 8 at 6:30 pm** New Volunteer Orientation & New Horse Trial

Check-in for riding sessions is at 6:15 pm (NOTE TIME) unless you are not scheduled until a later class. Please check below ALL the dates you are available to attend.

I am volunteering for the following dates:

Spring Session – Mondays – 6:30 pm

- April 14
- April 21
- April 28
- May 5
- May 12
- May 19

Fall Sessions – Mondays – 6:30 pm

- September 15
- September 22
- September 29
- October 6
- October 13
- October 20

Other Information:

I cannot do the _____ class (unless otherwise indicated you will be considered available for both classes each night).

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM along with the signed and witnessed RELEASE FORMS from the Volunteer Registration Packet. Please make a copy for your records.

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LENAWEE THERAPEUTIC RIDING

NEW Volunteer Information Form

Date: _____ Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Height: _____ (to better match you and your horse)

Do you have any physical limitation? _____ No _____ Yes

If so, please specify: _____

Can you walk for approximately 60 minutes, including jogging for a short distance?

_____ Yes _____ No

Given the chance to change sides frequently, can you hold your arm above shoulder height and support a modest weight? _____ Yes _____ No

Are you comfortable working or walking around horses/ponies?

_____ Yes _____ not really, but I want to learn more

Check if you have had experience with:

_____ Horses _____ Persons with disabilities _____ Children

Please specify, especially horse experience:

Please list any other skills or training which you believe may be of benefit to this program.

If new to our program, how did you learn about Lenawee Therapeutic Riding?



LENAWEE THERAPEUTIC RIDING

Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program (PEP)

Volunteer Registration and Emergency Treatment Form

Date: _____

Volunteer: New Return

This form is valid for a period of one year from the date signed. No individual can be accepted as a volunteer in a Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program in any capacity until this form has been completed by parents/guardian or by the individual if they are a legally competent adult 18 years of age or over.

Volunteer Name _____ Date of Birth: _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____
Previous experience with horse: _____

Parents/Guardian (if under 18): Name _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Home Phone (_____) _____ Work Phone (_____) _____ Cell Phone (_____) _____

Physician: Name _____ Phone # _____
Office Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Person to be notified in case of emergency in absence of parent/guardian:
Name _____ Relationship to Volunteer _____
Phone #'s _____

AUTHORIZATION FOR PURPOSE OF PROVIDING MEDICAL TREATMENT: You are being asked to complete this form to give an appropriate medical facility permission to treat _____ (volunteer's name) for minor injury or medical problems. In the event of serious injury or illness, the parent/guardian or person listed above will be contacted; treatment will proceed before contacting them only if the situation is urgent and does not permit delay.

- Preferred Medical Facility _____
- Is there a medical condition, allergy, etc., requiring special precaution or treatment? Yes No
 - * If yes, please describe: _____
- Medication's currently being used? Yes No
 - * If yes, please list name, purpose and dosage: _____

In case of medical emergency: The undersigned authorizes the Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program instructor and/or program coordinator to seek any medical and/or surgical treatment necessary for the care of _____ who is participating as a volunteer in the Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program with parent/guardian permission (if under 18 years).

HEALTH INSURANCE: I do not have medical insurance coverage.

Name of Policyholder and Relationship to participant: _____

Policyholder's address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Attach a photocopy of both sides of your insurance card (preferred) OR complete the insurance information requested here.

Name and Address of Insurance Company _____

Insurance Company Phone Number (_____) _____ Policy Number _____

Name of Policyholder's Employer _____

REQUIRED SIGNATURES: The above designated person(s) is (are) hereby authorized to incur medical costs necessary to provide medical treatment for said participant for which we shall be fully responsible. We also authorize the medical facility to release any and all information required to complete insurance claims and also authorize insurance payment directly to the medical facility.

Signature **Parent** **Guardian** **Adult Volunteer** _____
Date _____ **Witness** _____



LENAWEE THERAPEUTIC RIDING

Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program

Parent/Guardian-Adult Volunteer Informed

Consent and Release of Liability Agreement

No individual can be accepted as a volunteer in the Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program in any capacity until this form has been completed by his/her parent(s)/guardian or by the individual if he/she is a legally competent adult age 18 or older.

I/we assume the risks and accept the consequences involved in the participation of:

Volunteer's name: _____ in the Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program.

Program name: Lenawee Therapeutic Riding County: Lenawee

I/we acknowledge that horses may be dangerous because they may, without warning, buck, stumble, kick, or move in otherwise unpredictable ways.

I/we are hereby informed of the possible dangers to me/my child/my ward that may result from participation in the program, including soft tissue (including skin and muscle) injury, ligament and tendon injury, bone/joint injury, and exacerbation of chronic conditions.

I/we accept the responsibility for complying fully with all safety rules and practices and I/we will consult with the instructor and/or local director of the Michigan 4-H Proud Equestrians Program including their instructors, staff and volunteers, from any liability for injury that may result from participation in the program. This release does not encompass "gross negligence".

I/WE HAVE READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS AGREEMENT.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____
Parent(s)/Guardian/Adult volunteer (Circle appropriate title)

Witness: _____ **Time:** _____

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