

Sharkey Farm

Barn Rules

- Barn Hours are 8AM-8PM 7 days a week.
- All riders or persons handling a horse must sign a release before riding and/or boarding any horses in any way.
- Boarders are responsible for having guests sign releases which are available in the tack room.
- Riders must clean their horse's paddock each time they visit their horse.
- NO smoking allowed on the farm at any time.
- NO dogs or pets on the property without permission. (They may remain in the car, at all times, with a window open).
- The speed limit on the property is 5MPH for the safety of horses, riders and children.
- Children 13 and under must be supervised by an adult at all times.
- All Boarders, Trainers, Instructors, Students and Staff are required to wear an ASTM/SEI approved helmet when mounted on a horse (NO EXCEPTIONS).
- Long pants and riding boots with a heel must be worn for riding.
- Please do not give treats to horses other than your own, unless approved by the owner.
- All visitors/family members accompanying a rider during a lesson must remain quiet and well behaved while at the farm.
- Clean up after your horse and yourself. There are trash containers, shovels, brooms and muck buckets available for the disposal of manure, shedded hair, hoof cleanings, etc. around the trailers, outdoor arena and outdoor grounds.
- All full "messy" wheelbarrows must be dumped in the compost pile and not left out. Wheelbarrows and pitchforks must be stored properly after use.
- Horses will be turned out in specific areas only. No changing turnout paddocks without permission.
- Grain and supplements supplied by the owner should be given to Kate.
- Please turn off the lights if you are the last person riding.
- Only the owner of the horse may ride the horse. If the owner wishes to have another person ride their horse, please notify Kate and have the additional rider fill out a release of liability form.
- Minors need a liability form signed by a parent or guardian to ride private horse housed at Sharkey Farm.
- Please do not leave your horse unattended in any area including riding arena.
- If you don't do it at home...don't do it at the farm.
- Common sense and courtesy at all times.

Practicing safe riding principles and good barn etiquette can mean many years of happy, healthy riding enjoyment for you and your horse. Have fun and stay safe!