



LITTLE HORSE WHISPERER CLASS...after care



Dear Parent,

We hope your child enjoyed the Little Horse Whisperer class at the Elizabeth Township Community Center (ETTC). It was designed to introduce them to the world of horses by providing a foundational understanding of how horses interpret the world around them through the five senses. This knowledge provides a valuable foundation from which to continue on into the world of horses. Please share your experience on this class with Ms. Zlata Garrison, ETTC Director, 937-335-1920 zlata.garrison@335-etcc.com and any suggestions you might have.

Congratulations to you as a parent for seeking out new experiences for your child! Horses offer a unique and valuable set of experiences that can open up a whole new world of opportunities. The human-horse relationship provides more than a recreational opportunity. Did you know that many relationship skills are developed and honed such as honesty, leadership, friendship, communication skills, responsibility, flexibility, independence and self confidence? All thanks to the horse—the ultimate teacher.

Most activities for youth related to hands on horse activities begin at age 6- 9. Many adults have horseback riding on their “bucket” list. There is something for the entire family! If you would like to find out more or are interested in equine pursuits within the area, please investigate the resources below.

Resources:

Miami County Equine Initiatives Task Force (MCEITF) – Grassroots effort to promote the equine industry within the county. Development of a horse trail system (combination of public and private lands), and expanded recreational use opportunities are major goals. This includes riding lessons and horse ownership at local stables or privately. Please visit our websites:

www.mceitf.com

www.tippcityhorsetrails.com

www.facebook.com/miamicountyhorsetrails

Please don't hesitate to contact me. As the founder and co-chair of the MCEITF it is my mission to help you pursue any and all equine related pursuits for you and your family.

Sincerely,

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