

RideAbility Calendar 2026 Classes in red, Events in blue

March 1: 2026 Early Student registration ! Print forms from website: <https://www.rideability.org> & send in US mail

March 21/28 Saturdays 1:00PM-3:00PM [Barn Cleaning with Horse Evaluations/visits/season intro photos](#)

March 30/31 Monday/Tuesday 6:15-8:15PM Spring NEW volunteer training nights (come one or both)

****APRIL IS NATIONAL VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION MONTH!!!!****

RIDEABILITY SPRING SESSION: REGISTERED GROUP LESSONS:

April 6 Mondays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Spring Adult session, class week 1 - student orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:April 6, Week 2:April 13, Week 3:April 20, Week 4:April 27, Week 5:May 4

April 7 Tuesdays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Spring Adult session, class week 1 - student orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:April 7, Week 2:April 14, Week 3:April 21, Week 4:April 28, Week 5:May 5

April 9 Thursdays 6:00pm-8:00pm RideAbility Grooming Room: – quiet time grooming the RideAbility horses
Week 1:April 9, Week 2:April 16, Week 3:April 23, Week 4:April 30, Week 5:May 7

May 11/12 Monday/Tuesday 6:15-8:15PM Summer #1 volunteer training nights (come one or both)

May 14 Thursday 5:00pm-8:00pm **BOLDER OPTIONS OneTimeFunTime!**

May 16 Saturday Special 30th Year Annual Meeting, including meal, presentations and Silent Auction

RIDEABILITY SUMMER #1 SESSION: REGISTERED GROUP LESSONS:

May 18 Mondays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Summer Youth session #1, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:May 18, Week 2:June 1, Week 3:June 8, Week 4:June 15, Week 5:June 22

May 19 Tuesdays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Summer Youth session #1, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:May 19, Week 2: June 2, Week 3:June 9, Week 4:June 16, Week 5:June 23

May 21 Thursdays 6:00pm-8:00pm RideAbility Grooming Room: – quiet time grooming the RideAbility horses
Week 1:May 21, Week 2:June 4, Week 3:June 11, Week 4:June 18 Week 5:June 25

June 20 Saturday 3PM-8PM [Barn Dance Family Fun/draiser, Dance@6pm!](#) (w/Avin Sherman & Lazy K Percherons!!)

July 9 Thursday 6:15-8:15PM Summer #2 volunteer training (New Volunteer training)

RIDEABILITY SUMMER #2 SESSION: REGISTERED GROUP LESSONS:

July 13 Mondays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Summer Youth session #2, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:July 13, Week 2:July 20, (Skip July 27), Week 3:August 3, Week 4:August 10, Week 5:August 17

July 14 Tuesdays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Summer Youth session #2, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:July 14, Week 2:July 21, (Skip July 28), Week 3:August 4, Week 4:August 11, Week 5:August 18

July 16 Thursdays 6:00pm-8:00pm RideAbility Grooming Room: – quiet time with the RideAbility horses
Week 1:July 16, Week 2:July 23, (Skip July 30), Week 3:August 6, Week 4:August 13 Week 5:August 20

July 28 Tuesday evening 6:00pm-8:30pm [Julie Christie Clinic FUN and EDUCATIONAL Fundraiser for the Public!](#)

August 22/29 Saturdays Noon-4pm [Mile Ribbon Rides and Prep for RideATHon kick off](#)

September 3 Thursday 6:15-8:15PM Fall volunteer training (New Volunteer training)

September 10 Thursday 6:15-8:15PM Fall volunteer training (Extended Volunteer training)

RIDEABILITY FALL SESSION: REGISTERED GROUP LESSONS:

September 14 Mondays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Fall Adult session, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:September 14, Week 2:September 21, Week 3:September 28, Week 4:October 5, Week 5:October 12

September 15 Tuesdays 6:00pm, 7:30pm Fall Adult session, class week 1 – orientation & volunteer training
Week 1:September 15, Week 2:September 22 Week 3: September 29, Week 4: October 6, Week 5:October 13

September 17 Thursdays 6:00pm-8:00pm RideAbility Grooming Room: – quiet time with the RideAbility horses
Week 1:September 17, Week 2:September 24, Week 3:October 1, Week 4:October 8 Week 5:October 15

September 20 Sunday 1:00PM-5:00PM ** [Student Horse Show](#) ******

October 3 Saturday Noon-3pm ROCHESTER COMMUNITY EDUCATION Adult OneTimeFunTime!

October 17 Saturday 11:00AM – 4:00PM [RideATHon Fundraiser Music and Sensory Trail](#)

October 24 Saturday 11:00AM – 4:00PM [RideATHon Fundraiser Music and Obstacle Course](#)

RIDEABILITY FALL EXTENDED LESSONS: October and November: Weather dependent, might add extra classes to end the season!

November/December [Holiday Party – Volunteer Recognition and Celebration of 30 complete seasons of RideAbility !](#)

November 7 Saturday 11AM-3PM [Christmas with a Cause Photo Shoot at RideAbility](#)

December 12 Saturday 10AM-1PM [Christmas Cookie Walk at Rochester Pet & Country Store](#)

(CHECK OUR WEBSITE CALENDAR FOR MORE DETAILS ON EXTRA CLASSES AND EVENTS: <https://www.rideability.org>)

****Privately-scheduled Classes and OneTimeFunTimes are added as requested by clients → If volunteers are available!!****

Have a great 2026 and God Bless you & yours!

Event Focus each Month

January: Send Letters requesting support & sponsorships

February: Plan RideAbility 30th Year celebration Events

March: Barn Cleanings and Horse Visits for volunteers and clients

April: Volunteer Appreciation and Registered Group Lessons start!

May: RideAbility 30 year “Kick-Off” Celebration! (May 16)

June: RideAbility Barn Dance (June 20)

July: Julie Christie Clinic (July 28)

August: Mile Ribbon Ride and RideAThon Kick Off

September: RideAbility Student Horse Show (September 20)

October: RideAThon/s Saturdays October 17th and October 24th

November: Christmas with a Cause Photo Shoot & Holiday party!

December: Christmas Cookie Walk Saturday (December 12)

**Operations board is invited to meet and work on these items each month. Anyone can be part of the RideAbility “Op-Board”! We will meet, accomplish some planning (monthly events, facility needs, grant opportunities and feedback regarding details of our classes) and write up a summary email to send to the RideAbility Board of Directors.*