



2010 Cows, Trails & Obstacles Camp

Welcome Riders!

We are excited to have you join us for our newly created Cows, Trails & Obstacles Camp! We have a full slate of exciting new offerings for your learning and recreational experience. **Please read this packet carefully**, fill out the following **Rider Profile and Application** and return with your nonrefundable deposit.

Over the years we've received an overwhelming number of requests to create a "custom order" clinic where riders could choose from a smorgasbord of all the various subjects we teach. We've done just that! This weekend you will get to choose to participate in all of the subjects, or part of them, or just watch and relax in the shade. You also get to choose to ride all three days or just one or two days. This is your made to order clinic.

A longtime favorite location, Eastern Slope Ranch has played host for many of our events since our first Trail Horse clinic years ago, including our annual Cowgirl Up! Camp©. An eclectic blend of past and present, Eastern Slope Ranch is also home to the fast growing Mountain Trail Horse Classics held in June.

Set at the base of the Elkhorn Mountains, with a grand view looking across the Baker Valley, the peacefulness of the ranch promotes the calmness of mind required to set the "busyness" of life aside in order to focus on the task of pursuing your horsemanship dreams in the company of like-minded riders. From forest trails and open fields, quiet cattle to work, indoor and outdoor arenas, and elaborate man-made and natural trail obstacle course, you can be sure this location will be scenic as well as educational! For more information, and pictures of this incredible location check out www.easternsloperanch.com.

The weather in Baker County can range from warm days to cool nights and maybe a rain shower in between so please come prepared. With the indoor arena we will be well covered regardless of the weather.

On site camping for trailers, RV's, or tents is available but electrical is limited; first come first serve! Bathroom and shower facilities in the newly refurbished cabin is available on site.
SMOKING IN DESIGNATED AREAS ONLY!

Riders are responsible for their own meals and beverages.

Horse accommodations are safe and clean indoor or outdoor stalls and pens (state your preference on your application). Stalls are available after 12:00pm the day prior and will remain available until 12:00pm the day after each clinic ends. **To avoid congestion please follow the signs directing you to trailer parking, do not pull into the indoor area.**

Horse feed, buckets and feed pans are not provided and are the responsibility of each rider. Shavings are available and must be reserved on your clinic application. We will have emergency farrier services available however, you may want to pack an Easy Boot or duck tape in your **saddle bags** in the event of a loss while on the trail. Don't forget to throw in fly spray for both you and your horse!

Pets: Pets permitted by permission only, NO EXCEPTIONS! Pets are to be controlled at all times.

We look forward to helping you and your horse in your quest for excellence on your horsemanship journey. Please let us know if you have special needs or other questions that are not listed on the application and we will try to help you as best we can.

Throw in your **sense of adventure** & your **sense of humor** 'cause you're in for a great time!

Til then.....Safe cow work `n Happy Trails!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mitch + Jolinn'.

Mitch and Jolinn and the MJ Rising H Ranch Crew



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TENTATIVE Itinerary (subject to change)

Daily presentations throughout each session are too numerous to list here!

Early Arrival Day

12:00 pm Stalls available after this time. Get your horse settled in, watered, fed, etc.

Clinic Days ~ schedule is flexible and will flow with rider interests

8:00 AM Coffee & doughnuts; check in for those arriving this day
9:00-10ish Rider Orientation & Clinic subject material presented
10:00-12:15 Horsemanship seminar, Cattle & Trail obstacle skills at arena
12:30 PM Lunch
1:30 Horsemanship/Trail Obstacles & Forest ride or Cattle handling & Ranch Roping Skills
4:30 Rider Debriefing, stable chores, dinner & social time!

Clinic day 3 – For riders wishing to depart early, we usually wrap up around 3:00pm so you can get on the road.

Directions to Eastern Slope Ranch:

Eastern Slope Ranch, Rouen Rd., Baker City, OR
From I-84 E or W take Baker City exit #304. Turn right (West) on Hughes Lane and continue on, leaving town. Turn left (South) on Rouen Rd. and you will see the facility. Parking is in the field above the facility and will be marked. Horse stalls are below, near the indoor arena. You will be shown your stall when you arrive.