

The Instructors



Clark Bradley, Clark has been an instructor in the UF Western Equestrian Program for 23 years and has also helped coach the UF IHSA Western Equestrian Team. He graduated from the Ranch Management Program at Texas Christian University and also served in the U.S. Marine Corp. Clark has trained horses for over 40 years.

A member of the NRHA and the All American Quarter Horse Congress Hall of Fame, Clark is also a two-time NRHA Futurity Champion and has won multiple championships at the Quarter Horse Congress in versatility, reining, pleasure, cutting, and roping. In 2001, he was voted by his peers as the AQHA Professional Horseman of the Year. Clark has served as President for NRHA and OQHA and has been chairman on several committees for both organizations. Currently, he is a National Director Emeritus for AQHA

Mark Smith Mark Smith has been an instructor in the UF Western Equestrian Program for 15 years. He holds an Associate Degree in Equine Studies and Business Administration from the University of Findlay, a Bachelor of Arts in Education from The University of Maine, and a Master's in Education from the University of Findlay.

Mark has been a professional horse trainer for 35 years and has shown primarily Paint Horses. He has won Champion and Reserve titles at World and National APHA and PtHA shows. Some of Mark's accomplishments include top ten in the nation in eleven different events, over 50 "Superiors" in six events, and coached many youth and amateurs to Top Ten and National titles. Mark also holds judges' cards in APHA, IBHA, PtHA, NSBA, ApHC, PBHA, and ABRA.

For photos, updates, and more information

University of Findlay's Western Youth
Horsemanship School



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Additional Questions / Information

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WESTERN YOUTH HORSEMANSHIP SCHOOLS

Novice/Intermediate
June 22-26

Advanced
June 26-30

Youth Horsemanship Schools

University of Findlay is presenting Youth Western Horsemanship Schools to further educate interested riders. Students will learn about horsemanship, showmanship, western pleasure, trail, ranch riding, training techniques, and reining fundamentals.

Each student will work with their own horse under the personal supervision of the equestrian staff. Lectures and demonstrations will be given daily to enhance each student's skills. Along with the individual and class instruction, there will be evening video analysis to review each rider's progress. Outside of the barn, students will also participate in recreational activities around University of Findlay's campus.

Follow Your Dreams

The youth horsemanship schools help you to become a better rider. You will learn and apply training techniques that will help make you and your horse more competitive in any discipline you choose. These techniques coincide with what is taught in the University's Western Equestrian Studies Program. When you are ready for college you too can be a part of this amazing program.

While attending this camp you will meet new friends, have a great experience with your horse and create memories that will last a lifetime.



Applications are processed on a first-come, first-served basis, with limited enrollment. Upon acceptance, a confirmation letter will be sent with further details.

Application

Tuition and Fees

Fees include room, board, instruction, t-shirt, transport to and from campus, and horse's stall, bedding, hay, and grain.

Tuition: \$625.00

Nonrefundable deposit of \$200.00 with application

Requirements for Advanced Students

Riding Video
Letter of Recommendation

Divisions:

Novice/Intermediate Advanced

-Ages 10-18

-Ages 12-19

-June 22-26, 2020

-June 26-30, 2020

*Both sessions arrive between 2pm and 4pm, and depart at 11am

Student Name	

Address	

City/State/Zip	

Telephone	Date of Birth
_____	____ / ____ / _____
Email	

Gender:	Male Female
T-Shirt Size:	Youth: small medium large
	Adult: small medium large
*T-shirt orders can only be processed if sent by June 1st	
Bringing your own horse? Yes No * (lease horse \$90 per week)	
*Limited number of lease horses available	
Please mail Application and Deposit to:	
University of Findlay	
c/o Carol Browne	
14700 US 68	
Findlay, OH 45840	
Makes Checks Payable to: University of Findlay	

Application Agreement

I hereby apply to attend University of Findlay's Horsemanship Schools, which will be held at the Western Equestrian Complex. I agree to accept and abide by such rules as are in effect or as may be adopted during my attendance at this school. I understand University of Findlay reserves the right to accept or reject any application and to expel any student whose conduct is detrimental to the other students, according to the staff's judgment.

With this application, I am submitting a \$200 DEPOSIT (which I understand is not refundable) to apply toward the payment of my school TUITION FEE of \$625, and I agree to pay the balance of my tuition fee prior to the commencement of instruction. For the purpose of this instruction I will provide the horse for my use and all required tack.

In consideration of the acceptance of this application as a student participant in this school I understand and agree that my participation shall be at my own risk and hereby release University of Findlay and the University of Findlay Horsemanship School, its instructors, agents or employees from any liability for any damages, costs or expenses relating to or as a result of any injuries to myself or property regardless of cause. I further agree to hold harmless and indemnify the said University and its employees from any liability or loss that may arise as a result of injuries or damages caused by my actions or course of conduct to any other person or property and also injuries or damages inflicted by my horse to any person or proper whether or not such injuries or damages are inflicted while said horse is under my direct control at the time said injuries or damages occur.

Student Signature/Date

Parent/Guardian Signature/Date