

**Please read and complete this document thoroughly (front and back)**

**River Valley Riders**  
**2023 Registration Form – PRIVATE/SEMI-PRIVATE LESSONS**  
**Limited Space Available – Mail This Form in Today!**  
**Payment of the \$25.00 registration/administrative fee per participant**  
**must accompany this form for the registration to be accepted.**

Please fill out all the appropriate information and your preferred session time  
(if your scheduling is flexible, please list 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and/or 3<sup>rd</sup> choice).

**Lesson times are filled in the order of post mark date on your reply envelope.**

Please call 651-439-2558 with any questions or concerns.

Participant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian/Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_  Independent Adult

Best phone number to reach you at \_\_\_\_\_  Home  Cell

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Rider's Age \_\_\_\_\_ (minimum 10 years old for private lessons)

Weight \_\_\_\_\_ lbs. Height \_\_\_\_\_ ft. \_\_\_\_\_ inches

***All participants will be weighed at the lesson site prior to their first lesson.***

Primary Diagnosis \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Riding Experience \_\_\_\_\_

**RVR Afton Site – 2007 Neal Avenue South:**

Tuesdays, Starting April 18<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 2:00pm \_\_\_\_\_ 3:30pm

Wednesdays, Starting April 19<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 3:15pm

*To participate in private lessons, a rider must be able to mount with minimal assistance, independently control the horse with reins and require no side-walker support. Lessons are 60 minutes at a rate of \$80.00.*

**Please read and complete this document thoroughly (front and back)**

**IMPORTANT – PLEASE READ AND ACKNOWLEDGE WITH YOUR SIGNATURE**

River Valley Riders follows the PATH Intl. guidelines for all aspects of our program, including their defined precautions and contraindications to riding. **RVR reserves the right to deny our services if we determine there are medical, safety or participation concerns for the rider, horse or instructor.**

- 1) **We are instituting a \$25.00 nonrefundable registration/administrative fee per participant. This payment MUST accompany the registration form, or the registration/participant will NOT be considered for the program.**
- 2) An evaluation either by phone or in-person with an instructor is required for new riders.
- 3) RVR will not be providing individually-assigned helmets for each rider. We will have a pool of helmets that will be shared by participants. As an alternative, information about purchasing a personal helmet will be offered following registration for riders accepted into the program. All helmets are required to be ASTM/SEI approved for equestrian use and no more than 5 years old. **NO BIKE HELMETS.**
- 4) Due to safety concerns for the rider, instructor and horse, the rider's weight and balance may limit participation. **Please include an accurate participant weight and height on this form.**

I have read and understand the above statements:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature – Parent/Guardian/Independent Rider

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Registration forms accepted **by mail only** to:

**River Valley Riders**

**8362 Tamarack Village, Suite 119-440, Woodbury, MN 55125**

Registrations are NOT accepted electronically. Registration forms received by RVR will be sorted based on the US Postal Service date/time stamp on the return envelope.

**A \$25.00 check payable to River Valley Riders must be enclosed with this form.**

Participants will be billed upon acceptance into the program. Sessions vary between 8 and 10 weeks in length (billed Spring, Summer, and Fall).

Partial scholarships are available. Visit [www.rivervalleyriders.org/scholarship](http://www.rivervalleyriders.org/scholarship) for the scholarship application form and guidelines.

RVR will notify you upon acceptance within three weeks of receipt of registration form. RVR will then send you the medical form and billing for rider fees.

***Doctor signed medical forms are due April 1<sup>st</sup>  
or rider will forfeit participation.***