



Informed consent form for campers at Pride Stables/Camp Pride

Our primary concern is the health and safety of our participants (campers, volunteers) and staff. Please read this carefully and let us know if you have any questions.

Risks associated with COVID-19

You understand that by allowing your child to attend & participate in Camp Pride you are assuming the risk of your camper's exposure to COVID-19 (or other public health risks). We will practice and encourage physical distancing at Pride Stables whenever possible however due to the nature of our program, your camper(s) may be in close contact with other participants (campers, volunteers, staff) which may increase the risk of COVID-19 transmission.

Our commitment to minimize risk of exposure

Pride Stables has taken steps to reduce the risk of spreading COVID-19.

- All participants (campers, support workers, volunteers, staff) will be screened for COVID-19 symptoms & risk prior to participating in programming at Pride Stables.
- No one will be allowed to attend or participate at Pride Stables if screening is positive.
- Staff/volunteers will be wearing shields for all active volunteering activities & physical distancing and/or wearing a mask at other times.
- Regular handwashing by all participants including campers is expected and encouraged.
- Smaller groups have been organized for campers & volunteers.
- Frequent disinfection of high-touch surfaces & areas like washrooms will be completed.
- Camp structure, activities and riding timelines have been adjusted to allow for smaller groups and procedures like disinfection of tack, equipment & supplies.
- Soap and hand-sanitizer will be readily available.
- Cleaning/sanitization will take place during the day, at the end of day, and at the end of each week of camp.

The responsibilities of your camper & you to minimize exposure

- Your camper(s) will only arrive for Camp Pride if they are symptom free.
- You will review and complete Pride Stables' screening questionnaire on behalf of your camper(s) & submit it to Pride Stables before the first day of camp.
- Campers are encouraged to wear a mask (if tolerated) as much as possible.

- You will inform us immediately if, at any time during the course of camp, you can answer yes on behalf of your camper(s) to any of the Pride Stables screening questions.
- Camper(s) will wash their hands with soap & water when they first arrive at the stables, and regularly (as guided by camp counsellors) while at the stables.
- When camper(s) are not able to wash their hands (preferred), they will use alcohol-based hand sanitizer (available on site).
- Participants will maintain a physical distance from others where appropriate & possible. (Areas like picnic tables are marked with space for each camper).
- Follow directions & instructions of staff and any designated helpers of Pride Stables.
- If your camper(s) or any resident of your home has had close contact with a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19 you will let us know.
- If your camper(s) or a resident of your home test positive for COVID-19 you will immediately let us know and will not attend Camp Pride.

If your camper(s) have had any exposure to anyone at Pride Stables who subsequently tests positive for the coronavirus, we will notify you immediately so that you can take appropriate actions.

Confidentiality in case of infection

Pride Stables is keeping attendance and screening records during the COVID-19 pandemic. If campers or any participants/volunteers/staff test positive for COVID-19 we may be required to release this information to public health officials for the purposes of contact tracing. We will only provide the minimum information necessary for their data collection. With this consent form you are agreeing that we may do so without an additional signed release.

Consent

I have read and understand this consent form and agree for my child to participate in programming at Pride Stables/Camp Pride.

I understand that I am assuming the risk of my child's exposure to COVID-19 by attending Camp Pride.

name/signature

date