



2024 Flourishing Farmers Farm Information

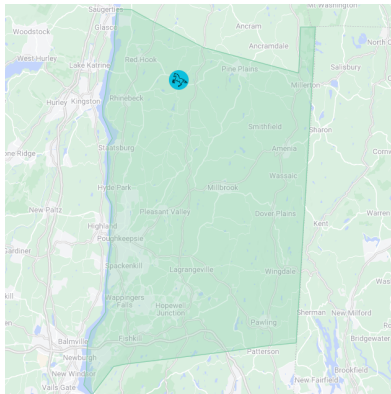
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Hidden Hollow Farm Riding Center, Inc. is a not-for-profit 501c3 organization located in New York's beautiful Hudson Valley. Our mission is to provide a safe, educational and pleasurable therapeutic riding facility for people with and without disabilities.

The farm facilities are mostly outdoors, so programs are weather dependent. Because of the terrain, this program would be best fit for students who do not have major ambulatory limitations.

Students will work exclusively with horses in primarily unmounted settings, with the opportunity for mounted activities on a case-by-case basis. Flourishing Farmers will develop basic care and showmanship skills with the horses such as grooming, haltering, leading, equipment tools and usage, and in hand showmanship.



6 Hidden Hollow Trail, Red Hook, NY 12571

Program Requirements:

- Students will attend at least seven out of the ten sessions.
- Caregivers must stay with students on site for the entirety of the program.
- Students must be available to attend the Dutchess County Fair the morning of Thursday, August 22nd.
- Students will treat the farms they visit, the animals they meet, and the tools they are given with respect.
- Students (with the assistance of their caretakers) will keep some sort of journal/book/photo collection to keep records and document experiences.
- Students will attend the Dutchess County Fair on Thursday the 22nd and, if desired, participate in a brief showcase of their progress over the course of activities. This could be a brief explanation detailing care of their animal, facts about their animal, a grooming demonstration, etc.



Pictured: Flourishing Farmer takes a ride on one of Hidden Hollow's Horses.

This program will run the following Saturdays from 11:00am-1:00pm:

3/2/24 | 4/6/24 | 5/4/24 | 6/1/24 | 7/6/24 | 8/3/24 | 9/7/24 | 10/5/24

Want to Participate?

Contact 4-H Program Coordinator, Savanna Burke by phone at 845-874-2388 or by email at swb93@cornell.edu

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