

# Hope's Chariot Boarding Program

Each boarder, client and guest must follow the barn rules that were developed to ensure the safest equine program possible.

Everyone under 18 must wear riding helmets when mounted on a horse. Adults engaged in riding lessons must wear a riding helmet. Adults can waive wearing a helmet when not participating in a riding lesson as long as the clause regarding riding helmets is read and signed in the liability waiver agreements. Helmets save lives.

Horses are at pasture about two hours daily when the pasture can support grazing. Hay is fed to supplement or replace grazing as needed. (Horses are fed hay twice a day.) Horses have free choice of water and salt blocks.

Horses are kept outside with a three-sided shelter available, with the exception of severe inclement weather, upon which they are brought in overnight to stay in their stall and released the next morning. On occasion the horses are fed in their stalls during stormy weather or extreme wet weather. Blanketing horses in the winter is strongly discouraged. Hope's Chariot charges an additional fee for blanketed horses.

Stalls are also used to feed concentrates. Board includes a small ration of concentrates. Additional supplements and grain can be fed at horse owner's expense. The following feed and supplements are available at cost: Tribute Grass Assist vitamin mineral, Tribute Kalm N EZ, Tribute Essential K, rolled oats blend, magnesium, apple cider vinegar, beet pulp, CRS Gold probiotics, soybean oil, MSM, salt, and flax.

During fly season, an oral pass-through larvicide such as Solitude IGR (Cyromazine) may be fed. It is not absorbed into the horse's system. Fly larvae will not hatch in the manure.

The worming program Plan A: fecal tests done twice a year at owner's expense and worming done based on the test results. A copy of fecal test must be provided to Hope's Chariot. Plan B: worm horse once every other month; rotating formulas. You can purchase your own wormer and worm your own horse, as long as the horse is wormed according to Plan A or Plan B.

Hope's Chariot offers limited boarding services. The boarder is responsible for the exercising and grooming of his or her own horse and handling his or her own horse for the farrier and the vet, and managing blankets if worn. These services can be provided for additional fees.

The climate-controlled tack room is available for your tack. One saddle rack, two bridle hooks and one half of one shelf are available. It is recommended to label all your possessions to help know whose is whose. (Hope's Chariot is not responsible for lost or stolen tack or property.)

There is a round pen, an indoor arena and an outdoor arena and a bridle path available for use. The North Kettle Moraine trailhead is about 30 minutes to the north.

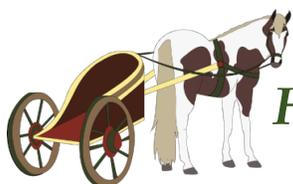
Board payment is due on the first of each month. If board payments are more than one month late, you will need to move your horse.

There is a Boarding Agreement document that must be signed and **all guests must read and fill out in completion the barn's Liability Waiver**. All guests riding your horse must first be introduced to Kathy Stone. If they come in your absence, they must have your written permission to use your horse. Guest trainers must have their own liability insurance or be added to the Hope's Chariot's liability insurance policy at the cost of the additional insured amendment.

Hope's Chariot will request that your horse be moved from the premises if the barn rules are not followed, if the board is not paid when it is due, or if your horse has damaging or dangerous behavior.

Each boarder should have their own liability insurance, which can often be an endorsement on their home-owner's insurance. Each boarder should also verify that their medical insurance covers injuries as a result of equine activities. Some insurance companies exclude injuries as a result of equine sports from their coverage.

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