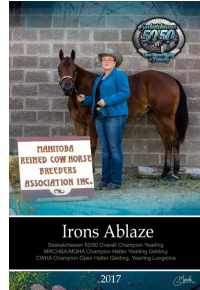


Hi, just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you have expressed an interest in Cloud 9 Ranch. Don't forget to add tara@cloud9ranch.ca to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!

You may [unsubscribe](#) if you no longer wish to receive our emails.



## Sign up for 2018 lessons

February 5th is the deadline to sign up for winter lessons that will begin February 26th for 8 weeks. There are NO lessons over March Spring Break.

Click here for [Lesson registration](#) forms or [Pricing](#).

April 16th is the deadline to sign up for spring lessons that will begin May 7th for 8 weeks.

We are trying a spring break day camp March 26-29th for youth aged 7-17 years old of all riding abilities. 9-4:30 daily. \$252. Let us know if you would like to register or [click here](#). Same format as summer day camps.

## Adult Day Camps

Due to popular demand, we are offering our Adult Day Camps for riders 18+ yrs old \$150.00

Part 1: For those not having attended this camp previously

Friday April 20th 5:30 - 9:00 pm, Saturday April 21st 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Friday May 11th 5:30-9:00 pm, Saturday May 12th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Part 2: For those who have attended a Part 1 camp in either 2017 or 2018

Friday May 25th 5:30-9:00 pm, Saturday May 26th 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

For more information [click here](#) and to register [click here](#).

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## Upcoming Clinics

CHA Instructor Certification Clinics April 26-30th and May 1-5th, 2018. \$800 for the full clinic which is either April or May. Auditors welcome at \$400 each. Includes manuals, CHA Membership and some meals. This is for those wanting to be certified as a group riding instructor. Minimum age is 16 to be an assistant, 18 as an instructor. Visit [www.cha-ahse.org](http://www.cha-ahse.org) for more info, visit the CHA Region 2 Facebook page or contact Tara.

General Performance Show Clinic May 19th GP Show Clinic . This is for those wanting to improve their showing skills or learn more about what the judge is looking for.

## You Tube videos

Cloud 9 Ranch has several you tube videos for your information and entertainment including 1-our therapy programs 2-Arnie wins CHA School Horse of the Year 2016 3-Tara wins CHA Instructor of the Year 2013 4-Our latest promo video. Please tell others about our programs!



Have you heard about our therapy programs?



Arnie wins CHA School Horse of the Year 2016!



**Tara wins CHA Instructor of the Year 2013**

### Our Latest Promo Video



## **HAY 'Horses Anchoring Youth' mentorship program**

Horses Anchoring Youth is our mentorship program for females of all ages. Our mandate is "Horses providing unconditional love for the acceptance of all youth." This is in response to a great need expressed by the parents of our youth students. Thank you for sharing, all of you! Through your voices, God made it very clear to us as to what our part in this is.

Now in our second year, we meet weekly at our barn each Monday evening 7:00-8:30 pm. Mentors meet at 6:30 to prepare for the evening. It is totally acceptable if youth can only attend part of the time and we welcome them to participate!

Only past and present Cloud 9 Ranch students are invited. This is because they already know the safety rules and how to act around horses. There is no age restriction but we are not a baby sitting service so please use discretion with whether your child will work well in this program.

It is only for females at this time. All mentors are female then as well.

There will be NO riding but the evenings will always involve horse time and perhaps a related activity.

There is no charge.

This is not a Christian mentorship program however I am a Christian and know that this is God's doing to bring this program together. Please pray for the program. We want to build a safe and welcoming environment in which these youth can relax with the horses, become grounded and build trusting relationships with other youth and mentors. We will not force one on one mentoring but rather grow and nurture those relationships as the youth approach us, when they are comfortable.

No horse experience is necessary to be a part of this so contact me if you would like to be a mentor.

## LIVE YOUR DREAM at Cloud 9 Ranch

Having worked with horses all our lives, we know firsthand that the outside of the horse is good for the inside of a person. Our hearts and minds have always known the benefits and now Science proves it by confirming that just us touching the horse releases our oxytocin, the bonding hormone. That explains why people, regardless of their fears, anxieties, confusion and pain, want to still bond and create a relationship with the horse. At Cloud 9 Ranch we want you to LIVE YOUR DREAM and so we have several ways for you to spend time with the horses!

**Riding** - Whether you have ridden before or not, our capable and experienced CHA certified instructors will teach you the skills needed to better communicate with and care for the horse on both the ground and in the saddle, English or Western. Our well trained lesson horses are quiet, prefer to move slowly, yet are responsive. Riders must be capable of controlling the horse under the instructor's guidance. Riders will groom, learn to be safe around, lead and ride on their own in either the outdoor or indoor arena. All ages welcome. Group, semi-private or private lesson options to choose from.



**Vaulting** - No previous horse experience needed to climb aboard a horse and test your balance and confidence through different moves. Suitable for all ages whether youth or adults! Vaulters can ride double also! This is very safe as there are handles to hold onto and a qualified instructor controls the horse. Vaulters just need to wear comfortable stretchy clothing with soft soled shoes.



**Therapeutic Riding** - Allow the movement of the horse to benefit the rider both physically and mentally. Vault pad with handles or a saddle are used. A platform with stairs is used for those needing help to mount up. Positive results occur, whether it is paralysis, aiding in muscle tension release with cerebral palsy or mental stimulus for various mental disabilities. Also allows for less mobile seniors to reminisce and connect safely with horses again.





**Team Discovery** - Equine Assisted Learning allows people to work together as a team to complete a task that involves horses. Ground work, no riding, allows for an intimate connection to the horse as you problem solve and work with the horses and/or ponies. Great for character development, confidence, team building, self discovery and more. Families, teams, corporate, committees, school classes, etc.



**Personal Recovery** - Equine Assisted Psychotherapy is one person with horse(s) and/or ponies. Using the EAGALA model, the team consists of the horse, Equine Specialist and Mental Health Professional. Horses are worked with on the ground, not riding. It is solution-oriented using experiential learning while believing that the client has the ability to change within. These are private sessions and we adhere to a strict code of ethics.

Contact Tara Reimer at [tara@cloud9ranch.ca](mailto:tara@cloud9ranch.ca) or 204-392-6308 to discuss further!

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**2018 Cloud 9 Ranch LIVE YOUR DREAM Prices**  
(add 5% gst to all prices)

**Riding Lessons:** Group lessons are once per week for seasonal 8-10 week sessions. Semi-private and private lessons are available whenever it suits best for the student and instructor. Prices remain the same whether riding our lesson horse or your own horse.

A helmet is required when riding. Girls will need to remove braids and pony tails need to be low when wearing the helmet. Closed toe boots with a minimum 1/2" heel, shirts and long pants are required. No Jewelry. We supply helmets which are mandatory for students under 18 years old.

Group 1.5 hour lesson: 3-6 riders \$42/rider

Semi Private lesson: 1 hour \$52.50/rider, 45 minutes is \$42, 30 minutes is \$31.50/rider

Private lesson: 30 minutes \$42, 45 minutes \$52.50, 1 hour \$63

Group lessons are payable 50% at the first lesson and 50% at the half way point.

**Vaulting Lessons:** Usually Monday to Thursday evenings or Saturdays, but other times available for private groups. Wear stretchy, comfortable clothing that is layered, with long hair tied back. Shoes need to have soft soles and allow the ankles to move freely. Cowboy boots and riding jeans are not suitable. Helmets are not used as they throw the vaulter off balance and get in the way. Helmets allowed if necessary, however movement on the horse will be restricted.

\$21 per 1.5 hour session when joining a group of six.

\$140 for 1.5 hours for as many vaulters as you wish, when booking your own private group.

**Therapeutic Riding**

Horses are tacked with either a western saddle or a surcingle with ahndles as in vaulting. Clients are led for 30 minutes. \$27 per 30 min.

**Team Discovery:**

Accommodates groups of 2-5 people for \$150/hour, 6-12 people for \$175/hour or 13-20 people for \$200/hour

**Personal Recovery:** Sessions available in evenings and Saturdays. \$150/hour

No Sunday lessons or sessions of any sort.

Payable by cheque to Cloud 9 Ranch with student/client's name on notes line. Also payable by cash which must be in envelope clearly marked with amount paid, date and student/client's name. Place in wood box behind classroom door in barn. If paying by e transfer, send to tara@cloud9ranch.ca with the student's name in notes and password HORSE.

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