Information Sheet - Cottonwood Creek Equestrian

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Joe Wolter ~ Horsemanship & Cow Work

May 2 & 3, 2026

Clinic Rider: Includes Lunch each day
Register by **April 3, 2026** ~ clinic $795.00. Register after **April 3, 2026** ~ $895.00
Your deposit of $400.00 reserves your rider spot!!! I will hold rider spots verbally for 5 days. Payment in full to be received by **April 3, 2026**. **Deposits are non-refundable.** If Paying by Credit or Debit Card Add 4% to total
Cancellations: See Below
Cattle Fee: Cows will be worked on day 2 of the clinic and is included in clinic fee..

Clinic Start Time: 9:00am to 4:30pm

Rider Spots Limited – Minimum of 12 riders and a maximum of 15 riders

Auditor: (Please bring your own comfy Chair). We do have bleachers.
Pre-Registered $30.00 per day or on the Day of Clinic $40.00 per day. No refunds for cancellations or no shows.

Overnight Stall Fees: $30.00 per night
You are responsible for your own horse – feed, clean, etc. Please bring your own water buckets, feed, and bedding. Bedding can be purchased at $15.00 per bag.

Overnight Camping: No Hookups, dry camping only ~ NO CHARGE for riders in 2026. Auditors - $10.00 per night

Clinic Description:

Day 1: Horsemanship
Come with your goals and problems! Riders of all levels and disciplines will benefit from Joe's insights and deep understanding of the horse-human connection. Some ground work and advancing your horsemanship will be covered. Cow Flag work (rate & position) will also be covered.

Day 2: Cow Work
Cow working classes are for any rider wishing to start their horse on cattle, or to further advance a horse already working cattle. Riders learn about position and rate, tracking, timing, pressure points and how to utilize their horsemanship skills to track, sort and cut cattle. The emphasis is on horse and rider teamwork, developing a horse that wants to work a cow and on using low-stress livestock handling techniques that pay off on the ranch and in the show ring.

Cancellations:
Deposits are non-refundable. If a rider or horse becomes unable to attend/complete the clinic, **no refund** will be given as the Ride/Clinic host or instructor cannot be responsible for unforeseen problems.

Video & Audiotaping:
You are welcome to take still pictures during the clinic. However, Videotaping is not allowed.

Horses:
The State of California requires all horses entering the state to have a Negative Coggins within the last 12 months. This test takes some time, so if traveling from out of state, please plan ahead. Your horse should be healthy and in good shape – you will be in the saddle most of the day.

Horsekeeping:
Please try to arrive before dark as it makes it easier to find your way around. The stalls are covered. If you need or want shavings they are available for purchase or you can bring your own. Bring a water bucket and your feed.

You are responsible for cleaning your own stall daily and before you leave. If stalls are not clean upon departure you will be charged an additional $25.00.

Hay:

If you need to purchase hay, the local feed store, Shasta Farm 530-347-5112 has good quality Hay.

Directions to Cottonwood Creek Equestrian Center

Cottonwood is located between Redding & Red Bluff on Interstate 5. From I 5 Take Bowman Road exit #662. Go West on Bowman Rd. for 3 miles. Turn Right on Evergreen Road. Go 1 mile. We are on the right – Look for our sign out front- you can see the covered arena from the road. **DO NOT follow your GPS** – it takes you to our neighbors.

Lunch & Breaks

There will be a break for lunch and is included in rider fee. Auditors are welcome to purchase lunch.

Lodging

The following Motels are located within a short distance. Please make sure to say you are attending an event at Cottonwood Creek Equestrian and ask for the corporate rate.

Gaia Hotel & Spa 530-365-7077
4125 Riverside Place (*discount booking link on our website)*
Anderson, CA. 96007

Best Western Knights Inn 530-365-2753
2688 Gateway Dr.
Anderson, Ca. 96007

Motel 6 530-364-2021
2861 McMurray Dr.
Anderson, CA. 96007

Local Restaurants

Kenny's Kitchen 530-347-8009
Cottonwood Stock Yard
Cottonwood, Ca. 96022

Woodside Grill 530-365-7077
4125 Riverside Place
Anderson, Ca. 96007

Eagle's Nest Pizza 530-347-6679
I-5 & Gas Point Road
Cottonwood, CA. 96022

Puerta Vallarta 530-378-1404
2690 Gateway Dr. (next to Best Western)
Anderson, Ca. 96007

General Guidelines

- Please drive **VERY SLOWLY (12 miles per hr.)** while on the property. Our neighbors appreciate dust control!
- No alcoholic beverages allowed on the premises. (OK…drink responsibly)
- **NO SMOKING** allowed on the premises.
- No unattended children.
- **NO DOGS ALLOWED**. We know how much you love your canine companions, but we would ask that you please refrain from bringing them to the Clinic. We wish to minimize any risk to people or horses that could be caused by an untimely bark or even just the normal doggy scampering. Thank you for your consideration of the riders**, and their horses.**
- Please pick up after yourself and your horse. There are trash receptacles and wheel barrels for manure.
- Leave all gates the way that you find them.
- Smile **BE READY TO LEARN A TON AND HAVE LOTS OF FUN ! ! !**