

# Lesson Time Etiquette & Scheduling Reminder

As we begin a new session of therapeutic riding lessons starting **April 14th**, we'd like to share a few important reminders to help us maintain a respectful and supportive environment for our participants, families, volunteers, and horses.

- ♦ **Lesson Schedule:**

Lessons will take place between **2:00 PM and 6:00 PM on Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays**.

- ♦ **Strides is a working therapeutic facility**, and these scheduled lesson times are the heart of what we do. In order to provide the best possible experience for our clients, we ask that **adoption visits and similar activities be scheduled outside of these hours** whenever possible.

- ♦ **You are always welcome** to be on-site during lessons to:

- Clean pens or complete other chores
- Assist as a lesson volunteer (with approval)
- Be present and enjoy the environment, quietly and respectfully

- ♦ **Please avoid interacting with clients or horses scheduled during lesson times** unless you are directly involved in the session. Even our most familiar horses need to stay focused on their primary job—lessons.

Thank you for helping us uphold a calm, professional, and therapeutic atmosphere for those we serve. Your support makes a difference!

Warmly,

**The Strides Team**