

ROYCAN's HANDLER INFORMATION

Roycan's Handler's Course Level 1 has been designed to offer an opportunity for individuals to come and understand what is involved in becoming a Handler. This Course is a full 2 day course, with a lot of hands on experience with horses.

If you have no prior horse experience than you need to take 10 hrs of private sessions with Candice (at your cost) in order to be considered as a Handler.

The Handler's Course Level 1 is free of charge with meals provided.

WORKSHOP SCHEDULED FOR: SEPT 18 & 19TH (8:30-4:00pm) PLUS SAT SEPT 25TH 1:00-4:00 if you also want to be scheduled for our FLF programs.

Your Handler Facilitators for the Workshop are: Karen Saindon

Karen comes to us with qualifications as an Equine Massage Therapist and is our FLF Facilitator.

Senior Handler Facilitator: Yvette Brown

Yvette has worked with the 4-H Beef club as a parent and leader in the Portage area. She has been working with us as a Senior Handler for over a year. At present time she is working our Tuesday Full day EAPD programs with Don Middleton (Clinical Therapist) and Candice Kontzie (EAPD Facilitator)

Waivers: have to be signed by everyone once you arrive at the facility.

Registration will be help between 8:00-8:15 on Sat.

Evaluation Sheets will be handed out Sunday afternoon.

Your two days will be very intense with learning about the horse, how to care for the horse both physically and mentally and learning how to exercise the horse. Barn management will be part of the training along with 1st Aid. 15 hrs of training will be the workshop.

In order to qualify as a Handler and be scheduled to work the following steps are taken:

1. Complete the Handler's Level 1 Workshop
2. Have Basic Horsemanship Skills or take Private Sessions with Candice
3. Have an interview with Don/Karen and Candice
4. Security check done
5. Schedule to work. All Handler's are paid a salary of \$14.50 an hour with 4% vacation pay added.

6. You must have a Royal Bank Account in order to get paid. Direct deposit is the only thing available.
7. Candice Kontzie EAPD Facilitator and owner makes the final decision on all Handlers being scheduled or enrolled into workshop and programs.

*The final team is built with lots of positive energy and lots of laughter.
Enjoy your journey with us.*

2010-11 HANDLER APPLICATION (EAPD PROGRAMS)

Name: _____

Address: _____ City/Town _____ Postal Code _____

Telephone: Home _____ Work /Cell _____

E-mail _____

Place of Employment: _____

Age: under 16 yrs-18 over 18 yrs (please check one)

How did you hear about EAPD Program? _____

What made you choose to become a Handler for our EAPD Programs? _____

Do you have experience interacting with people with disabilities? No Yes If yes,

Describe: _____

Do you have experience with horses? No Yes If yes, describe.

Please list any additional skills, interests that you would be willing to share.

Availability	Yes/No
Mon	9:30 a.m. -2:30
Tues	10:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m.
Wed	9:30-2:30 p.m.
Wed	3:30-8:30
Thurs	9:30-2:30 p.m.
Thurs	3:30-8:30

Other times: _____

Please indicate any medical condition(s) we should be aware of:

Contact person in case of emergency:

Name: _____ Phone: Home _____

Work _____

Your connections with any client applying for the program: (name of client)

You have enclosed your: RCMP and Child Registry documents ____YES ____NO

You are available for the mandatory training for Handlers

Sat Sept 18/19 8:30-4:00 p.m. and Sat Sept 25, 1:00-4:00p.m. ____Yes____No

Handler Agreement with Roycan's Country Haven

- o In consideration of this application form, I hereby waive and release any and all claims against Roycan's Country Haven, their paid personnel, volunteers, for all injuries and expenses incurred by me during Roycan's Country Haven activities.
- o I further give my permission to Roycan's Country Haven and to persons designated by Roycan to make photographic, and/or audiovisual recordings of myself and to publish or display them.
- o In case of an emergency, the undersigned authorizes Roycan's Country Haven to provide such medical assistance as they determine to be necessary.
- o I understand that any personal information I am given regarding a client is confidential and I agree to keep that information in confidence.
- o Upon on arrival at Roycan's Country Haven for the mandatory orientation I agree to sign the standard waiver supplied by the Facility and which is enclosed on the website for review.

Print Applicant Name: _____

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Print Parent or Guardian Name: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date: _____

(Parent or guardian, only if applicant is under 18 years of age)

SUBMIT TO: Roycan's Country Haven
Attn: Candice Kontzie (EAPD Facilitator)
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OR EMAIL

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EMAIL is preferred if possible!