

# *Silver Lining Farm*

## *Birthday Party Guidelines*

1. 15 guests – for every child over 15 there is a \$10 charge. (When you invite 20-25 you usually end up with approximately 15 guests).
2. Bring refreshments – cake or cupcakes and drinks (water, juice boxes, Capri suns). The children are so excited about riding, they are not usually interested in a lot of food. Please let us know if you are interested and we can provide a horsey sheet cake for \$30.
3. Call the farm phone, 634-1229, 1 or 2 days prior to the party to give an approximate number of guests expected.
4. No child can ride without a signed release. The release must be signed by the parents or custodial guardian (not aunt, uncle, step parent etc.) Please remind parents so the child will not be disappointed.
5. No smoking or alcohol on the premises.
6. No sandals, flip-flops, crocks, etc. Children must wear closed toe shoes, i.e. boots, hiking boots, etc.
7. Long pants are not required but very helpful.
8. Helmets are provided. The children are encouraged to bring their own if they have one. (bike, skateboard, riding helmet, etc.)
9. There are bathroom facilities in the barn.
10. We have red tablecloths or you may bring your own.
11. Sometimes parents ask to ride a horse at the party. The horses we use are suited for children. Many are quite old. If a parent asks, you can tell them to check with Mimi on scheduling a lesson on a horse suited for adults.
12. I will have information sheets to pass out to the parents and children on our camps, lessons, etc. Please help distribute the info at the end of the party. We have birthday parties to showcase our beautiful facility and programs.