



Weather Policy

Cold & Snow Emergencies: Temperature will be evaluated at 9pm the night before using the hourly forecast temperature for 10am of the lesson day using weather.com for zip code 43551 in Wood County, Ohio. Temperature will be evaluated at 3pm on the day of the lesson for all evening lessons beginning at 4pm or later. If the air temperature is at or above 35F lessons will be held. Temperatures 25F-35F, option to reschedule within the same session - invoked by either by student or instructor- without penalty. Temperatures below 25F all lessons will be rescheduled to the same "week" of the next session.

While the barn is not heated, the viewing space has its own heat. Wind is limited by closing barn and aisle doors. The horses themselves provide heat to the larger space. Often the barn is around 40F when it is still below freezing outside.

In addition to temperature, snow or ice may create a hazard independent of temperature. Please note any Wood County emergency levels announced by 6am the day of the lesson. Status will be reevaluated at 3pm for any evening lessons, those that begin 4pm or later. Use your best judgement! No penalty for rescheduling with 24 hours notice.

Wood County Snow Emergency Level 1 - option to reschedule based on the the instructor or client situation

Wood County Snow Emergency Level 2 - if announced overnight through 9am, regularly scheduled lessons are cancelled through 4pm, barn open. Situation will be reevaluated again at 3pm to see if afternoon lessons will be held.

Wood County Snow Emergency Level 3 - barn closed, lessons rescheduled

Heat and thunderstorms: Please contact your instructor directly for last minute weather related updates or changes. If there is thunder, all mounted horse activities will cease until 20 minutes after the last thunder clap heard. If the humidity plus temperature is expected to exceed 180 on your lesson hour as evaluated at 3pm by hourly forecast on your lesson day, lessons will be offered at a later time that same evening, or rescheduled to a break week without penalty. 150 - 180, it is instructor choice regarding holding the lesson.

Requests to reschedule must be received at least 24 hours prior to your lesson time. ALL cancellation or rescheduling requests for makeups must be emailed to: ridgeruninfo@gmail.com

Instructor and Coach contact information is available through a click through link on the website ridgerunperryburg.com or searching for the instructor as a "member" in the GoMotion mobile app.