

Spring Preventative Health Clinic

Once again the clinic will offer smaller stables and individual owners' preventative health services by geographical region (see below). By grouping clients in this fashion we will be able to keep the call charge at \$15/client. In order to provide these services to you as economically as possible, we will require that this routine work be paid at the time the service is provided.

For those of you who wish to schedule for one visit with vaccines only, feel free to choose from any of the dates listed. For those getting multiple vaccines and other services, you may choose multiple dates. **Because of the large number of animals we will need to see in a very short time the later Clinic dates are for vaccinations only. If you need any dentistry, initial vaccines, and Coggins, these will be performed in the earlier clinic dates.** Remember that it is advisable to limit the number of vaccines given at any one time to reduce adverse reactions.

The number of diseases and possible vaccines that are available seems to increase every year, and we at The Equine Clinic at OakenCroft would be happy to help you determine which vaccines are appropriate for your horses. Most horses will have digital Coggins Tests which are available to you for downloading online should you need replacement copies (very handy for those last minute moves when the papers are nowhere to be found)! Horses with pictures on file will not require a new one, but all others should be mud-free so that adequate images can be obtained. And don't forget the **parasite control and dentistry needs!**



County	Early Dates	Doctor	Later Dates	Doctor
Eastern Greene	3/3, 3/14, 4/17, 4/20 3/11, 3/29, 4/1 2/25	Serk Richwagen Jones	5/30, 6/15 5/20, 6/24 6/19	Serk Richwagen Jones
Central Greene	2/26, 3/12, 4/2, 4/20 3 /4, 4/8, 4/22 3/18	Serk Richwagen Jones	6/15, 6/30 6/3, 6/17	Serk Richwagen
Southern Greene	4/7, 4/20 4/29	Serk Richwagen	6/15 6/10	Serk Richwagen
Northern Schoharie	3/16, 3/21, 4/9, 4/21 2/20, 3/6, 4/3 3/1	Serk Jones Richwagen	5/28, 6/29 6/12, 6/24 6/7	Serk Jones Richwagen
Southern Schoharie	3/16, 3/24, 4/25 3/ 4,	Serk Jones	5/21, 6/29 6/17	Serk Jones
Fulton	2/23, 3/10, 3/26, 4/16 2/27, 3/20, 4/8, 4/29 3/ 4	Serk Jones Penno	5/18, 6/16 6/3, 6/26	Serk Jones
Montgomery	2/24, 3/23, 4/10 3/7 3/11, 4/1, 4/22	Serk Penno Jones	6/8, 6/25 5/20, 5/29	Serk Jones
Northern Albany	2/28 3/17 3/8 4/24	Serk Penno Richwagen Jones	6/23 6/10 5/22	Serk Jones Richwagen
Southern Albany	3/5, 4/6, 4/23 2/25, 3/18, 4/15 3/13, 3/27, 4/10	Serk Richwagen Jones	5/27, 6/27 6/21 6/5	Serk Richwagen Jones
Local	4/15 3/10 3/22 2/21	Jones Grant Richwagen Serk	6/25 5/27 6/9	Grant Richwagen Serk

Northern Berkshire	3/ 13, 4/25 4/4 3/24, 4/14	Safford Naile McDonald	6/20 6/4	Safford McDonald
Southern Berkshire	3/31, 4/7, 4/21 3/19 3/3, 4/18, 4/30	Safford Naile McDonald	5/22 6/18	Safford McDonald
Eastern Berkshire	4/2 3/21, 4/5, 4/24 2/25, 3/12, 4/11	Naile Safford McDonald	5/21 6/16	McDonald Safford
Northern Rensselaer	3/7, 4/18 2/26 3/ 4, 3/17, 4/23 3/26, 4/2, 4/29	Richwagen Naile Safford McDonald	6/27 5/27 5/15 6/10	Richwagen McDonald Safford Grant
Western Rensselaer	2/24 3/1, 3/10, 4/4,4/22 3/28, 4/12 3/18, 4/8, 4/28	Naile Safford Richwagen McDonald	6/5 6/23 5/23 5/30	McDonald Safford Richwagen Grant
Eastern Rensselaer	3/11 2/28 4/14 3/20	Naile Richwagen Safford McDonald	5/16 5/20 6/11 6/26	Richwagen Safford McDonald Grant
Southern Columbia	3/6 2/27, 3/19, 4/3, 4/16 3/13, 3/25, 4/7, 4/25	Naile Safford McDonald	5/19, 6/19 6/2, 6/27 5/29	McDonald Safford Grant
Northern Columbia	2/28 3/7, 3/27, 4/10 3/17, 4/15, 4/24	Naile Safford McDonald	5/23, 6/25 5/15, 6/13 6/2	Safford McDonald Grant
Eastern Columbia	2/21, 3/14 3/25, 4/17 3/21	McDonald Safford Naile	5/16, 6/6 5/28, 6/24 6/19	McDonald Safford Grant
Saratoga	3/11, 4/1 4/19 3/28, 4/30 4/9	Penno Richwagen Serk McDonald	6/18 5/31 5/22	Serk Richwagen Penno
Schenectady	2/20, 4/3, 3/20 3/6, 4/28 3/25, 4/17 3/14	Richwagen Serk Jones Penno	6/5 6/20 5/19	Richwagen Serk Grant

We remind both those that are scheduling during the clinic format as well as those larger stables that schedule at other times to provide the office with a current list of your boarders when you make an appointment. Most stables find it easier for the management of the stable to make appointments for all their boarders at once, and we recommend that a sign-up sheet be placed in those stables to help owners define their preventative health care requests.

DISEASE	INITIAL VACCINE	PERFORMANCE HORSE	PLEASURE HORSE	COMMENTS
Tetanus Toxoid	Adults: Initial and booster 30 days later.	Annual	Annual	Booster at the time of penetrating injury if over 6 months since the last booster.
Eastern/Western Encephalitis (EEE/WEE)	Adults: Initial and booster 30 days later.	Annually in the spring.	Annually in the spring.	May need booster every six months in endemic areas in Southern US.
West Nile Virus	Adults: Initial and booster 3-4 weeks later.	Annually in the spring.	Annually in the spring.	This vaccine schedule is extrapolated from other encephalitis vaccines and is subject to change. May need boosters in the Southern US and in the face of an outbreak.
Rabies	Adults: Single initial dose.	Annual	Annual	Rabies certificates available upon request.
Influenza	Adults: Initial and booster 30 days later.	Every 6-12 months.	Every 6-12 months.	Optional vaccine in isolated, older horses.
Rhinopneumonitis (EHV-1 & 4)	Killed & modified live vaccine: Adults: Initial and booster 30 days later.	Killed and modified live vaccine: Every 3-12 months (depending on product).	Killed and modified live vaccine: Every 3-12 months (depending on product).	Optional vaccine in isolated, older horses. Killed vaccine at 3,5,7,9 months for pregnant mares
Strangles	IN: Adults: Initial and booster 2-3 weeks later.	IN: Every 6-12 months.	IN: Every 6-12 months.	Recommended on farms that have had a strangles problem and for horses that will be showing/traveling.
Potomac Horse Fever (PHF)	Adults: Initial and booster 30 days later.	Every 3 months during the summer and fall months.	Every 3 months during the summer and fall months.	Vaccine only partially effective. Give in May/June and August/September in endemic areas.
Equine Viral Arteritis (EVA)	Adults: One dose only.	Annually for breeding prospects.	Annually for breeding prospects.	Isolate horses for 3 weeks following vaccination.
Botulism	Adults: Initial and 2 boosters at 30 day intervals	Annually	Annually	Only required in endemic areas and on farms feeding silage/round hay bales.
Rotavirus	N/A	N/A	N/A	Some Broodmares
Equine Infectious Anemia – Coggins		Retest every 6-12 months.	Retest every other calendar year	Some interstate and international requirements may vary. Individual farms and events may have more stringent requirements.
Dentistry		Semi-annual exam.	Annual exam.	Only veterinarians are licensed to perform dentistry and administer tranquilizers in NY.
Deworming		Consult your veterinarian.	Consult your veterinarian.	We recommend strategic deworming based on fecal egg counts.