

February Progressive English Riding lessons/ jumping at MRAS

3-Day Lesson Series with Stephanie Patterson

Monday evenings: February 3, 10 & 17, 2025

Group 1: 4:00-5:00PM Group 2: 5:00-6:00PM Group 3: 6:00-7:00PM

*Kids and Adults welcome!

Lesson Series Format:

Maximum group size – 4 riders Lesson 1: Flatwork prep for jumping Lesson 2: Gymnastics Lesson 3: Course work

Minimum riding requirements:

Walk/trot/canter, ability to stand in stirrups

Which height have you been regularly jumping most recently?

No recent jumping experience* 18"-2' 2'-2'6" 2'6"-2'9" 3'+

*New to jumping riders are welcome! This is a fun way to experience a new discipline, we will have a group specifically for this if there is interest.

Cost: 2024/2025 MRAS Riding Members Non-Members (All pricing includes GST) \$ 120.00, priority registration until December 27th. \$ 150.00

Email <u>MRAS.equine@gmail.com</u> to reserve your spot. <u>Please indicate your class time preference and jumping experience.</u>

Any questions about the lesson series, please contact Caia Williamson directly at <u>caiawilliamson@hotmail.com</u>

Payment instructions will be provided upon registration confirmation. Participants will be notified of their weekly ride time closer to the lesson start date.

Please note a minimum number of participants are required for the lessons to proceed. Registrations will be accepted until <u>Monday January 20th.</u>

Cancellation Policy:

MRAS cannot guarantee your spot will be filled in the event of cancellation however every attempt will be made to do so. Should your spot be filled, a refund will be issued less a 15% administration fee. If your spot cannot be filled the full amount will be forfeited.

MRAS Equine Committee Clinic Coordinator – Caia Williamson

About Stephanie Patterson:

Stephanie was a Hunter/Jumper for many years, working for competitive and successful barns as an assistant trainer in Calgary, Vancouver and Ireland before trading in her jumping saddle for a dressage saddle, and moving back to Calgary 2 years ago.

Currently, she substitutes regularly for Shannon Haney and Sarah Wilson at Trilogy Farms, and Julie Pollard at Bow Canyon Equestrian, as well as teaching a flatwork for jumpers' clinic at Ridge Country Farm in Prince George where she gets to work with the 2021 and 2023 CET Medal winners.

One of the things she has learned in her riding journey is that all disciplines excel at different skill sets, and cross training is one of the most exciting ways you have to develop a horse and rider combo that are of sound mind, body and spirit. So, she loves being able to help horse and rider pairs in their jumping journey whether it's just starting or has been going for a long time.