



AUTISM SOCIETY

Improving the Lives of All Affected by Autism
Kern Autism Network



AUTISM HORSE CAMP

Where: M.A.R.E. Therapeutic Riding Center- 18200 Johnson Road, Bakersfield 93314

Contact: Sonya-661-589-1877

Who: Ages 7-13 **Weight Limit:** 110 lbs.

When: Choice 1: August 1-3 **Choice 2:** August 8-10

Time: 9 a.m. till 12 p.m.

What: Time frame of 3 consecutive sessions @ 3 hours each (sessions & times may not be changed)

Program: Participants of the Autism Horse Camp will interact with the horse both on the ground and mounted. Activities will include games, crafts and developmental equine vaulting (a form of simple gymnastics moves on top of the horse). Developmental equine vaulting provides sensory input using the movement of the horse, works on balance and posture, and helps to develop social skills and teamwork. There are no time changes once the camp has started. Additional paperwork will be provided by M.A.R.E. if child is approved for scholarship.

Summer Scholarships available by Kern Autism Network-Autism Society for further information call 661-489-3335. Applications must be pre-approved prior to participating in this Autism Horse Camp. Award notices will be done in July if selected.

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