

Comprehensive Hoof Care Workshop

– a whole-horse workshop in theory & practice –

September 2026 Schedule^o

	Sunday 27-Sep	Monday 28-Sep	Tuesday 29-Sep	Wednesday 30-Sep	Thursday 1-Oct	
8:30 AM					Horse Training for Trimming - Live Demo	
8:40 AM						
8:50 AM						
9:00 AM		Functional Distal Limb Anatomy		Feeding for Healthy Horses & Hooves		
9:10 AM			Breakfast Ride (Optional) ^a			
9:20 AM						
9:30 AM						Body Position & Trimming - Live Demo
9:40 AM					Problems Caused by Care & Management Issues	
9:50 AM						
10:00 AM		Optimal Hoof Function & Form		BREAK	BREAK	
10:10 AM						
10:20 AM						
10:30 AM						
10:40 AM						
10:50 AM		BREAK	Problems Caused by Incorrect Trimming	Techniques for Visual & Auditory Trim Evaluation	Case Studies	
11:00 AM						
11:10 AM						
11:20 AM		The Trim Process				
11:30 AM						
11:40 AM						
11:50 AM			The Hoof Consequences of Horse & Rider Asymmetry		BREAK	
12:00 PM				Hoof Boots & Boot Fitting		
12:10 PM		Trimming the Non-Equine Hoof			The Plan for Long-Term Soundness	
12:20 PM						
12:30 PM						
12:40 PM						
12:50 PM						
1:00 PM	LUNCH (Optional) [†]	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	
1:10 PM						
1:20 PM						
1:30 PM						
1:40 PM						
1:50 PM		Intro to Tools & Trimming Demo				
2:00 PM						
2:10 PM						
2:20 PM						
2:30 PM						
2:40 PM						
2:50 PM				Trim Practicum & Non-Equine Trimming Demo	Trim Practicum & Tool Sharpening Demo	
3:00 PM						
3:10 PM						
3:20 PM						
3:30 PM			Trim Practicum & Dissection Demo			
3:40 PM						
3:50 PM						
4:00 PM		Trim Practicum & Shoe Removal Demo				
4:10 PM	Welcome!					
4:20 PM						
4:30 PM	The Illusion of Knowledge: Sorting Fact from Fiction				Final Cleanup	
4:40 PM				Cleanup		
4:50 PM					BREAK	
5:00 PM						
5:10 PM						
5:20 PM						
5:30 PM	Lessons from the Feral Horse & the Natural Trim			Ranch Rodeo (Optional)	Questions/Answers & Closing Remarks	
5:40 PM		Cleanup	Cleanup			
5:50 PM						
6:00 PM						
6:10 PM						
6:20 PM	HAPPY HOUR & GET-ACQUAINTED GET-TOGETHER	HAPPY HOUR	HAPPY HOUR	HAPPY HOUR	HAPPY HOUR	
6:30 PM						
6:40 PM						
6:50 PM						
7:00 PM						
7:10 PM						
7:20 PM						
7:30 PM	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER (Optional) [†]	
7:40 PM						
7:50 PM						
8:00 PM						

NOTES -

^o More information and a description of classes can be found at www.EnlightenedEquineWorkshops.com/description.

[†] Four (4) lunches & four (4) dinners are included in the Workshop price. Sunday lunch and/or Thursday dinner may be purchased if desired.

^a The Breakfast Ride is an optional activity, and is available for an additional \$55. We ride into the desert (at the walk only), are served a hot breakfast, and ride back to the main part of the Ranch via a different route. Other options are: walk to the breakfast site, be driven to the breakfast site, and eat breakfast in the dining room.