

The University of Tennessee at Martin

Equestrian Clinic Application

Fill out and mail now with 100% tuition. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Circle Date Attending: February 6 March 6

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email _____

Telephone _____

Age _____ English or Western (circle one)

Additional meals for luncheon (\$15/person) _____

Names attending luncheon

___ **YES.** We would like a campus tour/academic appointment either Friday, Feb. 5 or March 5.
Please list your academic interest _____.

___ **NO.** We are not interested in a campus tour at this time.

Schedule, map and additional forms will be mailed upon receipt of registration forms.

Make Checks Payable to UT Martin.

Detach and send to: **UT Martin Equestrian
Camps & Special Programs
P.O. Box 127
Martin, TN 38238**

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EQUESTRIAN CLINIC

English or Western
Ages 14-18

UT MARTIN
SKYHAWKS



Martin, Tenn.
**February 6th or March 6th,
2010**

9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Clinic Instructors

Meghan Cunningham was named the University of Tennessee Martin's first head equestrian coach in the spring of 2005. Cunningham helped transition equestrian at the university from club to varsity sport. The UT Martin equestrian team made the most of its inaugural season, earning a berth in the 2007 Varsity Equestrian National Championship (VENC) show in Waco, Texas. In 2007-2008 they were seeded 11th at VENC.

Prior to joining the Skyhawk family Cunningham was an assistant coach at Kansas State University for four years. A native of Pittsburgh, Pa., Cunningham received her bachelor's degree from Virginia Tech in 2001 and her master's degree from Kansas State in 2004, both in animal science. Her graduate work centered on the development and promotion of varsity equestrian.

Kelley Reeve, of Garden City, Kan., begins her first season as the new assistant equestrian coach. Reeve will work with the Western riders. She has ridden and shown horses for the past 13 years under multiple world class trainers. She earned an AQHA World Championship title in 2004 and an NSBA World Championship title in 2006.

Reeve has also earned a national year-end high-point award. She has several AQHA world show and All-American Quarter Horse Congress top ten finishes along with multiple national circuit awards.

Reeve has worked with world class trainers from Ohio and Texas. She participated in a university led study abroad trip focusing on the equine industry in Ireland, Scotland, and England.

Reeve graduated from Kansas State University in the spring of 2008 with a degree in social science and a minor in animal science.

The **Skyhawk Equestrian Team** will serve as counselors & demonstration riders.

UT Martin Equestrian Camp

Participants will get to experience a day in the life of a skyhawk equestrian. The clinic will include an opportunity to ride horses that the team uses for practices and competitions as well as instruction from the coaching staff. Athletes will gain knowledge on what to expect as a student athlete and the requirements to be eligible per NCAA. We will also explore the different formats available in collegiate equestrian.

Features

- Campus and Farm Tour
- Overview of Varsity Equestrian
- Individual instruction
- Focus on Equitation over Fences/Flat or Horsemanship/Reining
- Clinic T-Shirt

Eligibility

This equestrian clinic is open to ages 14-18. Athletes will choose to participate in either the english or western discipline. It is recommended that hunt-seat athletes be able to jump a course of 2'6" comfortably and have experience showing in the USEF. Western athletes should have show experience within the AQHA and/or the NRHA or an equivalent breed association.



Clinic Cost

The cost of the clinic is \$115. Lunch will be provided to participants. Parents may attend the luncheon for a cost of an additional cost of \$15 per person. Horses and equipment (saddles etc.) are also provided. Due to limited space, a 100% nonrefundable deposit is required at the time of registration.

Attire

Hunt seat participants are required to wear an ASTM approved helmet. Boots and breeches with a well fitted shirt are preferred for English. Western riders should wear a flat leather or rubber soled boot with jeans and a well fitted shirt. Riders will have an opportunity to change if they desire.

Facilities

The Ned R. McWherter Agricultural Complex will house the clinic. The 82,000 square foot building includes a 24,000 square foot indoor arena and seating for 3,200 people. There is a 185-stall barn adjacent to the complex.

Graves Stables is the home of UT Martin horses. The stables include 10 stalls, three wash racks and three tack rooms. There are approximately 30 acres of turnout, which includes seven paddocks. A 250 x 150 outdoor arena is adjacent to the barn.

For more information call Meghan Cunningham at 731-881-7273

**Registration Deadline:
January 29/February 26, 2010**

Hotel Information:

Martin: Hampton Inn - (731) 587-5800
Union City: Hampton Inn - (731) 885-8850