



7291 CR 6 SW
Stewartville, MN 55976
Six miles west of
Stewartville



Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch Women's Equestrian Retreat September 9-11, 2011

Cost: \$225 (plus \$45 stall fee if you bring your own horse)

Check In: Friday, September 9th **1:00pm** at the Castner Riding Arena

Check Out: Sunday, September 11th **4:00pm** at the Castner Riding Arena

Horse activities will include: outdoor scenic trail rides, western riding lessons, horsemanship classes, grooming, saddling, training demonstrations, leather crafts, and more! Non-horsemanship activities include devotions and Bible Study. The weekend also includes meals and two nights lodging in our new Miracle Lodge. www.miraclelodge.com Participants have the option of riding one of the horses at Ironwood Springs or bringing their own horse. This horse must be broke to ride both in the arena and on the trail.

We require that anyone registering for this camp and riding a horse owned by Ironwood weigh 225# or less. For the safety of the rider and consideration of our horses this rule will be strictly enforced. This is an adult women's retreat so participants should be 18 years of age or older.

Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch Mother-Daughter Equestrian Retreat August 19-20, 2011

This retreat will include riding lessons, trail riding through miles of scenic trails, horse demonstrations, a wagon ride, a chuck-wagon supper and more!!

Check In: 4:00pm Friday August 20th

Check Out: After our Chuck-wagon Supper on Saturday August 21st (about 7:00pm)

Cost: \$110 per person

Thanks for your interest in learning more about your horse! They appreciate it too! The goal I have for teaching and training is to reach out to horse lovers, expose minds to new ideas, and equip them to safely teach the ideas to their horse. In turn, I expect everyone to encourage others so we all can enjoy God's creatures and the awesomeness and peacefulness of His creation. I'm excited to meet you all and learn from you too!

B.J. Stoppelmoor

Hi! Let me introduce myself: My name is B J Stoppelmoor. Born in S.E. Minnesota, I spent my childhood with horses at a private campground owned and operated by my family in Preston. After graduating from high school I attended the University of Wisconsin at River Falls obtaining a Bachelor of Science degree with an Equine emphasis. From there it was on to Oklahoma for two years working under the guidance of AQHA trainer and judge, Jackie Krshka.

After a combined 10 years of owning and operating training/boarding facilities in Rice Lake Wisconsin, and then in NW Iowa, I have moved back home! Mike (my wonderful husband!), baby girl Ciara and baby number two on the way, have given me a whole new lease on life!

I've learned a lot over the years about natural horsemanship (and continue to learn!) and I am ecstatic about working with Ironwood Springs to help you learn and to learn from you about the parallel between humans, horses and God!

Ride * Learn * Grow * With the horses at Ironwood



2011 Schedule

April 29-May1	Operation Welcome Home Retreat
May 20-22	"Wounded Warriors Weekend" (Turkey Hunt)
May 27-30	Memorial Day Weekend and Cookout
June 11	Wheels & Heels of Fire 10K Event
June 11-16	25th National Wheelchair Sports Camp
June 20-23	ISCR Junior I Trailblazers Horse Camp
June 27-July1	ISCR Junior II Highriders Horse Camp (#1)
July 5-9	Twangler Camp (Teen & Wrangler's)
July 10-13	Boys Spiritual Outdoor Adventure Retreat
July 18-22	ISCR Junior II Highriders Horse Camp (#2)
July 29-31	Miracles Happen Festival III
August 1-5	Wrangler DAY Horse Camp (beginners)
August 8-12	Wrangler DAY Horse Camp (advanced)
August 12-14	Operation Military Families Weekend
August 19-20	Mother-Daughter Equestrian Retreat
Sept 2-5	Labor Day Weekend
Sept 9-11	Women's Equestrian Retreat
Sept 16-18	Operation Welcome Home Retreat
October 22	Lumberjack Weekend
October 29	MN Cowboy Ministries presents John Lyons
November 4-6	"A Time to Sew" Quilters Retreat



Hey "Little Wranglers"

Mark your calendars today.... this is one event your family will not want to miss. Modeled after a real rodeo... your "little wranglers" ages 2-9 will have an opportunity to saddle up their stick pony and compete in one of three events. Add a couple of Rodeo Queens and a Clown, and you have a

family fun filled afternoon at the Castner Riding Arena. Make sure you stick around for the Roy Rogers Jr Concert and more great music after the BBQ.

Register now!

Print the appropriate Women's Equestrian or Mother-Daughter Retreat registration form from www.ironwoodsprings.com and mail it along with payment to Ironwood Springs Christian Ranch, 7291 CR 6 SW, Stewartville, MN 55976. For more information on trail rides, horse drawn wagon rides and other equestrian activities, contact B.J. at wrangler@ironwoodsprings.com or (507)533-9933.