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## RICHMOND THERAPEUTIC RIDING

#### **Spring Session**

Winter Session will end Wednesday March 18th. Spring Session will commence Tuesday April 7th and will run until Wednesday June 17th.

#### Mark the Dates

Monday April 7 - CLOSED

Monday May 18 - CLOSED

May 18 - 20 - SESSION BREAK

Tuesday June 2 -FUNDRAISER

#### West Jet Raffle Tickets

WestJet has graciously given RTR again this year 2 round trip tickets to any WestJet destination to raffle as part of our annual fundraiser.

Tickets will be available to purchase and sell shortly!



2015 marks the 20 Year Anniversary of the Richmond Therapeutic Riding Association!

This year we have a new name, a fresh new look and more passion than ever to help our non-profit build a strong, bright future for the children and youth with disabilities that benefit from our wonderful program.

To help celebrate the occasion ALL YEAR LONG, we will be having a few new fundraisers, a dedication ceremony to a couple of past Board members, and few parties along the way!

We hope that you will join us in the celebrations and wish the very best to RTRA in the future. Here's to another 20 years.

Cheers!

Thank you to Jeff Ojeda at Harmonic Concepts for working with our group to create our new logo. The road was a long one, but well worth the time and effort! We look forward to a long relationship with you and your company.

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#### Hay there!

The annual RTRA Spring Fundraiser has been scheduled for Tuesday June 2nd and will once again be held at the Army Navy & Airforce Veterans Local #284, in Steveston BC (11900 No 1 Road, Richmond BC).

Details are in the works and will be released as the fundraising committee finalizes plans, but please mark your calendar to attend this great event.

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Our Fundraising Committee would also like to extend the invitation to join the group to help plan this and another event later in the year. If you have some time and passion to help make 2015 a great success, we would love to hear from you.

Please contact the committee at: fundraising@richmondtherapeuti criding.com for more information on how you can help.

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### ParaEquestrian Canada Coast to Coast Video Competitions

The Richmond Therapeutic Riding Association will again be offering our students the opportunity to enter the Balance or Equitation classes (depending on level of ability) in the Coast to Coast Video Competition Series hosted by Equine Canada and Para Equestrian Canada.

If you or your child is interested in participating in any or all of the competitions, please contact Stephanie Meadows at <u>volunteer@richmondtherapeuticriding.com</u> for rules, membership information and associated fees.

RTRA will be taping our riders during the following weeks of lessons:

March 9 - 11

April 27 - 29

June 8 - 10

November 16 - 18



Entries are submitted to Ontario via a private YouTube site for judging against the other entries from other Therapeutic Riding centres all across the country. All riders will receive feedback from the judges as well as ribbons (awarded to 6th place) and prizes (awarded to 3rd place).

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# OUR MISSION

To provide a quality therapeutic riding program for children and youth in order to promote physical, social and psychological well being.

#### RTRA Membership and Donation Form

All donations are tax deductible. Registered Charity #89415 0135 RR0001

I wish to support the Richmond Therapeutic Riding Association.

Enclosed is \$	for membership (\$25) and / or \$	for a donation
Name:	Date:	
	Mailing Address & or Email Address:	

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Donations can also be made via PayPal through our website www.richmondtherapeuticriding.com

