

**PATH International
Registered Instructor
On-Site Workshop & Certification
REGISTRATION FORM**

Registration deadline: May 11, 2012

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

PATH memb. number _____

Please register me for the following:

Workshop & Certification \$600

Workshop only (June 14-16) \$400

Certification only (June 16-17) \$350

[For Certification only, include proof of completion of PATH-approved onsite workshop within past two years or certification resubmission letter.]

Make checks payable to Giant Steps Therapeutic Equestrian Center or pay by VISA or Mastercard:

Card number: _____

Expiration date: / Security code: _____

Please list any food allergies: _____

Please mail your registration form to:
Giant Steps Therapeutic Equestrian Center
P.O. Box 4855, Petaluma, CA 94955

Meet Our Faculty



Sandy Webster

- ◆ PATH Master Level Instructor
- ◆ PATH Course Conductor and Examiner for Registered and Advanced Instructors
- ◆ PATH Accreditation Site Evaluator
- ◆ CanTRA Advanced Instructor/Coach

Sandy has over 30 years of professional experience in equine-assisted activities and therapies, having worked in programs such as CARD, MANE, Shea Center and Giant Steps, Sandy has coached riders with disabilities in two Paralympics and three World Championships, helped develop programs for veterans, and hosted and presented at National and Regional Conferences.



Ainslie Kraeck

Ainslie has been a member of PATH International since 2001. She is a Certified Advanced instructor, Accreditation Lead Visitor, Certification Lead Evaluator, Chair of the Accreditation Committee and a member of the Program and Standards Oversight committee. She served for four years as the Region 11 Representative and served as chair of the Region Council. She has chaired or helped with several Region 11 conferences. Ainslie was the co-chair for the 2007 PATH Intl. National Conference and Annual Meeting in Anaheim, California.

Certification Information

To become a PATH Certified Instructor, you must successfully complete two phases of the Registered Certification process.

The components of Phase 1 are:

- ◆ Application
- ◆ CAT Course and exam
- ◆ Instructor Self-Study and Open Book Exam
- ◆ Complete the Horsemanship Skills Checklist

Completion of Phase 1 is mandatory before beginning Phase 2. Once you have successfully completed Phase 1, you will receive a confirmation letter of your Instructor-in-Training (IT) status, which is valid for 12 months. Phase 2 must be completed within the 12 months of receiving your IT confirmation letter.

The components for Phase 2 are:

- ◆ Complete 25 hours of practice teaching mounted group therapeutic riding lessons under the guidance or direct supervision of a PATH Certified Instructor
- ◆ Attend a Registered Instructor Workshop and Certification (may be completed separately or together)
- ◆ Successfully complete the Registered Instructor On-Site Certification.

Registration Information

Candidates are registered on a first-come, first-served basis, so be sure to register early. All Candidates MUST register 32 days prior to the Registered Certification.

Once you have registered, we will send you a Phase 2 Packet. To participate in Certification, complete the Phase 2 packet and return it to Giant Steps with a copy of your PATH membership card, and current copies of your CPR & First Aid Registered Certification.

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CANCELLATIONS POLICY: Cancellations prior to the registration deadline (May 11, 2012) will be refunded less \$150 of your total registration fee. No refunds will be issued after May 11, 2012.

Course Location

The course host, Giant Steps Therapeutic Equestrian Center, is a PATH Premier Accredited Center located in beautiful Sonoma County, California. Situated on the same property with a world class horse show arena and premier boarding and training facilities, Giant Steps Therapeutic Equestrian Center provides an ideal spot to receive your PATH Registered Instructor On-Site Certification this coming summer.

Local Airports:

San Francisco (SFO) = 46 miles from Giant Steps
Oakland (OAK) = 47 miles from Giant Steps
Sacramento (SMF) = 76 miles from Giant Steps

Local Hotel:

Best Western Novato Oaks Inn, 415-883-4400

What to bring:

- ◆ Closed toed shoes or riding boots
- ◆ Appropriate clothing for riding and teaching (Temperatures will be hot during the days, and cool in the evenings.)
- ◆ ASTM-SEI approved helmet (optional)

For more information:

If you have any questions, please contact Head Instructor, Julie Larson, at (707) 781-9455 or program@giantstepsriding.org or visit our website at www.giantstepsriding.org.



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