

IRELAND'S TRAINING AND TRAIL RIDE





Hone your skills to advance to the next level, get back into riding after a hiatus or begin your equestrian adventure – this is THE place!

lonshire Equestrian Centre in the lovely town of Adare is well known for its excellent horses and superior instruction. The husband and wife team of Sue and Dan Foley cater to folks looking to work on the basics or have a week on the formidable cross country course.

They even invite anyone interested in foxhunting to join them for a primer and on several hunts (additional fees associated).





duration: 7 DAYS



1-10 MEMBERS



country IRELAND



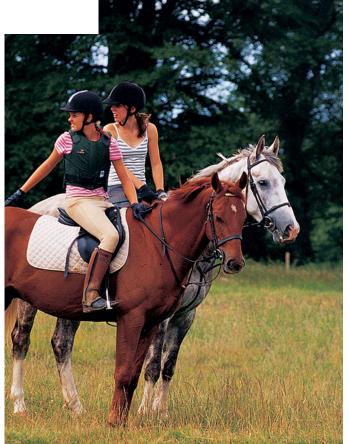
airport GALWAY



accommodation HOTEL / B&B



breakfast INCLUDED







Instructors & RIDING CENTER

Instructors

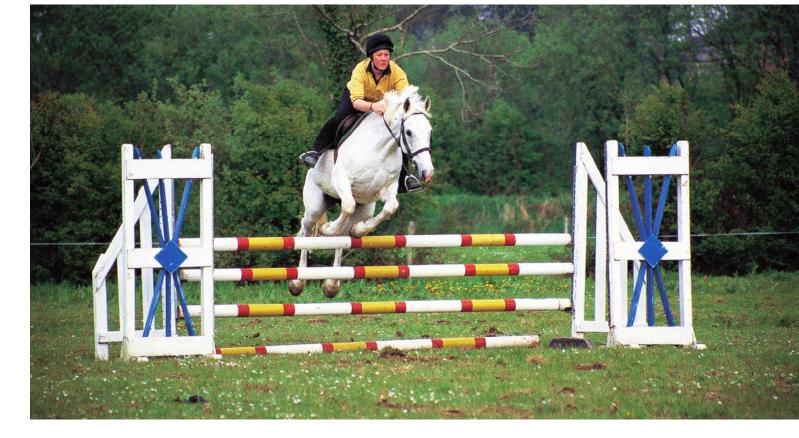
Sue and Dan offer a customized program that gives special attention to individual needs and goals but in a relaxed and fun atmosphere. The week of training includes several hours each day as well as the chance to enjoy some active and fun trail rides in the surrounding countryside.

Riding Center

Clonshire Equestrian Centre includes multiple indoor and outdoor arenas, an outdoor stadium jump course, cross-country courses, and boarding for 75+ horses. The horses are Irish Draft/Irish Sport horses or Connemara ponies, all very athletic, willing and well-trained. You have the opportunity to ride several different horses a day. The multiple cross country courses feature log jumps, stone walls, varying terrain and water and other obstacles. The days end with a late afternoon hack out across the magical County Limerick countryside.

Training - No strict uniform for riding is required, but all riders should be neatly turned out. Riders can wear whatever is comfortable - breeches, dress boots or chaps and paddock boots - however a protective riding hat with a chin strap is compulsory when riding, gloves and a crop, if preferred.

A back protector is recommended for jumping if you normally wear one. It is also a good idea to have a good quality raincoat or wax coat for outdoor riding, although Clonshire has an indoor arena.



Fox Hunting

Informal season - hacking jacket (or Barbour if weather is inclement), stock or tie, black hunting cap with chin strap, buff colored breeches, gloves, dress or field boots.

Formal season - you may use your own colors (including red coats) or black hunting coats, stock tie, leather or rubber boots, buff colored breeches, gloves, black hunting cap with chin strap. Transfers to/from hunts are not included.

Accommodation

Accommodation at either the Dunraven Arms Hotel or the Adare Country House. Dunraven rates begin at \$2,340.00 USD per person (Single Supplement: \$520.00 USD). Please let us know if you'd like dinner in their wonderful restaurant to be included.



LOCATION

The town of Adare is well known for its excellent horses and superior instruction.



Rider REVIEWS



was so impressed with Clonshire Equestrian Centre! Dan and Sue were delightful hosts and instructors, and the staff included many excellent coaches that challenged and encouraged us to be better riders and to push ourselves out of our comfort zone. I had my best lesson ever with Evonne learning a different canter seat, and the most thrilling lesson ever with Sue, who coaxed me into jumping stone walls aboard an 18-hand Irish Sport Horse! Both Katya and I significantly improved our riding skills during our week at Clonshire, and we can't wait to return. Maria C.



"What a wonderful adventure! I loved every minute of my stay at Clonshire, and I have already started saving so I can come back next year. Thank you for treating me as part of your family. I'm looking forward to riding Piper tomorrow to see how he likes it when I sit up instead of slouching. (At least that's what I hope I'll be doing.) Again, many thanks.!" Nancy T.



"We had a wonderful experience at Clonshire – the trainers and horses know their job and are top notch. I've learned so much, wow, we didn't want to leave.

Beautiful countryside There is nothing to complain about. The utmost KUDOS and LOVE for this trip. THANK YOU! Grateful beyond words." **Lynda F.**





Getting THERE



From Shannon Airport: Clients can be collected by taxi: 1-3 people with luggage* for approx. 85€ each way.

By minivan: 4-8 people with luggage* for approx. 120€ each way. Taxi fares are payable direct to the driver and prices are subject to change.

I f we have arranged for a car service to meet you, the pick up sign will read "Clonshire Equestrian Centre" or will have your name.

From Clonshire: Daily transfers to/from Clonshire by taxi (we use John Carey) are 30€ per car or 40€ by minivan. Daily car service to/from Clonshire for training is 30€ per person round trip.

*Two average sized pieces of luggage per person.

From Dublin Airport to Adare: Transfers are 400€ per car.

Riding Trip DATES



Dates:

JAN - FEB - MAR - APR - MAY - JUN - JUL - AUG - SEP - OCT - NOV - DEC

Every week Sunday to Saturday



INCLUDED:

6 nights accommodation
5 days of riding
(3 hours per day)
Daily breakfast
Horse and all Tack
Instruction
All local taxes

NOT INCLUDED:

Airfare
Travel Insurance
Transfers to Adare
Daily transfer
to/from Clonshire
Lunches and Dinners
Gratuities at the end
of the stay