OPENING NOVEMBER 2019

Tanque Verde Ranch is currently building Tucson’s newest event venue, The Barn. Nestled among the base of the Rincon Mountains and rolling foothills of the Saguaro National State Park, The Barn promises stunning views and sunsets for everyone.

Entertain up to 350 guests
High-vaulted ceilings
Indoor/outdoor bar
Outdoor terrace overlooking mountains
Panoramic sliding barn doors to outside
Breathtaking scenery
Wedding ceremonies and receptions
Corporate/business meetings and events
HORSEBACK RIDING
- Walk Ride
- Sunset Ride
- Lope Ride
- Breakfast Ride
- Team Penning
- Mountain Adventure Ride
- Private Lessons
- Horsemanship Fundamentals
- Harmony with Horses
- Intermediate Horsemanship
- Lope Check
- Advanced Lessons

MOUNTAIN BIKING
- Breakfast Ride
- On-Site Ride
- Excursion Ride
- Instructional Ride

HIKING
- Half- or Full-Day Hike
- Desert Photography Hike
- Food & Pharmacy Hike
- Private Hike
- Sunrise & Sunset Hike

KIDS PROGRAM

WELLNESS
- Yoga
- La Sonora Spa

CULINARY
- Breakfast
- Breakfast Ride
- Lunch Buffet
- Dinner
- Cowboy Cookout
- Private Chefs Table

TEAM BUILDING
- Poker Ride
- Fishing Challenge
- Team Penning
- Salsa Margarita Challenge
- Chili Cook-off

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HORSEBACK RIDING

CONNECT WITH YOUR INNER COWBOY

Horseback riding is an amazing outdoor activity for all ages; and for good reasons. Not only does it help you develop balance and coordination, but there is also nothing like connecting and communicating with a 1,000-pound steed as you ride through the desert. The sense of freedom atop a horse is unlike anything in the world. It can be a relaxing pastime and a great way to enjoy the beautiful Saguaro National Park.

**WALK RIDE**
1 HOUR: starting at $60
1.5 HOURS: starting at $75

The walk rides at Tanque Verde Ranch are an enjoyable activity for everyone...regardless of skill level. This leisurely horseback riding adventure presents the perfect opportunity to experience desert vegetation and wildlife up close and personal. Saguaro and prickly pear cacti line the mountain trails and blanket the rest of the natural desert landscape.

**SUNSET OR SUNRISE RIDE**
1.5 HOURS: starting at $85

Take in the beauty of a Sonoran Desert sunset on horseback. Climb the mountain trails as you take in an extraordinary view filled with endless blue sky, towering cacti, and a glimpse of various wildlife encounters. Each ride accommodates up to eight people and is an hour and a half in length.

Sunset rides on Wednesday and Saturday may be followed by the Cowboy Cookout, a true down-home ranch BBQ experience at the Cottonwood Grove.

**LOPE RIDE**
1 HOUR: starting at $75
1.5 HOURS: starting at $90

Taking long easy strides, you and your horse will lope around the ranch, taking in a whole new view of the desert landscape. Catch a glimpse of blue herons, swooping Harris’ hawks, and maybe even a bobcat hiding behind brush and branches. One of our more popular and exciting activities, the lope ride allows visitors to truly channel the cowboys and cowgirls of the Old West.

In order to participate in the lope ride, one must pass a lope check.
BREAKFAST RIDE

At the ranch, the early riser gets the horse…not to mention blueberry pancakes. Make sure you enjoy our breakfast ride while you’re at Tanque Verde Ranch. These unforgettable rides pass towering cacti and climb rolling hills, as you make your way to the Old Homestead.

Upon reaching your destination, indulge in a freshly cooked breakfast prepared right before your eyes. Our famous blueberry pancakes, ranch-style eggs, bacon, orange juice, and more await your grumbling stomach. Take a seat fireside while you enjoy great company and the beautiful scenery. Both walking and loping options are available on the breakfast ride. The lope ride will depart shortly before the walk ride, and both rides meet at the Old Homestead for breakfast.

2.5 HOURS: starting at $75

Rates are per person, subject to service charge and sales tax.
TEAM PENNING
1 HOUR: starting at $75

Team Penning is a fun way to enjoy your dude ranch experience and bond with friends, family, or co-workers. The object of this friendly, timed competition is to maneuver a herd of cattle through a series of obstacles and into a pen.

Teams are made up of three to six riders who must convince a herd of eight cattle to cooperate. After weaving through obstacles, each team must coax the cattle into one of three available pens. Team Penning is done at a walk or trot, so riders of all skill levels may participate. This activity requires strategy and communication with your horse and teammates.

MOUNTAIN ADVENTURE RIDE
4 HOURS: starting at $150

Expand your horizons with a half-day mountain adventure ride through the desert. Venture deep into the Rincon Mountains with your favorite horse. Take in the beautiful scenery and broad wildlife of the Sonoran Desert on your way.

With significant elevation changes and narrow trails, this is a unique way to explore the desert on horseback. Complete with a packed lunch in the winter and packed breakfast in the summer, this ride is an excellent opportunity to live like the cowboys and cowgirls of the Old West.

Back by high noon, the mountain adventure ride is a great chance to take memorable photos or enjoy the sights the Tucson area has to offer.

PRIVATE LESSONS
30 MIN: starting at $60
1 HOUR: starting at $100
Price decreases with more riders.

Private lessons are a great opportunity to receive instructions catered specifically to your horsemanship goals. Whether you are looking to get comfortable with your horse or wanting to learn a barrel pattern, the wrangler assigned to you will help achieve the goals you are wanting to accomplish.

HORSEMANSHIP FUNDAMENTALS
1 HOUR: starting at $75

This lesson builds on the riding skills learned in the basic lesson. This course will help you to continue to develop confidence through balance and a proper posture. Expanding on reining, movement, and overall control of your horse—this fundamentals class will help you to ride with self-assurance. We strongly recommend that you complete this lesson before you saddle up for intermediate horsemanship.
Tanque Verde Ranch offers a unique opportunity to enhance your ranch vacation. This course is an exciting environment for families and friends to advance their equine knowledge and horsemanship skills. The instructors will discuss equine behavior and psychology, round penning a horse, saddling a horse Western-style, and riding. Harmony with Horses is an excellent activity for guests to learn how to work with the horse from the ground up. The riding component of this course is completely customizable. The wranglers cater specifically to the goals of the guests.

Minimum of 2 people. Children must be 12 years or older to participate.

**HARMONY WITH HORSES**

**3 HOURS: starting at $200**

Learn to guide your horse around barrels and cones at a walk, trot, and lope. Typically, this class starts with a review of Western-style riding. Then you quickly move into controlling your horse in a synchronized manner under the watchful eye of your instructor.

Finally, you end with a progression into independent control, where riders can break from the group and lope around the corral. Wranglers are available to provide feedback and correct any inconsistencies in style, as well as assist with posture and control.

This class will expand on reining and control of the horse through all gaits. Ultimately, it provides access to all of the tools needed to pass your lope check—when you feel ready. Participation in this class is at your discretion and you may ride at your own comfort level. Your horseback riding instructor retains complete control of the class at all times, and ensures a safe and enjoyable riding experience for all.

**INTERMEDIATE HORSEMANSHIP**

**1 HOUR 15 MIN:**

starting at $75

Learn to guide your horse around barrels and cones at a walk, trot, and lope. Typically, this class starts with a review of Western-style riding. Then you quickly move into controlling your horse in a synchronized manner under the watchful eye of your instructor.

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**LOPE CHECK**

**30 MIN:** starting at $15

The lope check is the highest level of horsemanship offered at Tanque Verde Ranch. The purpose of this check is to assess the riders’ skill for safety. It is expected that riders be at an advanced level of horsemanship or have completed horsemanship FUNdamentals and intermediate horsemanship before taking this course.

Riders will be monitored for their ability to safely ride at a lope. Passing this check is a requirement to participate in a lope ride. Safety and control are of the utmost value. In this check, riders will be asked to ride at a lope with little or no prompting. Individual assessments will be offered as needed to assist the rider in making appropriate adjustments in order to pass the lope check and participate safely in our loping Sonoran trail rides.

**ADVANCED LESSONS**

**1 HOUR:** starting at $75

The advanced lesson is tailored to follow the FUNdamentals and intermediate lessons. In the advanced lesson, the guests will fine tune their trotting and loping while playing games that encourage teamwork and collaboration between horse and rider.

Riders who take this lesson will learn advanced maneuvers in riding discipline varying from body control, balance, and the understanding of how the horse’s body works. The advanced lesson requires a passed lope check or wrangler approval to participate.
BREAKFAST RIDE
2 HOURS: starting at $45

Wake up with the sunrise on this mountain biking excursion. This unforgettable ride passes towering cacti and picturesque views as you make your way to the Old Homestead, where a delicious homemade breakfast is served. Enjoy our famous blueberry pancakes, ranch-style eggs, bacon, orange juice, and more.

Start your morning enjoying a stunning, photo-worthy sunrise and watch the ranch light up as the day begins. All equipment is provided and includes bike, helmet, gloves, and a full water bottle. This ride is considered an all level ride where children are welcome.

LET’S GO FOR A RIDE

Experience the rush of exploring southwestern terrain on a full-suspension mountain bike! A true desert adventure, cycling through Arizona’s mountains and desert landscape is a ride not to miss.

Tanque Verde Ranch offers over 600 acres of Sonoran desert laced with single-track mountain biking trails. Riding experiences vary and cater to beginners and advanced riders. Off-site rides are also available, offering unique experiences with a variety of elevations and landscapes. Helmets and gloves are provided, and you will be set-up with a finely tuned bicycle fully equipped with disc brakes.
ON-SITE RIDE
1.5 HOURS: starting at $40
Tanque Verde Ranch is a full-service mountain biking facility for all ages and abilities. We have a trail system designed for skill levels that range from beginner to advanced. We build confidence while exploring the great diversity of the Sonoran Desert. Our rides vary from a relaxed pace with stops to admire our amazing flora and fauna, to a faster pace workout and technical challenge.

EXCURSION RIDE
2-4 HOURS: starting at $60
Our excursion ride is a customized ride with multiple levels of terrain and difficulty. Once you have ridden with our guides on property and you feel like it’s time for the next level—an excursion off property is next on the list! Explore the beautiful surrounding Tucson area where the terrain varies and is widely diverse. From desert valley riding to wickedly steep mountains in the Rincon you are sure to experience amazing views and adventure. Excursions may include Fantasy Island, Sky Island, and Saguaro National Park.

INSTRUCTIONAL RIDE
2-3 HOURS: starting at $60
Interested in learning how to mountain bike or improve your skills? Tanque Verde Ranch has the equipment, terrain, and trained staff to help you accomplish your goals. We offer three different mountain biking classes: fundamentals of mountain biking, intermediate mountain biking, and advanced mountain biking. Learn, grow, and develop with our class offerings.
Half-day hikes include locations such as Sabino Canyon, Mount Lemmon, Redington Pass/Tanque Verde Falls, and Saguaro National Park/Arizona Trail. This is a beginner to moderate hike.

Full-day hikes include locations such as Catalina State Park, Saguaro West/Gates Pass, Madera Canyon, Sabino Canyon (Cardiac Gap, Seven Falls, East and West Fork Trails), and Mount Lemmon.

A boxed lunch is provided on half-day hikes. Breakfast and lunch boxes are provided on full-day hikes.

Tanque Verde Ranch offers outstanding guided adventures on desert hiking trails right from their doorstep. Take in the breathtaking Sonoran Desert or rugged canyons of the Rincon and Catalina Mountains. Discover desert wildlife, unique cacti, hidden waterfalls, and other natural splendors on your journey.

Our guided hiking program offers miles of beautiful trails. An experienced and knowledgeable hiking guide can take you deep into the Saguaro National Park and the Coronado National Forest. Hikes range from easy to difficult, allowing everyone to participate. The easy hikes follow a mostly level desert trail. For those wanting more of a challenge, prepare for an excursion into the Rincon Mountains where elevation climbs several thousand feet.
FOOD & PHARMACY OF THE DESERT
1.5 HOURS: starting at $20

Join one of our ranch naturalists to learn about edible and medicinal plants found in the Sonoran Desert. In addition, explore cultural connections of some of these plants and the history of what “makes the desert tick”. The prickly pear cactus, mesquite tree, and saguaro cactus are just a few of the fascinating desert plants used by the locals.

PRIVATE HIKE
2-6 HOURS: starting at $80

Looking for a guide who can lead you through some of the more secluded areas of Tucson and Tanque Verde Ranch? Then inquire about our fully customized private hiking program. You pick the trail, the duration, and leader for your unique opportunity and venture the vast trails that Tanque Verde and Tucson have to offer!

Private hikes not to exceed 6 hours.

SUNRISE & SUNSET HIKE
1.5 HOURS: starting at $40

Whether you like to catch the sunrise or sunset—Tanque Verde Ranch has an opportunity for you. Take advantage of 600 plus acres of private property and capture the beautiful moments of the famous Arizona sky. Both hikes are moderate in difficulty reaching elevation enough to get a picturesque mountain view of the ranch. An excellent opportunity for snapping a memorable photo awaits. Explore unique flora and fauna as you climb the surrounding rolling hills. These hikes are a great way to begin or end your day.

DESERT PHOTOGRAPHY
1.5 HOURS: starting at $20

Bring your camera and your imagination on this hike. Led by one of our hiking leaders, you will get a chance to slow down and take a “close-up” look of the Sonoran Desert. With our knowledge of the desert and the trails, we can help you catch that “special” shot. Whether you are an experienced photographer or a beginner, charge up your batteries, grab a fresh memory card, and join us for your encounter with the desert.
KIDS DAY CAMP

SINGLE DAY: starting at $90
5+ CONSECUTIVE DAYS: starting at $75/DAY

Horseback Riding • Riding Lessons
Pool Time • Nature Programs • Water Wars
Horse Grooming • Lawn Games
Arts & Crafts • Horse Painting • Slack Line
Playground Time

ADVENTURES FOR KIDS

Tanque Verde Ranch offers a Daily Kids Program full of fun and activities for ages 4-12. Upon arrival, kids join a group based on age—Buckaroos (4-6), Wranglers (7-9), and Outlaws (10-12). Riders will learn the basics through a variety of horse activities and will be advanced based on ability.

Our activities will engage, educate, and entertain. In addition, it will teach kids the importance of working together. Our activities include horseback riding, tennis, hiking, crafts, swimming, and nature programs—just to name a few. Our caring and knowledgeable team will ensure a safe and fun experience for your child.
Take advantage of a variety of yoga classes offered as an opportunity to transform your body and mind. The fresh air of the outdoors is the perfect way to calm your thoughts and disconnect from busy life.

We have multiple locations to choose from, all of which have been picked to optimize your experience of yoga in the desert. Use the natural sunlight and the vitamin D to find your equilibrium. You will have a peaceful experience that will help you physically, mentally, and spiritually.

Our spa is the ultimate spot to relax, find peace of mind and wind down from an adventurous day in the desert. Surrender yourself to the soothing touch of massage specialists or refresh yourself with a skin renewal treatment. Enjoy Eminence products during your treatments which are a 98% organic Hungarian line that uses all fresh fruits, vegetables, spices and herbs.

Afterwards, cool down from the desert sun in the spa’s indoor pool where large windows look out over the mountainous Arizona landscape. A whirlpool also accompanies the spa in order to provide you with the finest pampering experience.
Three hearty meals are prepared daily by our Executive Chef and our talented culinary team. In the morning you can indulge in fresh fruit and yogurt, or breakfast made to order before you start your adventure. Lunch always brings a delightful taste to the table that will keep you energized for the rest of your ranch activities. By the end of the day, you’ll be ready for our delicious dinner cuisine. Besides the three gourmet meals served each day in the dining room, several indoor and outdoor specialty dining events are held each week. Consume the mouth-watering cuisine while also taking in the authentic dude ranch atmosphere of Tanque Verde Ranch!

**EXPERIENCE A CULINARY ADVENTURE**

**BREAKFAST**

**DAILY**

7:30AM-9:30AM

$8 - $14

Start your day off right with a hearty southwestern breakfast. Dive into a lavish display of eggs, bacon, sausage, french toast, fresh berries and fruit, a variety of breakfast breads, cinnamon rolls, fresh granola and much more! Don’t be shy—load up your plate because you’re going to need your energy for the day’s activities.

**BREAKFAST RIDE**

**SUN THU**

RIDING (2.5 HOURS): starting at $75

BIKE (2 HOURS): starting at $45

Start your morning enjoying a stunning, photo-worthy sunrise on horseback or mountain bike. This unforgettable ride passes towering cacti and picturesque views as you make your way to the Old Homestead, where a delicious homemade breakfast is served. Enjoy our famous blueberry pancakes, ranch-style eggs, bacon, orange juice and more.

**LUNCH BUFFET**

**DAILY**

12:00PM-1:30PM

ADULTS: $27 | KIDS: $13

At Tanque Verde, you will lunch like you’ve never lunched before. A gourmet buffet is spread out, complete with a generous display of mouth-watering desserts. Start off with a salad, move on to some fresh seasonal vegetables, and then indulge in entrées that are sure to fill you up and satisfy your taste buds. You’ll soon see why, in this region, Tanque Verde’s executive chef is held in such high esteem!
The dinners at Tanque Verde are a special treat. We do our best to locally source as many ingredients as possible to create each unique and flavorful dish. Experience any of our delicious entrées and enjoy a wonderful experience in our beautifully decorated restaurant. It’s the perfect spot for a romantic dinner or a family gathering. Prices: $14-$32
ADULTS: $39 | KIDS: $19.50
Head down to Cottonwood Grove for a down-home ranch BBQ experience. Fill your plate with the chef’s choices of grilled meats including ribs or steaks, homemade cornbread, fresh fruit, and more while listening to live music. Take a seat fireside and join other guests as you take a moment to savor all of the great food, authentic entertainment, good company, and incredible scenery. Just because you’re at a BBQ, doesn’t mean your sweet tooth won’t be satisfied…a big dessert table hosts a variety of freshly baked sweets to suit any craving.

SAMPLE MENU
Steaks or Ribs
Chicken
BBQ Brisket
Hamburgers
Garden Fresh Salad
Pasta Salads
Fresh Fruit
Cowboy-style Beans
Sweet Corn
Potatoes
Cornbread
Fruit Cobbler

BEVERAGES
Beer
Margaritas
Specialty Cocktails
Lemonade
Iced Tea
Water

Menu subject to change without notice.

WEDNESDAY
SATURDAY
The Chef’s six-course menu is composed of eclectic and modern flavors for an intimate dining experience. Each course is enhanced with a glass of wine to complement the cuisine. The featured menu items will not be available on the regular menu, giving you the opportunity to have a chef prepare your meal with a combination of creativity and years of experience.

Rates are per person, subject to service charge and sales tax.

BY APPT: $150/GUEST

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CREATE A MEMORABLE BOND

For groups that are interested in your very own private team building experience, we offer a myriad of options that are available for an additional fee. Let Tanque Verde Ranch be your attendees’ stage to building strong bonds as they engage in healthy, active, and productive team building activities that will become memorable networking experiences.

**TEAM BUILDING**

**POKER RIDE**

BY APPT

CALL FOR PRICING

Upon arrival, guests will saddle up onto a horse and draw a playing card. Throughout the hour and a half excursion guests will encounter markers on the trail. At each marker, the guests will draw a card until their poker hand is complete with five cards. Once the ride has returned to the corral, each rider will “play” their poker hand. Whoever wins the poker game will receive an amazing prize. This event is an exciting activity for groups of 10+.

*Minimum of 10 riders.*

**FISHING CHALLENGE**

BY APPT

CALL FOR PRICING

Enjoy the unique experience of fishing in the desert. The ranch offers a fun team building event at our spring fed Lake Corchran that is stocked with largemouth bass, blue gill, catfish and grass carp. You’ll be sure to catch something but treat it well, as we have a catch and release program. Our experienced fishing guide will have all the equipment, tackle, and knowledge to assist guests. Guests will be assigned into teams and our staff will keep count on the number of fish caught.

*Maximum of 18 people.*
**Team Penning**

Call for Pricing

Team Penning is a friendly, timed competition between cattle and guests on horseback. Teams of 4-6 riders are matched against a herd of 5-8 uncooperative cattle. Each team's goal is to maneuver the cattle through a series of obstacles in the fastest time. After honing your skills, the team penning finale is to guide the cattle into one of three available pens to score the most possible points. Team penning is done at a walk only. This activity is aimed towards learning to communicate with your horse, as well as strategize and communicate with your teammates. Guests not on horseback can participate from the bleachers by creating a team name and team chant. The winning team will be presented with first place ribbons.

*Minimum of 10 riders
Maximum of 18 riders*

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**Salsa Margarita Challenge**

Call for Pricing

This heated competition will get your team energized and unified as they work in harmony toward one goal...the best salsa and margarita. In this activity participants mix drinks, prepare salsa and draft the team’s sales pitch. Select ingredients to make your final product unique and delicious. Teams are judged not only on taste and presentation but also on the marketing of their creations.

Your salsa dancing shoes aren’t required, but it may just be the deal breaker for the judges to give you a higher rating. The winning team will earn bragging rights and receive Tanque Verde Ranch aprons for winning.

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**Chili Cook-Off**

Call for Pricing

The chili cook-off combines fun icebreakers with a spicy cooking competition and is designed to increase camaraderie within a group. Culinary skills will come in handy as each team uses unique ingredients to create the perfect award-winning recipe.

This event requires organization and teamwork. Team members are put to various tasks including prepping, cooking the chili, and creating a presentation that will showcase the uniqueness of their team. Teams are judged on creativity, presentation and taste. The winning team will earn bragging rights and are awarded Tanque Verde Ranch aprons!
After a day of riding the trails in the warm Arizona sun, nothing beats a visit to our Dog House Saloon. Offering a full bar, local craft beers, and our signature cocktails—The Dog House is sure to quench your wrangler thirst. Catch-up on the latest news and sports on one of our satellite TVs, or reminisce with family and friends about your adventures of the day.

**SIGNATURE COCKTAILS**
- Arizona Sunset
- Prickly Pear Margarita
- Rita Margarita
- Hell Fire Margarita
- Tanque Verde Mule
- Desert Oasis
- Gila Monster

**BAR MENU**
- Mesquite Ranch Fries
- Tortilla Chips
- Street Tacos
- Prime Rib Sliders
- Pork Pazole Nachos
- Wings
- Pizza
- Dog House Burger

Menu subject to change without notice.