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# NODA News

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**Ashley Warner and Welthalo** Photo by Dee Liebenthal

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Members,

Niki & Raina

Letter from the Editor ear NODA

I hope everyone has been enjoying their summer.

For me it seems to be flying by! Working on the newsletter I am always a month ahead so even though it is July, the August issue of the NODA News is finished and I'm already starting to work on the September issue and have the cover photo for the October issue already in place. We have received some nice compliments about the electronic version of the newsletter. I especially like on the calendar how one can click a link and view a show bill, entry form or other information associated with the event. I have to thank our wonderful webmaster -Linda Cooley – for all the great information she puts on the website calendar - the source for the links in the newsletter calendar.

Technology and hyperlinks are nice but I have to remind our members that place classified ads to be aware of spammers and scams that may happen when your email address is posted on the worldwide web. If you should ever receive a suspicious email about something you are selling make sure it is legit. Most likely emails from foreign countries willing to buy your saddle for more than you are asking are scams. I don't know how people have the time or conscience to pull scams or other illegal activity but unfortunately these things do happen.

We are about half way through the shows that NODA sponsors so if you are interested in applying for any year end awards remember you need to earn 4 NODA Bucks prior to applying for your awards. NODA always has plenty of volunteer positions at shows that need filled or you can always write an article for the NODA News if you can't make it to a show to volunteer. It is all of our wonderful volunteers that help make NODA what it is and there are always so

many nice people to meet.

Speaking of nice people, some of you may know junior member Stephanie Kiroff. Well I have to give her a very special THANK YOU for she is such a nice and generous young lady. I was at a horse show last weekend and my horse Raina was just not herself. Those of you that have seen me with Raina at shows know she is very laid back and frequent comments I get on my tests are "more impulsion" or "more energy." Since Raina is normally so carefree and laid back I told the owner/trainer at the farm I board at the she was more than welcome to use Raina for a lead line class at the show.

Well Sunday Raina finally decided to listen to previous comments and came out of the trailer a fire breathing dragon. It was very obvious that Raina wasn't going to be able to do a lead line class that day. So now we have a very upset seven year old at her first horse show crying and upset she can't ride Raina, a horse that has gone temporarily insane, and me feeling horrible about the situation. I ran back to the stalls to put the dragon in a cage and fellow NODA member Stephanie Kiroff was there with her horse. She very graciously leant me her horse Faith for the lead line class, which was so very nice of her and really made a little girl's day.

Other than Raina's energy explosion she is doing well as is Coco. Several months ago I moved them to a new facility, Dream on Farm in Columbia Station, which I really love, as do Raina and Coco. Raina has her own herd of geldings to boss around and is in love with an Oldenberg/spotted draft cross—Baxter. They are like Lady and the Tramp from the Disney movie, eating the same blades of grass together. In a future issue I'll have to update you on the comical adventure of Coco, who is growing up sp fast!

> Enjoy the warm weather, Niki Sackman NODA Editor

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## July 11, 2010 NODA Schooling Show, Grand Haven Judges: Barb Soukup L and Connie Wyatt retired r

Junior High Point Ride:

Briana Cavett on Splash of Blue Gin, 67.333%

Adult Amateur High Point Ride:

Krista Warnick on Kaliber, 70.000%

# Class: 1.1 USDF Introductory Test A (Rider), Amateur Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Lisa Cardinale, Amat, Member, Zans Fancy Superstar, 61.000% Q
- 2 Brenda Trautman, Amat, Member, Gomez (the Red), 60.000% Q
- 3 Kathi Agens, Amat, Squaw's Chico Leo, 59.000%
- 4 Sharon Coon, Amat, Member, Nascar's Noble Nate, 56.500%

# Class: 1.2 USDF Introductory Test A (Rider), Junior Judge:Barb Soukup L

1 - Chelsie Crate, Jr, My Happy Gilmore, 57.500%

2 - Kaitlin Schafer, Jr, My Cindy (Honey), 55.500%

# Class: 2.1 USDF Introductory Test B (Rider) Amateur Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Sharon Coon, Amat, Member, Nascar's Noble Nate, 61.000% Q
- 2 Lisa Cardinale, Amat, Member, Zans Fancy Superstar, 60.500% Q
- 3 Kathi Agens, Amat, Squaw's Chico Leo, 58.500%
- 4 Kristin Payden, Amat, Messidor, 55.500%
- 5 Brenda Trautman, Amat, Member, Gomez (the Red), 53.500%

# Class: 2.2 USDF Introductory Test B (Rider) Junior Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

1 - Chelsie Crate, Jr, My Happy Gilmore, 66.000%

## Class: 3 USDF Introductory Test A (Horse) Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Katherine Fitzgerald, Amat, Member, Wychway, 64.500% Q
- 2 Jacqueline Schafer, Prof, My Country Cowboy, 64.000%
- 3 Crissteen Miller, Amat, Member, Easy Swinger, 63.000% Q
- 4 Marlene Heinen, Amat, Member, Montana Vibrant (Latigo), 62.500% Q
- 5 Lisa Costello, Amat, Magnolia, 61.000%
- 6 Bonita Staszak, Amat, French Vanilla Sky, 60.500%
- Kimberly Moody, Amat, Member, Winston RKH, 56.000%
- Renee Alexander, Amat, Member, Paparazzi, 51.500%

## Class: 4.1 USDF Introductory Test B (Horse) Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Katherine Fitzgerald, Amat, Member, Wychway, 69.000% Q
- 2 Marlene Heinen, Amat, Member, Montana Vibrant (Latigo), 61.000+% Q
- 3 Lisa Costello, Amat, Magnolia, 61.000%
- 4 Bonita Staszak, Amat, French Vanilla Sky, 60.500%
- 5 Renee Alexander, Amat, Member, Paparazzi, 53.500%

## Class: 4.2 USDF Introductory Test B (Horse) Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Crissteen Miller, Amat, Member, Easy Swinger, 68.500% Q
- 2 Jacqueline Schafer, Prof, My Country Cowboy, 65.000%
- 3 Jane Cooney, Amat, Big Buddy, 61.500%
- 4 Kimberly Moody, Amat, Member, Winston RKH, 61.000% Q
- 5 Marjorie Moore, Amat, Marleah De Ali (Marlie), 59.500%

## Class: 5.1 Training Level, Test 1 Novice Amateur Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Christine Cook, Amat, Member, Midnight's Magic Rebel, 59.130+%
- 2 Thomas Gazley, Amat, Member, Tiger Lilly, 59.130%
- 3 Karen Ruple, Amat, Member, Absolut Kurant, 58.261%
- 4 Monica Todd, Amat, Wannabe A Brass, 47.826%
- 5 Lisa Costello, Amat, Magnolia, 46.522%

# Class: 5.2 Training Level, Test 1 Novice Amateur Judge: Barb Soukup L

- 1 Kimber Mackenzie, Amat, Member, Incandescence, 61.304% Q
- 2 Crissteen Miller, Amat, Member, Easy Swinger, 59.130%
- 3 Amanda Buchs, Amat, Tabitha Be Witched, 58.696%
- 4 Kaylynn Coates, Amat, Finura Amethyst, 56.957%
- 5 Julie Dombrowski, Amat, Member, Master Showoff, 53.043%

# Class: 5.3 Training Level, Test 1 Novice Junior Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Rebecca Kirk, Jr, Member, Oreo Blizzard, 57.391%
- 2 Anna Ruple, Jr, Member, Buttons-n-Bows, 49.130%

# Class: 6.1 Training Level, Test 2 Novice Amateur Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1T Kaylynn Coates, Amat, Finura Amethyst, 62.857%
- 1T Christine Cook, Amat, Member, Midnight's Magic Rebel, 62.857% Q
- 3 Amanda Buchs, Amat, Tabitha Be Witched, 62.143%
- 4 Kimber Mackenzie, Amat, Member, Incandescence, 61.786% Q
- 4 Thomas Gazley, Amat, Member, Tiger Lilly, 61.786% Q
- 6 Karen Ruple, Amat, Member, Absolut Kurant, 60.357% Q
- Monica Todd, Amat, Wannabe A Brass, 58.571%
- Julie Dombrowski, Amat, Member, Master Showoff, 56.429%

# Class: 6.2 Training Level, Test 2 Novice Junior Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

1 - Rebecca Kirk, Jr, Member, Oreo Blizzard, 63.214% Q

## Class: 7 Training Level, Test 3 Novice Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Jessica Knautz, Amat, Member, Savannah Star, 61.200% Q
- 2 Lisa Richey, Jr, Member, Pocket Pager, 60.400% Q

## Class: 8 Training Level, Test 4 Novice Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Lisa Richey, Jr, Member, Pocket Pager, 64.800% Q
- 2 Jessica Knautz, Amat, Member, Savannah Star, 62.400% Q

## Class: 9 Training Level, Test 1 Open Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 John Claridge, Amat, Member, Tic Toc (Clockwork), 59.130%
- 2 Jane Cooney, Amat, Big Buddy, 58.261%
- 3 Jumbo Cooney, Prof, Baci Della Vita, 54.783%
- 4 Jumbo Cooney, Prof, Relentless Love, 53.913%
- 5 Marjorie Moore, Amat, Marleah De Ali (Marlie), 53.478%

## Class: 10 Training Level, Test 2 Open Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Jennifer Tulleners, Amat, Noble Tradition, 65.714%
- 2 Jumbo Cooney, Prof, Baci Della Vita, 62.500%
- 3 John Claridge, Amat, Member, Tic Toc (Clockwork), 61.071% Q
- 4 Laura Wolf, Amat, Member, Levi's Tinman, 59.643%
- 5 Jumbo Cooney, Prof, Relentless Love, 58.571%

## Class: 11 Training Level, Test 3 Open Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Kelly Flanagan-Kovacik, Prof, Member, Messidor, 66.400%
- 2 Krista Warnick, Amat, Member, Kaliber, 63.600% Q
- 3 Linda O'Keefe, Amat, Member, Illuminated Magic, 61.600% Q
- 4 Gail Patton, Amat, Member, Summer Breeze, 58.800%

## Class: 12 Training Level, Test 4 Open Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Krista Warnick, Amat, Member, Kaliber, 70.000% Q
- 2 Kelly Flanagan-Kovacik, Prof, Member, Delano, 67.600%
- 3 Linda O'Keefe, Amat, Member, Illuminated Magic, 64.800% Q
- 4 Jennifer Tulleners, Amat, Noble Tradition, 63.200%
- 5 Leslie Grimm, Amat, Member, Brevard, 62.400% Q
- 6 Gail Patton, Amat, Member, Summer Breeze, 60.000% Q
- Laura Wolf, Amat, Member, Levi's Tinman, 56.800%

## Class: 13 First Level, Test 1

## Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Briana Cavett, Jr, Member, Splash of Blue Gin (Simon), 67.333% Q
- 2 Lisa VanNieuwal, Amat, Member, William, 65.667% Q
- 3 Cindy Scherry, Prof, Member, Verina, 56.667%
- 4 Leah Wojtkiewicz, Amat, Member, Hearts of Fire, 54.333+%
- 5 Judy Cageao-Catania, Amat, Member, Dipped In Gold, 54.333%

## Class: 14.1 First Level, Test 2 Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Elizabeth Bross, Amat, Member, Poverty Hill Lilly, 62.500% Q
- 2 Darlene Cavett, Amat, Member, Thetman B, 59.722+%
- 3 Julie Weitzel, Amat, Faunt Le Roy, 59.722%
- 4 Hannah Kahn, Amat, Tall Tale (Toby), 55.833%

## Class: 14.2 First Level, Test 2 Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Briana Cavett, Jr, Member, Splash of Blue Gin (Simon), 62.500% Q
- 2 Lisa VanNieuwal, Amat, Member, William, 60.833% Q
- 3 Leah Wojtkiewicz, Amat, Member, Hearts of Fire, 60.556% Q
- 4 Leslie Grimm, Amat, Member, Brevard, 59.444%
- 5 Judy Cageao-Catania, Amat, Member, Dipped In Gold, 56.389%

## Class: 15 First Level, Test 3 Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 2 Jill Zuk, Prof, Member, Ominous, 62.857%
- 2 Debra Smith, Amat, Member, Aragorn, 60.857% Q

## Class: 16 First Level, Test 4 Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Debra Smith, Amat, Member, Aragorn, 64.737% Q
- 2 Lorna Nagel, Prof, Member, El Baila El Jazz, 62.895%
- 3 Elizabeth Bross, Amat, Member, Poverty Hill Lilly, 62.105% Q
- 4 Jill Zuk, Prof, Member, Ominous, 56.316%
- 5 Julie Weitzel, Amat, Faunt Le Roy, 54.737%

## Class: 17.21 Second Level, Test 1 Judge:Barb Soukup L

- 1 Sandy Young, Prof, Vandetta, 60.263%
- 2 Lorna Nagel, Prof, Member, El Baila El Jazz, 58.947%
- 3 Dori Wallace, Amat, Autumn Spirit, 54.737%

## Class: 17.22 Second Level, Test 2 Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

- 1 Sandy Young, Prof, Vandetta, 62.432%
- 2 Dori Wallace, Amat, Autumn Spirit, 55.676%

## Class: 17.31 Third Level, Test 1

## Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

1 - Beverly VanNieuwal, Amat, Member, Ascot (Scotty), 54.615%

## Class: 17.33 Third Level, Test 3

## Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

1 - Maggie Ball, Amat, Member, Meridian (Milo), 60.465% Q

## Class: 17.41 Fourth Level, Test 1

## Judge:Connie Wyatt retired r

1 - Lorna Nagel, Prof, Member, Sincerrey Valorio, 64.419%

# Class: 20.1 Dressage Seat Equitation Amateur Judge:Barb Soukup L

1 - Leah Wojtkiewicz, Amat, Member, Hearts of Fire, 72%

# Class: 20.2 Dressage Seat Equitation Junior Judge:Barb Soukup L

1 - Rebecca Kirk, Jr, Member, Oreo Blizzard, 67%

The Championship show (Oct. 17) is open only to nonprofessional Junior and Adult NODA members. Riders must be members of NODA before their Q. Riders must earn two qualifying scores of 60% or higher (Intro – First Level) or 58% and higher (Second and above), from

#### 2 different judges.

# SHOW NEWS FROM CHRIS LEJA GOODALL, "New" Schooling Show Manager

Early in the morning on Sunday July 11th the forecast was clear. It looked like a beautiful day was shaping up for the NODA schooling show at Grand Haven. The morning ran smoothly and all were preparing to watch **John Claridge's Century Ride** after lunch. John's ride, recognized by the Dressage Foundation, means that his age and that of his horse, Tic Toc, add up to 100! We can all look forward to this achievement. As John's ride was finishing up a few ominous clouds started to roll in.

The storm appeared to be passing by, but numerous lightening strikes nearby forced us to put a temporary HOLD on the show. Further examination of the radar showed that the storm was heading north and all that was left to pass was an insignificant green blip. Twenty minutes and a few rain sprinkles later the show got back underway.

Four rides back into things and the "insignificant blip" had turned into another thunderstorm, this one right over the arenas. With the show on temporary HOLD again, everyone took shelter as it started to rain. The wind picked up and pretty soon trash cans were overturned, and chairs flew across the warm-up ring. After watching a trash can lid swirling around the arena I looked up and realized that I could no longer see the concession stand less than 300 feet away. The storm passed quickly, leaving up-turned arena letters and numerous wet car interiors in its wake.

As we got back underway the sun came out, giving new meaning to the phrase "if you don't like the weather in Northeast Ohio, wait ten minutes." Thank you to all the competitors who were patient, flexible, and timely when mother nature was uncooperative. Thank you also to the judges and scribes all of whom were thoroughly wet by the time it was over. Thank you to Robyn and John Ambrose of Grand Haven for their help and the use of their facility.

Finally, thank you to all the volunteers (\*\*) who stayed late and got their feet wet to get everything back on track! Renee Alexander, Robyn Ambrose, Patti Ferris, Leslie Grimm, Jill Hazan, Marlene Heinen, Jennifer Kick, Hannah Kirk, Crissteen Miller, Kimberly Moody, Anna Ruple, Karen Ruple, Gloria Stansberry, Ursula Stanton-Hicks, Naomi Stimburys, Ruth Stimburys, Linn Walker, Krista Warnick, Cathy Ziegler.

SHOW PHOTOS posted on Casual Creation Photography Website: <u>CLICK HERE</u>

**CENTURY RIDES OF JOHN CLARIDGE & TIC-TOC** <u>CLICK HERE to</u> <u>watch the Video</u> John and Tic-Toc competed Training Level, Tests 1 and 2. With their scores and placings, they have qualified for the NODA Schooling Show Championship in October. Tic-Toc is a lovely 17 year old Thoroughbred. Learn more about <u>The Dressage Foundation Century Club</u>.

## Final Results of the Volunteer T-Shirt Art Contest Winner: Rachel Jelen



Art by Rachel Jelen

he NODA Board of Directors and Recognized Show Committee are very pleased to report that our first annual t-shirt artwork contest was a resounding success! We would like to extend our thanks to everyone who submitted design entries for our Dressage 2010/Encore volunteer t-shirts. There were so many awesome entries that it was extremely difficult to select a winner. What a great opportunity to showcase the talents of our members beyond riding!

A special acknowledgement goes to our winner, Rachel Jelen. Congratulations, Rachel for the beautiful design you submitted that will be featured on the volunteer shirts for this year's show.

This contest was so successful that it is planned for next year, so we'd like to encourage everyone to start thinking ahead for Dressage 2011. In fact, any non-winning 2010 entries can be resubmitted for 2011!

Once again, thank you all for your participation in the first annual t-shirt contest!



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## South Farm Summer Horse Trial

By: Sharon Coon

Several NODA members were among more than 180 eventing competitors at South Farm's Summer Horse Trial over the 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend. The 16<sup>th</sup> annual event, hosted by Sarah Greer and Chris Gable, the farm's largest recognized competition ever, drew riders from Ohio, Michigan, Kentucky, West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Indiana. The large number of entries resulted in two preliminary divisions, three divisions of training, three novice sections, and one each of beginner novice horse, beginner novice rider, and starter. Sponsors of the South Farm Summer Horse Trial included The Paddock Saddlery, Big Dee's Tack and Vet Supplies and media sponsor, *The Middlefield Post*.

As the cool breezes that had graced our area and made for a week of marathon hay-making in the heart of Geauga County's Amish country moved out and the heat wave moved in, the dressage phase kicked off the competition on Saturday, July 3, with judges Sue Smithson (North Carolina), who also served as president of the ground jury; Sue Hughes (Michigan) and Gale D'Amanda-Fox (New York). Cindy DePorter from North Carolina served as Technical Delegate.

Next, competitors moved on to the exciting cross country phase across South Farm's beautiful fields and woods. The cross country course, designed by John Williams, ranged from 27 jumping efforts in the preliminary division (wheeled at 3025 meters at 520 meters per minute, with an optimum time of 5:49 and time limit of 11:38), to 10 jumping efforts for the starter division (1140 meters at 280

meters per minute, with an optimum time of 4:08 and time limit of 10:18). Obstacles, of course varying by level, included ditches, banks and water, along with tables, coops, log cabins, a park bench and an ominous sounding shark's tooth. The course was constructed by Jump It Excavating and Equestrian Surfaces of Middlefield.

Commenting on the event, TD Cindy DePorter said "Sara and Chris and all the great volunteers take the time and the care to make this the type of competition that you want to come to because of that attention to the detail. The courses are always beautifully prepared and they are always interesting and appropriate to the level. South Farm is one of those events that is extremely rider friendly, it is low key yet you know you will get a great competition and you know that the courses will help educate you and your horse. I had been away a couple of years and I loved the course changes this year. Everything was open

and gallopey just the way that you want the courses to be," DePorter said.

By the time Sunday rolled around for the final round of this triathlon of equestrian sports, the heat was sweltering and hunt coats were optional for the stadium round. The course proved to be equally challenging for competitors in all divisions, with a total of 86 starters posting rounds without jumping faults. But, a pretty similar number of jumping faults were tallied in divisions across the board. Although there were time faults, they were generally less of an issue. By the time the victory gallops were completed, all but 25 starters ended up completing all three phases of the competition.



Jennifer Milliner on Rocky Photo by: Brant Gamma Photography

In the Beginner Novice Horse Division, NODA's 2009 Horse Trials and First Level Adult Amateur Champion Jennifer Milliner of North Jackson Ohio landed Rocky – an 11 year-old off the track Thoroughbred born in Chile and a great-grandson of Affirmed – in third place with a score of 33.0, not far behind the leader's score of 30.0 after the dressage phase. The duo, who has been USEA Area 8 Beginner Novice Champion in amateur and adult rider, had a rough time over fences at the event and ended up finishing out of the ribbons.

"We had a bit of a set back last year and are trying to work through it still this year. We were 2nd at Stone Gate Farm's mini trial in June, but had a slip into fence #4 on cross country at South Farm. Then we had a stop on stadium. Overall I'm seeing progress. It's not always a picnic, that's how we become better riders. I like South Farm because it's only an hour away and they

#### always have a nice course."

NODA member Deborah Busta of Fairlawn did a nice, steady job guiding her 14 year old Connemara, Ridgetop Dublin Grey to join the victory gallop in the Novice A division. Proving that the number 13 isn't always unlucky, the duo capitalized on the strengths of Connemara breed and jumped their way from 13<sup>th</sup> place after dressage to a 7<sup>th</sup> place finish after stadium.

Deb is testimony to personal commitment and perseverance. "Several years ago I had a very bad fall and broke my neck. I thought that my eventing career was over, but after several

months I decided to try it again. I chose South Farm to do that first event because I knew that the cross country course would be fair for the level and the fences would be safely constructed. I always include both of the South Farm recognized competitions in my schedule and I try to do as many of the unrecognized competitions as



## Deborah Busta on Ridgetop Dublin Grey Photo by: Brant Gamma Photography

I can. To me, South Farm is the best example of what a horse trial should be. The grounds are always meticulous, the courses are well designed and the fences are nicely constructed.

Everyone that you have to deal with from the folks who help to park your trailer to the organizer, Sarah Greer, is just great. My eventing coach, Carol Kozlowski, came to the event for the first time. Her comment to me was that it was one of the most all without having to strap on an arm band or vest from this unique view. By the way, the ride is just over the division's optimum time of 6:22 (2675 meters at 420 meters per minute, so hang on!). You can also view complete horse show results on the farm's web site, or obtain info on the Fall Horse Trial over Labor Day weekend, or Mini Trial and Schooling Dressage Show on September 12.



"competitor friendly" events she'd ever been to, and she certainly would be back!"

In addition to Jen and Deb, NODA members Colleen Grant and Debbie McCaughtry also competed in this event. As a sponsor, member Lisa Gorretta was also on grounds, with The Paddock Saddlery providing division winners with beautiful lead shanks – appropriately made in the USA for this 4<sup>th</sup> of July event! Commenting on the show, Lisa said, "The Paddock is proud to sponsor the Championship awards for South Farm's 2010 Summer Horse Trials. We are pleased to have this opportunity to recognize the competitors at one of the region's most

> respected eventing competitions. Events like these take a proverbial village to put on each year. Our sponsorship is part of our commitment to all who participate in Equestrian sports in the area."

If you'd like to get a first hand look at the crosscountry phase of the South Farm Horse Trial, visit <u>www.SouthFarm.net</u> and check out the cross country training level helmet cam ride by Lynn Cronin on Keebler of Hamilton Michigan. It's pretty cool, so enjoy the ride through the fields, water, bank and woods,

## ATTENTION ALL NODA MEMBERS: THE NEWSLETTER IS GOING GREEN!!!



As noted in the April "*NODA News*" and in this May issue, NODA is "going green" with the Newsletter. Our intention is to only publish in electronic format. We do realize however, that for some members the electronic format is not an option. <u>Members with dial up or no email may</u> "<u>OPT OUT</u>" of the electronic format by filling out the "OPT OUT" form and returning it.

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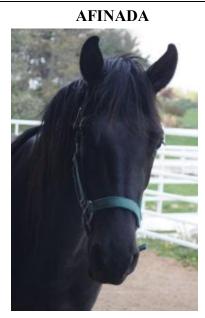
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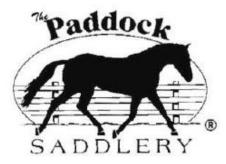


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– Beth Sproule-Hansen,

2005 Scholarship Winner

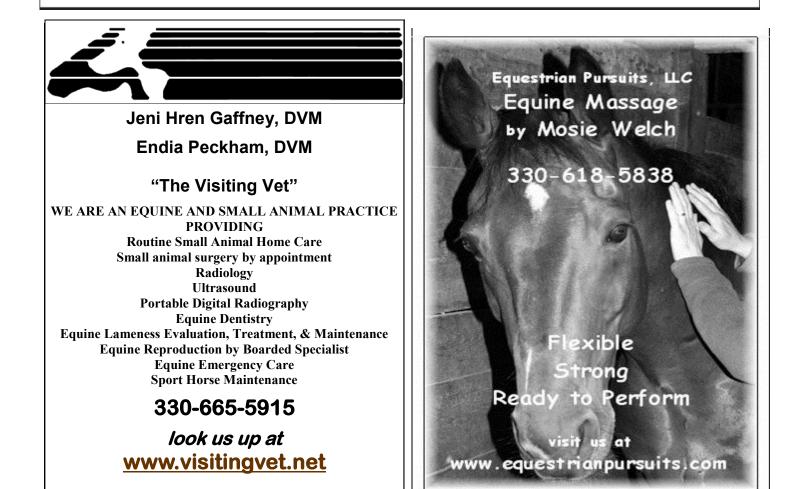
## Visit our website at www.DressageFoundation.org,

click on Funds and Programs, then Help for Dressage Instructors – you'll find additional information about the Lindgren Scholarship as well as the application

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DD has some very exciting news! Fallon Walker has been invited to ride with Dutch Superstar Edward Gal in an elite clinic in Lexington, Kentucky preceeding the World Equestrian Games on September 18th. Fallon will be riding her top young horse Guilliani in this clinic which will be aired on cable soon after the

event. This event has already been sponsored by Suceed, County Saddlery, Tempi Change Productions, Back on Track and SmartPak. More news coming soon! Kelly Walker was also invited, but unfortunately was without a horse for this clinic.



Fallon Walker and Guilliani



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## Equestrian Stylista

monthly review of what's new in equestrian apparel and equipment.

August 2010- GPA Speed Air Evolution Helmet

Have you taken a look at your helmet lately? Has it suffered a fall, or is it more than two years old? Many of us have helmets that may not be protecting us in the way they should! That's what a few of us at my barn discovered after picking up and examining our helmets. Mine was outdated, and I decided to purchase a new one.

GPA helmets are fashionable and superbly made. I bought the GPA Speed Air Evolution, which is GPA's newest helmet. The original version, the Speed Air, known as the "bug eye" helmet, was the predecessor of

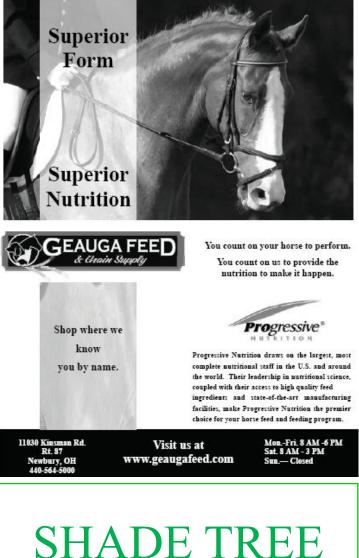


the Evolution. Similar in design, the Evolution offers a soft-touch finish, updated nape protector, and more ventilation. Speaking of ventilation, the Speed Air Evolution is excellent in keeping you cool! With my old helmet, I would get so hot and sweaty after a summer lesson. With the GPA Evolution, however, I stay cool and dry. The padding inside is removable and washable. The helmet is also very lightweight, and feels like you're not wearing one at all! In addition, it has a very sharp professional look, and we all agree looks great even in the show ring with a coat! I recommend the GPA Speed Air Evolution to everyone; I absolutely love it!

(Photo from GPA-sport.com)

-Cassandra Hummert-Johnson

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## NODA Board Meeting Minutes - June 21, 2010

## By Berni Moaura

Meeting Location: The Paddock Saddlery in Chagrin Falls

<u>Attending</u>: Fran Cverna, Mary Lou Gallagher, Alice Brightup, Marcia Doyle, Dee Liebenthal, Berni Moauro, Robyn Ambrose, Mary Dana Prescott, Lora Szloh, Kathy Kirchner, Lisa Gorretta, Gail Patton, Chris Leja Goodall

Meeting was called to order at 7:09 PM. Minutes from 05/10/10 meeting were approved.

<u>Membership</u>, <u>Alice Brightup</u>: 2010 has surpassed last year with membership. 280 this year, 274 last year. 54 Professionals this year.

<u>Historical/Data Management, Lora Szloh</u>: Please re-submit historical documents, some data has been lost due to technical issues with Linux upgrade.

<u>Awards Committee, Dee for Janeen</u>: New award in remembrance of Gretchen Singleton.

<u>Education, Marcia Doyle</u>: Success of program with Charles De Kunffy, possibility of another one in October. Working with Margaret Freeman to schedule new test clinic.

<u>External Relations, Lisa Gorretta</u>: New tests will be available the end of September. DVD's should be available by Thanksgiving. Vote for PM delegates.

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Ross Creech (859) 971-7038

## 2011 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championship Dates and Locations Announced

Lexington, KY (June 2, 2010) - The United States Dressage Federation (USDF) has announced the dates and locations for the 2011 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships: USDF Region 1 (October 20-23) at the Virginia Horse Center in Lexington, VA, USDF Region 2 (September 22-25) at Majestic Farm in Batavia, OH, USDF Region 3 (October 14-16) at HITS Post Time Farm in Ocala, FL, USDF Region 4 (September 9-11) at the North Iowa Fair Grounds in Mason City, IA, USDF Region 5 (November 4-6) at WestWorld of Scottsdale, AZ, USDF Region 6 (September 22-25) at the Idaho Horse Park in Nampa, ID, USDF Region 7 (October 6-9) at the Murieta Equestrian Center in Rancho Murieta, CA, USDF Region 8 (September 13-18) at HITS on the Hudson in Saugerties, NY, and USDF Region 9

<u>Schooling Shows, Fran Cverna</u>: Issue of professional showing as amateur. Rocky River show on 05/30/10 was full. Had 6 lead-liners. Had 74 entries, 15 of which were non-members.

<u>Webmaster, Dee for Linda Cooley</u>: Broadcast emails were sent out about the LEC Dressage Derby and the NODA Recognized shows this past month. More clinics and shows added to the calendar. Added a new page to the website called WDM under E -News(World Dressage Masters.)

<u>Schooling Show Volunteers, Gail Patton</u>: need volunteers for 07/11/10 show at Grand Haven.

<u>Recognized Shows, Robyn Ambrose</u>: Showed wine glass which will be used for awards. Holiday Inn Express and EMT service lined up. Flights have been scheduled, air fares have increased. Need sponsors for show. Mary Lou: programs mailed to new members.

New Business, Dee:

John Claridge, long time member, will ride Century Club ride on 07/11/10 schooling show. Should be recognized. Ad trade with South Farm. Facebook for ads/news? Use still to be discussed. Showed winning artwork for t-shirt.

Meeting adjourned at 8:49 PM. Next meeting 07/12/10 at The Paddock Saddlery.

(November 3-6) at the Great Southwest Equine Center in Katy, TX.

These championships recognize the outstanding efforts of riders in each USDF region and provide an excellent opportunity for spectators to view the top competitors in their respective regions. Kathy Stringer of Great American Insurance Group added, "By being the title sponsor, we are able to help USDF showcase these commendable individuals and provide them with the recognition they so greatly deserve."

Competitors qualify for Great American/USDF Regional Championships by competing in designated qualifying classes throughout the year at USDF-recognized competitions. For more information on the Regional Championship program, visit the USDF Web site or contact the USDF sport programs department.

Founded in 1973, the United States Dressage Federation is a nonprofit membership organization dedicated to education, recognition of achievement, and promotion of dressage. For more information about USDF membership or programs, visit www.usdf.org, e-mail usdressage@usdf.org, or call (859) 971-2277.

## Calendar of Events

## COMPLETE LIST AVAILABLE AT www.NodaRider.org

Future dates to be included in their entirety closer to the date

#### AUGUST

7/31 & 8/1 DRESSAGE CLINIC WITH CHRISTOPH HESS, <u>Flyer</u>, Fair Weather Farm, Chagrin Falls, OH, Contact Kate Poulin <u>katepoulin@yahoo.com</u> or 386-624-6968

#### 8/1 GRAND RIVER HUNT MINI TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org

## 8/6

NANCY SMITH CLINIC Westside Location Contact: Sue Horst 440-962-3041, Rocky River, Brecksville or Bridlewood in Medina

## 8/7 & 8

NANCY SMITH CLINIC Eastside Location Contact: Mary Dana Prescott 440-256-8858, Woodwind Farm

## 8/7

CROSS-COUNTRY JUMP SCHOOLING Stone Gate Farm, Hanoverton, OH www.stonegatefarm.org

#### 8/7-8 SUMMER DRESSAGE AT COPPER CREEK Flyer USEF & USDF Recognized Copper Creek Farm, Williamston, Michigan. 517-655-3710 or email travelhunt@aol.com More Info at www.Dressagesecretary.com

8/8

WESTERN RESERVE PONY CLUB MINI TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org

#### 8/13-15

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8/13-15 DAVID DONNELLY DRESSAGE CLINIC Flyer Schwung Farm, Medina OH Contact Fallon at FWDressage@schwungfarm.com or 330-760—4921 www.schwungfarm.com

8/14 DRESSAGE CLINIC WITH FRANCESCA NICOLETTI GreyMack Stables More info at <u>greymackstablesllc.com</u> or contact Chyrse 330-244-0159 or <u>dphister@att.net</u>

8/14-15 WPDA SUMMER SIZZLER DRESSAGE SHOW, USEF & USDF Recognized www.wpdadressage.org Grand Haven Stable, Jefferson, OH www.grandhavenstable.com

8/14-15 ODS DOWN CENTERLINE DRESSAGE SHOW USEF & USDF Recognized <u>www.odswebsite.com</u>

## 8/15

NODA Schooling Show - Cross Winds Farm, <u>www.thecrosswindsfarm.com</u>, 16490 Munn Road, Auburn Township, Bob Weston 440-543-5698, Judges: Sue Hughes "r" and Dorothy Mueller "L" <u>www.nodarider.org</u>

8/15 ROLLING ROCK HUNT PONY CLUB MINI TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org

8/22 GRAND HAVEN DRESSAGE SCHOOLING SHOW Grand Haven Stable, Jefferson OH <u>www.grandhavenstable.com</u> \*\*\* NODA Members: Show eligible for NODA Year-End Awards

8/22 BATH PONY CLUB MINI TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org

## 8/28

CADS SCHOOLING DRESSAGE SHOW Entry Form Stoney Ridge Stables, Wadsworth OH www.cadsdressage.org

## 8/28

DRESSAGE SCHOOLING SHOW -GREYMACK STABLES Judge Barbara Soukup "L" Info & Forms: <u>Greymackstablesllc.com</u> or contact Chryse 330-244-0159 \*\*\* NODA Members: Show eligible for NODA Year-End Awards

8/29 HUNTER PACE - BUCKEYE HORSE PARK www.minitrialseries.org

SEPTEMBER 9/5 HUNTER PACE - BATH PONY CLUB www.minitrialseries.org

9/9-12 GAIG/USDF REGION 2 DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIP & DRESSAGE BY THE BAY CLASSIC - USEF & USDF Recognized <u>www.horseshowsbythebay.com</u> Williamsburg MI

## 9/12

NODA Schooling Show - Rocky River Stables, <u>www.valleyriding.org</u>, 19901 Puritas Ave, Rocky River - Margaret McElhany 216-267-2525, Judges: Dale Lappert "R" and Jane Kelly "L" <u>www.nodarider.org</u>

9/12 SOUTH FARM MINI-TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org www.stonegatefarm.org

9/18 DRESSAGE CLINIC WITH FRANCESCA NICOLETTI, GreyMack Stables More info at greymackstablesIlc.com or contact Chyrse 330-244-0159 or dphister@att.net

9/18-19 STONE GATE FARM HORSE TRIALS - USEA Recognized All Phases of competition at Stone Gate Farm, Hanoverton, OH www.stonegatefarm.org

9/19 HUNTER PACE - STONE GATE FARM <u>www.minitrialseries.org</u>

9/25 TEACH YOUR HORSE TRICKS WITH CAROLE FLETCHER Sand Hill Stable, Mantua OH <u>CLINIC FLYER</u> Questions? Contact Betsy 330-221-8819 or e-mail betsyshaw@sandhillstableoh.com

9/25 CADS SCHOOLING DRESSAGE SHOW <u>Entry Form</u> Stoney Ridge Stables, Wadsworth OH www.cadsdressage.org

9/25-27 GRAND HAVEN ADULT DRESSAGE CAMP Grand Haven Stable, Jefferson OH www.grandhavenstable.com

9/26 STONE GATE FARM - FALL HUNTER PACE Stone Gate Farm, Hanoverton, OH www.stonegatefarm.org

9/26 BASSETT HIGHLANDS MINI TRIALS & DRESSAGE SHOW www.minitrialseries.org

9/25 - 10/10 WORLD EQUESTRIAN GAMES Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington, KY <u>http://</u> www.alltechfeigames.com/

## OCTOBER

10/3 GRAND HAVEN DRESSAGE SCHOOLING SHOW Grand Haven Stable, Jefferson OH www.grandhavenstable.com \*\*\* NODA Members: Show eligible for NODA Year-End Awards

10/3 HUNTER PACE - SOUTH FARM www.southfarm.net www.minitrialseries.org

10/10 HUNTER PACE - MAGNOLIA WAYNESBURG HUNT www.minitrialseries.org

## 10/16

NODA Schooling Show, Chagrin Valley Farms, <u>www.chagrinvalleyfarms.com</u>, 9250 East Washington Street, Bainbridge 440-543-7233, Judges: Dagmar Zimmerman "R" and Debbie Boeh "L"

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## 10/17

NODA Championship Show, Chagrin Valley Farms,

www.chagrinvalleyfarms.com, 9250 East Washington Street, Bainbridge 440-543-7233, Dagmar Zimmerman "R" and Debbie Boeh dressage "L", eventing "r"

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10/17 HUNTER PACE - CHAGRIN VALLEY HUNT <u>www.minitrialseries.org</u>

**10/18-19/10 JUMP CLINIC WITH BOYD MARTIN <u>Flyer</u>, White North Stable, Hunting Valley and South Farm, Middlefield OH, Contact Therese Boyd 440-622-4976 or** 

evans.eventing@gmail.com

10/21-25 DRESSAGE CLINIC WITH ERIK HERBERMANN Renaissance Farm, 6750 Bethel Church Road, Saline MI 48176, Contact Dr. Patricia Butcko at 734-355-3339, Email renaissancefarm@verizon.net or www.renaissancefarm.net

10/22-24 CHARLES DE KUNFFY DRESSAGE CLINIC, <u>Flyer</u> Topline Stables at Walden, Aurora OH, <u>Riders</u> <u>Auditors</u> Questions? Contact <u>Janeen</u> or <u>www.topline-stables.com</u>

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County Competitor Dressage Saddle, Black, 17", Fair Condition \$400. Call Karen 440-263-1944 or e-mail karendq@aol.com 9/10

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Kieffer Wien DL Professional, 18 inch black \$650, jessiharrim@cs.com 9/10

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Stubben Camelot, 17.5 inch light brown \$650, <u>jessiharrim@cs.com</u>

Verhan Dressage Odyssey I Saddle, brand new, ridden in five times, must sell, black size 18 med/w, asking only \$2,200, Regina 216.390.3702 or regina.sacha@sbcglobal.net

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