

NODA News



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August 12, 6-8 pm

Greetings from the President

Hello to all loyal readers!

Mother nature really dealt us a rough hand in July! We either had a lot of rain or sun with scorching temperatures and high humidity. Thank fully, we were tough enough to thumb our noses at her.

The NODA ride-a -test clinic and schooling show July 6th & 7th at Chagrin Valley Farms, were well attended and run smoothly. The weather for NODA's Dressage 2019 and Dressage 2019 Encore Recognized Shows was hot but the competitors, their support teams, and show volunteers were tougher than the weather and made the weekend a great success.

Saturday night's Musical Freestyle competition were well ridden and fun to watch. Special thanks to Betsy Juliano for supporting this competition. Our 50th Anniversary party Saturday night was full of members and friends, and extremely fun and entertaining! A big thank you to Member Liaison, Kathy Kirchner, and the party committee for their work putting together this special anniversary party event. Thank you to Membership Chair, Fran Cverna, for creating the lovely NODA slide show, and coordinating several raffles. Every party attendee could earn numerous raffle tickets by sharing their knowledge of NODA historical trivia. The prizes awarded were amazing. Two 2020 NODA memberships, two \$50 gift certificates for Big Dee's Tack & Veterinary Supplies, and the final prize . . . one \$350 gift certificate to Big Dee's!

The 'Unmounted Quazy Quadrille' competition was hilariously fun to watch, and I thank those brave enough to participate. If you were not there to see them, you really missed out on a huge chance to laugh like a kid again! The yummy catered food was graciously sponsored by Christine Thompson. Of course, we must also thank the Recognized Shows Committee for the many hours of planning, organizing, and bringing us the shows. Dee Liebenthal, Arielle Brodkey and Christine Thompson as well as Karen Shirring who once again organized all the weekend volunteers. Our sincere appreciation to all the show and class sponsors and advertisers. Great job everyone!

I have to say that the month of August has a tough act to follow! Next up is the August 11th NODA Schooling Show at Rocky River Stables with Judges Sophie Bayer 'R' and Clara Etzel (L*). And you know what I'm going to say next, right? We need show volunteers. If you have some spare time between rides or maybe you're not showing at this event, please volunteer. You do not need to be a NODA member to volunteer. Sign up online via SignUpGenius.com or contact Sally Burton at SchoolingShow@nodarider.org.

August 17th and 18th is Session B of our USDF L Education Program with Endeavor Farm located at 2909 Old Mill Road, Hudson, OH 44236. Session B program instructor is Tenna Atkins, USEF "S" Judge. More details are on www.NodaRider.org/Education.htm. E-mail Dee Liebenthal at Treasurer@NodaRider.org if you would like to be a volunteer rider.

There is plenty to do in August, September, and October. The NODA website Calendar of Events lists many shows, clinics, and horse activities at www.NodaRider.org/Calendar.htm.

September is an important month for NODA. We will be voting for new executive officers: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer. I have enjoyed being your President the past couple of years but it's time to pass the reins on to another. Information on potential candidates will be shared soon. I hope you will be as supportive to the new 2020/2021 executive team as you have been with the 2018/2019 team.

Thank you to each and every one of you!

Barb



Barb Soukup & Hero

Cover: Addie Strosnider, 8 years old, competes in the Lead Line Class led by her riding instructor, Rachel Aderhold. Addie has been riding for a year and a half. Her goal is to ride Intro Level Test A by next show season. Lead Line Classes are available during the lunch break at designated NODA Schooling shows. Photo courtesy of Photography In Stride

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Riders Share their Experiences at NODA's Dressage and More 2019 Camp for Adults

Photos by Mosie Welch and Sally Burton

Patty Keim, one of THE NODA Dressage and More Camp

organizers, shares she and her horse Java Joe really enjoyed the mountain trail course.

"I loved the mental challenge it provided for me and for Java. A few times going through an obstacle I swear I could "see" him thinking in slow motion to figure it out." When asked what she learned about Java patty said, "Java is such a sensitive guy and he tries so hard to figure out what I'm asking him to do when I'm riding

him. On the ground Mosie taught me that Java can lift his back and hold it but that it's hard work for him and it's not second nature YET! He can get there but I have to commit to doing my homework with him consistently and I have to have a whole lot of carrot pieces on hand"

Patty's biggest take-a-way from camp is that, "You don't have to be on your horses back to train and learn - ground work can be a wonderful tool in your tool belt and it can add variety to your plan. I am going to try harder than ever to vary the work I do with Java to keep him mentally stimulated. I think about obstacles, poles, trail riding and working in hand more than I have in the past."

Maria Temperini, an eventer brought Detour 11 year old, 17.1 hh Dutch WB to camp. Maria trains at Pure Gold Stables and I train mainly with Laura Kosiorek-Smith. Excited to Spend 4 full days doing horsey things she really enjoyed "Meeting a lot of riders I didn't know." Maria says she found out Detour is "actually more versatile/adjustable that I thought" and that "Dressage can be fun!" Because of her experience, Maria say's she'll be more relaxed during warm up and during my dressage test." Maria hopes all her 'craziness' was not too over the top... "Detour and I really love to jump and we can't resist all the 'options' at Stone Gate Farm!"

Penny Krug and Bentley a 16.3 hh, 9-year-old, liver chestnut Hanoverian/Friesian drove in from Columbus, Ohio and mostly ride at the farm or in the show ring. The words "Dressage Camp" caught Penny's eye and as she is

"always looking for new adventures that I can share with

my horse" she was immediately interested.

At camp, Penny loved "meeting new people and experiencing new challenges with my horse. There were things we had never experienced together before, but he handled it all like a champ!"

Bentley, it seems, LOVES water and he does not like to stand and wait for other horses to take their turn. Penny says her biggest takeaway as a



Campers participated in a semi-private Dressage lesson each day and a group Mountain Trail lesson on Friday. Each camper also had the opportunity to take cavaletti or jump lessons each day. Once riders took a Mountain Trail lesson, they were free to use the course on their own.

rider is "how much of a blast my horse can be outside of the dressage arena. He and I have not ventured on too many outings that were not dressage lessons or a dressage show. I think we will do more trail riding." Finally, Penny shares, "It was such a joy to see all the riders sharing new experiences with their horses. The smiles and laughter were so good to hear.

Peggi Ignagni shares that she "brought her recently purchased 11 year old Quarter Horse mare, Scarlett (aka Rey Jay Ron) to camp to introduce her to new things. I wanted to take her off our farm, so she would develop a closer relationship with me without the distraction of her pony pasture mate. Scarlett comes from a western trained background, so classical dressage is a new discipline for her. I was hoping to get feedback from the camp trainers about the ability for both of us to ride third level. We received a lot of positive feedback and the lessons helped us with various new elements, such as canter half pass, turn on haunches and medium gaits. We left camp with some ideas on how to improve these elements. On the human side, it was great fun to meet other riders, especially people who ride other disciplines - eventing and western. The group was fun, energetic and supportive. Sally and Patty took great care of us with delicious and plentiful food and drinks. Goodie bags, camp shirts and prizes -- these two ladies went all out to make a very fun experience and their hard work was greatly appreciated. NODA knows how to put on an event!!"

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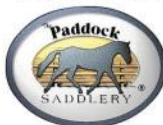
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Riders Share their Experiences at NODA's Dressage and More 2019 Camp for Adults

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Gale Browning and Winterstern 6, Sachse, a 22 yo, 16.3 hh, chestnut gelding ended up at camp because Gale saw the opportunity and, "it immediately sounded like fun." I did not have horses while I was growing up, so I never had this opportunity before." Gale enjoyed" spending time with like-minded women and getting to know them. It was great to see their relationships with their horses. I enjoyed and benefited from the dressage lessons. The mountain trail obstacles gave a refreshing change in environment to expand communication with my horse." Gale says she found out that her horse is the great guy I thought he was. She also learned that, "clear and sometimes insistent communication with my horse helps us both and she is already practicing the pearls I learned in the lessons." Some highlights for Gale included "Stampeding youngsters (horses) in the pasture next to the (dressage) ring really must be ignored by me! Or maybe it is that I can ask for, and give, help from time to time. Or maybe it is that it was wonderful just to spend time with this "tribe" of horsewomen."

Halle Clause, NODA's Western Dressage Liaison, says, "I want to thank Patty Kiem and Sally Burton for making this camp happen. It was a fun filled 4 days of riding and fellowship with our new friends."

My horse, Master the Art aka "Artty" is 19 yrs. young. He is a registered half Arabian/Paint/Warmblood cross. We have been doing Western dressage for 4 years now. doing basic and level 1 now. What I enjoyed most about dressage camp was really getting to know our fellow riders. We kinda' knew each other but by Sunday, we we're a close group. Reminds me of doing Pony Club camp as a kid. Each dressage lesson was good and it improved my partnership with Artty. He can be a handful sometimes. The addition of the mountain trail was fantastic. Jacky Smith explaining the ins and outs of how to do each obstacle was great. Doing it in hand first, then mounted was enlightening. The mountain trail showed that our dressage horses can do more than go down the center line. The Sunday fun show was the best way to end camp!! We all used our new skills to do new things with

our horses and support our new friends. I hope I get to do this next year! The only negative thing was the rainstorms, but we have to take that up with Mother Nature!

Jill Winters came to camp with Miro her 16.1 hh, 13 year old, Bay, OTTB. Jill and Miro board at Andiamo Equestrian in Hanoverton, Ohio. Jill said she "wanted to do camp to spend more time with my horse and in a learning atmosphere and to meet and learn from other adult NODA riders. Doing camp gave me a leg up to start the season. Working and learning from Danielle, Barb, Jackie and Kyle allowed Miro and me learn to trust each other while gaining new experiences. I also felt such a strong connection with the other riders as we are all on the same journey to learn and connect with our horses. This experience also taught me the importance of volunteering and that I can learn how to volunteer. It made me realize how much value there is to my NODA membership other than just having a discount at the shows; it is a privilege to be a member." *(Thank you, Jill for leading a YOGA session at camp.)*

Beth Baryon brought Pippin, her 14-year-old, 14.3 hh, buckskin, pinto gelding to camp.

They train with Julie Franzen and are active in MODA. Beth shares her camp experience, "I signed up for camp because I've been wanting to attend an adult dressage camp for a long time. I thought it would be a good new challenge for my horse and me. The best experience was the dressage lessons with Danielle and Barb, including the opportunity to audit other's lessons. With the variety of activities and locations at

camp, I learned Pippin needed more training so we started training with a horsemanship trainer who is helping me with groundwork to make my horse more amenable to new experiences. I thought a lot about the kind of horse I want my horse to be. Although we can do well in a ring doing dressage work, I'd like him to be more versatile." Beth loved meal times because it gave campers time to "sit down and chat."



Campers share a laugh at the end of a long day. Left to right, Halle Clause, Gale Browning, Rachel Aderhold, and Peggi Ignagni.



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Include your horse's name, age, breed, color, gender, and owner (if applicable) and your name as you would like it to appear in print. Please also include if you are a professional, adult amateur, young rider, or junior rider.

Keep your submission to **150 words or less please, in word format**. Please also include a picture of you and your horse which must be sent as JPG file. Be sure to include who took the photo. We will use a couple of them to the newsletter each month.



Please send submissions to Heidi-Editor@nodarider.org
by the 10th of the Month for inclusion in the following newsletter Submissions will be included as space allows

Schooling Show News

by Sally Burton, Schooling Show Manager

July 7, 2019 NODA Schooling Dressage Show at Chagrin Valley Farms

WE had an amazing schooling show. The show on Sunday was packed with participants and as usual had a big wait list. We had many new riders to this show which we were very happy to see! The rain for the most part avoided the show ring but there were a few riders who got soaked. We do our best to order good weather.

Thanks to judges Debbie Boeh and Jennifer Roth

for all of their wonderful comments and their time so that our riders can improve and learn.

Many thanks to Chagrin Valley Farms and Bernie Villeneuve

for all his help ensuring we had what we needed to run a great show!

But there is no way the show weekend could be a success without our volunteers! So a big shout out is necessary to all of these volunteers who selflessly gave up their time to help us run this amazing weekend:

Ring Set up crew: Thanks to Victoria Patterson-Pirko, Linda Toll, Rachel Aderhold, Diana Shale, Michele Nicholson Thomas, Jill Winters, Kathy Loveland and Sue Hines!

Sunday show crew: many thanks to Kathy Friedman Kirchner, Elizabeth Scalabrino, Jan Thompson, Barb Gantz, Gwendolyn Samuels, Rachel Aderhold, Marissa Whalen, Taya Workum-Byers, Greg Overbaugh, Danielle Bolm, the Skelly sisters and Diane Jackson for their hard work during show hours.

Ring tear down crew: And a huge thanks to the ring tear down crew of Kayda and Lori Strah, Kris Ropp, Gale Browning and Sarah Freeman!

With many hands, the work load decreases! Show Secretary, Niki Sackman, and I appreciate everyone who helped at this show and the support of the NODA board! We look forward to our August 11 show at Rocky River Stables.

Thank you Photography In Stride for spending the day with us, Photos available at www.photographyinstride.com

July 6, 2019 NODA Ride-a-Test Clinic

NODA sponsored an educational ride-a-test clinic. All participants in the clinic rode away with valuable insight and test corrections that they put into practice in the show the very next day. With only one delay for threatening thunder, the ride-a-test went off without a hitch.

Many thanks to Danielle Menteer and Barb Soukup for their instruction, critiques and the time they took for each rider!

Thanks also to our volunteers: Danielle Bolm, Gale Browning, Kathy Loveland, Leigh Steve Mooney, Carissa Skelly and Kaylee Skelly!



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Endeavor Farm, 2909 Old Mill Rd. Hudson, OH 44236,

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UNITED STATES *Dressage* FEDERATION

2019 L Education Program

Hosted by Northern Ohio Dressage Association

August 17th & 18th

"Judging Criteria for Gaits & Paces, Movements & Figures"

Instructor - Trenna Atkins • Session B - USDF#103125

Location - Endeavor Farm

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Trenna Atkins has been instructing and training Dressage for over 35 years, riding and competing horses from Training through FEI. She has been a USEF judge since 1986 and a "Senior" rated judge for over 20 years.



As a rider, Trenna earned her Bronze and Silver medals with USDF and has won Regional and National awards, including two National USDF Horse of the Year Awards in Musical Freestyle.

In 2003, Trenna joined the Faculty for the "L" Education Program of USDF and works every spring to develop and improve the Part 1 Education sessions.

Trenna has developed and taught Judge education for the L program, the United States Eventing Association and USEF Judge training.

"Helping judges, riders and trainers to develop their eye and understanding by using videos has been a real mix of my interest and love of dressage and computer technology. It is a great advantage to study, re-watch and slow motion the horse to better understand it. Through this I've developed a real love of horse biomechanics as well."

Why be a Silent Auditor?

NODA is offering a wonderful opportunity on August 17th and 18th for all riders, teachers, coaches, trainers, barn managers, boarders, veterinarians, farriers, those who love horses, those who love dressage, those who are new to dressage, those who have been riding all their lives and anyone who seeks education and inspiration in their journey of riding.

The opportunity offered is to be a silent auditor in the L Education Program with instructor Trenna Atkins who will be teaching session B at Endeavor Farm August 17th and 18th. As an auditor, you will have the education of understanding the gates and movements of dressage and a taste of what judging dressage is all about. This is the second session in a series of three sessions.

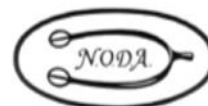
So why be a silent auditor? The answer to that question is why not. Why not surround yourself with like-minded people who all share in your interest? Why not educate yourself with an instructor who has a life time of experience and expertise in the world of dressage? Why not take advantage of knowledge and understanding of dressage at a level only offered through the L Education Program? Why not take advantage of this program at a venue who is in our backyard and who has graciously offered their support? Why not invest two days of your time, to come away with invaluable education and pearls of ideas to inspire your love of dressage? Why not set aside \$75.00/day for a life changing weekend?



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Useful Tidbits From the USDF L Education Program - Notes From a Silent Auditor

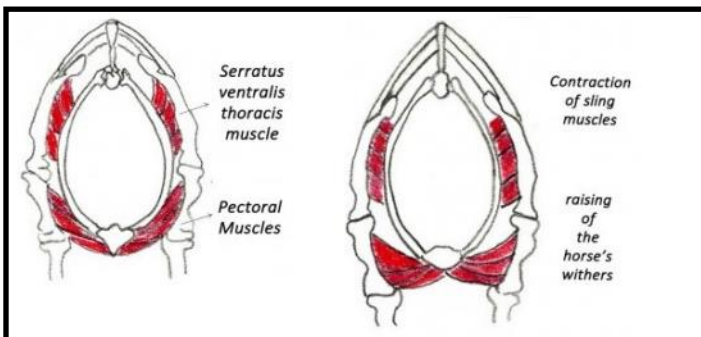
by Mosie Welch

As a silent auditor at Part 1, Session A, of the USDF L Education Program sponsored by NODA, I sat in the back and scribbled copious notes, as Marilyn Heath, a USEF Senior Judge was teaching the basics of dressage judging and biomechanics of the horse. Heath stated that “correct biomechanics equal correct basics so in order to be successful in dressage pay attention to the horse you start with.” Heath stressed however, that “dressage benefits any horse.” She also stated that the L program has incorporated new materials and information in 2019, so for those who had taken the L program before, it was more than a refresher. This month I’ll highlight some key points of what Heath had to say about biomechanics and how dressage judges use a horse’s movement to score a movement starting with two components of a strong topline.

The first is the chest sling or thoracic sling which are significant muscles aiding in a correct topline. A newer

thoracic spine and wither in relation to the ground by using a sterno- thoracic lift or belly lift (See box on page 13). Judges look for that same elevation of the spine and withers. To better understand the correct use of the thoracic sling start with an article written by Betsy LaBelle and posted on the website, **In Dressage** on Friday, February 15, 2019 titled *The Significance of a Horse’s Chest Sling Muscles; Biomechanic Research by Hilary Clayton* at www.dressageheadlines.com/articles/dressage/significance-horse%E2%80%99s-chest-sling-muscles-biomechanic-research-hilary-clayton.

Next Heath covered the joint where the spine and pelvis of the horse meet or the lumbo-sacral joint. The lumbo-sacral joint “is important for its ability to flex and extend and allow for the hind end to tuck” which allows for engagement and power. This joint is responsible for “support, spring, the absorption of concussion, and the direction of thrust in the hind legs.” Depending on the engagement of the lumbosacral joint, the hind legs can

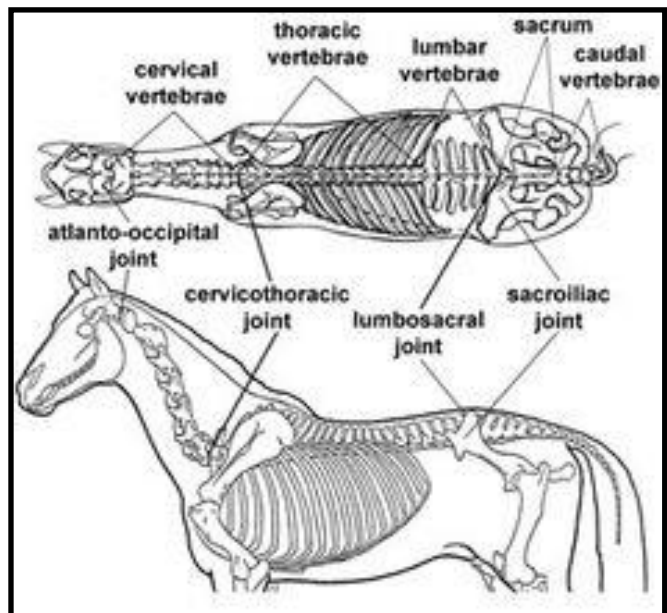


Above Left: The Thoracic Sling Muscles.

Above Right: Contraction of the thoracic sling muscles resulting in lift. Graphic reprinted from the article *The Significance of a Horse’s Chest Sling Muscles, Biomechanics Research by Hilary Clayton* from the website Dressage Headlines.

study by Hilary Clayton BVMS, PhD has increased the understanding of lift and balance and how it is achieved. The “hindquarter is not as responsible for the lifting of the forehand as once was thought, it is now known that 43% of balance and only 20% of lift of the topline comes from the hind end and 57% of balance and 80% of the lift comes from the muscles of the thoracic sling.” Suppleness in the shoulders and engagement of the thoracic sling is essential in a correct topline and to achieve self-carriage.

At home you can observe the thoracic sling muscles in a relaxed state and then observe the lift in your horse’s



Above: Significant joints of the spine including the lumbosacral joint. Graphic by Hilary Clayton, BVMS, PhD

swing under and push off sending the horse forward, they can push only upward (think bucking), or they can be out behind and send energy backwards. Push that sends the horse forward coupled with upward (without bucking) is optimal.

You can observe your horse’s lumbo sacral joint in action by performing a lumbosacral lift and observing how your

horse responds (see box page 13). For those that want to understand more about the biomechanics of the hindquarters I am including a link to *The Anatomy of Dressage-Horse Hindquarters - Understand the structure and biomechanics of the horse's engine as it relates to dressage*, written by Hilary Clayton BVMS, PhD, MRCVS, DACVSMR, and published in **Dressage Today** in 2015, www.dressagetoday.com/horse-health-/anatomy-hindquarters-26465.

Heath reviewed how judges observe the biomechanics of the topline to inform scores. For instance, identifying a horse "on the forehand" includes a "lack of engagement in the hind end, a lack of upward push with the front feet, the front feet staying on the ground too long, a lack of lift in the thoracic sling appropriate to the level ridden, and a general sense that the horse is not in self-carriage. Heath went on to identify positive and negative visuals of correct paces including rhythm and tempo, bend, contact, lateral balance, impulsion, suspension, as well as individual movements such as the stretchy circle.

As a lower level dressage rider, attending Session A of the L program has provided valuable insight into dressage as a sport and dressage as a training tool. While judges are providing a snapshot of how a horse and rider perform in given test with scores and comments, a rider cannot improve without an understanding of a basic knowledge of correct biomechanics of the horse. The L Program is a valuable tool for developing any rider's knowledge base.

Part 1, Session B of The L Education Program, Judging Criteria for Gaits and Paces, Movements and Figures will take place August 17 and 18 at Endeavor Farm in Hudson, Ohio. The Instructor is USEF Senior Judge, Trenna Atkins. Auditors must register. For more information go to www.NodaRider.org

The USDF L Education Program is designed with several goals in mind:

Provide trainers, instructors, competitors and spectators' insight into the evaluative techniques of judging dressage.

To prepare and evaluate candidates who wish to pursue entry into the USEF 'r' Judge Training Program.

To provide continuing education for licensed judges and L graduates.

Core Strengthening Exercises for your Horse

by Mosie Welch

Core strengthening exercises are valuable for activating and building tone over time and are also useful in providing a rider a way to observe from the ground how well their horse uses key muscle groups needed for a strong topline. Repeated thoughtfully and with purpose, much like a yoga or Pilates workout, you can help your horse strengthen and develop an even better, more stable topline over time.

The Sterno-Thoracic Lift

1. Have your horse in cross ties or held by an assistant.
2. Stand to one side of your horse and place your hand between your horse's legs.
3. Apply pressure with your fingers or a blunt object like the handle of a hoof pick on the sternum and watch for the head to drop (important!)
4. Maintaining continuous pressure along the midline, move slightly back beneath the withers and watch for the wither to slightly lift.
5. Move your hand farther back along the midline to the girth area and look at the horse's back to observe the horse's thoracic spine lift.
6. Observe and note how your horse responds to the stimulation, including resistance, spasm in the pectorals, back, or shoulder, or a smooth easy lift. All are clues to how well your horse uses his thoracic sling.

The Lumbosacral Lift can be performed two different ways the first is Spinal Stimulation

1. Place fingers or the blunt end of a hoof pick at the base of the spine near the tail.
2. Apply small, circular pressure moving slowly up the spine toward the croup with a "forward toward the poll" motion.
3. Stop and hold when you find the sweet spot where your horse lifts his lumbar spine and tucks his hind end.
4. Observe how the horse responds. Is it a smooth tuck? Is there no tuck? Does the horse rock side to side or try not to take weight on one hind leg? Is there muscle spasm? Is there a small buck up? These are clues to how your horse tucks under saddle.

If the spinal stimulation does not work, you can apply pressure to the muscles on either side of the croup with your fingers, scratching down toward the "poverty lines." Stop and hold when you get a tuck.

Things to know: Start with light pressure and add pressure slowly if your horse does not respond. Some horses are more sensitive than others. If you get no response from your horse-remember it takes time for you to learn these techniques, don't give up! Check with your Vet if your horse has lameness or back concerns.

These and other strengthening and mobility exercises can help a horse develop a more correct topline. If you need help, contact your equine bodyworker or to develop your own exercise program, check out *Activate Your Horse's Core* by Hilary Clayton and Narelle Stubbs which comes with a laminated book and DVD.

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Fair Winds Farm, Auburn Township, Ohio |
| Oct 5 | NODA Dressage Schooling Show
Chagrin Valley Farms, Chagrin Falls, Ohio |
| Oct 6 | NODA Dressage Schooling Show
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Chagrin Valley Farms, Chagrin Falls, Ohio |

For The Prize List Please Visit NODA's Website

www.nodarider.org



July 7, 2019 NODA Schooling Show Series Results, Chagrin Valley Farm

Judges: Jennifer Roth (r) and Debbie Boeh (L w/Dist)

High Point Awards

Intro Level:	Carissa Skelly, Jonesy, Intro Level Test A JR/YR	70.938%
Training/First Level:	Michelle Tyner, Hermes Scarlett, Training Level Test 2 Open	72.931%
Second Level & Above:	Erin Clark, Crossed Sabres, Second Level Test 3 AA	66.548%
Western Dressage:	Connie Kelling, LC Rockstar, Western Basic Level Test 3	69.250%

High Point TIP Awards

Intro Level:	Rhonda Pearce, Starlits Lad, Intro Test B Open	67.813%
Training Level:	Diane Jackson, Arthur, Training Level Test 3 AA	67.241%
First Level:	Sue Hines, Cooper, First Level Test 1 Open	70.000%

Show Photographer: Photography In Stride

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Introductory Test A Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,			
1	Gale Browning	Winterstern 6	70.313%
2	Alyssa Moran	Easton	70.000%
3	Barbara Gantz	Touch of Jazz	65.938%

Introductory Walk-Trot Test B Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Gale Browning	Winterstern 6	70.625%
2	Barbara Gantz	Touch of Jazz	67.188%
3	Alyssa Moran	Easton	66.875%
4	LaDonna Young	Habanero SMDR	66.563%

Introductory Walk-Trot Test C Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,			
1	Michele Thomas	Beauty of the Knight	66.000%

Introductory Test A Jr/YR

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Carissa Skelly	Jonsey	70.938%
2	Taylor Heilman	ReallyCan'tBeSerious	69.063%
3	Josephine Cooper	Mikey	62.188%

Introductory Test B Jr/YR

(C) Roth - r,			
1	Carissa Skelly	Jonsey	68.750%
2	Kayda Strah	Mykka	67.500%
3	Josephine Cooper	Mikey	64.375%

Introductory Test C Jr/YR

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Isabella Paspalovski	Remco F. (Voltaire)	70.500%
2	Kayda Strah	Mykka	68.750%

Introductory Test A Open

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Michelle Dojlidko	Bel Amour V	66.563%
2	Rachel Aderhold	Docs Artful Sun	63.750%

Introductory Test B Open

(C) Roth - r,			
1	Rhonda Pearce	Starlits Lad	67.813%
2	Michelle Dojlidko	Bel Amour V	64.688%

Introductory Test C Open

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Rhonda Pearce	Starlits Lad	67.750%

Training Level Test 1 Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,			
1	Jennifer Bartholomew-Wood	ReallyCan'tBeSerious	69.615%
2	Rachel Dombeck	Two Tone Toffee	69.423%
3	Amy Craig	Handsome Jack	67.885%
4	Mary Whitely	Set in Stone	64.615%
5	Michele Thomas	Beauty of the Knight	63.269%
6	Jennifer Cooper	Mikey	58.462%

Training Level Test 1 Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,			
1	Jennifer Tulleners	Sherman	70.385%
2	Elena Braun	Matisse	66.346%
3	Deanna Selioutski	Royal Star	65.962%
4	Gina Ash	Grenadine	64.423%
5	Pam White	Casey's Artful Treasure	63.077%
6	Charlene Tillman	Kurt Ali Khan	62.500%
	Stephanie Desimone	Don't Skip the Art	60.577%
	Susan Ciufo	False Positive	60.385%

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Judges: Jennifer Roth (r) and Debbie Boeh (L w/Dist)

Training Level Test 2 Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Jennifer Tulleners	Sherman	71.552%
2	Elena Braun	Matisse	69.138%
3	Pam White	Casey's Artful Treasure	68.103%
4	Deanna Selioutski	Royal Star	68.103%
5	Charlene Tillman	Kurt Ali Khan	67.414%
6	Gina Ash	Grenadine	66.897%
	Stephanie Desimone	Don't Skip the Art	62.414%
	Susan Ciufo	False Positive	60.345%

Training Level Test 2 Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,

1	Colleen Welder	Ivy Blue	65.690%
2	Diane Jackson	Arthur "D J's Buster Bucky"	65.172%
3	Amy Craig	Handsome Jack	64.483%
4	Mary Whitely	Set in Stone	64.310%
5	Lee Overbaugh	Duquessa Cor	63.793%
6	Trisha Knight	Ulreks Valley King	62.586%
	Kathleen Loveland	Just Doin It (Falien)	59.310%

Training Level Test 3 Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Diane Jackson	Arthur "D J's Buster Bucky"	67.241%
2	Lee Overbaugh	Duquessa Cor	66.379%
3	Colleen Welder	Ivy Blue	65.345%
4	Kathleen Loveland	Just Doin It (Falien)	59.655%

Training Level Test 3 Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,

1	Jennifer Bartholomew-Wood	ReallyCan'tBeSerious	66.034%
2	Amy Craig	Handsome Jack	65.690%
3	Mary Whitely	Set in Stone	65.000%
4	Trisha Knight	Ulreks Valley King	64.828%
5	Mosie Welch	Aleksandr Robyn	63.966%
6	Jennifer Cooper	Mikey	57.931%

Training Level, Test 1 Jr/YR

(C) Roth - r,

1	Isabella Paspalovski	Remco F. (Voltaire)	72.692%
2	Kayda Strah	Mykka	61.923%

Training Level Test 2 Jr/YR

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Lydia Young	Habanero SMDR	67.241%
2	Kaylee Skelly	Ollie	65.172%

Training Level Test 3 Jr/YR

(C) Roth - r,

1	Lydia Young	Habanero SMDR	65.690%
2	Kaylee Skelly	Ollie	65.000%

Training Level Test 2 Open

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Michelle Tyner	Hermes Scarlett	72.931%
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Training Level Test 3 Open

(C) Roth - r,

1	Kris Ropp	Winterstern 6	67.586%
2	Michelle Tyner	Hermes Scarlett	67.069%

First Level Test 1 Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Sally Burton	Rhapsody	67.241%
2	Rachel Dombeck	Two Tone Toffee	67.069%
3	Trisha Knight	Ulreks Valley King	63.621%
4	Mosie Welch	Aleksandr Robyn	61.034%

First Level Test 2 Adult Amateur

(C) Roth - r,

1	Agatha Smithers	Fizzical Therapy	64.857%
2	Sally Burton	Rhapsody	62.857%
3	Kathi Agens	Mercedes	59.143%
4	Candace Burns	Distinguished	58.714%

First Level Test 3 Adult Amateur

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Agatha Smithers	Fizzical Therapy	68.194%
2	Erin Clark	Crossed Sabres	65.972%
3	Candace Burns	Distinguished	62.778%
4	Kathi Agens	Mercedes	58.056%

First Level Test 1 Jr/YR

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Mallory Palagyi	Elita	64.138%
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First Level Test 2 Jr/YR

(C) Roth - r,

1	Richard Tyner	Romario	63.714%
2	Mallory Palagyi	Elita	62.571%

First Level Test 3 Jr/YR

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Diana Shale	Spot On Doolittle	68.611%
2	Richard Tyner	Romario	67.778%

First Level Test 1 Open

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1	Sue Hines	Cooper	70.000%
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First Level Test 2 Open

(C) Roth - r,

1	Sue Hines	Cooper	62.857%
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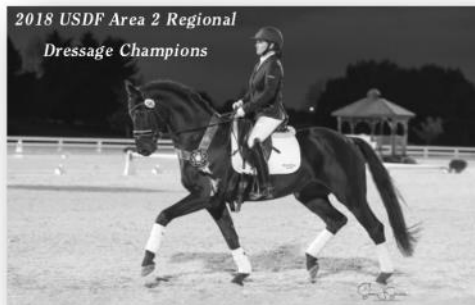
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Membership News

by Fran Cverna, Membership

NODA's 2019 Membership Year runs from 12/1/2018 – 11/30/2019

Thank you to everyone who has renewed for 2019

As of 7/18/2019, we have 317 members

196 Adult Amateurs 45 Youth 76 Professionals

87 New members this year!

Welcome (& Welcome Back) New Members

Michelle Dojlidko, Krista Kelley, Jaclyn Pompeani,
Jennifer Tulleners, Natalie Young, J. Darlene Zaharewicz



NOTES FROM NODA'S HISTORICAL ARCHIVES

by Fran Cverna, Historian

1969 TO 2019: NODA CELEBRATES 50 YEARS OF DRESSAGE IN NORTHEAST OHIO

History of NODA Recognized Show Weather

2010 Saturday **HOT**, Sunday **RAIN**



2012 Good weather



2013 **Rain**



2014 Very much **Rain**



2015 **HOT**



2016 **VERY HOT**



2017 Torrential **RAIN**



2018 Great weather



2019 **VERY HOT**



Looking to 2020? What will the weather be?

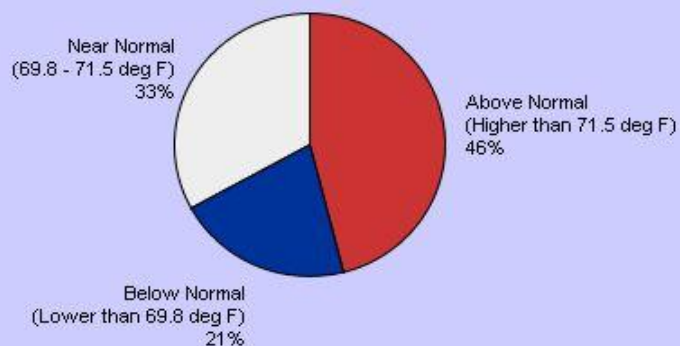
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Elevation: 770 ft.

Latitude: 41° 24' N Longitude: 81° 51' W

Three Category Temperature Outlook: Jun-Jul-Aug 2020



* Outlooks are calculated using the 1981-2010 climatological reference period.

Information and graph from the National Weather Service Forecast Office at <https://bit.ly/2Z9Tf1Q>

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Important INFORMATION:

- The printed Schooling Show Prize List which includes the Year-End Awards Program details is mailed to members who join **before May 1, 2019**.
- NODA By-Laws, club information, shows, awards, newsletters, and events are available at www.nodarider.org.
- **New this year:** If you recruit a new member and mail that new membership in the same envelope with your membership, you will be sent 4 NODA Bucks!
- 2019 is NODA's 50th Birthday Year! If you have any suggestions for activities that would make this year special please contact Kathy Kirchner at MemberRep@nodarider.org
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Second Level Test 1

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Diana Shale	Spot On Doolittle	66.216%
2 Noelle Ignagni	MRF Bello di Notte	63.514%
3 Patti Valencic	Fox Meadow Dancer	62.838%

Second Level Test 2

(C) Roth - r,

1 Noelle Ignagni	MRF Bello di Notte	58.293%
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Second Level Test 3

(C) Roth - r,

1 Erin Clark	Crossed Sabres	66.548%
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Third Level Test 2

(C) Roth - r,

1 Michelle Tyner	Won Warsteiner	62.632%
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FEI Prix St. Georges 2018

(C) Roth - r,

1 Victoria Pirko	Fantasia	62.059%
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FEI Intermediate I 2018

(C) Roth - r,

1 Cindy Poulson	Regalia	53.824%
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Western Seat Equitation

(C) Roth - r,

1 Halle Clause	Master the Art	68.000%
2 Judy Jacobsen	Lady's Courageous Champ	65.000%

Dressage Seat Equitation

(C) Roth - r,

1 Erin Clark	Crossed Sabres	70.000%
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Western Intro Level Test 1

(C) Roth - r,

1 Josephine Cooper	Arwen's Arrow	68.182%
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Western-Intro Level Test 2

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Josephine Cooper	Arwen's Arrow	66.944%
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Western-Intro Level Test 3

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Rachel Aderhold	Docs Artful Sun	62.000%
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Western Intro Level Test 4

(C) Roth - r,

1 Rachel Aderhold	Docs Artful Sun	63.095%
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Western Basic Level Test 3

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Connie Kelling	LC Rockstar	69.250%
2 Skylar Young	KMA Sky Me To The Moon	65.500%



Above: Halle Clause and Master of the Art compete at the July 7 NODA Schooling Show in Western Dressage. Photo courtesy of Photography In Stride.

Left: Josephine Cooper and Mikey celebrate their success at the NODA Schooling Show at South Farm.

Western Basic Level Test 4

(C) Roth - r,

1 Skylar Young	KMA Sky Me To The Moon	68.200%
2 Skylar Young	La Bella Luna	68.000%
3 Judy Jacobsen	Lady's Courageous Champ	67.200%
3 Halle Clause	Master the Art	67.200%

Western Level One Test 1

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Skylar Young	La Bella Luna	67.963%
2 Judy Jacobsen	Lady's Courageous Champ	66.852%

Western Level One Test 2

(C) Roth - r,

1 Connie Kelling	LC Rockstar	67.143%
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Western Level One Test 4

(C) Boeh - L w/Dist,

1 Halle Clause	Master the Art	67.115%
2 Sara Justice	Piccolo	65.962%

Western Dressage Level 2 Test 1

(C) Roth - r,

1 Sara Justice	Piccolo	64.615%
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NODA welcomes member comments, concerns, ideas, and questions regarding [NODA](#) activities, shows, and policies
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Calendar of Events

(**) *Schooling Show Scores ELIGIBLE for 2019 NODA Year-End Awards*

(**) Aug 11 NODA Schooling Show, Rocky River Stables

www.NodaRider.org Rocky River, Ohio

Aug 17—18 USDF "L" Education Program

Hosted by NODA—[Part 1, Session B](#)

Endeavor Farm, Hudson, Ohio

(**) Aug 18 Dream On Farm Schooling Dressage Show

www.dreamonfarm.com Columbia Station, Ohio

(**) Sep 8 NODA Schooling show at Fair Winds Farm

www.NodaRider.org Chagrin Falls, OH

(**) Sep 14 Western Dressage Schooling Show

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(**) Sept 22 Dream on Farm Schooling

Dressage Show Championship

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(**) Sept 28 WPDA Schooling Dressage Show

www.WPDA.CLUB.com Fair Haven Farms, Grove City PA

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www.CadsDressage.org Brecksville Stables, Brecksville OH

(**) Oct 5 NODA Schooling Show at Chagrin Valley Farms

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(**) Oct 6 NODA Schooling Show Championship at Chagrin

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Oct 11—13 Dressage Clinic With Charles De Kunffy

www.topline-stables.com Aurora, OH

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[2019 USDF/USEF Recognized Shows Calendar](#)

Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington Kentucky

Nov 17 ***SAVE THE DATE *******

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