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2019 New Beginnings

Looking forward to the coming events planned for 2019, there is such a sense of excitement that is shared with every member I've seen in the past month. With our members adding new facilities to our list of resources, 2019 is shaping up to be the year of growth for NDA. There are exciting educational activities being planned and our membership numbers are looking better than ever.

There is a volunteer opportunity to mention right away. We are looking for volunteers to run the NDA booth at the International, for the weekend of April 4-7. Please email Diane Fucinaro - dfucinaro@gmail.com or Kim Higgins - bigdanser@gmail.com if you are able to help with the booth!

Here's to a great 2019 show season with you all!

Happy riding,
Michaela Schieffer
NDA Editor

2018 Adequan/USDF Annual Convention Letter

Kathy Hanford

I attended the convention in Salt Lake City, Utah November 29 to December 1 as Nebraska Dressage Associations GMO delegate. It was a great meeting and I had the chance to learn a lot and meet many other dressage enthusiasts. Here are highlights of what I attended and learned.

Region 4 meetings: Because of a family emergency, Anne Sushko, our Region 4 Director was not able to attend and asked if I would lead the meetings. It was a good experience and gave me a chance to really get to know others from our region. Nancy Gorton, our Region 4 Coordinator for the North American Youth Championship (NAYC) assisted me in the task. As Region treasurer, I presented the finances. Some of the areas of discussion included the NAYC parent group proposal for fundraising. Nancy presented what the parents proposed and there was some discussion. Nancy also talked about the Young Rider Clinics that she runs. They are a chance for youth at Training/First/Second level to find out more about the NAYC. She is holding one in Nebraska in March that will be limited to 10 riders. This will be a great opportunity for our youth! The new Safe Sport requirements were also discussed. Even the owner of a horse that is leased must take the Safe Sport online training.

Board of Governors Meetings. I attended both sessions of the BOG. Anne Sushko was reelected as our Region 4 director! There was quite a bit of discussion about the increase in the required scores for qualifying for Regionals in Freestyle. The main controversy was how the change was made. Although it is too late for the increase in scores to change for this year, it will be looked at further. George Williams has retired as President of USDF. Lisa Gorretta was elected the new president. Lorraine Musselman is the new treasurer.

GMO Round Tables: Finances roundtable: It was very eye opening. There were several points that were brought up that will be useful for discussion by the NDA board. Emergencies roundtable: Listening to some of the horror stories that other GMOs have endured made me very thankful about how well NDA is organized and run. Again, there were several topics that will be useful for board discussion. Youth Involvement roundtable: NDA appears to be one of the best GMOs in the country in terms of youth involvement! I am very proud of that fact.



Other sessions attended: One of the most interesting sessions I attended was where Lisa Gorretta presented a “Draft –USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards Program Outline”. She mentioned it was Draft about 30 times! This program would give GMO members a chance to enter the scores they earn at participating schooling shows for regional recognition. There would be awards for four division (Open, JR/YR, AA, and non-pro) for seven levels. I am excited about this program, since the participating schooling shows would need to submit the scores from their show in some type of file (for example excel). Having scores in excel files would make my task of calculating end of year scores for awards much easier. I’m not sure when this will be implemented, but I am very excited! I also attended the session where members of both the US Dressage and Para-Dressage teams were on the panel. PJ Koehler and I sat in the front row. It was so much fun seeing how much the team members really supported and liked each other and how passionate they are about their horses.

Gala and Annual Awards Banquet: The awards banquet was fun. Jane Fucinaro received her Bronze Medal. I received a Master’s Challenge Award for Training Level. There are advantages for getting older!

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2019 Show Calendar

Following our push for attendance at our local shows, we wanted to publish our 2019 show calendar. Whether you are trailering in for the day, just volunteering at the Classic, or spending the entire weekend surrounded by your horsey friends, we want to see your smiling face in the ring. There is no better place to celebrate how far you have come, and no better support system to help you achieve the next level. Can't wait to see you!

February 23 Lunch and Learn at Coda Cavallo Riding Academy "On the Levels" USDF Movie Day

What better way to begin the 2019 show season than watching the USDF's Educational Series, "On the Levels," with lunch provided? This video is designed to help you master each dressage level, with judge and trainer commentary and test tips for each test. The cost is \$20 for NDA members, \$25 for non-members. To RSVP, email Jane Fucinaro at jfucinaro@gmail.com

April 13 S & L Stables Spring Dressage Show and Clinic

With Gail Matheus judging (USDF L w/ Distinction and WDAA "R") and S & L Stables in Bennet offering their facilities to host the show, the Spring Dressage Show is the perfect place to start the show season.

May 4 Spring Fling Dressage Schooling Show

Come support the event that started most of us on our journey into the horse world. As a fundraiser to benefit Lancaster County 4-H, the Spring Fling is open to all ages. Judged by Marie Maloney (L), the event will be held at the Lancaster Event Center.

May 24 NDA's Cornhusker Classic Schooling Show

May 25-26 NDA's 42nd Annual Cornhusker Classic I & II

The main event of the year that draws all of our members from the barns and homes is, of course, the Classic. A Level 3 show, in addition to being AQHA recognized, the Classic is the best place to step up your game in the show ring!

June 15 Providence Farm Schooling Show

Held on the stunning Providence Farm grounds north of Palmyra and judged by Nancy Gorton (L), the Providence Farm Schooling Show is the inspiring setting to embolden your riding.

June 23 Summer Solstice Dressage and Combined Test Show

With a second opportunity to visit the S & L Stables for a show, the Summer Solstice will be judged by Nena Denman (r/Dressage and R/Western Dressage).

July 29-31 Lancaster County Fair Open Dressage Show

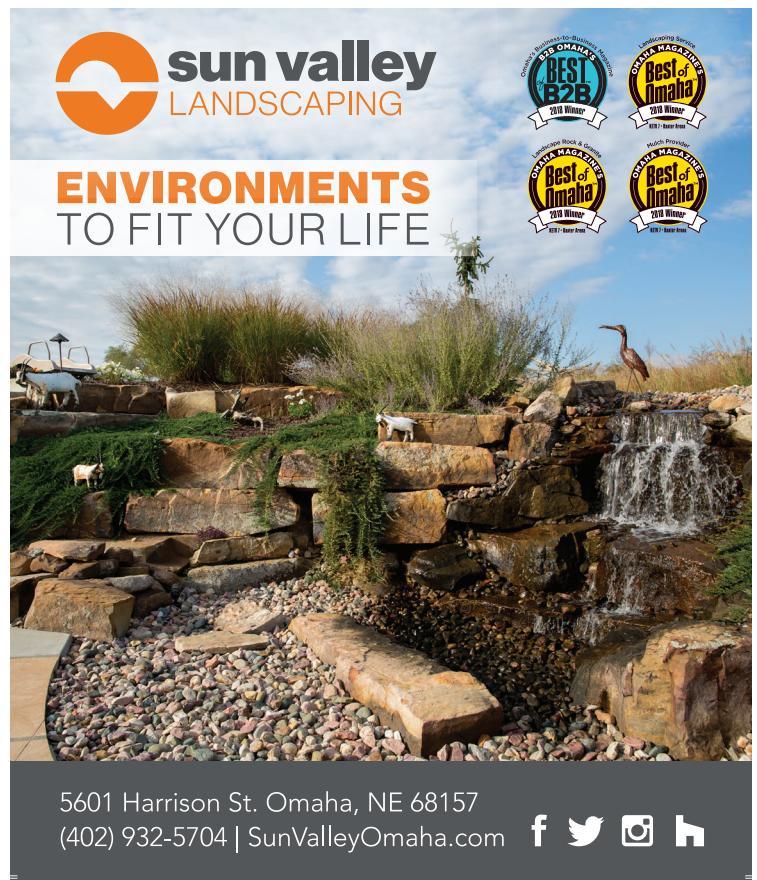
Judge Nena Denman (r/Dressage and R/Western Dressage) returns once again to judge the County Fair Open Show, held on the Lancaster County Fairgrounds.

August 29 Nebraska State Fair Western Dressage Show and Clinic

Everyone knows the next step after County Fair is the State Fair, even for adults. Held on the NE State Fairgrounds in Grand Island, this show is the perfect place to take a trek out West.

September 15 NDA Schooling Show Championships





A perfect end to the show season and to celebrate your hard work in the ring, the Schooling Show Championships will be held at the Lancaster Event Center.



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Sponsor Spotlight - Hillcrest Animal Clinic

Hillcrest Animal Clinic is a full service equine and small animal veterinary clinic, located in Lincoln, Nebraska. We provide comprehensive veterinary care, advanced reproductive services, chiropractic adjustments, acupuncture and herbal therapies.

Our Mission is to provide exceptional, dependable, and compassionate care to our patients to maximize quality of life, while offering our clients a friendly, educational and valuable animal health experience.

Hillcrest is home to Dr. Kelly Stich, a board certified reproductive specialist. We specialize in advanced reproductive services.



Our DVMs include: Dr. Kelly Stich, Dr. Patrick McInteer, Dr. Dana Dolch, and Dr. Molly Dietrich.

Hillcrest offers a wide variety of services for all horses.

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Hillcrest Animal Clinic

Hours:
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
8 am - 5 pm

Wednesday
8 am - 7 pm

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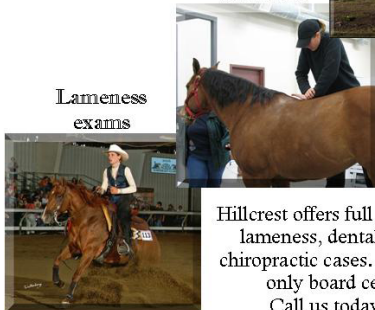
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Barn Highlight: Cornerstone Stables

By Michaela Schieffer

A staple of the Hickman community, tradition and new beginnings came together as one when the facilities now named Cornerstone Stables met new owners Katie and AJ Carlson. Both graduates of Lincoln Christian School, the newlyweds found themselves taking on more than the average couple when they purchased the stables formally known as Broken Spoke Stables in 2017. Katie and AJ reside in the brick colonial house on the property. With the challenge of turning 30 acres into a home, they began an incredible equestrian adventure together. After many improvements to the facilities — and with more still to come — Katie and AJ have turned the brick historic stables into a stunning equestrian property.

With horses dotting the rolling hills of pastureland, and a large indoor arena with an “open concept” HGTV would die for, horses of all breeds and disciplines make Cornerstone their home. The facilities themselves include: indoor and outdoor arena, multiple cross-tie stalls for tacking up, cross country course,

pasture trail riding, outdoor wash racks, and personal tack lockers. Katie offers lessons to riders of all levels and ages, in Western and English disciplines. Boarding in the box stalls with excellent all-day turnout options are also available.

The Cornerstone family has also started their own 4-H group this year, bringing a sense of community to the young boarders and a chance for the seasoned riders to mentor the youth riders in the barn. As a new group, they hope to make a presence at the local shows in the coming years.

With their own warmth, Katie and AJ have truly captured the essence of creating a “barn family” by treating each boarder like a best friend. And while the horses are clearly the property’s main attraction, the other residents of the farm have also embraced the welcoming atmosphere. Pip and Tuck, the adorable pair of Corgis in residence, run to greet every boarder like they are truly returning home.



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Scholarship Corner

By Rebecca Berry



Five years ago, I was lucky enough to get my horse, Wiley. At the time, Wiley was four years old and just beginning to learn the very basics of dressage. Teaching Wiley movements as I am learning them myself has been a daunting, yet very rewarding, task. After a successful show season at first level, we were ready for more, but needed help to take the first steps in the right direction towards second level.

With the help of an NDA scholarship, I was able to take two lessons with George Williams last summer. He was very kind and encouraging through both of my lessons which mainly focused on turns on the haunches, shoulder-ins, and simple changes. I learned lots of new techniques such as new lateral exercises to get Wiley more supple and more active, but the most important thing that George left me with the confidence to ride more difficult movements.

Although learning alongside my horse is not easy, it motivates me to work even harder to reach my goals. With my new knowledge of second level movements, Wiley and I have been able to show at second level and receive scores towards my bronze medal.

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Local Trainers

In 2019, we wanted to spotlight the incredible opportunities our members have to access some of the top trainers in the country, right in our own backyard. Whether you are looking to progress to showing at the next level or are looking for feedback before show season, use this resource of our local trainers. Want to be featured as a trainer? Email newsletter@nebraskadressage.org.

Lincoln Area

Margo Hamilton, MA

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Margo Hamilton is a native Nebraskan with over 30 years of experience in the saddle. Margo has her USDF Bronze Medal and has a Master's Degree in Mental Health Counseling. Margo combines her expertise in mental health counseling and classical dressage training to create a positive, solution-focused system of training. Her holistic approach to training and teaching includes components of rider fitness, academic understanding, confidence building, as well as execution of movements. Margo emphasizes harmony between horse and rider as well as conditioning of horse and rider. She works with riders of many abilities in many disciplines believing: responsive horses, and confident riding are transferrable skills. Margo is available for lessons, show coaching and conditioning of horses.

Gracia Huenefeld

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graciarae@yahoo.com
402-604-0060

USDF Silver and Bronze medalist and having successfully competed at the FEI level for a number of years, Gracia Huenefeld is available for training, teaching, sales, clinics, or coaching at shows. Whether teaching the youngster how to ride for the first time or taking the student or horse up the levels, Gracia is enthusiastic to pass on all she can to her student of any age! Students are welcome to trailer-in their own horses for lessons or check with her about the availability of a lesson horse. Gracia is also available to travel to teach on a limited basis. For more information, check out Legacy Dressage, LLC on Facebook or contact Gracia at (402) 604-0060 or graciarae@yahoo.com.

Emily Johnson

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Email: emily@mountainrosehorsemanship.com

Emily considers herself a lifetime student of the horse, believing there is no end to the learning process or to the expansive wisdom the horse has to offer. Inspired by the philosophies and methods of some of the greatest horsemen and horsewomen throughout history, she developed her own comprehensive curriculum, Wholeness Through Horsemanship™. Her instruction is inspired by the principles of natural horsemanship, ranch horsemanship, and classical dressage and reflects her passion for equipping both horses and humans for success on their journey toward individual wholeness and ultimate partnership. Emily, as well, is on the cutting edge of the new Western Dressage movement being one of only a small group of instructors in the nation to complete the Western Dressage Association of America®'s Train the Trainers™ program.

Jami Kment

Providence Farm – Palmyra, NE
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Jami Kment is a bronze, silver and gold medalist. She teaches and trains out of Providence Farm, a top notch dressage training facility where she provides quality, positive education for the horse and rider. Jami has brought her students up to the very top in competition including top ten finishes at The Festival of Champions and North American Junior Young Rider Championships. She and her students have won a total of 15 regional championships. Jami is a USDF "L" graduate, a wife, and a mother of three. See her and some of her students on the Providence Farm webpage at www.providencefarm.net.

Dara Liss

Falkland Stables - 1565 S. 98th Street, Lincoln 68520
402-617-1194

I have been actively learning, teaching and training horses and riders in the art of dressage for 35 years. The more I learn, the more I realize there is so much MORE to learn. I am an advocate for the horse's well-being and the safety of the rider. My training techniques improve communication between horse and

rider by blending classical dressage training and natural horsemanship. My goal is to create a relaxed learning environment for horse and rider. I will identify your strengths and those of your horse, listen to your concerns and help you apply the basics of riding - a supple forward moving horse - to achieve your goals. . I also have a special interest in preparing riders for the new USDF Western Dressage classes.

Angie McClelland

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Angie McClelland has ridden and taught dressage for nearly 20 years and is dedicated to a classical-yet-practical approach to this most challenging of disciplines. Angie has a talent for helping horses make the transition to dressage and for creative problem-solving when problems arise. Angie believes that every horse can be improved with dressage concepts, such as strengthening the topline and developing suppleness and relaxation to promote soundness and longevity. Angie leads the area's only dressage-specific 4-H club and is experienced in teaching young riders; she also enjoys teaching adult students. Angie is based at Middle Cross Stables, and can teach lessons at that facility or travel to your barn or arena for lessons.

Lyle and Sheila Purdum

S and L Stables – Bennet, NE
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Offering lessons on our older and experienced horses, both English and Western Dressage (Sheila); 8 + yrs NDA member and medal winner and 11+ yrs 4-H club leader.

Laura Stueck

Still Waters Equestrian Academy – Hickman, NE
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402-432-8384

Still Waters Equestrian Academy employs Laura Stueck as their instructor and trainer. Laura provides lessons on Still Waters lesson horses or on her students' horses. She also offers schooling for client's horses on a limited basis. Laura has received her Instructor Certification from American Association of Horsemanship Safety and in the Secure Seat Method and has more than five years instructing beginning to intermediate riders attain their goals focusing on safety and the basics.

Omaha Area

Jane Fucinaro Dressage

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jfequestrian.com

Based out of Omaha, NE, Jane is now accepting new students of all types of backgrounds, disciplines and skill sets. Jane Fucinaro Dressage emphasizes the well-being of horse and rider while upholding classical techniques and presenting a systematic approach of training to the horse. Young horses are welcomed into the program and started with a slow process of groundwork and eventually undersaddle training. Show coaching is also available. For more information, visit online at janefucinarodressage.com!

Shan Lawton

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Shan Lawton has over 30 years of experience in the art and sport of dressage, yielding an understanding of both human psychology and physiology. Shan holds USDF Bronze and Silver Medals. He has trained horses and riders competing successfully through Grand Prix. Shan's clients range in level of expertise from lower level non-competing dressage riders to successful competing FEI riders, along with multiple eventing clients and clients wishing simply to work on their flat work, and in age from young riders to retirees. Shan teaches and trains in Omaha and Lincoln, NE and is available for clinics anywhere.

Becky Parker

Reinbow Dressage Center - Springfield, NE
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From posting to passage, Parker Dressage can help make your riding dreams a reality. Becky Parker, owner/operator of Parker Dressage has successfully competed all dressage levels Training Level thru Grand Prix in both Canada and the United States. Her students have competed successfully Intro Level through FEI. Located in Springfield, NE, at Reinbow Dressage Center, Parker Dressage offers training and lessons for horses and riders of all levels and disciplines. So whether you are wanting to ride a horse for the first time, or further your dressage training, Parker Dressage is here to help you with your equine journey. School horse available for beginning kids' lessons or may horse trailer in.

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Do you have something to advertise?

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Advertising images, documentation, and any questions should be sent to Margo Hamilton at margoreham@gmail.com. Checks should be made payable to NDA and should be sent to Kathy Hanford, 10301 W. Pioneers Blvd, Denton, NE, 68533

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Breed: Quarter Horse

Discipline trained: Dressage

River is a fun-loving, easy going guy who aims to please. He has a pleasant, cooperative disposition. He is also very athletic. He has been training in dressage since I purchased him in 2015. He is currently training first level movements. River has not been shown much, however, he has been ridden both inside, outside, and on trails.

River would be used for flat work only. Currently, River is only available for half lease as there is another rider who works with him at Middle Cross. River will primarily stay on the property. Exceptions to this may be made, but the circumstances need to be discussed with the owner. The lessee may be required to take a once a week lesson with one of the barn trainers depending on their riding experience.

Please contact Jenna Mohrmann at 402-540-1528 or jenna.mohrmann@outlook.com for more information.



Region 4 News

Join us Mar 16-17 in Omaha, NE

The Region 4 Youth Development Program Clinics are a new educational opportunity for grass roots youth riders.

Any USDF GMO or Youth Participating Member may ride. Riders must be 10-21 years of age and must be able to complete a Training Level test and submit video with registration. Horses should be age appropriate for the rider. Applications now available on the USDF website!



Spring Dressage Show/Clinic April 13, 2019

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Judge—Gail Matheus,
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Western Classes Offered

Class #	Description	Jr.	AA	Open
1	Intro 1	1A	1B	1C
2	Intro 2	2A	2B	2C
3	Intro 3	3A	3B	3C
4	Intro 4	4A	4B	4C
5	Basic 1	5A	5B	5C
6	Basic 3	6A	6B	6C
7	Basic 4	7A	7B	7C
8	1st—1	8A	8B	8C
9	1st—2	9A	9B	9C
10	1st—4	10A	10B	10C
11	2nd TOC	All combined		
12	Equitation— Walk/Trot			
13	Equitation—W/T/C			
14	Musical Freestyle—TOC			

English Classes Offered

Class #	Description	Jr.	AA	Open
16	Intro A	16A	16B	16C
17	Intro B			
18	Intro C			
19	Training 1			
20	Training 2			
21	Training 3			
22	1st Level 1			
23	1st Level 2			
24	1st Level 3	24A	24B	24C
25	2nd Level TOC	All Combined		
26	3rd Level TOC	All Combined		
27	Musical Freestyle TOC			

Note: Equitation English classes to be combined with Western classes.

Driving Classes to be Offered

- 28 Dressage Test Training ADT 1
- 29 Dressage Test Preliminary ADT1
- 30 Cones—Training

Clinic will follow the show after lunch, small group lesson (\$40 for 60 minutes). You do not have to participate in the show to do the clinic.

Entry Deadline: April 8, 2019

Awards: Ribbon rosettes will be awarded through 6th. Champion and Reserve Champion will be awarded for high test scores for Jr. ,AA riders in Western, English, Cowboy Dressage and Driving Divisions separately.

Equipment: This show is NDA and WDAA approved . All WDAA regulations will be followed to include equipment and drug use laws. The show will also adhere to NDA and USDF requirements and WDAA equipment, tests and guidelines. American Driving Society rules will be adhered to for the Combined Driving Test. ADT tests will be ADT Training 1 and ADT Preliminary 1 and are available on the weblink: http://www.americandrivingsociety.org/dressage_test.asp.

All riders and drivers must wear a helmet while mounted with the exception of adult drivers during dressage. No bareback riding allowed. No stallions and no dogs allowed. Jrs are ages 18 and under for the calendar year.

Attire: Informal attire encouraged, but must have sleeves and collar at all times while mounted. Neat solid polo shirts or blouses for English. Western -style shirts as stated in WDAA guidelines for Western. No riding in shorts or camisoles. ADS attire and rules for driving classes.

Concession: Provided by Blazing Saddles 4-H Club.

Stalling: Jump-out only. This is to be a trailer in and out event. Wash racks and water available at all times to keep your horses cool. Out of state participants may stall overnight on Friday, limited capacity, call to make arrangements (402) 560-2255.

Directions: Hwy 2 to 176th St. (1 mile past Bennet exchange). Turn south and go 1½ miles (past Saltillo Rd); 12301 is on the West side of 176th St; large white barn with red roof.

Arena: Large arena (20m x 60m) for all classes. Arena is outdoors inside a full roping arena (2 fences); clay and sand surface. Indoor (sand 72 x 100 ft) warm-up (will be used if inclement weather prevails, only thru 1st level) and grass warm-up available. Full outdoor arena (100 x 300) for driving dressage and cones classes.

Refunds: Prior to or on the closing date, all fees will be refunded. After the closing date, fees will be refunded if due to a valid medical emergency of either horse or rider.

Out of State horses/entries require health certificate, proof of vaccination and Coggins test before unloading . All horses both in stable and out-of-state must be current on vaccinations

Entry Form and Liability Release

Name: _____ Circle One: Jr AA Open

Address: _____; Email _____

Phone: _____ Horse Name: _____

Rider WDAA# _____ Horse WDAA# _____

Class #	Description	Fees	\$20.00/test
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