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2012 Newsletter

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**2012 Membership Form
 Application/Renewal**

The membership year runs from Nov 1, through Oct. 31.
 Dues are \$40.00/year and include an affiliate USDF membership fee.

Are you a USDF member through another organization? { } YES { } NO
 { } New Member { } Renewal { } Change of Address

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY, ST, ZIP _____

PHONE _____

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SIGNATURE _____

Make check payable to The Dressage Company and mail this completed form to:

Mail to: Sue McBeth, 4350 North Point Dr #304, Mason, OH 45040
shakespeare1950@embarqmail.com

2012 Volunteer Points Form

Please PRINT. One member per form and one show per form. All forms must be postmarked within 30 days of the event and no later than November 1st.

Name: _____







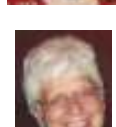
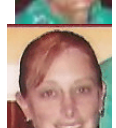
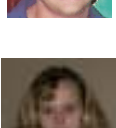

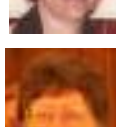
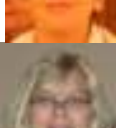
Competition: _____ Date: _____

Hours Worked (1 point for every 1 hour worked) _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____
 Show Secretary or Organizer

Mail to: Leslie Laine, 6796 Lands End Ct, Maineville, OH 45039

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<p>Check our</p>	<p>website for updates</p>	<p>and information: http://www.dressageco.com Page 3 of 14</p>



2012 Meetings:

Meeting dates and topics: 5 weekend riding/clinic meetings & 5 Monday evening/topic meetings

Saturday, January 21 at 3 pm at Majestic Farm - Board and Regular Meeting: Judge at E Clinic with Marge Cunningham & Debbie Boeh: Following the Majestic Farm show using two judges. Riding through parts of a test with comments from both judges with Pot Luck and discussion to follow. No charge for the rides or auditing!!!

Monday, February 20 at 7:30 pm – Old Spaghetti Factory, Fairfield: make your own jeweled brow band & volunteer training for scribe, scorer, gatekeeper, hospitality

Saturday, March 10, noon at Walnut Creek, meeting, pot luck and clinic – Cavaletti exercises for dressage horses with Jennifer Grant.

Saturday, April 7, noon at Honey Tree Stables. Board & regular meeting, pot luck and riding – Cavalletti, Trails, Hill Topping, Dressage, Jumping, etc.

Monday, May 21st place TBD – Training/feedback new scoring on 2012 test, .5 scoring

Sunday, June 3 at Majestic Farm– Meeting and Ride-a-test clinic with the judge from the June 2 Dressage Company show.

Monday, July 16 place TBD, Board and regular meeting with veterinarian Dr. Rachel Alexander, topic TBD

Monday, August 20 place TBD, Farrier Scott Gregory on shoeing the Dressage horse for proper & maximum movement.

Saturday, September 29 Majestic Farm – Meeting and ride with potluck. Trails, dressage, cavaletti.

Monday, October 15 place TBD– Regular and board meeting. officer elections, feedback on this year's programs.

November – TBD

December –Annual Banquet

2012 Calendar of Events Schooling Shows and Clinics

FEBRUARY

18 QCDC schooling show at Majestic Farm, contact Barb McCarthy, mainoffice@majesticfarm.net, www.majesticfarm.net

MARCH

4 Dressage schooling show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com

25 Combined Test at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net

31 -1 Jeremy Steinberg Dressage Clinic, Heartfelt Farms, Galloway, OH, contact Jackie Sharp (614)551-3099, <http://www.heartfeltfarms.com>

APRIL

1 Dressage schooling show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com

22 QCDC schooling show at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net

30 – 1 Pierre Cousyn Clinic, hosted by Christina Russell at Wyndrose Stables, March 30 - April 1, \$120 per ride, and \$25 Auditing. 937-626-7791

MAY

6 QCDC schooling show at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net

13 Combined test show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com

27 QCDC schooling show at Old Stone Riding Center, contact Julie Bath Primack, 513-868-3042, www.oldstoneridingcenter.com

JUNE

2 The Dressage Company schooling show at Majestic Farm, contact Barb McCarthy, mainoffice@majesticfarm.net, www.majesticfarm.net or Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net

2 DLSC Dressage Schooling Show, The Riding Centre, Xenia, OH

10 Combined Test with Fun Day classes at Old Stone Riding Center, contact Julie Bath Primack, 513-868-3042, www.oldstoneridingcenter.com

16 Dressage schooling show at Liberty Eq Center, contact Cas Hollandworth, 513-233-1586, libertyequestriancenter@hotmail.com

16 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Greenstone Stables, Germantown, OH.

24 QCDC schooling show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com

30–2 Region 2 USDF Adult Clinic with Lilo Fore at Lake Erie College Equestrian Center, Concord Ohio

JULY

14 Starry Nights Dressage schooling show #1 at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net

14 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Wetherbrooke, Waynesville, OH.

15 Eventing with Fun Day classes at Old Stone Riding Center, contact Julie Bath Primack, 513-868-3042, www.oldstoneridingcenter.com

22 QCDC schooling show at Liberty Eq Center, contact Cas Hollandworth, 513-233-1586, libertyequestriancenter@hotmail.com

28 - 29 Jeremy Steinberg Dressage Clinic, Heartfelt Farms, Galloway, OH, contact Jackie Sharp (614)551-3099, <http://www.heartfeltfarms.com>

TDC Fundraiser Raffle:
for Tack Storage Chest made by
Kendall Hauer



AUGUST

- 4 Starry Nights Dressage schooling show #2 at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net
- 4 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Trails End, Dayton, OH.
- 5 Combined test show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com
- 12 Fun show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com
- 18 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Greenstone stables, Germantown, OH
- 25 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Dancing Horse Farm, Lebanon, OH. www.dancinghorseoh.com
- 26 "Mini" Horse Trial at Old Stone Riding Center, contact Julie Bath Primack, 513-868-3042, www.oldstoneridingcenter.com

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Starry Nights Dressage schooling show #3 at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net
- 1 - 2 Jeremy Steinberg Dressage Clinic, Heartfelt Farms, Galloway, OH, contact Jackie Sharp (614)551-3099, <http://www.heartfeltfarms.com>
- 9 Combined test show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com
- 22 DLSC Dressage schooling show at The Riding Centre, Xenia, OH.

OCTOBER

- 6 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Trails End, Dayton, OH.
- 7 QCDC schooling show at Cross Creek Eq Center, contact Rebecca Meador, rebeccameador@zoomtown.com, www.crosscreekohio.com
- 14 Combined Test at Walnut Creek Stables, contact Carol Hartlaub, chart3977@aol.com, www.walnutcreekstables.net
- 20 DLSC Dressage schooling show at Dancing Horse Farm, Lebanon, OH. www.dancinghorseoh.com
- 28 QCDC schooling show at Liberty Eq Center, contact Cas Hollandworth, 513-233-1586, libertyequestriancenter@hotmail.com
- 27-28 Jeremy Steinberg Dressage Clinic, Heartfelt Farms, Galloway, OH, contact Jackie Sharp (614)551-3099, <http://www.heartfeltfarms.com>

NOVEMBER

DECEMBER

Please submit all schedule changes to Newsletter Editor, Carol Hibbard, carolhibbard@cinci.rr.com and to the Website Master: Nancy Nicholson, nicholnl@muohio.edu

Submit TDC Year End Award Forms for 2012

Remember to fill in your registration forms for the Dressage Co Year End awards for 2012 and submit them to Carol Hartlaub before you start showing in 2012 shows.

Registration: http://dressageco.com/docs/2011YEA_horse.jpg

Rules: http://dressageco.com/docs/2011TDCyea_forms.doc

Jeremy Steinberg Clinic Series

Hosted by Heartfelt Farms, Galloway, OH, Jackie Sharp, (614)551-3099
<http://www.heartfeltfarms.com>

March 31st - April 1st 2012
 July 28th – July 29th 2012
 September 1st – September 2nd 2012

Jeremy Steinberg is the USEF National Youth coach. Jeremy was the 1996 winner of the North American Young Rider Championships Individual Gold Medal, Team Silver Medal and was awarded the Fiona Baan "Pursuit of Excellence Memorial Trophy". In 2010, Jeremy was awarded the inaugural "Albers Award", presented to the Chef d' Equipe who best demonstrates an extraordinary level of dedication, enthusiasm and team spirit at the North American Jr/Yr Championships. At Grand Prix, Jeremy has had many top 3 finishes in CDI's, wins in USDF Regional Championships, and received an invitation to the 2007 Las Vegas International Dressage Competition, held during the World Cup Finals, with Jennifer Smith's Parocco. Most recently, Jeremy was honored in being a presenter at the 2011 USDF Symposium alongside 3 other top riders in the United States. To learn more about Jeremy Steinberg, check out his website at www.jeremysteinbergdressage.com



Biomechanical Riding & Dressage Book

Submitted by Nancy Nicholson Ph D.



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USDF Show Calendar (KY, Ohio, Indiana only)

Updated 10/5/2011

March	
3/17 – 3/18: Batavia, OH	Majestic Farm March Madness III: www.majesticfarm.net
3/17 – 3/18: Concord Twp, OH	Lake Erie College March: www.lec.edu
3/30 – 4/1: Concord Twp, OH	Lake Erie Dressage Prix de Ville: www.lec.edu
April	
4/14 – 4/15: Bryantsville, KY	Meadow Lake Spring Classic I & II: www.meadowlakeec.com
4/14 – 4/15: Batavia, OH	Majestic Farm April Adventures: www.majesticfarm.net
May	
5/4 – 5/6: Batavia, OH	Majestic Farm Ride for the Roses I & II: www.majesticfarm.net
5/18 – 5/20: Batavia, OH	Majestic View I and CDI***: www.majesticfarm.net
5/19 – 5/20: Edinburgh, IN	Harmony in the Park I & II: www.harmonyintheparkdressageshow.com
5/19 – 5/20: Delaware, OH	ODS Down Centerline 1 & 2: www.ohiodressagesociety.com
5/24 – 5/27: Lexington, KY	KDA Spring Warmup and 26th Annual show: www.showsecretary.com
June	
6/2 – 6/3: Romney, IN	Indy Dressage Classic 1 & 2: www.indianadressage.org
6/8 – 6/9: Jefferson, OH	WPDA Summer Dressage Classic: www.wpdadressage.org Dressage at Grand Haven: www.grandhavenstable.com
6/8 – 6/10: Batavia, OH	Majestic View II-USDFBC Series Qualifier, Majestic View III: www.majesticfarm.net
6/16 – 6/17: Concord Twp, OH	Dressage Derby of Ohio I & II: www.lec.edu/equine/index.php
July	
7/13 – 7/15: Delaware, OH	Mid Ohio Classic I & II: midohiodressage.org
7/21 – 7/22: Jefferson, OH	NODA Dressage 2012 and Encore: www.nodarider.org
August	
8/10 – 8/12: Batavia, OH	Hotter than Blue Blazes I – USDFBC Series Qualifier & Blazes II: www.majesticfarm.net
8/11 – 8/12: Delaware, OH	ODS Down Centerline 3 & 4: www.ohiodressagesociety.com
8/18 – 8/19: Bryantsville, KY	Meadow Lake Summer Classic I & II: www.meadowlakeec.com
September	
9/7 – 9/9: Lexington, KY	MSEDA Dressage at the Park I & II: mseda.org
9/15 – 9/16: Edinburgh, IN	Harmony in the Park Fall show: www.harmonyintheparkdressageshow.com
9/15: Batavia, OH	Majestic Farm Equinox Dressage Show: www.majesticfarm.net
9/21 – 9/23: Batavia, OH	Majestic Farm Championships & Great American/USDFBC

2012 USDF Regional Championships

Region	Date	Location
1	November 1-4	Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center in Williamston, NC
2	October 11-14	Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington, KY
3	October 4-7	Chattahoochee Hill-Bouchert Farm in Fairburn, GA
4	September 7-9	North Iowa Fairgrounds in Mason City, IA
5	October 5-7	Salt Lake County Equestrian Park in South Jordan, UT
6	September 20-23	DevonWood Equestrian Centre in Sherwood, OR
7	October 4-7	Los Angeles Equestrian Center in Burbank, CA
8	September 11-16	HITS on the Hudson in Saugerties, NY
9	November 1-4	Great Southwest Equestrian Center in Katy, TX



Membership Meeting Minutes

January 22, 2012 Majestic Farm

Submitted by Leslie Laine, Secretary

President Debbie Boeh called the meeting to order at 1:18 p.m. and welcomed new members/guests to the meeting.

Minutes

Minutes from the November meeting were approved as published.

Treasurer's Report

No treasurer's report was presented.

Membership

Membership Chair Sue McBeth reported the club has 48 members: 14 and 34 renewed members.

OLD BUSINESS

Dressage Company Show

Barb McCarthy reported judges have been hired for The Dressage Company Show to be held Saturday, June 2, 2012 at Majestic Farm. A TD is still needed. One of the judges needs to be invited to stay for the proposed clinic the next day. Debbie Boeh will contact Cheryl Connell-Marsh to see if she would be available.

Treasa Holmes offered to make a flier to promote sale of raffle tickets for the show fundraiser: a tack trunk crafted by Kendall Hauer. Chances will be sold for \$1 or 6 for \$5 to encourage more people to participate in the raffle. Carol Hartlaub has the tickets.

NEW BUSINESS

January Clinic

The club extends a big thank you to Barb and Jeff of Majestic Farm, to Marge Cunningham and Debbie Boeh, our volunteer judges, and to Peggy Hauer for their flexibility in enabling the clinic to continue, given the fully scheduled Saturday show and the ice storm.

Members present discussed the pros and cons of conducting a weekend clinic combined with the club monthly meeting. Those in favor liked having the function and meeting together, noting it could bring more people to meetings. Those not in favor noted that weekend meetings may conflict with shows as the show season gears up and that weekend meetings held midday take too much time away from other obligations.

Suggested improvements:

Keep riding clinics to a 3-hour timeframe so that the entire meeting and event take no more than a half day.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously approved that the Club shall maintain the planned schedule of programs/meetings for the rest of the year, but hold the meeting at the beginning or end of the riding program so that the meeting does not fall in the middle of the day.

2012 Programs

The February meeting will be at the Old Spaghetti Factory featuring the opportunity to make your own jeweled browband. Debbie Boeh said the Club has obtained channeled browbands from the Tack Trunk at a discount and will sell them to attendees at the Tack Trunk price as a Club fundraiser. A bead artist will be on hand to help with creating individualized browbands.

Members discussed whether it was appropriate to charge fees for the riding meetings and indicated a preference to keep member costs for such events to a minimum.

It was moved, seconded and unanimously approved that the Club shall not incur costs to compensate clinicians for riding programs.

As this motion affects the March program at Walnut Creek, Peggy Hauer will contact Carol Hartlaub to see if Jennifer Grant, the proposed clinician for the March riding program about the use of cavaletti poles, would volunteer her time to the Club. Peggy will also inquire about Walnut Creek's plans to charge a ship-in and/or stall fee to members.

Members who want to take part in the March clinic need to sign up with program Vice President Peggy Hauer.

Year-End Awards

Members present unanimously asked that their checks to participate in the year-end awards be cashed in a more timely manner. Members who had written multiple checks complained that it was a problem to have a large amount hit their checking account so long after the checks were written.

Business Meeting adjourned at 2:22 p.m.

Treasurer's Report

Not available due to computer issues.

Horse Bits

Submitted by teen columnist, Sarah Weiler

What to look for when you're boarding your horse.

Do they have a contract, READ the contract, the contract is designed to protect both parties and to state what the place promises to do and what you are also obligated to do.

Make more than one visit to the facility, first one announced and subsequent unannounced and at different times of the day.

Evaluate the stalls, especially the one that is slotted for your horse, look for objects, evaluate the size of the stall and the height of the ceiling. what is included, buckets, heated water buckets, fans, feed trough, shavings, salt, mats, etc. Look for electrical hazards, is your horse able to reach outlets and or light bulb fixtures. NO STALL should ever have a light bulb without a cover. Evaluate airflow and types of shavings used.



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How often are stalls cleaned. LOOK in the other stalls. Horses should always have 2 buckets of water available to them.

Look at the wiring in the barn, is it enclosed in conduit, are extensions cord used to transfer electricity and if so, what gauge is the cord. All cords used should have a ground.

What is the barn's feeding regimen. What times are the horses fed, if times are inconsistent that is a red flag. Look at the feed room, is it well organized and stocked. Is there an emergency list and first aid kit. Will the barn give supplied supplements. What type of hay is used, and how much is provided and what is the maximum amount of hay provided without an additional charge and same thing with grain.

What is the turnout, are mares and geldings separated? How much turnout is provided per day weather permitting. Are they turned out with halters on? Is blanketing included in the board cost. What type of fencing is there. Stay clear from barbed wire. Evaluate the troughs in the field is there an adequate amount of water available for the size of the herd. Are the fields supplemented with forage in winter. What steps does the facility take to acclimate the horse or do they just throw them out, is there an isolation period for new horses?

Does the owner live on property, what type of security is there, look at the gates. Ask yourself if my horse got out of the field would it end up on the road or is there a second line of enclosure.

Are the horses coming required to be up to date on vaccinations? Are the horses required to get dewormed, if both of these questions are no, huge red flag. Is deworming included in cost of board?

Talk to the boarders, do they appear to be someone you can get along with? Look at the horses, are they calm and look good? Are they agitated, bloated or poor coat conditions, these could be signs and closer evaluation needs to be made.

Look out the lesson schedule, will the riding areas be available to you when you would normally visit the barn. Are you able to select your own vet and farrier or are you required to use theirs, same thing with trainers. All of these are like shoes, they don't always fit and sometimes you outgrow them.

What other animals are permitted, caution yourself if they permit dogs on the property.

What other risks will you be exposing your horse too, does the barn take in rescued horses that may have been exposed to contagions, do they keep stallions on site and what precautions have been made to reduce risk?

Wounds

Anytime you have a wound that requires medical attention a veterinarian should be contacted. This can mean a huge difference in both healing time and cost.

There are two types of wounds Primary and Secondary in either case don't panic.

Primary wounds are wounds that can be sutured and closed, they do have a golden period of 6-8 hours but wounds older than that can be closed. Know that anytime wounds are sutured, the sutures stand a 25% chance of staying in due to movement.

To handle the wound you must: clean, debride, and suture

Usually healed in 2 weeks again, standard rule is a 25% success rate. What do you have to lose.

Primary Failure Reasons

- Contamination
- Motion
- Tension
- Shape of Wound
- Location
- Seroma
- Hematoma
- Dead Bone
- Foreign Bodies
- Wound too old.

Secondary Wounds

Are either outside of the Golden Period, too large and the area cannot be covered, or may have even bone exposed.

Outcome possibilities:

- Prolonged Process
- More Scar Tissue
- Less Cosmetic
- Less Functional

The phases of wound healing:

- Debridement Phase: Cellular infiltration, Cleaning the gap
- Granulation Phase: Filling the gap
- Contraction Phase: Closing the gap
- Epithelialization Phase: Covering the gap

To minimize failure: Clean and Debride, Provide Drainage, • Obliterate Dead Space, • Minimize Tension, • Prevent Motion

QCDC Year End Award Rule Change

Submitted by Nancy Nicholson, Web Mistress

At the QCDC Board meeting 17 January, a sentence was added to the Year End Awards requirement. The Omnibus and web site have been updated with added text for those requirements because there was a technical issue in 2011 with the wording. The new text on all pages of the site and in the e-Omnibus is:

To Qualify for QCDC YEAR-END AWARDS: Competitors MUST show at a minimum of 4 shows at 3 different member locations & mark each entry form for scores to count. EACH HORSE/RIDER COMBINATION MUST COMPLETELY QUALIFY (4 SHOWS, 3 LOCATIONS) AT EACH LEVEL SHOWN.

This text was published on 20 January 2012 on the QCDC site: <http://www.qcdc-dressage.com/Documents.html>
<http://www.qcdc-dressage.com/QCDC-YearEndAwards.html>

The QCDC entry blank is also updated with check boxes to help record keepers identify competitors who wish their scores kept.



Majestic Farm QCDC Show Results

January 21, 2012

USDF Intro Test A		(C) Boeh	
1	Erin Hollenbeck	Maximum Grace	67.188%
2	Gracie Roades	Pepper	65.000%
3	Emily Blose	McKinley	64.688%
USDF Intro Test A		(C) Boeh	
1	Jacqueline Carner	Best Sensation	67.188%
2	Lindsay Striebel	Rosilyn	65.625%
3	Kristen Multhup	Paradiso Mai	57.188%
USDF Intro Test B		(C) Boeh	
1	Mia Fox	Sport Tracker	67.500%
2	Gracie Roades	Pepper	67.188%
3	Erin Hollenbeck	Maximum Grace	66.563%
4	Sydney Hansen	Sonny's Impressive Knight	60.625%
5	Alison Gosney	Court Jester	59.688%
6	Gracelyn Kephart	Jewel	59.375%
	Erika Cheesman	GiGi	57.188%
	Emily Blose	McKinley	49.063%
USDF Intro Test B		(C) Boeh	
1	Kristen Multhup	Trigger	67.188%
2	Kelli Huesman	Cavalier	66.250%
3	Keri Bourassa	Amazonian	64.375%
4	Jacqueline Carner	Best Sensation	63.750%
5	Lindsay Striebel	Rosilyn	55.625%
6	Rebekah Bond	Danzaway	54.375%
	Suzy Maddux	Jazz	51.563%
	Kristen Multhup	Paradiso Mai	51.563%
USDF Intro Test C		(C) Boeh	
1	Stevee Candrl	Dressed to Kill	67.500%
2	Kay Johnson	Weaver of Magic	67.250%
3	Erika Cheesman	GiGi	50.500%
USDF Intro Test C		(C) Boeh	
1	Isabelle Brown	Wanderschoen SH	65.250%
2	Kelli Huesman	Cavalier	60.500%
3	Keri Bourassa	Amazonian	58.750%
4	Suzy Maddux	Jazz	51.500%
Training Level Test 1		(C) Cunningham	
1	Anna Hellman	Fool's Gold	68.750%
2	Jessica Hart	Dis-Orderly Conduct	66.875%
3	Morley Thompson	Stoney Brook	65.625%
4	Stevee Candrl	Dressed to Kill	64.792%
5	Bailey Schultz	Contessa	64.792%
6	Jennifer Scott	Risky Business	62.708%
	Katie Knoechel	Rendezvous	62.500%
	Elizabeth Montgomery	Quinn	57.292%
	Gracelyn Kephart	Jewel	55.417%
Training Level Test 2		(C) Cunningham	
1	Anna Hellman	Fool's Gold	69.821%
2	Morley Thompson	Stoney Brook	68.571%
3	Peggy Hauer	Gabriella	67.679%
4	Kay Johnson	Weaver of Magic	66.786%
5	Colleen Tekamp	Simply Irresistible	66.607%
6	Treasa Holmes	Rouen	65.536%
	Brad Corey	Just-in-Time	64.464%
	Jessica Hart	Dis-Orderly Conduct	61.964%
	Tara Temple	T.C. Sacred Holly	61.786%

	Rachel Alexander	Mirassou Pearl	61.071%
	Elizabeth Montgomery	Quinn	61.071%
	Madison Bennett	Etania	59.464%
	Rebekah Bond	Danzaway	56.429%
	Suzy Maddux	Jazz	55.179%
Training Level Test 3		(C) Cunningham	
1	Diane M Welling	Dulcinea	67.400%
2	Peggy Hauer	Gabriella	66.800%
3	Colleen Tekamp	Simply Irresistible	65.000%
4	Tracy Gross	Toulouse	64.400%
5	Bailey Schultz	Contessa	61.400%
6	Janice Holmes	Faythe	60.800%
	Katie Knoechel	Rendezvous	59.000%
	Tara Temple	T.C. Sacred Holly	58.000%
	Jenna Kremchek	Rocky Road	56.800%
	Madison Bennett	Etania	56.400%
First Level Test 1		(C) Cunningham	
1	Tracy Gross	Toulouse	65.000%
2	Janice Holmes	Faythe	63.793%
3	Diane M Welling	Dulcinea	63.276%
4	Rachel Hicks	Ursula	57.931%
5	Moirra Casey	SC Island Angel	56.897%
First Level Test 2		(C) Cunningham	
1	Andie Vester	Call me Charlie	67.703%
2	Rachel Hicks	Ursula	59.595%
First Level Test 3		(C) Cunningham	
1	Mary Lynn Griswold	Just-in-Time	65.645%
Second Level TOC		(C) Cunningham, (B) Boeh	
1	Isabelle Brown	Hercules	63.810%
2	Mary House	Lassitter	63.095%
Third Level TOC		(C) Cunningham	
1	Deborah A. Boeh	Flashback W	66.711%
2	Brittany McCarthy	Lassitter	60.132%
3	Isabelle Brown	Hercules	59.605%
Fourth Level TOC		(C) Cunningham	
1	Deborah A. Boeh	Flashback W	62.286%
USEA TOC		(C) Boeh	
1	Kristen Distl	Kravitz	65.455%
2	Stevee Candrl	Dressed to Kill	65.000%
3	Molly Billiter	Doc Charlie	62.273%
4	Rachel Alexander	Mirassou Pearl	61.739%
5	Bailey Schultz	Contessa	60.870%
6	Treasa Holmes	Rouen	59.500%
	Brittany McCarthy	Evening Dreams	55.500%
Musical Freestyles		(C) Boeh	
1	Mary Lynn Griswold	Just-in-Time	First Level 63.333%
Dressage Suitability		(C) Boeh	
1	Isabelle Brown	Wanderschoen SH	73.000%
2	Erika Cheesman	GiGi	59.000%
Dressage Equitation		(C) Cunningham	
1	Kay Johnson	Weaver of Magic	
2	Treasa Holmes	Rouen	
3	Peyton Pentecost	Butterfly	
Thoroughbred TOC		(C) Cunningham	
1	Brittany McCarthy	Evening Serenade	66.034%
Morgan Horse TOC		(C) Cunningham	
1	Moirra Casey	SC Island Angel	61.724%
	First Level Test 1		



February 2012

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Horses for Sale

16 yr old, german bred, hanovarian mare genesis IV has had colic surgery. sound. was a hunter jumper. could do up to 2nd level dressage. asking \$4500. call pat 937-382-7827

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Full Care Boarding available at Willow Creek Stables of Lebanon, Please contact Deb at 513-309-8901.

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Green tack box like in the catalog 2 yrs old holds two saddles and bridles, in catalog \$700, asking \$500. call pat 937-382-7827

Tack Sale Dates

Butler County-Sunday, February 12th-10:00-3:00-NEW LOCATION-Butler Tech on route 4.

Preble County-Sunday, February 26th-9:00-4:00.

Warren County-Sunday-March 11-11:00-4:00.

New USDF Recognition Program and Member Benefit

USDF and PerfectWorldDressage.com, now offer the new USDF/Perfect World - Dressage Challenge as well as added USDF member benefits offered through Perfect World Dressage. The USDF/Perfect World – Dressage Challenge is a unique program that allows riders to be recognized for their dressage test scores, earned by uploading videos of their rides at Introductory through Second Levels to the Perfect World Dressage website. Through this new program, USDF members receive valuable, confidential feedback from licensed and experienced dressage judges and, in addition, are eligible to receive recognition certificates from USDF at each of the eligible levels.

Participation in the USDF/Perfect World - Dressage Challenge requires Gold Membership with Perfect World Dressage, and, through a partnership with Perfect World Dressage, Gold Membership is being offered to all USDF members at no cost. This new member benefit is designed for those who do not have ready access to a show, or those who want to get feedback before they go to a show. USDF members now have the opportunity to improve their core dressage skills and, at the same time, be recognized for their achievements without ever leaving home or their local barn.

For info, visit www.usdf.org or www.perfectworlddressage.com

2012 Olympic Team Qualification Process

This article shares the qualification procedures for the 2012 USA Olympic team as documented in a USEF memo dated May 11, 2011. The Selection Procedures are pending final approval by the United States Olympic Committee, USEF High Performance Working Group and USEF Executive Committee and are anticipated to be published after January 30, 2012.

The proposed qualifying period is June 1, 2011 through May 27, 2012. **Scores from all CDI3*, CDI4*, CDI5*, CDIO and CDI-Ws, both within and outside of the USA, will automatically count** unless the athlete notifies the USEF Director of High Performance Dressage Programs, no later than 48 hours prior to the veterinary inspection for that event that they **do not** want the score to be counted. The proposed Selection Procedures require that athlete/horse combinations complete the FEI Grand Prix test and the FEI Grand Prix Special/FEI Olympic Grand Prix Special test in combination at two Qualifying Competitions/CDIs. For calculations purposes, the FEI Grand Prix and the FEI Grand Prix Special/FEI Olympic Grand Prix Special tests will each count for 50% of an athlete/horse combination's overall average from each Qualifying Competition (i.e. GP 50% + GPS 50% = 100%). **No FEI Grand Prix Freestyle will be required for qualification.**

Initially the fifteen highest ranked athlete/horse combinations at the end of the qualifying period (including all ties) will be invited to the Selection Trial and an athlete may qualify no more than two (2) horses for the Selection Trial. If an athlete qualifies two horses in the top fifteen (15) ranked athlete/horse combinations, the next athlete/horse combination will be invited to attend up to a maximum of fifteen (15) athletes.

In addition to the fifteen (15) athlete/horse combinations who have received an invitation to compete at the Selection Trial through fulfillment of the criteria listed above (where there may be more than fifteen athlete/horse combinations due to ties), additional invitations, subject to approval of the Selectors and Dressage High Performance Committee, may be extended to athlete/horse combinations that have achieved an overall combined average score of 72.0% or higher from the judging panel in the FEI Grand Prix test (Ed. 2009) and FEI Olympic Grand Prix Special (Ed. 2011) at one CDI competition in the U.S. and/or outside the US between January 1, 2012 and May 27, 2012.

The Selection Trial will be held in two rounds over two weekends. Round One will be held June 8-10 and Round Two will be held June 15-17, 2012 in Gladstone, NJ.

USDF 2013 National Dressage Championships

The inaugural Dressage National Championships are scheduled for the week/weekend of November 7-10, 2013 at the KY Horse Park in Lexington, KY

USDF Region 2 Adult Clinic with Lilo Fore

USDF will host one Adult clinic with Lilo Fore in each of the nine regions in 2011 and 2012. Clinics will be open to eight riding participants (ages 22 and older) and auditors of all ages. Each rider will receive a 30-45 minute private lesson in a symposium style format. Each clinic will offer a lecture that will be open to all mounted participants and registered auditors and will include a notebook.

NODA will host the Region 2 USDF Adult Clinic with Lilo Fore on June 30 – July 1 at Lake Erie College Equestrian Center, Concord, Ohio

Download all necessary forms and documents:

<http://www.usdf.org/downloads/forms/index.asp#clinics>

Register Now:

<http://www.usdf.org/education/clinics/adult/dates-locations.asp>

2012 World Dressage Masters CDI 4* Palm Beach Results

Results from the World Dressage Masters competition held at the Jim Brandon Equestrian Center in West Palm Beach from January 26th through the 28th. TDC members in attendance included Carol Hibbard, Sue McBeth, and Bud Moore. Other Cincinnati attendees included Jennifer Truett, Natalie Regal, and Rose Manibusan. You can view videos of the top 3 freestyles by following the links in the table below.

Grand Prix Freestyle

Place	Name	Horse		Points %
1	Steffen Peters	Ravel	USA	83.700
2	Charlotte Dujardin	Valegro	GBR	83.650
3	Tinne Vilhelmsen-Silfven	Favourit	SWE	78.250
4	Carl Hester	Wie-Atlantico De Ymas	GBR	74.850
5	Anja Plönzke	Le Mon d'Or	GER	74.840
6	Tina Konyot	Calecto V	USA	73.025
7	Ashley Holzer	Breaking Dawn	CAN	71.300
8	Minna Telde	Deinhardt	SWE	71.000



Steffen Peters (USA) and Ravel – a KWPN by Contango– Charlotte Dujardin (GBR) and Valegro - a KWPN by Negro (Photos: Mary Phelps - phelpspphotos.com)

Grand Prix Special

Place	Name	Horse		Points %
1	Adrienne Lyle	Wizard	USA	73.244
2	Heather Blitz	Paragon	USA	72.044
3	Todd Flettrich	Otto	USA	69.933
4	Pierre St Jacques	Lucky Tiger	USA	66.742
5	Per Sandgaard	Lomumba Havdal	SWE	64.889
6	Victoria Winter	Proton	CAN	63.889
7	James Koford	Pharoah	USA	63.089
8	Yvonne Losos de Muniz	Liebling II	DOM	62.911



Adrienne Lyle and Wizard Heather Blitz and Paragon (Photos: Mary Phelps-phelpspphotos.com)

Grand Prix

Place	Name	Horse		Points %
1	Steffen Peters	Ravel	USA	81.383
2	Charlotte Dujardin	Valegro	GBR	78.468
3	Tinne Vilhelmsen-Silfven	Favourit	SWE	73.255
4	Adrienne Lyle	Wizard	USA	72.149
5	Anja Plönzke	Le Mon d'Or	GER	71.404
5	Ashley Holzer	Breaking Dawn	CAN	71.404
7	Heather Blitz	Paragon	USA	71.000
8	Carl Hester	Wie-Atlantico De Ymas	GBR	69.979
9	Todd Flettrich	Otto	USA	69.638
10	Tina Konyot	Calecto V	USA	68.447
11	Minna Telde	Deinhardt	SWE	66.787
12	Pierre St Jacques	Lucky Tiger	USA	66.021
13	Per Sandgaard	Lomumba Havdal	SWE	65.894
14	James Koford	Pharoah	USA	64.809
15	Yvonne Losos de Muniz	Liebling II	DOM	62.255
16	Victoria Winter	Proton	CAN	60.426

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