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CDCTA Newsletter

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**It's Time to Party As Only
CDCTA Members Can!**

It's that time of the year...time for the CDCTA Christmas Party and official viewing of the 1996 "retrospective" blooper tape!

Where? At the Weishaar-McGavock home 6231 W. Steadman, Columbia

When? Saturday, December 14, 1996, 6:30 p.m.

What to do: Bring an appetizer or dessert dish to pass and a small wrapped gift of \$10 or less value for the grab bucket. If you have funny or phenomenal riding moments on tape, please call Beth or Charles Fairfax at (573) 445-1863 so they can add you to the retro reel!

Where is 6231 W. Steadman Road? Same place it was last year!!! Take Providence Road South past the turnoff for Old Plank Road and Stony Hill Farm and follow until you see the sign for Rte KK. You will make a U-type turn to the right onto KK and go about one block to Howard Orchard Road (gravel road). Turn left onto Howard Orchard Road. Go 1-2 miles to a subdivision road called Steadman (VANTAGE POINT signs on either side of the road). Turn onto Steadman 6231 is at the end of the cul-de-sac.

Lost? Call our hostess, Brenda, at 446-0777.





**CDCTA
AWARDS
BANQUET**

**Friday, Jan. 11, 2019
6:30 PM**

Join us ~

Friday, Jan. 11th, 2019 at *D. Rowe's*
1005 Club Village Drive, Columbia, 65203
for our annual
CDCTA Awards Banquet

Friends, members, significant others~ we'll have appetizers,
ordering off the menu, 2018 highlights, 2019 club goals and
calendar, and of course 2018 Year End Awards!

Don't miss out ~

To reserve your spot, send your \$25/person to Lora
NO LATER THAN Friday, Jan. 4th !

PLEASE!!!! detach and mail this with check (payable to CDCTA) to:
Lora Blair:
11501 E. Vemers Ford Rd., Columbia, MO 65201-7465

_____ persons attending @ \$25 each = _____ enclosed.

Name(s)

DON'T MISS ONE OF THE MOST EAGERLY ANTICIPATED EVENTS OF THE YEAR....

THE CDCTA ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY!!

**This year the Loftins will be hosting us at their home
on Saturday, December 22 at 7 p.m.
1111 Torrey Pines Drive Columbia, MO 65203**

**Please bring a side dish to share; main meat course and beverages
(wine, beer and soft drinks) will be provided by the club.**

**If you wish to participate in the Muck Bucket Gift Exchange, then
bring a wrapped gift to put in the bucket (maximum value: \$25) If
you bring a gift, you will get to take home a gift!**

**We encourage festive holiday attire
so be creative!**

**Call if you need
more
Information!**

979-571-5276





Free to anyone who wants them: I have 3 years worth of John Lyons Perfect Horse newsletters. They have training tips, discussions about different horsey items and questions from readers. Interesting reading and you may pick up a tip or 2. They are all in a large 3 ring binder.

Stable blanket, size 78 I think. Never been on a horse by the looks. We cleaned up some stuff stored in the basement and found some surprises. Since my guys live out I only use turn out blankets. Yours for \$20.

Closed front stable blanket, never been on a horse. Tag says 80 but I'm not sure that's really the size. Has fleecy insides. Also \$20.

Email violet3@centurytel.net or call 573-445-5222.

FOR SALE:

2014 Schleese Wave dressage saddle. Super good condition, 17 1/2 inch seat, tree size 3. Fair Market value is \$3395, selling for \$3000.

Contact Tesa Sterchi
573-819-3773

THE PURPLE PONY BOOKMOBILE would like to thank its most recent donors:

Andy Hahn, for a complete set of the Canterwood Crest series, by Jessica Burkhart. Andy found them in nearly new (sadly unread) condition. Which is a shame, because in my quest to only offer books which I have at least scanned through so that I have some familiarity with them, I have found that they are engrossing young-teen-girl reads, and the horse stuff is mostly correct. Check them all out and be ready for a snowy weekend or two!

Dr. Nancy Roth, for a treasure trove of books in beautiful condition, including a biography of Man O' War and a hilarious collection of Cooky McClung's writings: think equine Erma Bombeck.

The Bookmobile is more or less home for the winter but I would gladly put her on the road for special requests; or email us to set up an appointment to come on over, pet my horses and check out a few friends for company during the long winter to come....

Beth Hussey eshussey@gmail.com

The Scoop on Poop

Kelsey Fisher DVM

For many decades now, the staple of parasite control for many barns has been bi-monthly rotational deworming. Typically something like the following:

- Jan/Feb: fenbendazole
- Mar/April: ivermectin or moxidectin
- May/June: pyrantel pamoate
- July/Aug: fenbendazole
- Sept/Oct: ivermectin or moxidectin + praziquantel
- Nov/Dec: pyrantel pamoate

However, the veterinary community has found that, just like bacteria, parasites can develop resistance to the deworming products we use. Therefore, recommendations have changed to deworming each horse as an individual based on their fecal egg count (FEC).

A fecal egg count is a test that can be performed by your veterinarian with just a few balls of manure from each horse. There are multiple different methods used, which is beyond the scope of this article, but the important thing is that it is a quantitative method. This means that the fecal results are read out as how many parasite “eggs per gram” (EPG) of manure the horse has.

Based on the horse’s EPG number they are classified into one of three groups.

- Low shedders: < 200 EPG
- Moderate shedders: 200-500 EPG
- High shedders: >500 EPG

Low shedders have a greater immune response to parasites than the other two groups. This means they need the least amount of help from us and only need to be dewormed two times per year. This should be done in the spring with an ivermectin and after the first frost with an ivermectin + praziquantel product. **Moderate shedders** need to be dewormed four times per year. In addition to the two products given to low shedders they should also receive two additional dewormer doses (one about every 3 months). **Heavy shedders** need to be dewormed six times a year. They should also receive the two products in the spring and fall but receive additional deworming every two months.

A plan should be made with your regular veterinarian to determine which products any moderate or heavy shedders should be given for parasite control.

If a farm has a lot of heavy shedders or has horses that maintain a heavy EPG count after deworming that may be a sign that there is some drug resistance on this particular farm. To specifically test to see if an anti-helminthic is having an effect a repeat FEC should be performed following administration of the dewormer using the following guidelines:

- Fenbendazole (Panacur, Safe-Guard): 4-5 weeks after use
- Pyrantel pamoate (Strongid): 4-5 weeks after use
- Ivermectin (Ivercare, Zimectrin): 6-8 weeks after use
- Moxidectin (Quest): 10-12 weeks after use

While this method of deworming may seem like more of a hassle than it’s worth, in the long run the benefits outweigh the negatives. A big benefit of this program is saving money on low shedding horses by only deworming them twice a year as well as finding out if your current program is working for your farm.

If you are still unsure about switching to FEC, I encourage you to talk to your veterinarian for even more information.



The most experienced dressage instructor in Columbia is hitting the road!

Lessons at your barn, on your horse are now available.

Contact Liz Hotchkiss 573-489-2927 for more information and to reserve your preferred time slot.

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Submissions are due by the last day of the month before publication.

Our website is www.cdcta.org for late-breaking news. Photographs should be submitted in JPEG format.

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Make checks payable to CDCTA.

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS:

**December 22, 2018 NOTE DATE CHANGE!!!
CDCTA Holiday Party and Muck Bucket Gift Exchange at Karin Loftin's house in south Columbia. More information elsewhere in this newsletter!**

**January 11, 2019
CDCTA Annual Meeting and Awards Banquet at D. Rowe's in South Columbia from 6:30 until nine p.m. Look for registration form and more information in the December newsletter!**

**January 26-27, 2019
Missouri Horse Shows Association Annual Awards Banquet and Symposium**

**April 25-28, 2019
Land Rover Kentucky Three Day Event in Lexington, KY
Remember, our own Hinkson Valley Pony Club Games team has qualified for the prestigious Prince Phillip Cup, run during the three day event!**

REMEMBER....WE WILL BE LOOKING FOR NEW CDCTA OFFICERS FOR 2019! IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN GETTING MORE INVOLVED IN THE CLUB LET ONE OF THE CURRENT OFFICERS KNOW; THEIR CONTACT INFORMATION IS LISTED ON THE AD PAGES OF EVERY NEWSLETTER.

WE WILL BE ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS AND VOTING AT THE AWARDS BANQUET ON JANUARY 11TH.

LOOK FOR A FORMAL NOMINATION FORM IN THE JANUARY NEWSLETTER!

2018 CDCTA Fall Dressage Show and Combined Test

Class					Test		
Time	No.	Horse	Rider		Score	Percentage	Place
#1	Intro Level Test A				USDF Intro A		
8:20	287	Pepe Le Pue	Jay Potterfield-Zara		103.5	64.688	1
8:15	127	My Sweet Valentine	Nick Cahill		102.5	64.063	2
8:10	104	Cat On A Mission	Emily Bruhn		96.5	60.313	3
8:00	203	GHS Countess Calisto	Lily Callahan		88.5	55.313	4
8:05	73	Mint Brook Ruby Twilight	Robyn Armer		79.5	49.688	5
#2	Intro Level Test B				USDF Intro B		
8:37	104	Cat On A Mission	Emily Bruhn		115	71.875	1
8:47	100	Remington	Sara Potterfield		111	69.375	2
8:42	84	Grand Canyon	Eliza Potterfield-Zara		103	64.375	3
8:32	73	Mint Brook Ruby Twilight	Robyn Armer		93	58.124	4
8:27	203	GHS Countess Calisto	Lily Callahan		84.5	52.813	5
#3	Intro Level Test C				USDF Intro C		
9:23	28	Beowulf	Emily Bruhn		154.5	77.250	1
9:35	100	Remington	Sara Potterfield		136.5	68.250	2
9:05	127	My Sweet Valentine	Nick Cahill		132	66.000	3
9:11	66	VA Bisquinte	Anne Hoylman		123.5	61.750	4
9:29	287	Pepe Le Pue	Jay Potterfield-Zara		121.5	60.750	5
9:41	84	Grand Canyon	Eliza Potterfield-Zara		113.5	56.750	6
8:53	87	Ari Gold	Holly Goen		109	54.500	
8:59	203	GHS Countess Calisto	Lily Callahan		109.5	54.750	
9:17	105	All That Jazz	Josie Patton		108	54.000	
#4	Training Level Test 1				USEF Tr 1		
9:57	28	Beowulf	Emily Bruhn		161.5	70.218	1
10:09	66	VA Bisquinte	Anne Hoylman		144	62.609	2
10:21	105	All That Jazz	Josie Patton		135.5	58.913	3
10:15	81	Scooter	Amy Stapleton		129	56.087	4
10:03	87	Ari Gold	Holly Goen		118.5	51.522	5
#5	Training Level Test 2				USEF Tr 2		
12:45	68	Inherbiggirlpants	Shannon Reed		161.5	62.115	1
#6	Training Level Test 3				USEF Tr 3		
1:35	68	Inherbiggirlpants	Shannon Reed		143.5	65.227	1
#7	First Level Test One				USEF F1		
1:43	15	Royal Crest's Granite Permission	Lily Callahan		145.5	53.889	1
#11a	Western Dressage Test of Choice				Western Basic Level, Test 1		
11:52	48	Royal El Dorado	Alice Townsend		158	65.833	1
11:58	23	Ricksha Starlight	Natalie Ficken		157	65.417	2
#11b	Western Dressage TOC				Western Intro Level, Test 3		
1:14	48	Royal El Dorado	Alice Townsend		149	74.500	1
1:08	156	Ricksha Starlight	Breanna Harding		126	63.000	2

#1CT	Green as Grass			Dressage Faults	Jump Faults	Total Faults	Place
	104	Cat On A Mission	Kris Wallace	25.313	0	25.313	1
	73	Mint Brook Ruby Twilight	Robyn Armer	40.000	0	40.000	2
	20	Mr. Mosely	Alexa Sivastion	41.250	0	41.250	3
	82	Not That Appy	Sabrina Young	42.812	0	42.812	4
	63	Blue Diamond Bandit	Alexis Cattin-Roy	51.875	0	51.875	5
#2CT	Intro Eventer						
	136	Minesweeper	Kelsey Fisher	33.889	0	33.889	1
	1	Bo	Alex DesLauriers	34.722	0	34.722	2
	92	The Phantom Pistol	Lily Callahan	34.722	0	34.722	2
#3CT	Beginner Novice						
	136	Minesweeper	Kelsey Fisher	29.500	0	29.500	1
	28	Beowulf	Emily Bruhn	34.000	0	34.000	2
	105	All That Jazz	Josie Patton	41.250	0	41.250	3
	87	Ari Gold	Holly Goen	44.750	0	44.750	4
	62	Jazzi Maria	Alyssa Mathis	46.000	0	46.000	5
	66	VA Bisquinte	Anne Hoylman	40.000	8	48.000	6
#4CT	Novice						
	74	Sydelle	Audrey Plummer	36.667	0	36.667	1
	15	Royal Crest's Granite Permission	Lily Callahan	32.774	0	32.774	2

**Successful FEI dressage rider/
trainer available for lessons/
training in Dressage, western
Dressage, western pleasure and
hunt seat pleasure. New profes-
sional equestrian facility coming
2019. Please contact Ann
McGruder 573-489-1317.**



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DRESSAGE & COMBINED TRAINING ASSOCIATION

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NEXT MEETING: NOTE DATE CHANGE!! Party on everyone! Details inside for our December 22nd Holiday Extravaganza!

Columbia Dressage & Combined Training Association 2019 Membership Form

CDCTA is a United States Dressage Federation (USDF) Group Member Organization (GMO). By joining CDCTA you are becoming a Group member of the USDF. \$20 of your CDCTA dues are forwarded to the USDF as GMO membership dues. (\$11 for additional members in family)

Membership year runs December 1-November 30. Dues are payable in October.

Individual Membership: \$38.00/year

Family Membership: \$38.00/year plus \$23.00 for additional member residing at same address. Please list all members included (use additional sheets if needed).

Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number (s) _____

E-mail _____

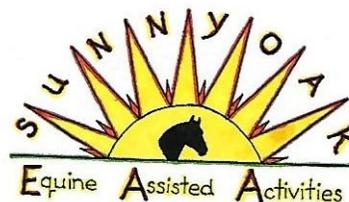
NOTE: We send our monthly newsletters out by email. Please check here if you would prefer to receive a mailed copy. _____ Did someone refer you for membership? _____

I am We are occasionally asked to share our membership list with persons or corporations with items of possible interest to our members.

Please circle one: DO DO NOT include my name on this list.

Make check payable to CDCTA and mail to:

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