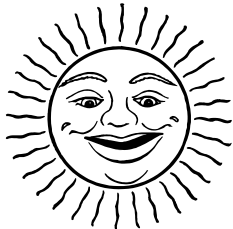


# Colorado Springs Dressage Association



## June 2006



### *Special points of interest:*

- President's Message
- Classifieds - lots of them!
- Meeting Minutes

### **Upcoming events...**

June 20 - CSDA General Meeting - 559 Pikes Peak

June 30 - Dressage at the Peak Summer II WarmUp

July 1-2 - Dressage at the Peak II Summer

July 18 - CSDA General Meeting - Location TBA

August 15 - CSDA General Meeting - Location TBA

August 26 - CSDA Schooling Show - Aspen Ridge

August 27 - CSDA RMDS Show - Aspen Ridge

### **President's Message**

Dear Fellow Riders:

The summer heat is upon us and with record temperatures this early in the summer who knows how hot it will get. Certainly makes you wish for a cool lake that one could visit with the horse – I bet they would enjoy it just as much as we do.

Our May show and the Paralympics riders clinic were quite successful. We had some very positive comments for putting on a great event. This would not have been possible without all of you – so a very big thank you to everyone involved. Countless volunteer hours were spent to take care of the horses, Paralympics riders and to make the show run smoothly. We had help from so many outstanding individuals that I do not dare to mention any names – lest I forget someone. One of the comments I heard a lot was that many volunteers had a really great time – how wonderful. We tried to make it a positive experience for everyone.

When it comes to volunteering I believe that many of us do it because we can have a great time with it, not to mention the opportunity to learn something. I personally enjoy scribing a lot - one gets some unique insights on how a judge arrives at a score. Most judges are very willing to share their reasoning, provided there is time to do so.

The awards trailer is always fun as well – most people enjoy picking up their ribbons and prizes. Helping out with the warm-up gives one the opportunity to see most of the rides and maybe even catch a helpful tip from one of the trainers as they warm up their students. Scoring is normally nice and quiet, you get to sit in your own little corner and see how the whole show unfolds. As a runner once again you have the chance to see a lot of the rides – so does the announcer. No matter which volunteer job I am assigned to, I enjoy them all. To me it is just fun to be around the show environment (without any stress), meeting some of my friends that I might not have seen in a while, admire some new or vastly improved horses. And let's face it - at the end of the day it just feels good to have done something worthwhile.

As you know our next big recognized show is coming – June 30, July 1 and 2. We hope some of you get the chance to ride – get in your entries we still have room for you. And of course we hope that some of you will be gracious enough to volunteer once again or maybe for the first time this year. Remember we will have some free riding lessons at the end of the season for our volunteers – more details to follow.

On a less happy note I have to announce that my husband and I are closing our office – we will move to something a little smaller that won't accommodate our meetings anymore. This next meeting will be last one at 559 E Pikes Peak – after that Heather and I have been looking into several options and we will be happy to share with you at this coming meeting.

Hope to see many of you at the next meeting – June 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.

Happy riding,

**Simone**

# Classified Ads



**2004 Premium Oldenburg gelding.** Fantastically bred colt, great type and movement with temperament to please anyone. By Madison(Matcho aa). Extensive groundwork has been done, will be ready to start lightly next spring. Currently showing in-hand. Over 15hh at 2yo, will mature 16+ \$10,200 OBO. 719-683-9387 [elashby@falconbroadband.net](mailto:elashby@falconbroadband.net).

**SUPERIOR new barn in Black Forest,** with 80 x 200 insulated indoor arena, 60 x 120 sand outdoor arena, 12 x 12 stalls, 12 x 50 pipe runs, heated rooms, daily grass turn out. Board and lessons. Pat Long 531-6584

## Fillies For Sale:

- 1) Holsteiner-TB X Filly - 7 months - Strong Dressage and Jumping lines (Sire: Cherif - Holsteiner, Rhinelander, Psarszar. Dam: Alegria - TB). Tall, kind, elegant, leads, loads, ties, good with trimmers. Black. \$5500. Call Emmy at 719-495-4188
- 2) Clyde TB X Filly - 7 months. Bay with white stockings. Very sweet and people oriented. (Sire: Slew's Gold - TB. Dam: Sorpresa - Foundation stock North American Spotted Draft) Good with trimmer, leads, loads, ties. \$4500. Call Emmy at 719-495-4188.

*Classified ads are free to CSDA members. Send them to the editor by the 1st of the month to be included!*

## OR BREED YOUR OWN!

**At Stud - Braveheart Ali.** 4 1/2 year old Clyde TB X Stallion. Bay with blaze and 4 white stockings, super mover, kind - Watch for him @ shows this year! 100% Conception rate in his first season at stud. Early bookings are available - \$600 (live cover) or \$500 (pasture breeding). Live Foal Guarantee. Call Emmy at 719-495-4188.

**Dressage and Jumping Pony For Sale:** 13.3 stunning black and white paint mare. Ideal for advanced child or small woman rider. Seven yrs. old. \$3000.00. Looks like a miniature TB. Very unphill. Shown in April and will be shown again. Please contact Judy Carnick (719) 865-4134.

**Dressage Trainers / Instructors / Riders** - New Private Indoor Arena available for lessons and schooling located in the Black Forest area. Trailer-In fee \$10 per horse, also monthly Trailer-In package available. Upcoming clinics scheduled Janet Brown Foy and Kelly O'Leary. For information on Trailering-In or Clinics, contact Patricia Janssen at [patricia@parfaitranch.com](mailto:patricia@parfaitranch.com) or call 719 749 9866.

**2002 1/2 Connemara Pony gelding.** Will finish 13.2/13.3. Reg with ACPS. Going well under saddle. Kind, sensible, willing, forward. Trailers, clips, easy to handle. 8-year-old girl helps with training. \$4,500. Karen Laden 719-495-3892, [kingswellponies@yahoo.com](mailto:kingswellponies@yahoo.com)

**COURBETTE MERKUR-DL-EXTRA CLOSE CONTACT SADDLE:** Lightly used. Black. Extra long flaps to accommodate long femurs in short stirrups. 17", medium/wide tree which fits most horses. \$450 without fittings. Long girth and stirrups/leathers (used) available for additional \$35. Marlene. 576.7196. [mmaseberg@msn.com](mailto:mmaseberg@msn.com).

**HELP WANTED** Looking for two working students for summer. Jobs include riding, helping students, helping with Pony Club D & C, assisting trainer with school horses. Please contact Judy Carnick 685-4134.

**Partial lease available** on 13-yr. old, quiet, TB mare, 16.1 hands. Owner is presently taking dressage lessons on her, but can only ride twice a week. Horse is boarded in Castle Rock. Call for details. 719-347-7624

**Reduced Boarding Rate Available at Parfait Ranch** in exchange for help with owners' horses. Private barn with 12x12 stall, pasture turn-out and full size indoor arena. Person must be available mid-day during the week and some weekends. Horse must be uncomplicated and with no vices. For more information, contact Patricia Janssen at 719 749-9866 or [patricia@parfaitranch.com](mailto:patricia@parfaitranch.com)

### Small Guest House For Rent.

NE of Black Forest on beautiful 35-acre property.  
Treed area with Front Range views.  
LR, Kitch, 1 BR, 1 BA  
Dressage Arena, Large Pasture  
Near Homestead Ranch Park  
Suitable for Single Person  
Pets/1 Horse Negotiable  
\$650 per Month  
**NO SMOKING**  
719-749-2583

**FOR SALE: 12 year old Anglo/Arab Gelding.** Shows promise in dressage and also has done some jumping and trails. Very sound with great gaits. Very willing to work but is too much horse for this 71 year old woman. \$5000 obo. 719-487-8781 or jeanpcos@adelphia.net. His picture is to the right!



**Dressage made Easier -Now accepting students for dressage lessons through 2nd level.** Teaching at Whispering Winds in Monument, some limited travel. Recent L-Graduate - Simone Windeler, call either 719-287-2040 or 719-540-2000.

**11 yr old Chestnut Gelding. Belgian/Thoroughbred Cross,** 16 hands. Sound, nice mover. Working currently at 1st level, schooling 2nd. Also has evented and is a bold jumper. Needs confident rider. \$6,500. Call Liz at 719-488-5840 or Simone at 719-287-2040.

**BEST OF BOTH WORLDS!** Kiger/Andalusian Colt, gelding prospect, coming 3 years of age, ready for basic riding training. Has the soundness, temperament and mentality of the Andalusian with the agility and speed of the Kiger. Stabled in COS! 719-495-0248, valmoor@aol.com

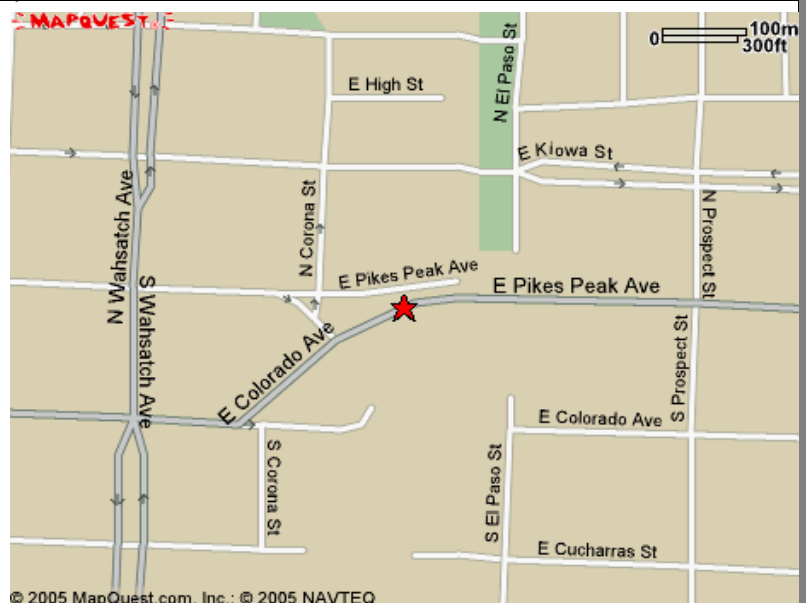
**Nobel Foal For Sale!** 3/4 Andalusian mare bred to National Champion stallion, Nobel II, ready to foal in July, 2006. Stabled in COS! 719-495-0248, valmoor@aol.com

**Elegant Thoroughbred Gelding for Sale:** 17 hands, 11 years old, training first level. He is a big, black, good mover with a noticeably large overstep and good, solid gates. He's very sound and has a great attitude. He's had minimal dressage training and obviously enjoys it; he wants to learn more! Sadly, I have to sell him as I'm a college student. \$5,500 OBO. To EXCELLENT home only! (719)930-7636

**NEXT MEETING -  
June 20th - 7:00 PM**

**JUNE MEETING TOPIC:  
You'll just have to come to find  
out!!!**

**559 E Pikes Peak**



## *Warmth of a Horse*

*When your day seems out of balance  
And so many things go wrong.  
When people fight around you,  
And the day drags on so long...*

*When parents act like children  
In-Laws make you think "Divorce,"  
Go out into your pasture...  
Wrap your arms around your horse.*

*His gentle breath enfolds you,  
As he watches with those eyes...  
He may not have a Ph.D.,  
But he is oh, so wise!*

*His head rests on your shoulder  
You embrace him good and tight;  
He puts your world in balance,  
And makes it seem all right.*

*Your tears will soon stop flowing,  
The tension is now eased.  
The garbage has been lifted  
You'll be quiet and at peace.*

*So when you need the balance  
From circumstances in your day  
The best therapy you can seek-  
Is out there chomping hay!*

*~Author unknown*



## **CSDA April 18, 2006 Meeting Minutes**

Members present: Judy Carnick, Lenore Mckerlie, Greta Johnson, Heather Petersen, Simone Windeler, Sharon Huff, CiCi Lee, Beth Carlson, Anna Eklund, Jean Patton, Sharon Meazell, Jane McBride.

Volunteer Training presentations were given by:

Judging – Simone Windeler

Show office/scoring – Heather Petersen

Hospitality – Jean Patton

T.D. rules & gate stewards – Jane McBride

Arena set-up needs to be learned hands-on before shows

There was some really excellent food!

Mike Moran will be distributing P.A.'s; Posters need to be taken around; Catering will be Garden of the Gods with a new menu; VIP area will be roped off and posted with signs; 30 nice chairs are needed for the VIP area.

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## **POTENTIAL DANGER OF HORSE HAIR**

In a press release today, the National Institute of Health has announced the discovery of a potentially dangerous substance in the hair of horses. This substance, called "amo-bacter equuii" has been linked with the following symptoms in female humans

- \*reluctance to cook
- \*reluctance to perform housework
- \*reluctance to wear anything but boots
- \*reluctance to work except in support of a horse
- \*physical craving for contact with horses (may be an addiction)

Beware! if you come in contact with a female human affected by this substance be prepared to talk about horses for hours on end.

This was a public service announcement ...

Surgeon General's Warning Horses are expensive, addictive, and may impair the ability to use common sense.

CSDA Dressage at the Peak Summer WarmUP and DRESSAGE AT THE PEAK II  
 June 30, July 1-2  
**Show Program Ad / Sponsorship Rates**

Advertiser Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Advertiser Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Product and/or Services: \_\_\_\_\_

**Show Program Size: 8 1/2" x 11"**

Ad sizes	Ad Dimensions	Price
• Full Page, all are black/white		
○ Inside Front Cover	7.5" x 10"	\$80
○ Inside Back Cover	7.5" x 10"	\$80
○ Outside Back Cover	7.5" x 10"	\$80
○ Regular Full Page	7.5" x 10"	\$70
• Half Page – blk/wht	7.5" x 4.75"	\$40
• Business Card– blk/wht	Stand. Business card	\$20

***Camera Ready Artwork must be received, with payment, by June 25, 2006***

***Please Note:*** You must mail this Show Program Ad Rates form with *Full Payment* or your ad will be returned. It is recommended that you make a copy of this form, when complete, for your records.

Amount To Be Sent With Camera Ready Ad: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate Advertisement Type/Size/Price Here: \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Check Payable to: CSDA**

**Class Sponsorships**

**Class sponsorships are \$25. Your name will be printed in the day sheets and listed in the show program. You may also sponsor a daily high point award for \$50. All donations are tax-deductible as CSDA is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Class desired \_\_\_\_\_

Mail form, payment, and/or donation to: Heather Petersen, 12395 Gull Lane, Peyton, CO 80831.  
 Any questions? Call 719-683-8435 or email slush@drgw.net

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT**

**COLORADO SPRINGS  
DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION**

12395 Gull Lane  
Peyton, CO 80831

Phone: 719-683-8435  
Fax: 719-683-8435  
Email: [csda@csdressage.org](mailto:csda@csdressage.org)



**Volunteers NEEDED!**

We're in need once again for some wonderful volunteers for the CSDA Dressage at the Peak II shows. The dates of the show are June 30, July 1-2 and setup will be June 29th.

We need 3-4 people for arena setup on Thursday morning, some general volunteers for Thursday afternoon and then the usual staff for a one ring show on Friday through Sunday - gate, runners, scoring, scribing, stable/misc. and such.

Please, please, please let us know if you can help in any way shape or form.  
Jane (598-4496), Simone (287-2040) or Heather (683-8435)

**Horses change lives. They give our young people confidence and self esteem. They provide peace and tranquility to troubled souls- they give us hope!**

**-- Toni Robinson**

**Next Meeting**

**June 20th- 7:00 PM**

559 E Pikes Peak  
Call 287-2040 if you get lost!