

COLLECTED NOTES



JULY 2021

FROM SKYE-ANNA, CDCTC's CO-PRESIDENT:

Hi All,

I wanted to officially apologize for my absence in the newsletters over the last year. When most of the country shut down my work essentially doubled. I went into crisis mode at my job at [Cornell's Oxley Equestrian Center](#), filling an interim barn manager role with the management of 60+ horses. As soon as we went into our initial lockdown we lost a large portion of our staff and I needed to spend the majority of my time caring for the facility and horses. After 15 months, this past June 7th a permanent manager was hired relieving me of this role... what a year! The mixture of being insanely busy at work and writing not being a personal strong point is why I am finally now just getting a little blip out!

However enough about my year. If you were fortunate enough to make it to the Keepin' It Casual Show in June you would have seen how great it was! The weather, venue, judging, and turnout were superb! A special thank you to everyone who volunteered a lot of time and energy into making the show possible. Thank you to [Gale Wolfe](#) for judging and [Diedre Hay](#) for hosting. As a rider bringing a new horse to her first dressage show, what a blast! Most importantly it was wonderful to SEE EVERYONE'S FACE!! *(continued)*

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 12: Annual meeting, 6:00 pm, [Cass Park](#), Ithaca, NY. Please bring a chair, place setting and snacks! Exact location will be announced closer to the date.

August 28 & 29: Dressage in Wine Country I & II. [Prize list.](#)

FROM SHANNON, CDCTC's CO-PRESIDENT:



Our annual CDCT Keepin' It Casual Show is in the books! Thank you to everyone who worked so hard to make our fun show such a success. From our tireless management, to our fearless volunteers, and our gracious host for letting us use the new and improved [Asbury Equestrian Center](#), the perfect location! *(continued)*

(*Skye-Anna continued*) There's not a whole lot on our calendar for July but if you are looking to enjoy some non dressage and combined training equine entertainment, Skaneateles and Central New York polo clubs just announced their game information which can be found on their Facebook pages. Finger Lakes racetrack is also finally open again and allowing spectators. Both have amazing equine athletes doing sports they love! There is also a horse trials in Rome, PA at Heavenbound Farm on July 10th if anyone is looking for another great show! COVID restrictions are continuing to lift and I am sure everyone else is just as excited as I am to finally be able to meet back in person as well as getting out and doing things!



Skye-Anna

(*Shannon continued.*) Our wonderful judge [Gale Wolfe](#) gave fabulous feedback and I hope our competitors had fun while showing off their mounts. We hope to see everyone again at our casual show next year!

Since our season is switched around this year, that means that it is officially time to start getting your entries in for our recognized shows, Dressage in Wine Country I and II, August 28th and 29th at the Chemung County Fairgrounds! The [prize list](#) is posted on our website. You can also enter online via [EquestrianEntries.com](#). We hope that this year will be bigger and better than ever before after having to cancel our 2020 shows! Tell your friends and come join the fun!

There is still a little time left to enter special award ideas but you better do it ASAP. Special awards are a fun, creative way to give competitors (or volunteers!) cool, curated awards based on something near and dear to your heart - senior horses, chestnut mares, youngest riders, anything! We are still looking for more show sponsors as well so if you or anyone you know would like to be recognized during the show and beyond, please consider sponsoring.

In other club news, we had a second weekend opening of the swag store that brought in some more purchases. Keep checking back for more sales and new items. Our C4 Belts are ordered and on the way. Our book club decided to go on hiatus for the summer because show season and enjoying the warm weather takes up most of our time.

In other exciting news, our July meeting will BE IN REAL LIFE! Bring a chair and some snacks and join us at Cass Park in Ithaca on Monday, July 12th at 6 PM for some fun in the sun. If the weather looks questionable that day (it definitely does what it wants anymore) we will have the rain date on Wednesday the 14th. I hope to see everyone's smiling faces there, it's been way too long!

Ride all the ponies and jump all the things,

Shannon

CDCT Monthly Meeting
June 7, 2021 Meeting Minutes

Attendance: Shannon Ryan-Dinmore, Skye-Anna Nye-Smith, Norm Johnson, Tina Matejka, Sarah Hepler, Anna Redmond, Prin Furst, Karen Steffy, Bettina Wagner, Dinah Guarino, Kathy Thode, Jean Foley, Carol Morris, Deirdre Hay, Jennifer Hagadone

Called to order at 7:05 PM.

May meeting minutes approved - Norm moved, Bettina seconded.

Treasurer's report: Show ribbons have been the most recent expense but we're in good shape. A debit card is coming to make paying for things easier!

Casual Show:

Doing well on volunteer positions. Prize list submitted to USDF for Regional Schooling Show Award. Norm ordered the port-a-potty. Chain arena and cones are heading to Asbury pronto. Other supplies from JM's garage also heading to Asbury. 4 PM Saturday set up!
High point for divisions and TIP awards to be given.

Recognized Show:

Slow on sponsorships - need to approach and advertise more! Special award ribbons will be ordered around July 1st (6 week lead time). Prize list opening on July 1st.

Swag Committee:

Our first swag store order made us over \$100 profit. Will quickly reopen store for a weekend sale!

Lisa El-Ramey Symposium reschedule from 2020? Will look into.

We will vote in July on adding a land acknowledgement to the website. Check your emails for the verbiage.

Meeting adjourned at 7:58 PM - Norm moved, Dinah seconded.

Our July meeting will be IN REAL LIFE at Cass Park on Monday, July 12th at 6PM. Rain date: Wednesday, July 14th at 6PM. Bring a chair and snacks!

REMEMBER!

USEF Safesport refresher is required for all show officials, as well as competitors. Please complete or update your training at the USDF's [Safesport](#) training site.

CALENDAR

CDTC Events:

July 12: Annual meeting, 6:00 pm, Cass Park, Ithaca, NY. Please bring a chair, place setting and snacks! Exact location will be announced closer to the date.

August 28: CDCT Dressage in Wine Country I - Chemung County Fairgrounds, 170 Fairview Road, Horseheads, NY 14845 - www.cayugadressage.org

August 29: CDCT Dressage in Wine Country II - Chemung County Fairgrounds, 170 Fairview Road, Horseheads, NY 14845 - www.cayugadressage.org

Other local events: <https://bit.ly/31Ry1ZS> . ***This list is a work in progress and will be updated as dates are announced. Event dates, times, and locations are all subject to change. Please visit the host's website for the most current information. This list focuses on dressage, eventing, and jumpers.***

Additional Local Dressage and Combined Training Groups

[Carriage House Arena](#)

[Central NY Dressage and CT Association](#)

[Eastern NY Dressage and Combined Training Club](#)

[Endless Mountains Dressage & Combined Training Club](#)

[Genesee Valley Riding and Driving Club](#)

[Western New York Dressage Association](#)

USDF REGIONAL SCHOOLING SHOW AWARDS PROGRAM

All non-USEF-licensed/non-USDF-recognized competitions are invited to participate in this program. To participate, simply submit the [online application](#) and \$25 participation fee to USDF at least 30 days prior to the start of the competition. The program year will be December 1 through November 30.

An online competition calendar will list participating competitions on the USDF website. Participating competitions must submit a copy of their prize list to USDF no later than 14 days prior to the competition and competition results must be submitted to USDF within 21 days of the end date of the competition.

Feel free to contact [Cristen Brown](#) if you have any questions. Complete [program rules](#) are available on the USDF website.



CDCT Keepin' It Casual Show

Sunday, June 20, 2021
 Judge: Gale Wolfe, USDF "L"

Test	Rider	Horse	Number	Status	Score	%	Place
Western Into 3	Bonnie Poyer	PVF Song of the Siren	455	AA	115	63.89	1
Intro A	Sara Hepler	Sparty Boy	116	Open	x	x	x
Intro A	Kathie Garnsey	Dakota	282	AA	115	71.88	AA/O - 1
Intro A	Mackenzie Lawrence	Chief	105	JR/YR	103.5	64.69	JR - 2
Intro A	Sophie Keim	Laurel	218	JR/YR	107	66.86	JR - 1
Intro A	Juniper Dean	Apple	91	JR/YR	E	E	E
Western Into 2	Bonnie Poyer	PVF Song of the Siren	103	AA	121.5	60.75	1
Intro B	Breanne Bookhout	Clemente	125	AA	x	x	x
Intro B	Ava White	Chevy	114	AA	108.5	67.81	AA/O - 2
Intro B	Sophie Keim	Laurel	218	JR/YR	105	65.625	JR - 3
Intro B	Mackenzie Lawrence	Chief	105	JR/YR	115	71.875	JR - 1
Intro B	Kathie Garnsey	Dakota	282	AA	117	73.125	AA/O - 1
Intro B	Sara Hepler	Sparty Boy	116	Open	x	x	x
Intro B	Michaela Keim	Laurel	218	Jr/YR	114.5	71.5625	JR - 2
4th Level 2	Kathy Thode	Benecia	338	AA	294	77.368	1
...Break...							
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Intro C	Nancy Tompkins	Alfred	121	AA	130	65	AA/O - 2
Intro C	Breanne Bookhout	Clemente	125	AA	x	x	x
Intro C	Grace Janas	Tiger	122	JR/YR	128.5	64.025	JR - 2
Intro C	Ava White	Chevy	114	AA	136	68	AA/O - 1
Intro C	Jax Maxian	Konstantinova	6	Open	x	x	x
Intro C	Violet Dean	Apple	91	JR/YR	128.5	64.25	JR - 1
Training Level 1	Valerie Rizzo	Promise The Sky	25	Open	x	x	x
Training Level 1	Skye-Anna Nye-Smith	In Compliance Too	333	AA	179	68.8461	4
Training Level 1	Shannon Ryan-Dinmore	Solina Bambolina	106	Open	167	64.2308	6

Training Level 1	Jennifer Hagadone	Gwenovere	150	Open	183	70.3846	3
Training Level 1	Connie O'Hearn	Kennedy	483	Open	172.5	66.3461	5
Training Level 1	Emily Keiser	Woodford	35	AA	194.5	74.8077	2
Training Level 1	Michaela Keim	Laurel	218	JR/YR	167.5	64.423	JR - 2
Training Level 1	Jax Maxian	Konstantinova	6	Open	x	x	x
Training Level 1	Genevieve Hay	Poppet	165	JR/YR	176.5	67.8846	JR - 1
Training Level 1	Andreah Lytle	Leopold	7	AA	199	76.5385	1
Training Level 1	Candace Martin-Yackel	Aisling	75	AA	x	x	x
Lunch Break							
Training Level 2	Valerie Rizzo	Promise The Sky	25	Open	x	x	x
Training Level 2	Jennifer Hagadone	Gwenovere	150	Open	196	67.5862	3
Training Level 2	Skye-Anna Nye-Smith	In Compliance Too	333	Open	191	65.8621	6
Training Level 2	Andreah Lytle	Leopold	7	AA	195.5	67.4138	5
Training Level 2	Genevieve Hay	Poppet	165	JR/YR	198.5	68.4482	JR - 1
Training Level 2	Connie O'Hearn	Kennedy	483	Open	196	67.5862	4
Training Level 2	Emily Keiser	Woodford	35	AA	211	72.7586	1
Training Level 2	Candace Martin-Yackel	Aisling	75	AA	x	x	x
Training Level 2	Lori Elrod	Ellegaard's Heart-Chief	8	AA	206	71.0345	2
Training Level 3	Shannon Ryan-Dinmore	Solina Bambolina	106	Open	187	64.4828	5
Training Level 3	Lisa Suphan	Account Due	93	AA	203.5	70.1724	3
Training Level 3	Ginny Grove	Mr. Sunshine	112	AA	227	78.2758	1
Training Level 3	Jennifer Hagadone	Gwenovere	150	Open	192.5	66.3793	4
Training Level 3	Lori Elrod	Ellegaard's Heart-Chief	8	AA	215.5	74.3103	2
Dressage Seat Eq	Prin Furst	Supremely Lit Image	1	AA		85	1
First Level 1	Lisa Suphan	Account Due	93	AA	201.5	69.4828	2
First Level 1	Cori Olin	PVF Million Dollar Baby	3	AA	183	63.1034	3
First Level 1	Ginny Grove	Mr. Sunshine	112	AA	210	72.4138	1
First Level 2	Jax Maxian	Milo Diamond	58	Open	x	x	x
Second Level 1	Prin Furst	Supremely Lit Image	1	AA	228.5	61.7568	1
First Level 2	Cori Olin	PVF Million Dollar Baby	3	AA	234.5	67	1
First Level 3	Lisa Suphan	Account Due	93	AA	241	66.9444	2
First Level 3	Jax Maxian	Milo Diamond	58	Open	x	x	x

First Level 3	Cori Olin	PVF Million Dollar Baby	3	AA	x	x	x
First Level 3	Prin Furst	Supremely Lit Image	1	AA	280	77-778	1

HIGH-POINT OF SHOW – GINNY GROVE

Champion INTRO - AA/OPEN	KATHY GARNSEY
Reserve Champion INTRO - AA/OPEN	AVA WHITE
Champion INTRO – JUNIOR	MACKENZIE LAWRENCE
Reserve Champion INTRO – JUNIOR	MICHAELA KIEM
Champion TRAINING AA/OPEN	GINNY GROVE
Reserve Champion TRAINING AA/OPEN	ANDREA LYTLE
Champion TRAINING JUNIOR	GENEVIEVE HAY
Reserve Champion TRAINING JUNIOR	MICHAELA KIEM
Champion FIRST LEVEL	PRIN FURST
Reserve Champion FIRST LEVEL	GINNY GROVE



TIP Awards

- Intro Level High Point TB - Mackenzie Lawrence and Chief
- Training Level High Point TB - Lisa Suphan and Account Due
- First Level High Point TB - Lisa Suphan and Account Due
- Overall High Point TB - Lisa Suphan and Account Due

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Dinah Guarino('21)

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Dressage in Wine Country



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