



FEBRUARY 2006

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Feb 4	Lurena Bell-Stanley Clinic Lee Ann Alf, lalf@netzero.net
Feb 6	RCC Meeting-7:00 PM Lyn Francik, 737-5118
Feb 11	GCC Board Meeting-9:00 AM Eggbert's, Owasso
Feb 24-26	Sarah Hall Clinic Easy J Ranch Janelle Melia, hoku.star@netzero.net
Feb 25-26	Alf Athenstaedt Clinic woodridgef@aol.com
Mar 11	GCC "Do Over" Show TBA
Mar 11	Robert Hays Clinic, Guthrie DeDe Wasemiller, 405-478-0560
Mar 11-12	Fran Dearing Clinic (RCC) Lyn Francik, Lyn.Francik@okhca.org
Mar 17-19	ODS Show Prep Camp/Clinic Angel Ozer, twochestnuts@aol.com
Mar 25-26	Alf Athenstaedt Clinic woodridgef@aol.com
Apr 1	GCC Schooling Show TBA
Apr 2	NCC Schooling Show Rainee.M.Junkens@conocophillips.com
Apr 8-9	Jamie Shaw Tai Chi Clinic Virginia Hoyt, hoyt@junct.com
Apr 22	Gallery Farms Schooling Show www.galleryfarm.us
Apr 25-26	Alf Athenstaedt Clinic woodridgef@aol.com
Apr 23	NCC Schooling Show Rainee.M.Junkens@conocophillips.com
May 6-7	ODS Spring Shows I & II www.showsecretary.com
May 20-21	Wild West Shows I & II www.showsecretary.com
May 28	GCC Schooling Show Graceful E Stables
Jun 10	Gallery Farms Schooling Show www.galleryfarm.us
Jun 10-11	GCC Adult Camp TBA
Jun 11	NCC Schooling Show TBA
Sep 2	GCC Schooling Show Graceful E Stables
Sep 10	NCC Schooling Show TBA
Sep 30-Oct 1	GCC Fall Classic I & II www.showsecretary.com
Oct 8	NCC Schooling Show TBA
Oct 28	GCC Schooling Show
Nov 12	NCC Schooling Show
Dec 8	GCC Christmas Party and Awards Dinner

ODS Board Meeting: February 8th at 6:30 p.m.
AlumniConf Room @ McElroy Bldg
Crnr Farm & McFarland Rd, Stillwater, OK

Newsletter Editor: Lee Ann Alf, (lalf@netzero.net)
ODS Webmaster: Janelle Melia, (hoku.star@netzero.net)
NOTE: New Website Address

www.dressageoklahoma.org

ODS would like to thank the North Central Chapter for organizing the AGM and Banquet. WOW! The facility was lovely and very interesting, the banquet was great and all had a good time. Thanks Rainee, Deryn, Teri and *all* who worked on it.

Elections were held with the following results: Roberta Clark, Lyn Francik, and Kathryn McKinney were elected to the 3 expiring 3-year terms. Angel Ozer was selected to fill a vacant 2-year term, and Linda Powell and Rainee Boyd are filling vacant 1-year terms.

ODS will sponsor year end awards for Recognized Shows and will sponsor a Schooling Show Championship (instead of year end schooling show awards).

Meeting minutes will be published when available.

ATTENTION MEMBERS! ON-LINE NEWSLETTER

From the Editor: With the April issue, we are planning to publish the newsletter primarily "on-line" to save on spiraling costs, time, and effort. **If you wish to receive a mailed newsletter**, please email lalf@netzero.net or send the request to Lee Ann Alf, 8310 NE 122nd, Jones, OK 73049. You may also contact the webmaster or write it prominently on your membership application. This will be your responsibility. With improved efficiency, the newsletter will be available on-line before it is mailed. The pdf files will be as small as possible to allow speedier downloading. Please, "save a tree" and use the on-line option. LA

TRIVIA CONTEST!

You could receive your ODS single membership for 2007 free (compliments of the editor) if you can identify the horses pictured on the top banner of our new ODS Web Page (www.dressageoklahoma.org). Please submit your entries (guesses) in writing to the newsletter editor, Lee Ann Alf, 8310 NE 122nd, Jones, OK 73049; or via email to lalf@netzero.net or via email to the webmaster, hoku.star@netzero.net by March 1, 2006. If there is more than one correct entry, a drawing will be held to determine the winner. The winner will be announced in the April Newsletter and on the webpage.

(Hint: the horses are alive and live in Oklahoma)

RED CARPET CHAPTER NEWS

The Red Carpet Chapter will meet February 6th at 7:00 at Lyn Francik's home, 12317 SE 89th Street, OKC. Please join us for snacks and to socialize with your fellow riders. Meeting business includes the annual election of officers and a discussion of events for 2006. Please plan to attend, since we need your input. For information or directions, please contact Lyn at lyn.francik@okhca.org or call 737-5118.

RCC is having a dressage clinic with Fran Dearing on March 11-12 at Lyn Francik's. Contact Lyn, Lyn.Francik@okhca.org for more information.

RCC had its Awards Dinner on January 20 at Janelle Melia's home. It was open to all ODS members and guests and about 50 people from the OKC area attended. Everyone had a good time and were definitely well-fed. THANKS,RCC!!

2005 RCC Chapter Champions

Recognized Shows:

Training Junior-Sarese Reed
Training Amateur-Laura Custer
First Junior-Sarese Reed
First Amateur-Lyn Francik
Second-Lyn Francik

Schooling Shows:

Introductory-Daylan Whittle
Training Junior-Jordan Koenig
Training Open-Barbara Koenig
First Junior-Sarese Reed
Second-Lyn Francik

NORTH CENTRAL CHAPTER NEWS

The NCC is planning a clinic for lower level riders this spring. Details are still being worked out. Check future newsletters or contact Rainee Boyd (rainee.m.junkens@conocophillips.com) for details.

NCC YEAR END CHAMPIONS

Suitability:

Champion-Cuunatchap
Reserve Champion-Tax & Spend
Third-Phavorjit
Fourth-Kiss Me Kate

Walk/Trot Equitation:

Champion-Kiss Me Kate/Kathryn Otto
Reserve Champion-RevWillyWonka/Mandy Hadley
Third-Prince Charming/Shelby Faulkner

Walk/Trot/Canter Equitation:

Champion-Quick Fortune/Jenna Dickison
Reserve Champion-OhWhatAKid/Sheila Bailey-Long
Third-Ranger/Shelby Faulkner

Intro Level:

Champion Amateur Division-Lisa Whetzel
Champion Junior Division-Chelsie Williams
Reserve Champion-Shelby Faulkner(PrinceCharming)
Third-Shelby Faulkner(Ranger)
Fourth-Mandy Hadley
Fifth-Kathryn Otto
Sixth-Jenna Dickison

Training Level:

Amateur Division-Lisa Whetzel
Champion Junior Division-Chelsie Williams
Reserve Champion-Jenna Dickison
Third-Sheila Bailey-Long

Second Level:

Champion Open Division-Deryn Stewart

Third Level:

Champion Junior Division-Lauren Hadley

High Point riders:

Junior - 75.714 - Mandy Hadley
Amateur - 70.385 - Lisa Whetzel
Open - 72.370 - Deryn Stewart

GREEN COUNTRY CHAPTER NEWS

Tai Chi Clinic (April 8-9)

This is our next opportunity to get our bodies together with our equestrian souls so both human and horse can come away HAPPY for the experience. For those of you who are not familiar with Jamie and what he teaches go to www.shawtaichi.com and/or pick up a copy of his book, **Ride From Within**, available at Amazon.com. This April Jamie will again offer unmounted exercises and mounted semi-private and private sessions within his established 'curriculum's. He will take questions Friday night and generally set the stage for the unmounted exercises that begin our Saturday morning. This will be the fifth clinic Kay Kamish has organized with Jamie. She will host it at her farm, Rivendell Farm, in Claremore. For those of us who have already been introduced to Tai Chi for Equestrians there have been delightful side effects: muscle tone, more correct posture, joint relief and increased energy.....and that's just the human side of the equation. (From Ginny Hoyt, hoyt@junct.com)

Green Country Chapter Year End Champions

Pre-Training/Amateur Champion: Becky Benjamin on Rob Ryan (69.647%)
Training/Junior Champion: Sheila Bailey-Long on Oh What A Kid ((62.002%)
Training/Amateur Champion: Heather Graham on Fancy Soul Mate (68.189%)
Training/Amateur Reserve Champion: Hilda Coleman on Not Even A Zero (63.580%)
First Level/Amateur Champion: Anne Kuhns on Santiago (62.942%)

Congratulations to all of you that worked so hard to earn these awards!

Show Prep Camp-March 17-19

Make plans to attend the show preparation camp/clinic to be held March 17, 18, 19 at the Shawnee Expo Center. Angel Ozer is working to make it a fun and useful activity. Contact Angel at twochestnuts@aol.com or at 561-309-5525 for further details.

Faithful Bob, owned and ridden by Deryn Stewart, was awarded the Legion of Honor by the Arabian Horse Association. Very unusual, since all his points came from competitive driving and dressage. He is only 3 points from the Legion of Supreme Honor!

Congratulations to Lee Ann Alf who received the Dressage Foundation's 2005 Gifted Grant for Adult Amateur Riders. She plans to use the grant to train for a week with Lurena Bell-Stanley (her trainer of almost 20 years). She also received the Gifted Grant in 2002, the first year it was given. The Gifted Grant is available to adult amateur riders in each region. For more information and application forms, see the Foundation's web page at www.dressagefoundation.org.

SCHOOLING SHOW NEWS

ODS will be sponsoring a "head-to-head" schooling show championship instead of year-end awards in 2006. Please watch for details in upcoming newsletters and on the web page.

Directory and Newsletter Information

The deadline for the directory is February 26. Please contact Janelle(hoku.star@netzero.net) for advertising and information. *Trainers: if you want to be listed in the directory, contact Janelle ASAP.* For newsletter advertising (business cards or copy ready), contact Lee Ann (lalf@netzero.net)

Condolences to Peggy Blair and Kay Kamish who recently lost their grand old FEI masters, Chadohn (Pete) and Olsen.

Alf Athenstaedt, a dressage master who has recently moved to our area, is offering an introductory series of clinics in February, March and April. The first clinic will be run more as a symposium with a demonstration of Piaffe and Passage in-hand as well as regular lessons. Lunch will be available and auditors are welcome at no extra charge. Contact Laurie Hedlund (918-342-0024) or email woodridgef@aol.com for further details and information.

Robert Hays, a trainer used by several ODS members for greenbreaking and problem horses will be giving a "gentling" clinic at the Guthrie Round-Up Club Arena, March 11. Contact DeDe Wasemiller 405-478-0560.



RECOGNIZED SHOW AWARDS

Award year is January 1, 2006 through December 15, 2006.

Eligibility for Dressage Horse of the Year Awards

- Rider – Must be an ODS member in good standing on the date of the ride.
- Horse – Must be registered with ODS on the date of the ride.
- The horse and rider are considered a team for each level of competition.

Recorded Scores

- Minimum of five scores
- All earned scores must be reported by USDF printout.
- Must be from at least three different judges.
- At least one score must be from highest test of level.
- All scores must be from USEF/USDF shows.
- At least three scores must be from an Oklahoma show.
- Riders must submit the USDF printout listing all scores to the awards secretary by mail or fax no later than December 15. ALL scores will be used, not just the top five. Fax # 413-513-0560.
- Following USDF guidelines, all eligible scores will be used to calculate the median score. The median is the middle score when all scores are listed from highest to lowest. For an even number of scores, the two middle scores are averaged.

Year-End Awards will be presented to the following levels:

Introductory (Amateur & Junior division only)
Training (Open, Amateur & Junior division)
First (Open, Amateur & Junior division)
Second (Open, Amateur & Junior division)
Third (Open, Amateur & Junior division)
Fourth (Open, Amateur & Junior division)
FEI (Open, Amateur & Junior division)

Each level will be awarded 1st through 6th place in each divisions.

One **Vintage Champion** (any rider 50+ years of age) will be awarded for each level.

One **Musical Freestyle Champion** will be awarded covering all levels. This requires a minimum of three scores of 57% or higher. An overall **Horse-of-the-Year** will be awarded to the horse/rider combination with the highest median regardless of level (excluding musical rides).

A horse/rider combination may not repeat as champion at the same level in succeeding years.

Awards will be presented at the General Meeting or Awards Banquet.

To participate for year end awards please send your USDF printout of all recognized scores by December 15, 2006. Send to Stacia Wert-Gray, 3420 SE 40th, Edmond, OK 73013. Contact Stacia with questions at gtgray@aol.com or 405-341-3946.

This submission is your responsibility.

Awards Secretary: Stacia Wert-Gray
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Oklahoma Dressage Society
2005 Recognized Show Year End Awards

Introductory Level

Amateur

1. Quarto Clabber Lori Darks 65.000%

Junior

1. ReverandWillyWonka Mandy Hadley 61.917%
2. Enjoy Julia Peacock 61.465
3. Tax and Spend Chelsie Williams 60.201

Training Level

Open

1. Titanium Janelle Melia 71.538%
2. Jazz Gia Dawn Madole 63.654
3. Tomorrowistoolate Joanne Eberstein 54.808

Amateur

1. Daphene Marty Hunt 71.538%
2. Dancer's Dream Suzette Cunningham 70.262
3. Debutante Laura Custer 69.231
4. MissFancySoulMate Heather Graham 69.091
5. Espanol XVII Sandra Peirquet 62.500
6. Eminence Lisa Whetzel 61.154
7. Not Even A Zero Hilda Coleman 60.385

Vintage Amateur

1. Chapman Vickie Sharp 71.923%
2. SA Willhedu Judith Brown 62.821

Junior

1. CenturyOakMidnightMagic Sarese Reed 63.462%
2. Quick Fortune Jenna Dickison 62.981
3. Tax and Spend Chelsie Williams 51.539

First Level

Open

1. Wolkenwand Anthea Kin 75.000%
2. Gryffindor Kristin Knutson 73.194
3. Double Entendre Verena Stock 71.667

Amateur

1. Daphene Marty Hunt 67.222%
2. Katianna Kathleen Hoyt 63.209

Vintage Amateur

No qualifiers

Junior

1. Cin-O-Rama Savior Faire Sarese Reed 63.750%

Second Level

Open

1. Wolkenwand Anthea Kin 71.710%
2. Gryffindor Kristin Knutson 69.319
3. Faithful Bob Deryn Stewart 63.514

Amateur

1. Mi Dreamweaver Debbie Nutt 61.641%

Vintage Amateur

1. Gladstone Lyn Francik 61.316%

Junior

No qualifiers

Third Level

Open

1. Rosado Angel Ozer 64.111%

Amateur

1. Nessissy Traci Jackson 62.611%

Vintage Amateur

1. Sau Paulo Judith Brown 57.890%

Junior

1. Majestic Midnight Dancer Lauren Hadley 57.778%

Fourth Level

No qualifiers

FEI

1. Loki Angel Ozer 64.063%

Musical Freestyle

No qualifiers

Horse of the Year: Wolkenwand 75.000%

Open Vintage Rider: Anthea Kin 75.000%

Oklahoma Dressage Society
2005 Schooling Show Year End Awards

Introductory Level

Amateur

1. Quatro Clabber Lori Darks 63.370%
2. Cuunetehcap Lisa Whetzel 61.786
3. Zan Pars Lil Star Lori Darks 61.650
4. Pico Cathy Orban 53.500

Vintage Amateur

1. Rob Ryan Becky Benjamin 74.000%
2. Balius Malachi Kathy Fowler 55.750

Junior

1. Tax and Spend Chelsie Williams 70.000%
2. Prince Charming Shelby Faulkner 68.000
3. Enjoy Julia Peacock 67.131
4. Ranger Shelby Faulkner 66.500
5. Rev. Willy Wonka Mandy Hadley 65.714
6. Kiss Me Kate Kathryn Otto 64.750
7. Primo Baby Daylon Whittle 63.300
8. Cuunetehcap Jenna Dickison 62.143
9. Mac Wesley Storrs 57.000

Training Level

Open

1. Fanderell Julie Williams 64.375%

Amateur

1. Miss Fancy Soul Mate Heather Wedding 68.846%
2. Emminence Lisa Whetzel 65.385
3. Not Even A Zero Hilda Coleman 64.563
4. Espanol 17 Sandra Pierquet 63.490

Vintage Amateur

1. Chocolate Pistol Susan Curren 55.250%

Junior

1. Tax and Spend Chelsie Williams 71.391%
2. CenturyOakMidnightMajic Sarese Reed 65.385
3. Slew of Defiance Courtney Manwell 64.615
4. Sheba's Little Missy Laurelyn Drescher 63.741
5. Quick Fortune Jenna Dickison 63.653
6. Flashy Double Bar Katy Gussert 62.675
7. Oh What A Kid Sheila Bailey-Long 61.865

First Level

Open

1. Rhythm N Blues Jean Green 54.706%

Amateur

1. Santiago Anne Kuhns 64.374%

Vintage Amateur

None

Junior

1. Cin-O-Rama Savior Faire Sareses Reed 66.450%

Second Level

Open

1. Faithful Bob Deryn Stewart 66.604%

Vintage Amateur

1. Fantasy Lyn Francik 61.680%

Junior

None

Third Level

Junior

1. Majestic Midnight Dancer Lauren Hadley 60.472%

Open Vintage Rider: Deryn Stewart 66.604%

2006 Awards Chairman:

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USDF Horse of the Year Standings

ODS members did well in the USDF Horse of the year ratings. Just quickly scanning the long lists for the first hundred or so places showed the following:

Open Training Level (~700 qualified): 35th -Chapman (Vickie Sharp), 38th -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 38th -Titanium (Janelle Melia), 69th -Dancers Dream (Suzette Cunningham), 102nd -Debutante (Laura Custer)

Open First Level (~600 qualified): 5th -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 6th -Gryffindor (Kristin Wasemiller), 20th -Double Entendre (Verena Stock)

Open Second Level (~300 qualified): 4th -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 8th -Gryffindor (Kristin Wasemiller), 87th -Faithful Bob (Deryn Stewart)

Open Grand Prix: 75th -Loki (Angel Ozer)

Amateur Training Level (~300 qualified): 6th -Chapman (Vickie Sharp), 11th -Dancers Dream (Suzette Cunningham), 20th -Debutante (Laura Custer), 30th -Daphene (Marty Hunt), 31st -Fancy That (Nancy Litch)

Amateur First Level (~200 qualified): 67th -Gladstone (Lyn Francik)

Amateur Second Level: 10th -LeDoux (Shelly Williams)

Vintage Training Level: 2nd -Chapman (Vickie Sharp), 3rd -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 10th -Fancy That (Nancy Litch)

Vintage First Level: 1st -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 14th -Gladstone (Lyn Francik)

Vintage Second Level: 1st -Wolkenwand (Anthea Kin), 6th -Faithful Bob (Deryn Stewart)

Junior Training Level: 15th -CinORamaSavoirFaire (Sarese Reed)

Junior Second Level: 41st -MajesticMidnightDancer (Lauren Hadley)

(Editor's Note: this was just a quick scan, if you were missed, please let the editor know and corrections/additions will be published)

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MORE CHAMPIONS

(From Deryn Stewart)

Janelle Melia	Titanium	USDF All Breed Awards - Dutch	Second	Open Training
Shelly Williams	Le Doux	PHR Silver Stirrup Award	National & Zone Champion	Adult Amateur Second Level
Deryn Stewart	Faithful Bob	USDF All Breed Awards - Arab	Region 9 & SWDC Champion	Second Level
Jenna Dickison	Money	Arabian Horse Association	Second	Second Level
Lauren Hadley	MajesticMidnightDancer	USDF All Breed Awards - Paint	Legion of Supreme Honor	Training Level Junior Rider
		USDF All Breed Awards - Paint	First	Open Training Level
		USDF All Breed Awards - AWS	Fifth	Junior Second Level
			Reserve Champion	Open Second Level
			Third	14-18 Age Group
Sarese Reed	Cin-O-RamaSavoirFaire	USAE Dressage Seat Medal Finals	Fourth	Jr/YR Training Level
	Cin-O-RamaSavoirFaire	USDF HOY	15	Training Level
	CenturyOakMidnightMagic	USDF HOY	129	Jr/YR Training Level
	CenturyOakMidnightMagic		118	Training Level
	Cin-O-RamaSavoirFaire	AMHA (Morgan)	544	Training Level
		AMHA (Morgan)	World Champion	First Level Jr. Exhibitor
		AMHA (Morgan)	World Champion	Equitation
	CenturyOakMidnightMagic	AMHA (Morgan)	World Champion	Gold Medal Dressage
			Third	Training Level Jr. Exhibitor

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Green Country Chapter "Do-Over" Schooling Show-March 11, 2006

Lazy S Bar Riding Facility, Kellyville, OK

Show Date: March 11, 2006 **Closing Date:** Wednesday, March 8 **Ride Times Available:** Thursday March 8

Judge: TBA

Manager: Christina Harmon & Beth Circle

Mail Entries to: Christina Harmon; 4911 E. 3rd St; Tulsa, 74112, charmon6@cox.net

Payable to: GCC of ODS

Entry Fee: \$25.00 per dressage test, limit one test per horse/rider combination.

No charge to 2005 GCC Volunteers

Awards: Ribbons 1st-6th place. Separate divisions for O, Am, Jr

Details: Each rider may choose only one test to ride. They will immediately discuss their ride with the judge then ride the same test again. The first score will count toward year end awards. No group classes.

Rules: USEF rules will be followed to biting, saddlery and use of tie-downs. Riders must wear hard hats and footwear with heels. 2003 USEF tests will be used (GAG tests are 1991 version). Stallions must be attended at all times. Horses not to be shown must have a negative Coggins presented at the office. A donation to GCC would be appreciated for admittance of horses not to be shown.

Directions: Take I-44 towards OKC and get off at the Kellyville exit past Sapulpa. Go through toll booth and turn left. At stoplight, turn left and drive straight until you get to 141st. Take a left at 141st, you will see a Round-Up Club sign. If you go into Kellyville, you've gone too far. Go approx. ½ mile down to 141st and through a 4-way intersection and you will see the Lazy S Bar Riding Facility on the left. Big red barn with white vinyl fencing.

Juniors, amateurs, and open riders will ride together but be placed separately. Show management reserves the right to change ride times when deemed necessary to facilitate timely completion of the show. Entries must be received by closing date at 5:00 p.m. Late entries may be refused or charged a late fee of \$20 at the discretion of the show management. If cancellations are necessary, a full refund will be made if the show manager is notified before the closing date. All fees must be paid by the closing date unless prior arrangement is made with the show manager. In such case all fees will be due before entering the arena. After closing date, refunds will be made only with a doctor or veterinarian certificate, less \$10.00 office fee. All no-show entries will be billed to the rider.

Woodlands Horse Trial and Dressage Schooling Show-March 4, 2006

Woodlands Equestrian Center, EDMOND, OK

(entry forms available on www.jump4fun.us)

Judge: Janelle Melia **Closing Date:** Tuesday, February 28, 2006

Mail Entry To: Laura Harris 1050 Charter Oak Road Edmond, OK 73034 **Phone:** 405-340-1434

Make Checks payable to: The Woodlands

Ride Times available: Thursday, Mar 2nd (Check for latest news and ride times: www.jump4fun.us)

Rules: USAE rules will be followed to biting, saddlery and use of tie-downs. Riders must wear hard hats and footwear with heels. 2002 USAE tests will be used. Stallions must be attended at all times.

Directions: From I-35 in Edmond, go North to Waterloo exit, West to Sooner Road, North to Charter Oak (1 ½ miles), West 1 mile, Woodlands is on the right.

Junior, Amateur, Open Divisions

HORSE TRIAL - \$50.00 PER CLASS

GAG USDF Intro A, Max Height 2"

Beginner Novice Novice Test C, Max Height 2'6

Novice Novice Test D, Max Height 2'11

Training Training Test C, Max Height 3'3

Prelim Prelim Test C, Max Height 3'7

DRESSAGE CLASSES - \$15.00 PER CLASS

Intro A

Training 2

First 1

First 4

Second 3

Intro B

Training 3

First 2

Second 1

Second 4

Training 1

Training 4

First 3

Second 2

Test of Choice

Show management reserves the right to change ride times when deemed necessary to facilitate timely completion of the show. No money returned for rider-canceled entry fee.

Attention Schooling Show Managers: Please submit show information to the newsletter editor as early as possible to be printed in a timely manner (ie. To be printed in the previous month's newsletter or earlier).

Also submit results when available to be printed. THANKS! LA



**2006 OKLAHOMA DRESSAGE SOCIETY
STANDARD SCHOOLING SHOW ENTRY FORM**

Competition Name: _____ Competition Date: _____

Chapter Sponsoring: GCC NCC RCC Other: _____

Rider: _____ Phone: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ Rider Status: JR AA O V

Are you a member of (check all that applies): **ODS GCC NCC RCC**

Would you like to volunteer for this show? Yes No

Horse: _____ ODS Horse Registration Number: _____

Owner's Name: _____ Owner's Address: _____

Is your horse registered with ODS: Yes No

Current (12 Month) negative Coggins required please send copy.

GROUP CLASSES

- 1. Suitability to become a Dressage horse (horse never shown above first level)
- 2a. Dressage Equitation (WALK/TROT – Rider never show above first level)
- 2b. Dressage Equitation (WALK/TROT/CANTER – Rider never show above first level)

DRESSAGE CLASSES

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|----------|------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| 3. GAG 1 | 7. Intro A | 9. Training 1 | 13. First 1 | 17. Second 1 |
| 4. GAG 2 | 8. Intro B | 10. Training 2 | 14. First 2 | 18. Second 2 |
| 5. GAG 3 | | 11. Training 3 | 15. First 3 | 19. Second 3 |
| 6. GAG 4 | | 12. Training 4 | 16. First 4 | 20. Second 4 |

21. Test of Choice (Specify): _____

IN HAND CLASSES (not offered at every show)

- 22. Colts/Gelding 2 and under 24. Stallions/Gelding 3 and over
- 23. Fillies 2 and under 25. Mares 3 and over

Total Number of Classes: _____ **Other Fees:** _____ **Total Entry Fee: \$** _____

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WARNING: UNDER OKLAHOMA LAW, A LIVESTOCK PROFESSIONAL OR LIVESTOCK ACTIVITIES SPONSOR IS NOT LIABLE FOR AN INJURY TO A PARTICIPANT IN LIVESTOCK ACTIVITIES RESULTING FROM THE INHERENT RISK OF LIVESTOCK ACTIVITIES, PURSUANT TO THE OKLAHOMA LIVESTOCK LIABILITY LIMITATION ACT.

It is understood (as acknowledged by signature below) that the exhibitors and spectators agree to hold the show host facility, sponsors, management, owners, and agents harmless for any injury or loss suffered during or in connection with the show. Whether or not such injury or loss directly or indirectly from negligent acts or omissions of said parties.

Rider's Signature (if under 18, signature of parent or agent.) Date

Alf Athenstaedt

Classical Dressage Spring Clinic Series

February 25-26, 2006
March 25-26, 2006
April 22-23, 2006



Alf Athenstaedt, a native of Hamburg, Germany successfully trained and showed in International dressage competitions in Europe. He was a distinguished student of dressage mentor Willi Schultheis and also trained under Hans Irbinger, the late Chief Rider of the Spanish Riding School. Alf is the former Head Trainer, Riding Master and Director of Performance for Tempel Farms in Wadsworth, IL. According to authors of The Imperial Horse: The Saga of the Lipizzaners "the soundest foundation of dressage was laid with the arrival of Alf Athenstaedt in 1965..." He was challenged by Tempel Smith to recreate the spirit and practice of the Spanish Riding School; training and riding his Lipizzans at the White House, Madison Square Gardens and other venues.

The first clinic will be in a Symposium format where questions are welcome and with a demonstration of Piaffe and Passage in the long lines and lunch. Auditors are welcome!

Individual lessons will be 45 minutes at a cost of \$75.00 per session. For more information, contact Laurie Hedlund at 918-342-0024 or e-mail woodridgef@aol.com.

Negative coggins within 1 year is required to be submitted with your clinic entry.

Clinic Entry

Clinic Date: February 23/24

Rider Name: _____

Brief History of Horse & Rider (experience, level working at, etc.) _____

Address: _____ City _____ St _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail _____

Please indicate your preference for ride time (we will accommodate if we can)

Saturday: am ____ **Sunday: am** ____

Saturday: pm ____ **Sunday: pm** ____

Stabling is available at Woodridge Farm at a cost of \$15.00/night; \$25 for the weekend - with bedding. \$10.00 for a day stall – no bedding.

Number of nights/days needed _____ Arrival day and time _____

Lesson Fee: _____

Auditing: Sat _____ Sun: _____ (no fee)

Lunch @ \$5.00: _____

Stabling: _____

Check enclosed: _____

Mail entry & fee to: Woodridge Farm, 17785 E. 480 Road, Claremore, OK 74019

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Membership Year runs from January 1 through December 31. All dues must be received by March first to be included in the ODS membership directory. Ads must be received by Feb first to be included in the directory. **Print clearly below.**

New Membership Renewing Membership Information Change

Last Name _____ First Name _____ USDF ID# _____

Address _____

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ODS Membership Fees includes website and \$17 toward your USDF Membership unless otherwise noted. USDF membership includes the USDF publications, information on activities, and eligibility for some USDF awards. USDF membership year is through November 30.

Junior Rider (17yrs and under) \$32 Birth date _____ (required for USDF)

Adult \$40: Amateur Open Vintage (50+)

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Spouse/Adult Child Name _____ USDF ID# _____ Amateur Open Vintage

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Total Number of Extra USDF Memberships _____ x \$8 = \$ _____

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North Central Chapter (NCC)

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I hereby release the Oklahoma Dressage Society, it's officers, members, employees and agents from any liability and all claims of every kind, including costs, expenses, or attorney fees that might result from damages, injuries, or losses resulting directly or indirectly from the negligent act or omissions of the officers, members, employees or agents of the Oklahoma Dressage Society Club. I agree and sign below:

Signed: _____ Date _____

(If Junior Rider, this form must be signed by parent or guardian)

Mail this form, with appropriate check payable to "Oklahoma Dressage Society" to:

Beth Circle, 5433 Oak Leaf Drive, Tulsa, OK 74131 bcircle@cox.net

Please allow 4 to 6 weeks for processing.

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Horses must be registered and the rider must be a current ODS member for a test/ride to be eligible and qualify for the ODS year end award programs.

Horse _____ Owner _____

Owner's Address _____

Lifetime Registration \$20.00 Make checks payable to ODS. You can include this with your membership check.

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