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The Suncoast Dressage & Combined Training Association Monthly Newsletter



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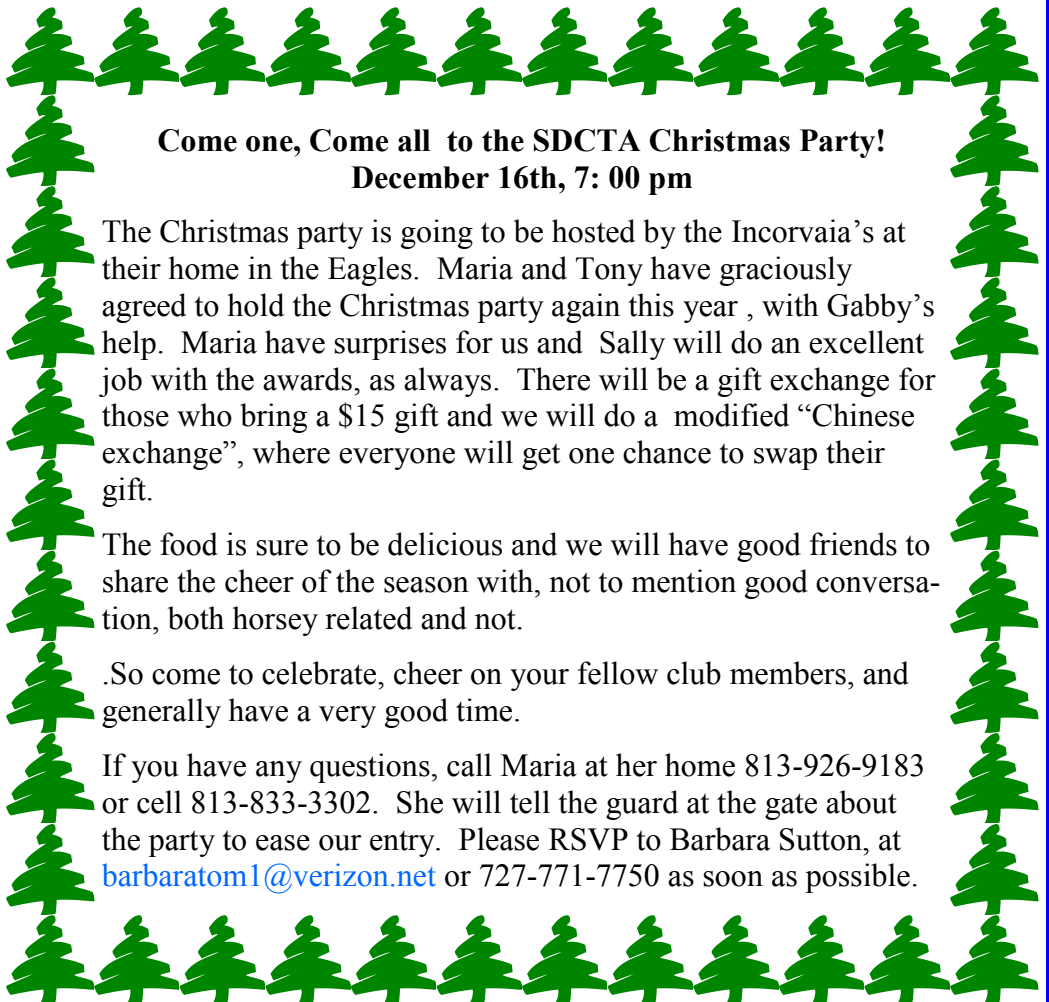
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**2004
USDF GMO
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Come one, Come all to the SDCTA Christmas Party!
December 16th, 7: 00 pm

The Christmas party is going to be hosted by the Incorvaia's at their home in the Eagles. Maria and Tony have graciously agreed to hold the Christmas party again this year, with Gabby's help. Maria have surprises for us and Sally will do an excellent job with the awards, as always. There will be a gift exchange for those who bring a \$15 gift and we will do a modified "Chinese exchange", where everyone will get one chance to swap their gift.

The food is sure to be delicious and we will have good friends to share the cheer of the season with, not to mention good conversation, both horsey related and not.

.So come to celebrate, cheer on your fellow club members, and generally have a very good time.

If you have any questions, call Maria at her home 813-926-9183 or cell 813-833-3302. She will tell the guard at the gate about the party to ease our entry. Please RSVP to Barbara Sutton, at barbaratom1@verizon.net or 727-771-7750 as soon as possible.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE TO COLLECTIONS IS THE 20th OF THE MONTH

SDCTA is a Group Member Organization (GMO) & all members are automatically Group Members (GMs). For USDF Participating Membership, members must apply directly to USDF.



Minutes from the November 8th meeting held at Harvey and Kim Rose's house

Attending were: Joan Potter, Kim Rose, Harvey Rose, Elizabeth Campbell, Robbie Pouliot, Jessica Combs, Juli Shaw, Leslie Zieger, Mary Anne Burns, Tracy Schlabach, Jane Whitehurst, Diane Proffitt, Ellen Hooker, Tracy Hobbs, Laurie Meier

The minutes from October were accepted with the addition of Mary Anne Burns to the attendance list.

The treasurer's report was given by Harvey Rose with data given by Sally Cahill.

We discussed the schooling show. It was a success, everybody had a great time, the facility was wonderful.

The January show will be run by Joan and Barbara again, probably at Soaring Eagle.

The April schooling show will be run by Leslie Zieger and Jane Whitehurst at one of their farms.

A reminder was given to renew all of your memberships, USDF, USEF, SDCTA and breed memberships.

It's time to start thinking about the March rated show, riding and volunteering. We discussed marketing of the rated shows including emailing many of the riders at regionals.

The Christmas party will be hosted by the Incorvaia's, Maria and Gabby, with the help of Tony Incorvaia at their home, same as last year.

The end of year awards will be given at the Christmas party.

Jane Whitehurst discussed the idea of a email list for upcoming events and reminders. Jessica Combs said that she would take responsibility for sending out a weekly email. A vote was taken and unanimously passed to use email to keep members abreast of what's going on. Post cards and vistaprint.com were also discussed.

Another vote was taken and unanimously passed to have a membership roster. It was felt that we should have a protected place on the web site for our roster for use by board members and information disseminators.

We decided to reach out to other clubs re our shows and clinics.

Elizabeth Campbell discussed a clinic possibility with Heather Bender, Lisa Yanchar told of a mechanical horse clinic and Denise Clayton via email mentioned Sara Schmitt. We decided to have a committee for future clinics, club clinics, where SDCTA Dollars could be used. Tracy Schlabach, Elizabeth Campbell, Leslie Zieger and Jane Whitehurst are probable members with one or two others to be added. There was enthusiasm for a possible clinic with Myra Taylor, the horse psychic.

Use Dressage Radio and eTrak.

Lilo Fore commentaries on test 2-3, 3-3, 4-3 were watched and enjoyed. It was generally felt that we should watch more of these videos in the future.

Submitted by Harvey Rose



Presidents Message

I would like to thank my wife, Kim, for hosting the meeting in November. Food was excellent and everybody had a good time. We got a lot done at the meeting. Please see the minutes in this newsletter.

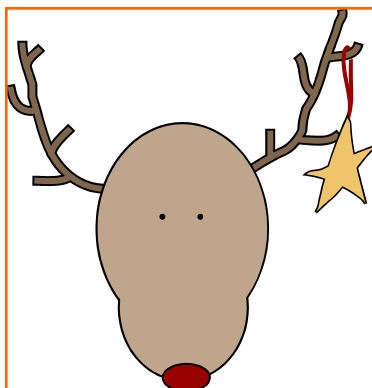
The year is coming to a close. The membership roster is being sent to USDF with a lot of new members on board. We still have a few members from last year who haven't renewed; please accept this as a reminder. We need you, your ideas, your participation and all the things that you bring to the club.

The Christmas party is December 16 at the Incorvaia home. The address is on the last page of the newsletter. I hope to see all of you there. The End of Year Awards will be given at the party and, as we had last year, there will be a voluntary gift exchange - \$15 gift.

SDCTA has a great year last year with three schooling shows, two rated shows and some excellent speakers. We developed a Facebook page thanks to Jessica Combs and our web site made great strides thanks to Tracey Thompson. The newsletter continues to be outstanding thanks to Barbara Sutton who also puts many hours being show secretary to most if not all of our schooling shows. Mary Mobley, Joan Potter and Sally Cahill win MVPs for their work on the rated shows and on many schooling shows. Thanks to all who have volunteered at the shows and thanks to all of you who have volunteered thoughts or ideas for making the club better. Thanks also to Elizabeth Campbell who make her home continually available for meetings and to Mary Anne Burns for her home when her theatre is needed.

Our 2012 year promises to be even better than 2011. We start out early with a January 15 schooling show at Soaring Eagles. Let's make it a big one with lots of entries. I wish all of you a wonderful holiday season and new year.

Harvey



Happy Birthday to you!

Mags Ashworth	December 8th
Ali Genua	December 10th
Beth Marshall	December 10th
Carol Nunez	December 15th
Elizabeth Campbell	December 28th



Classifieds

(member ads will run for 3 months unless editor is notified to continue)

INSTRUCTION

Joan Potter, USDF Bronze and Silver Medalist, instructing beginner to advanced, Pinellas County and Odessa/Lutz area. 813-855-3780.

Leslie O'Sullivan, USDF Bronze and Silver Medalist and USDF "L" judging graduate is offering lessons, beginner to advanced at Admiralty Farm in Odessa, FL, or will travel to you. 813-920-9041 or 727-510-2338.

Elizabeth Campbell, USDF Bronze and Silver Medalist offers lessons for beginners to advanced riders. Lunge lessons to improve their independent seat. School horse at Royal Blue Stables, Odessa. (813)-613-5775

Jane Whitehurst, USDF Bronze, Silver and Gold Medalist. School horses at Nosara Farms, Odessa. Full sized ring, good drainage. Horses may trailer in for lessons or training rides. Experienced with all types of horses and training issues. Call 727-254-3554

FOR SALE

My Bejeweled Horseshoes: Hand crafted and personalized for any occasion or décor. We do birthday parties. Call /813-433-1213 or go to www.mybejeweledhorseshoe.com

Jessica Combs, LMT (MA46369)
Therapeutic massage for the active equestrian. (813) 298-6165 or jcdressage80@aol.com

Yanchar Studio-Custom Picture Framing. Expert design, quality craftsmanship and affordable pricing. Lisa 813-926-4299 Odessa

Black Country DaVinci Dressage Saddle -17 MW; monoflap; v.good condition, 2 1/2 years use. \$600. Call Ellen at 727-481-7520

Don't forget to visit SDCTA on the web at www.sdcta.net

Check out the latest news and club information including:

Club Forms
Newsletters
EOY Awards
Show and Clinic Information
Prize Lists
Show Results
Hurricane Preparedness
Classified Ads
Tampa Bay Area Information

As a free service for newcomers to the area, SDCTA has a list of area farms, trainers, and instructors.

NEWSLETTER AD RATES

(listings for 3 months)

	<i>Members</i>	<i>Non-Members</i>
Business Card	\$10.00	\$15.00
1/8 Page	\$20.00	\$25.00
1/4 Page	\$25.00	\$35.00
Half Page	\$40.00	\$50.00
Full Page	\$60.00	\$80.00
Classified Ad	<i>Free</i>	\$10.00

Elite Dressage Coat: 14R (size 10); new with tags;100% wool; fully lined; silvertone buttons; center vent with shaped rear seams. Black. \$100. Call Ellen at 727-481-7520

Elite Dressage Coat: 8R (size 4); used 3 times;100% wool; fully lined; silvertone buttons; center vent with shaped rear seams. Black. \$50. Call Ellen at 727-481-7520

BOARDING/TRAINING

Full board and dressage training at **Royal Blue Stables** with 12 stalls on 6 acres. 8 very open stalls with rubber mats . 3 stalls open up to their own pastures. Separate small pasture available with 12x24 stall for horse with limited turnout. Owner/trainer lives on premises. Individual turnout and special care provided. Lighted 60x20m sand/clay boarded arena. \$650 per month. (813)-613-5775

Full Board on 7 acres, very secure property. Individualized care and turnout. Grass pastures, jumps and lessons available. Owner lives on premises with over 20 years horse care, Full Board \$400.00 per month. Kallie Hilyard 352-464-2414 or smfhill@aol.com Located in Spring Hill, Pasco County.

Admiralty Farm, Odessa, FL. Regulation sand ring, eight acres of lush fertilized grass turnout. Must see. 813-920-9041 or 727-510-2338.

Full and partial board -Keystone/Citrus Park area, off Racetrack Rd. Over sized stalls, daily turn out, owners on premise, individual care; Call (813) 926-7822

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(Club events are listed in Bold)

December 4th, 2011: Schooling Show, Half Pass Farm. Judge Sally Cahill FMI Tracy Schlabach 813-545-6168

January 15th, 2012: SDCTA Schooling Show, second in series. More info TBA.

February 19th, 2012: First Choice Schooling Show, Jean White, Judge. FMI Barb Hennessey at mb998@tampabay.rr.com

March 3-4th, 2012: SDCTA Rated Show, Tampa Fairgrounds.

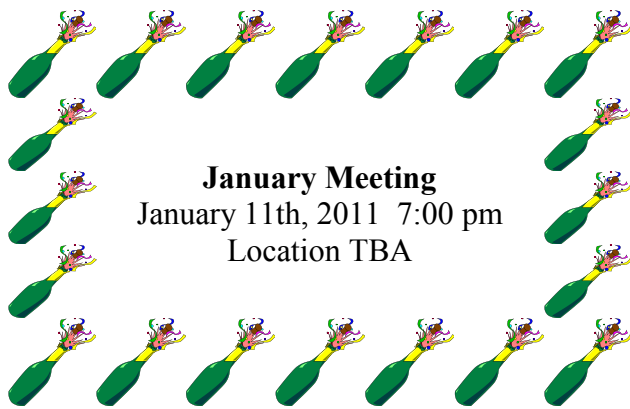
April 15th, 2012: SDCTA Schooling Show, third in series. More info TBA

April 22nd, 2012: First Choice Schooling Show, Heather Stalker, Judge. FMI Barb Hennessey at mb998@tampabay.rr.com

June 9-10th, 2012, 2012: SDCTA Rated Show, Tampa Fairgrounds

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**Christmas Party and Awards
Dinner**

December 16th

7:00 pm

Anthony, Maria & Gabby Incorvaia
The Eagles

12610 Eagles Entry Dr. Odessa Fl,
33556

home 813-926-9183 or cell 813-833-
3302

Directions:

From the south or east, Tampa Road to
right on Racetrack Road, left on Patter-
son to Eagles Entry Drive on left to gate,
ask for directions.

From the north or west, Keystone Rd to
right on Patterson to Eagles Entry Drive