

Thistle Ridge Skill Builders Show Clinic -2012

Skills Builders Show Clinics !

Have you ever wondered why you placed the way you did?
Or How you could improve to get a better placing?

Then you should attend the ThistleRidgeStables.com Skills Builders Show Clinics. Learn why you placed and the Judges reasons why.

Get comments back directly from the judge. The judge provides feedback, commentary and explanations to riders, coaches and spectators throughout the day. Think of it as **Judging demystified.**

ThistleRidgeStables.com will be hosting Skills Builders Show Clinics. All Show Clinics will provide a safe, organized venue to promote equestrian skill and development. Show clinic dates are:

- **May 19th** 623 – 5016
- **July 14th** 623 - 5016

Show clinics start at 9:30 am. Please note that there will be limited entries. OEF memberships and coggins recommended.

BEGINNER Rider DIVISION Junior Riders- This division is meant for riders under 18 yrs. in their first or 2nd year of showing. They may cross enter into Walk-Trot classes.

1. Beginner Rider Jr. Equitation
2. Beginner Rider Jr. Equitation Over poles
3. Beginner Pleasure

BEGINNER Rider DIVISION – Sr. Riders - This division is meant for riders in 18 yrs and older. May cross enter into Walk-Trot classes.

4. Beginner Sr. Equitation
5. Beginner Sr. Equitation Over poles
6. Beginner Sr. Pleasure

WALK - TROT DIVISION - Open to green horses and/or riders. May cross enter into walk - trot classes.

7. Walk /Trot - Equitation
8. Walk/Trot Over poles
9. Walk/trot Pleasure

CROSS RAIL DIVISION - Open to green horses and/or riders. Not required to canter.

10. Cross Rail Equitation
11. Cross Rail
12. Cross Rail Under Saddle – Walk/trot only

NOVICE DIVISION For novice riders and/or horses

13. Equitation Over Cross Rails
14. Hunter Over Fences (max. 2')
15. Equitation – Walk/Trot/Canter

FLAT DIVISION

16. Road Hack
17. Pleasure Horse or Pony
18. Equitation - Walk/Trot/Canter

2'3" HUNTER DIVISION

19. Hunter Equitation Over Fences
20. Hunter Over Fences
21. Hunter Under Saddle

2'6" HUNTER DIVISION

- 22. Hunter Equitation Over Fences
- 23. Hunter Over Fences
- 24. Hunter Under Saddle

2'9" HUNTER DIVISION

- 25. Hunter Equitation Over Fences
- 26. Hunter Over Fences
- 27. Hunter Under Saddle

19. Hunter Derby – Riders to show over two rounds, in the height competed at during the day. Scores for each round will be added together. The horse/rider combination with the highest score will determine the placings. 1st place – 50% of total entry, 2nd place 25%, 3rd -15%, 4th – 10%.

21. Open Card Judged Warm-Up (held all day) Open Card Judged Warm-up \$10.00 per round Held All Day. Ribbons will be awarded.

RIBBONS AND PRIZES

Ribbons Awarded 1st to 4th Place

Entry Fees:

Beginner Division- \$20.00 or \$7.00 per class.
Other Divisions - \$30.00 or \$12.00 per class
Hunter Classic \$20.00 entry fee
Deadline for Entries is Wednesday Before Show
Clinics

Send entries to: Laura Kelland-May
Thistle Ridge Stables
3491 Hunt Line Rd.,
RR#1, Arnprior K7S 3G7
(613) 623-5016

thistleridge@hotmail.com

Entry Number

Entry form:

Rider's Name: _____ OEF #: _____

Horse's Name: _____

Owner's Name: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ E-mail: _____

Class # or Division	Rider's Name	Horse's/Pony's Name	Cost
Judged Warm Up			\$10.00
Administration Fee			5.00

Signature of Rider: _____

Total Fees: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____
(if rider under the age of 18)

Signature of Owner: _____

It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports and activities involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept this risk and hold harmless: Thistle Ridge Stables, Laura and Bob May and all its representatives, coaches, organizers, property owners, employees, volunteers and officials; from all responsibility and liability of claims of any kind which may arise from choosing to participate in this competition, including, but not limited to, bodily injury, or death of myself or my horses and damage to property arising from any cause whatsoever, including the negligence of one or more individuals and organizations referred to herein.

- All riders must wear an Approved helmet with a fixed harness and acceptable footwear. Any rider not having an Approved helmet and acceptable foot wear will not be permitted to ride.
- All classes will be run in accordance with the EC 2012 rulebook.
- Classes with insufficient entries may be combined or cancelled.
- The show management has the right to refuse or accept any entries.
- Horses may be lead in beginner classes.

Please note that there will be a \$10.00 cancellation/scratch fee.

Due to popular demand we have made some additions to the Skill Builders Show Clinic. We have added a Beginner Rider division and split it into Senior (over 18) and Junior riders. There was a demand and we added three more classes for walk-trot riders to participate in.

We also added a new division - the Cross-Rail division. This will be a popular division and have opened it up to people who are participating in the walk-trot classes.

Now people who are taking part in walk/trot classes can go in the Beginner Rider division, the Walk-Trot division as well as the Cross – Rail division. This provides a development for horses and for riders that the Thistle Ridge Skill Builders series is trying to promote.