



# STONE GATE FARM NEWSLETTER

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## Happy New Year

### Year in Review & Looking Ahead to 2011

Wow, I can't believe that another year has come and gone and I have not written a newsletter nice the 2010 New Years Newsletter! That IS going to change this year. I'd like to do a quick recap of the year's activities and share with you some of our plans for 2011.

The season started with the popular Dressage Show & Test Clinic followed by the inaugural Winona Horse Trials AT Stone Gate Farm and the unveiling of a new cross country track. The new track new track utilized a new 18 acre parcel and offered not only a different track, but one that was less hilly than the fall making it more appropriate for the early season. The Memorial Day hunter pace was the biggest we ever had in the spring and the Lucinda Green clinic was oversubscribed. In order to accommodate the overflow from the Lucinda clinic Kyle taught a 'faux' Lucinda clinic which we're going to offer again this year as well as the successful 'Mock' Event clinic.

Unfortunately the WRPC Mini Trials had to be cancelled but will be back on the schedule this year. The fall event hosted Area VIII Novice & Beginner Novice Championships which attracted more than 40 competitors from all over the Area. The Stone Gate Farm Horse Trials will be hosting the BN & N Championships again at the fall event.

In addition to the usual calendar of events SGF will offer a NEW Event Camp from July 19 -22 followed by a Combined Test & Dressage Show on the 23rd. We have great clinicians lined up and it should prove to be a great opportunity and a lot of fun. If you're interested in riding with Lucinda in June or the camp in July; get your registration form and deposit in as space will be limited. More information for clinics and events can be found on our website, [www.stonegatefarm.org](http://www.stonegatefarm.org)

We have a lot of activities going on this year and we hope you will be able to join for some of them.

*Jackie & Dave*

### Updates: Logo, Facebook and the Website

We've updated the SGF logo to have the jump match the horse & rider's attire; **cross country**. We also made the Stone Gate Farm more prominent and tied it all together with a border. Look for the new logo it on ribbons, awards and perhaps 'logo wear'.

The SGF Facebook page has now been up and running for a year and it has more than 660 'fans'! It has been a great tool for posting quick updates, pictures, videos, and links to informative articles. The posts average more than 1,200+ hits! If you're not already a 'fan' of SGF on FB; be sure to check it out.

The website is still the source for clinic flyers and registration forms. And we have plans for expanding the website. Kyle is in the process of learning how to post items on the website. Unfortunately he has run into a glitch. Hopefully all flyers will be posted soon. Look for the following pages to be added to the website: horses for sale and KFS Equestrian Services. We also plan on having a section for advertisers/sponsors on both the website and in the newsletters



facebook

### A Different Kind of Training & the Beginning of a Business



Kyle & Margee @ their first

As Kyle started his final semester @ Ohio State he seriously had to think about what he was going to do when he graduated, After spending the previous summer as a working student for Sarah Kozumplik & Eric Dierks he was considering doing something with horses professionally. Becoming a USEA Certified Instructor in '09 was a good start, but with his education in Business he knew he had 'do more' if he was going to be able to make a living in the 'horse business'.

Last March Kyle took a major step in the 'doing more' department ... he headed to Aiken SC to attend the USEA Officials Training Program. The rest of the year was spent going to competitions as an Apprentice Technical Delegate and doing independent study which required hours serving in various capacities at events. It was a fabulous learning experience that served him well as he successfully completed the grueling two day practical and written final exam at Poplar Place Farm, GA in Nov. He is awaiting the decision of the USEF Licensed Officials Committee which won't convene to review his application until April.



Kyle's Business Logo

All the apprenticing and independent study left little time for competing but he did manage to get his little OTTB to her first Mini Trial where she jumped around the Beginner Novice cross country course like she had been doing it all her life. They followed up the Mini Trial with a win at the South Farm CT. He's looking forward to seeing just how far Margee will be able to go.

After a short stint working for Bruce Davidson, Kyle decided that if he was going to be working that hard; he would rather be working for himself. That decision prompted the creation of KFS Equestrian Services (see more information on pg 8 ) Going into winter without an indoor arena isn't exactly an ideal way to start a horse business, but Kyle has already gotten a reputation for being good with young or green horses and teaching riders of all levels and is beginning to grow his business, albeit a traveling business at this time. I for one am happy to have the extra help around the farm.

### Kevin & Tintin Continue to Forge a Great Partnership & Cocoa Goes Back Home

The year started out with sites on the VA "Classic" Preliminary 3 Day. With that in mind Kevin decided to forego a "games" competition with Cocoa to ride in a clinic with Jimmy Wofford. To many of you that may sound like a 'no brainer', but that decision essentially kept him off the Mounted Games team that was doing a demo competition @ the WEG. But the call of the 'Classic' 3 day and all that it entails was more important to him and eventually Kevin decided to sell Cocoa back to his former owner Katrina Kuhl Morris.

Conditioning last winter was a bit of a challenge as it was the snowiest winter on record! But it actually turned out to be a great tool; between the hills and the snow Tintin was ready to start the season early in preparation for the 3 Day. The first three events went great and Kevin and Tinnors were 'ready' for the big event. All the time and effort preparing paid off! The horse was fit and up for the challenge, maybe a little too 'up' as they were a bit fast on the steeplechase. They ended the competition with a respectable dressage and stadium and a great 'speed & endurance' day. They finished the competition in second place and won the best turned out award. Laura & I take credit for that as we picked out his clothes and bathed & braided his horse!

They continued the season by moving up to Intermediate at Lost Hounds where they went clean cross country. They completed four more events at the Prelim level and never placing below 6th all season in divisions that often had top professionals in them. They finished 11th in the USEA Young Rider Preliminary year end standings and in Area VIII they were 3rd in the Preliminary YR., 6th over all Preliminary Rider and 6th overall Preliminary Horse. He's hoping to build on this success in 2011



## Stone Gate Farm News

### Another Busy Year & Back in the Saddle (so to speak)



Forbidden aka 'Pip'

It was another busy year of officiating, teaching and running competitions and clinics a Stone Gate Farm but the big difference was that I actually competed a little this year. Pip was a good boy although a little exuberant in the warm at few times. But his steady supple and fluid dressage tests and clean jumping rounds found him being at the top of his divisions 3 out of 4 times. Not bad considering I hadn't competed at all in 2009.



### New Years Resolutions and Planned Improvement for 2011

Number **ONE** resolution, besides getting in better shape to ride my horse better ( see pg 6 for more info on the Equicision Clinic), is to do a monthly Newsletter (more information on pg 5 ) Hopefully I will do as well on my resolutions as we did on last years planned & unplanned improvements. Most of these improvements have nothing to do with the actual competition, rather a convenience for the competitor and their support crew. We hope you enjoyed the improvements and we welcome any suggestions.

Completed 2010 Planned Improvements:

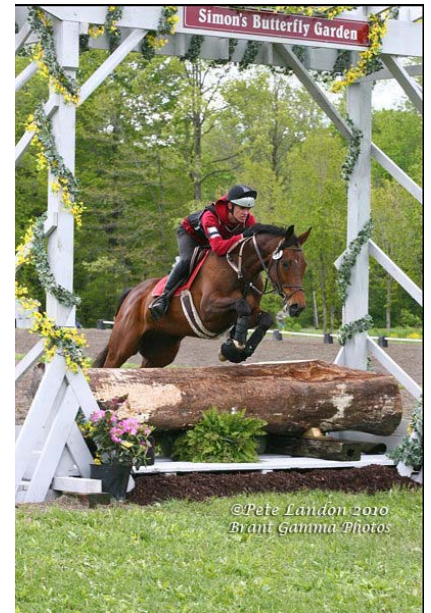
- Competitors will be able to enter and pay on-line with [www.equestrainentries.com](http://www.equestrainentries.com)
- Posting of scores in the stabling area so riders can be more concerned with taking care of their horses than checking scores.
- A shuttle service to transport people as needed
- Installation of wash racks in both the stabling and day parking areas
- Building new cross country fences

Completed 2010 Unplanned Improvements:

- Food service in the stabling area
- Drive open to the stabling barn during competition
- Building a beautiful new stadium fence
- Purchased and used an aerator to improve footing.
- Fenced in a 2 /12 acre area near stabling barn for turnout during clinics and camps

2011 Planned Improvements: The first two were not completed in 2010 and **WILL** get done this year and as always; we will continue to build new cross country fences

- Making improvement s to the pipe stall gates so they are easier to handle
- Adding stall gates to the pipe barn
- Improving the PA system so it can be heard in the stabling area
- Another new and improved show jumping fence
- **Possibly** building a pavilion near the stabling area



New Cross Country & Stadium Jumps



New Pasture near Stabling Barns



# Stone Gate Farm News

## Help Wanted:

**Help Wanted:** Several positions open; the candidate(s) must be able to work weekends, be able to sit for hours on end (often in inclement weather beginning at the crack of dawn) and must be level headed, Candidates may have to touch slimy surfaces, lift and move heavy objects, be a traffic cop and more. Legible handwriting is essential for some positions whereas a good set of lungs and good eyesight are helpful for others. Workers are compensated with snacks, a sandwich & drinks along with a personal size cooler to keep the drinks cold, SGF Bucks and of course the undying gratitude of the person in charge. No experience necessary, training will be provided. Finally a love of horses and the sport of Eventing with a good sense of humor are a MUST for candidates to get the most out of the job! All interested candidates should check out the volunteer page for more information: <http://www.stonegatefarm.org/volunteers.htm> or e-mail [volunteer@stonegatefarm.org](mailto:volunteer@stonegatefarm.org)

All kidding aside, volunteers are the life blood of our competitions and SGF has a great bunch of volunteers! However we don't want to burn out our volunteers by taking advantage of their generosity so we are always looking for new recruits to spread out the work. We have started a new program where volunteers can earn SGF Bucks which can be redeemed on entries, clinics and stabling. For those volunteers who are the non riders the SGF Bucks may also be redeemed at the food booth and on the upcoming line of logo wear.

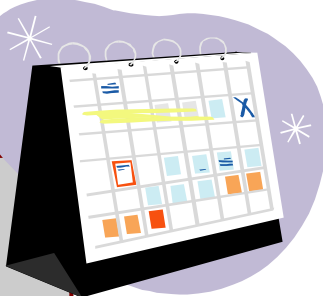


Sample of Stone Gate Farm Bucks

### A Chilly Weekend in May for Volunteers



### Mark Your Calendars



### 2011 Calendar of Events

- April 23 ~ Dressage Show and Test Clinic
- May 14-15 ~ USAE/USEF Winona Horse Trials
- May 30 (Memorial Day) Spring Hunter Pace
- June 2-3 ~ Lucinda Green Clinic (Thurs-Fri)
- June 4 ~ Faux Lucinda Clinic
- June 11 ~ XC Schooling
- June 12 ~ SGF Mini Trials NEW DATE
- July 19-22 NEW Event Camp
- July 23 NEW Combined Test/Dressage Show
- July 30-31 Mock Event Clinic
- Aug 7 ~ Cross Country Schooling
- Aug 8 ~ Western Reserve Pony Club Mini Trial @ SGF
- Sept. 24-25 ~ USEA/USEF Stone Gate Horse Trials
- Oct 2 ~ Fall Hunter Pace followed by the volunteer



## Stone Gate Farm News

### Advertising Information for the Stone Gate Farm Newsletter & Website

Advertising is available on the Stone Gate Farm newsletter & Website. The newsletter is e-mailed to over 500 riders in a 7 state area (OH, PA, NY, MI, IN, KY, & WV). In addition the newsletter will be posted on the Stone Gate Farm website and a link to the newsletter will be posted on the SGF Facebook page as well. Advertisers also will have a small ad on the website with a link to the advertiser's website.

**DEADLINES:** All ads and payment must be received by the **15<sup>th</sup> of the month.** (e.g. ad and payment received by April 15<sup>th</sup> will appear in the May issue)

**ADVERTIZING RATES:** Anyone wishing to be a regular advertiser will receive 1 month free when paying for 6 months at once or 2 months free when paying for an entire year.

Full page: \$40/issue ~ \$200/6 months ~ \$400/12 months

1/2 Page: \$30/issue ~ \$150/6months ~ \$300/12 months

1/4 page: \$20/issue ~ \$100/6months ~ \$200/12 months

Business Card: \$15/issue ~ \$75/6months ~ \$150/12 months

Classified Ad: \$5/issue (60 words or less) ~ \$25/6 months ~ \$50/12 months

Classified photo Ad: \$10/issue ~ \$50/6months ~ \$100/12 months

Ads must be **camera ready** and e-mailed to: [Jackie@stonegatefarm.org](mailto:Jackie@stonegatefarm.org)

Make Checks Payable to Stone Gate LLC and mail to:

Jackie Smith

31407 Schneider Rd.

Hanoverton, OH 44423

Full Page    ½ Page    ¼ Page    Business Card    Classified Ad    Photo Ad

One Issue    6 Issues    12 Issues   Month(s) Ad is to Run: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Northeast Ohio Mini Trials Association Presents:



## Equicision Clinic

Ride Stronger ~ Ride Longer

March 5 @ South Farm: 12:00 – 3:30

For Riders of all Disciplines and Levels

### EQUICISION WILL HELP:

- Core function & torso posture
- Rein & Stirrup contact
- Elbow control
- Knee pinching
- 'Roaching' the back
- Injury management

### IMPROVE:

- Stability on your horse
- Communication with your horse
- Reduce risk of injury
- Overall riding performance



Participant: \$60  
NEOMTA Participant: \$55

Auditor: \$30  
NEOMTA Auditor: \$25



### More Info:

Jackie@stonegatefarm.org  
330-222-2089  
440-632-5501  
[www.minitrials.org](http://www.minitrials.org)



### The Equicision Program:

Equicision is the very first sports medicine based program for the Equestrian Athlete. The program was developed by Mike Pilato, M.S.A.T.C., a certified athletic trainer with more than 20 years experience. The clinic will begin with a lecture/demo with a rider on horseback. Clinic attendees will then come in and be introduced to the 'Basic Four Fitness Program to Improve Communication with Your Horse' which will make use of a sideboard, resistance bands and exercise ball (will be provided and available for purchase) to target specific needs of the Equestrian Athlete. Each rider will receive group instruction as well as individual attention.

All participants receive a DVD containing a copy of the book and video's of each exercise, a course handout for taking notes, and a personalized 4 week conditioning. Auditors will receive handout material for taking notes.

Participants should wear comfortable clothing. Drinks and snacks are recommended.

**Pre-registration is Required for Clinic Participants ~ Auditors may register the day of the clinic**



Equicision Clinic Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Stable/Trainer: \_\_\_\_\_

- Participant \$60
- Auditor \$30
- Participant NEOMTA Member \$55
- Auditor NEOMTA Member \$25

NEOMTA MEMBERSHIP

- Individual Membership \$25
- Family Membership \$45

For Family Membership only, list name & age of each family member

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to NEOMTA and mail to:

Jackie Smith  
Stone Gate Farm  
31407 Schneider Rd.  
Hanoverton, OH 44423

[www.minitrialseries.org](http://www.minitrialseries.org)



**Instruction:** If you're interested in taking your riding to the next level or simply want to enjoy your horse more KFS Equestrian Services can help you no matter the level.

USEA Level 1 Certificated Instructor

- Dressage
- Jumping
- Cross Country
- At our farm or yours

**Training:** Whether you have an unbroken 2 year old, a horse that needs a little help learning & perfecting his job or one that is just a bit difficult KFS Equestrian Services can

help with his methodical and patient methods.

- Starting youngsters
- Developing horses to their fullest potential
- Schooling problem horses
- At our farm or yours

**Horse / House Sitting:** So you want to get away for a weekend or possibly even a vacation but who's going to look after the animals? KFS Equestrian Services has you covered. Services include but are not limited to such things as:

- Feeding and watering of horses
- Cleaning stalls
- Turning out and bringing in horses
- Exercising horses
- Grooming, changing blankets, medicating etc
- Staying in the home and checking the mail

**Pre-competition set up:** There's a lot of work that goes into running a competition and finding knowledgeable (will be a Licensed USEF Technical Delegate in 2011) reliable help seems to be getting more difficult all the time. Below is a partial list of the services provided by KFS Equestrian Services:

- Setting up dressage arenas and stadium courses
- Flagging and numbering of cross country courses
- Staking of cross country fences
- Mowing, weed whacking, dragging arenas etc.
- Painting and staining jumps
- And more...



# LUCINDA GREEN CLINIC

JUNE 2 – 3, 2011 ~ THURS/FRI

Opening Date: Jan. 1

Closing Date: May 17

Lucinda Green is one of the best event riders in the world. Known as an excellent instructor, you will emerge from this clinic with improved skills and renewed confidence.

Riders and horses will be grouped together by level. The first day will be using stadium jumps to practice cross-country questions, such as: corner, angled fences, skinmys, unusual distances and lines etc.

The second day will be devoted to cross-country schooling, using existing cross-country fences and taking stadium jumps out to create interesting and challenging combinations.

????? Call 330-222-2089, E-mail [jackie@stonegatefarm.org](mailto:jackie@stonegatefarm.org) or [www.stonegatefarm.org](http://www.stonegatefarm.org)

Groups will be limited to FIVE or SIX

## REGISTRATION FORM

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ e-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Highest level rider has competed: \_\_\_\_\_ Highest level horse has competed: \_\_\_\_\_

Rider: \$350 (\$100 deposit due with registration, balance by (May 17) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Stabling: \$25/night Wed. \_\_\_\_\_ Thurs. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Auditor: \$20/day Thurs. \_\_\_\_\_ Fri. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Lunch is included with all fees

Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Balance Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Entries & Checks (payable to Stone Gate LLC) to:

Jackie Smith  
31407 Schneider Rd.  
Hanoverton, OH 44423

**Release:** I understand that this is a high-risk sport and am participating at my own risk. I hereby assume the risk and further do hereby release and hold harmless the Organizer, Organizing Committee, employees, volunteers, and the hosts of the event, Dave and Jackie Smith, from all liability for negligence resulting in accidents, damage, injury, or illness to myself, my property, including the horse or horses which I will ride in this clinic.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent / Guardian if under 18)



### Event Camp July 19 – 22, 2011 ~ Tues - Fri

OUR EVENTING CAMP WILL PROVIDE INTENSIVE INSTRUCTION IN DRESSAGE, CROSS COUNTRY & SHOW JUMPING WITH USEA ICP LEVEL III INSTRUCTORS IN A RELAXED CAMP LIKE ATMOSPHERE THAT'S AWAY FROM LIFE'S DAILY INTERRUPTIONS!!

#### About the Instructors:

**Doug Payne** has extensive competition experience at Advanced Level in Eventing, Grand Prix Show Jumping as well as Intermediare Dressage. Doug holds both USEF Judges and TD's licenses for Eventing, and is a USEA certified Level III instructor. This will be Doug's first trip to Stone Gate Farm and we're excited to have him coming to our camp. For more information: <http://www.doequestrian.com/>

**Eric Dierks** has competed through the Four Star level as well as the upper levels in Show Jumping and Dressage Shows. Eric has been the coach for the Area IV Young Riders Teams as well as being a USEA certified Level III Instructor with a great reputation for making his lessons both fun and educational. We're looking forward to having Eric return to Stone Gate Farm. For more info: <http://ericdierks.com/>

**Sue Hines** has competed very successfully through the Advanced level on her own OTTB's and homebreds and has received the USDF Bronze Medal. Sue has extensive experience with a vast array of horses with a unique ability to figure out just what the horse and rider need to improve their performance and partnership. Sue also is a USEA certified Level III instructor. Sue is a familiar face at Stone Gate Farm and we're very lucky to have her living so close.

#### Tentative Schedule:

##### Mon

- stables open 4:00 PM

##### Tues

- 45 minute semi private dressage lesson
- 1 ¼ hour show jumping lesson (group of 4)
- Lunch lecture on "Your Horse's Digestive Health"
- Pot Luck Welcome Dinner followed by Q & A with our instructors

##### Wed

- 45 minute semi private dressage lesson
- 1½ hour cross country lesson (group of 4)
- Lecture on Show Jump Course design and 'set up' for 'mock' competition followed by course walks
- Hickory Rib "takeout" and Pontoon boat ride on Guilford Lake (extra charge)

##### Thurs

- Dressage 'fix a test' ride
- Show Jumping 'mock' competition
- Horse Massage lecture/demo wit Laura Gentile, Certified Equine Performance Massage Therapist of the Healing Hands Equine Performance Massage Therapy.
- Saddle Fit lecture/demo by Heather Soones-Booher, [www.saddles101.com](http://www.saddles101.com)
- Cook Out & Wine tasting

##### Fri

- ½ day Cross Country Pace & Steeplechase lesson (BN and up)

**Sat** Combined Test ~ NOT part of camp (see website for flyer)

## Stone Gate Farm Event Camp

### Stone Gate Farm Facilities:

- 111 acre farm is the site of 2 recognized Events, Mini Trials, Hunter Paces and more
- 2 sand standard size dressage arenas
- 1 large turf stadium area with competition fences
- Cross country courses from Starter – Prelim
- 70 permanent stalls
- One 2 ½ - 3 acre pasture & paddock available to camp horses (sign up sheet will be posted daily)
- Rustic bunk house and shower

### Camp Fees:

- \$550 if received by May 1
- \$600 if received by June 1
- \$650 if received after June 1
- \$50 discount for a rider registering for TWO sessions
- \$100 stabling fee for an additional horse for ONE registration
- Auditors: \$25/day or \$75 for duration. Includes lunch, welcome 'pot luck' and cookout

A deposit of \$100 with a completed registration form will hold your spot and lock in the above prices. The full payment is **REQUIRED** by July 1. Refunds only available if can be filled from the waiting list less a \$25 office fee.

### Fees Include:

- All lessons
- All lectures and demos
- Stabling (stalls must be stripped)
- Lunch and beverages
- Tues night welcome 'pot luck' and Thurs night cookout

### Additional Fees:

- **Massage:** please sign up if interested but you will pay the clinician directly
  - \$35 horse massage
  - \$40 horse & rider massage
  - \$10 rider massage only
- **Saddle Fitting:** please sign up if interested but you will pay the clinician directly
  - \$50 Evaluation includes evaluating & tracing the horses back, and analysis of saddle and fit.
  - \$100 Reflocking
- **Hickory Rib Dinner & Pontoon Boat Ride on Guilford Lake**
  - \$25 approximately
- **Bedding:**
  - Additional bales of straw \$2 each
  - Additional bags of shavings \$7 each

### Accommodations:

- Camping on grounds – no charge / no hook up available
- Bunk house
- Guilford Lake Campgrounds – complete
- Hotels listed on website

Camp is open to all levels of riders. Entries will be limited and groups will be put together based on the experience of horse and rider. Get your deposit in early to reserve a spot.

????? Call 330-222-2089, E-mail [jackie@stonegatefarm.org](mailto:jackie@stonegatefarm.org) or [www.stonegatefarm.org](http://www.stonegatefarm.org)

Make Checks Payable to Stone Gate LLC & mail to: Jackie Smith  
31407 Schneider Rd.  
Hanoverton, OH 44423



**EVENT CAMP REGISTRATION FORM**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Stable with: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Highest level rider has competed: \_\_\_\_\_ Highest level horse has competed: \_\_\_\_\_

**\$100 deposit due with registration will lock in price. Balance DUE on July 1**

Rider: \$550 if received by May 1  
 \$600 if received after by June 1  
 \$650 if received after June 1

Auditor: \$25/day:  Tues  Wed  Thurs  Fri. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Auditor: \$ 75 for duration \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Stall: \$100/horse \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner & Pontoon Boat Ride: \$25 \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$50 discount for 2<sup>nd</sup> registration for same rider  
**Total Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Please Include Coggins **Balance Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

Separate \$20 stall clean deposit check

**Additional Activities: payment made directly to clinician**

Horse Massage  Rider Massage  Saddle Fit Evaluation  Reflocking Saddle

**Release:** I understand that this is a high-risk sport and is participating at my own risk. I hereby assume the risk and further do hereby release and hold harmless the Organizer, Organizing Committee, employees, volunteers, and the hosts of the event, Dave and Jackie Smith, from all liability for negligence resulting in accidents, damage, injury, or illness to myself, my property, including the horse or horses which I will ride in this clinic.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent / Guardian if under 18) **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Official Photographer of the Winona Horse Trials**

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**Photos can be from any 2010 or 2011 Event**

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[brantgamma@earthlink.net](mailto:brantgamma@earthlink.net)

**Thank you to Brant Gamma for sharing many of her pictures which have been used in this newsletter and on the website and to Jennifer Milliner who has designed the SGF Website, Logo and Program Covers for Stone Gate Farm.**

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signs

horse jumps

Jennifer & William Milliner

(330)538-0523

## Stone Gate Farm ~ a great weekend get-away for you and your horse

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Dave and Jackie Smith moved to the 80 acre Stone Gate Farm in 1986. Over the years and countless hours of hard work they have turned corn fields and overgrown useless land into hay fields and pasture that now features 11 ponds of various sizes and shapes. Two additional pieces of property were bought and the farm is now up to 111 acres. Dave a large animal veterinarian, Jackie a professional equestrian (rider, trainer, coach & USEF licensed official, USEA Level II Certified Instructor) and their two sons Kyle (USEA Level I Certified Instructor) and Kevin call SGF home. Several times a year they open their 'home' to numerous equestrian enthusiasts to two USEA recognized events, two unrecognized events, two hunter paces, a dressage show, combined test, camps, annual clinics with Lucinda Green and more.

