

THE READER

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Letter from the President

by Teresa Litchfield, President

Dear members and friends,

Hi, All! I hope everyone is enjoying the Fall weather. It's a little cooler than our fine Illinois Summer, which was very hot and humid.

CLD was able to hold all four of our shows this year. Yay!!! The COVID restrictions were lifted just in time for our first show, making it a lot easier to manage. Our schooling shows (Icebreaker and FireCracker) held at Tower Hill Equestrian Center were smaller than usual, however, still successful. Plus it was just nice to be able to show once again.

Classic I & II, our rated shows held at the Illinois State Fair Grounds, was also smaller than in 2019. (We had cancelled last year because of the pandemic.) Without our members volunteering, none of our shows would be possible. It takes a small army to run these shows. So I thank everyone that gave their time to help with one or more of our shows. You have gratitude from the bottom of my heart!!!

I would like to give Judy Nordstrom a BIG thank you for stepping in for me and day-managing Firecracker.

Getting back to "Normal", isn't that what we all want? With that in mind we are planning on holding our Awards Banquet as we did pre-pandemic. You remember dinner, socializing, and, of course, awards? We are finalizing things, stay tuned for when and where.

Region 4 Championships recently finished, Region 2 Championships are October 7 thru 10 at the Kentucky Horse Park, Lexington, KY. For our members traveling to the championships, good luck and safe travels.

Teresa Litchfield, President

*Nominations
/ Scores due
Oct. 10!*

August 15, 2021 CLD Executive Board Meeting

President Teresa Litchfield called the meeting to order at 7:12pm. Attending were Leslie Burket, Katie Keim, Paula Briney, Marilyn Weber and Alice Martin (a tad late).

Treasurer's Report - Katie Keim

- Checking: \$6,177.31
- Savings: \$27,003.45
- Total net income: \$3,342.51
- Firecracker net income: \$134.40
- Classic net income: \$3,461.57 (Pending receipt of two Sponsorship forms for the show.)

Classic Show

- A very successful show, enjoyed by all! We made \$3500 - that's fantastic! Hats off to all involved in the fine execution of the Classic Shows - could not have done it without everyone's help!
- Teresa checked all the stalls and no extra ones were used, only the stalls that were reserved were used.
- There will be no Classic Shows next year. A new Classic show date was not negotiated.
- Discussion followed re: expanding schooling shows (having more than two), hook up with Arab Inc., find another venue, etc. Options continue to be discussed.

Miscellaneous

- Teresa is working on the Slate of Officers. The offices that are up for re-election are President - Treasurer - Secretary and one board member.
- Tower Hill Equestrian Centre is hosting a schooling show on 9/8/2021. Joan Pecora will be the judge.
- Work is underway to make our 2021 Annual Awards Banquet the best ever! Look for updates that will be coming!! Hope to see everyone there!
- Paula mentioned that Betsy Steiner may be here from Oct 22-24.
- Horse Fair will be March 4, 5, 6 2022.
- Leslie Burket is our 2021 GMO delegate.
- Paula Briney is our 2021 PM delegate.
- Remember - no Classic Shows next year.

Paula motioned and Marilyn seconded to adjourn the meeting. Teresa so adjourned at 7:48pm.

Our next meeting will be Sunday, September 19th at 7:00pm

Respectively Submitted,
Leslie Burket



CLD Ballot

(Ballot for the election of members to serve on the Board of Directors for a two year term from September 1, 2021 until October 31, 2019.)

Vote for Four			
	Teresa Litchfield		Judy Nordstrom
	Katie Keim		Leslie Burket
Write In Candidate:			

You may vote in 1 of 2 ways: return ballot to
CLD Secretary Leslie Burket

16205 Windfall Ridge Dr. Chesterfield, MO 63050

POST MARKED NO LATER THAN OCT. 29

OR centerlinedressage.com/vote

No ballots received after MIDNIGHT on OCTOBER 31 will be accepted.



IceBreaker 2021 Results

Special thanks to Teresa Litchfield for managing IceBreaker and Denis Kerasotes and Terri Morenz of Tower Hill Equestrian Center for hosting our show. Thanks also go to Kim Dresch, Phillip Litchfield, Peter Litchfield, and Kristy Robson for their volunteer efforts.

Congratulations to all the competitors and Teri Duewer who was our Adult Amateur high point of the show with an impressive 72.328% average.

IceBreaker 2021									
Judge — Martina Mertens									
Rider	Horse		Score	Place	Rider	Horse		Score	Place
Intro A --- Adult					Training Level --- Test 1				
Ellie Mendenhall	Absolution	AA	71.875	1	Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	AA	65.576	1
Libbie South	Rejoice	AA	67.5	2	Teresa Litchfield	RR General Dee Ba	AA	60.384	2
Theresa Smith	Callista	AA	59.06	3					
					Susan Rosse	Roxann	O	68.076	1
Intro B --- Adult					Training Level --- Test 2				
Libbie South	Rejoice	AA	70.31	1	Teri Duewer	Devante LDS	AA	72.931	1
Ellie Mendenhall	Absolution	AA	68.75	2	Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	AA	66.034	2
Theresa Smith	Callista	AA	53.437	3	Laura Dietrich	Nick Dunn It Brigh	AA	62.586	3
Intro C --- Adult									
Ellie Mendenhall	Absolution	AA	71	1	Sarah Chapin	HAFTA Ask	O	69.655	1
Kelsey Petersen	Logo	AA	68.25	2					
					Training Level --- Test 3				
Intro A --- JR/YR									
Emma Mendenhall	A Sensational Prince	Jr/Y	72.5	1	Teri Duewer	Devante LDS	AA	71.724	1
Ava Lausen	Riverdance	Jr/Y	70	2	Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	AA	62.413	2
Amelia Olson	Redd	Jr/Y	70	3	Laura Dietrich	Nick Dunn It Brigh	AA	60.172	3
Mandy Atteberry	Rosie	Jr/Y	62.5	4	Teresa Litchfield	RR General Dee Ba	AA	56.896	4
					Sarah Chapin	HAFTA Ask	O	68.793	1
Intro B --- JR/YR									
Ava Lausen	Riverdance	Jr/Y	72.187	1	Western Dressage Intro --- Test 1				
Amelia Olson	Redd	Jr/Y	67.5	2	Helena Rosse	Adding Machine	AA	62.95	1
Emma Mendenhall	A Sensational Prince	Jr/Y	66.875	3					
Mandy Atteberry	Rosie	Jr/Y	66.875	4	Western Dressage Intro --- Test 3				
					Helena Rosse	Adding Machine	AA	67.5	1
Western Dressage Level 1 --- Test 3					Western Dressage Level 1 --- Test 4				
Deborah Bonner	Jet Jockey	AA	63.703	1	Deborah Bonner	Jet Jockey	AA	59.23	1

FireCracker 2021 Results

Thanks to Teresa Litchfield for managing and we are always grateful to Denis Kerasotes and Terri Morenz of Tower Hill Equestrian Center for hosting. Thanks also go to volunteers Judy Nordstrom, Pat McVary, and Helena Rosse.

Congratulations to all the competitors and Laura Dietrich who was our Adult Amateur high point of the show and Alyssa Ryherd who was our Junior/Young Rider high point of the show!

FireCracker 2021										
Judge — Betsy Jacoby										
Rider	Horse		Score	Place		Rider	Horse		Score	Place
Leadline					Training Level --- Test 1					
Eva Noll	Polly	JR/YR	68.24	1		Alyssa Ryherd	Beggo's Mystic Doub	Jr/Yr	67.69	1
						Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	Jr/Yr	57.5	2
Intro C --- Adult										
						Theresa Smith	Rejoice	AA	59.42	1
Theresa Smith	Rejoice	AA	62.25	1						
					Training Level --- Test 2					
Intro A --- JR/YR										
Elle Mendenhall	Absolution	Jr/YR	60.94	1		Alyssa Ryherd	Beggo's Mystic Doub	Jr/Yr	66.21	1
Eden Hagerman	Beggo's Mystic Doub	Jr/YR	60.94	1		Ryley Skultety	Clayton	Jr/Yr	61.55	2
Emma Mendenhall	A Sensational Prince	Jr/YR	60.31	2		Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	Jr/Yr	61.38	3
Hannah Jones	Redd	Jr/YR	60	3						
Charlotte Golman	Rosie	Jr/YR	60	3		Laura Dietrich	Nick Dun It Bright	AA	63.45	1
Anna Pershing	Riverdance	Jr/YR	59.69	4						
Claire Conner	Lance	Jr/YR	59.69	4		Training Level --- Test 3				
						Ryley Skultety	Clayton	Jr/Yr	64.83	1
						Ellie Mendenhall	Ben	Jr/Yr	56.72	2
Intro B --- JR/YR										
Emma Mendenhall	A Sensational Prince	Jr/YR	61.88	1		Laura Dietrich	Nick Dunn It Bright	AA	61.9	1
Ellie Mendenhall	Absolution	Jr/YR	61.56	2						
Charlotte Golman	Rosie	Jr/YR	60.94	3		First Level ----- Test 1				
Anna Pershing	Riverdance	Jr/YR	59.69	4		Florence Mathieu	Lance	AA	66.55	1
Eden Hagerman	Beggo's Mystic Doub	Jr/YR	59.1	5						
Hannah Jones	Redd	Jr/YR	58.44	6		First Level --- Test 2				
						Michelle Kibler	Constentine	AA	64.57	1
Intro C -----JR/YR										
Ellie Mendenhall	Absolution	Jr/YR	61.25	1		Florence Mathieu	Lance	AA	58.43	2
						First Level ---- Test 3				
Western Dressage Level 1 --- Test 1										
Lucy Stafford	HS Wineglass Two Bu	AA	62.04	1		Michele Kibler	Constentine	AA	62.91	1
	Chuck					Western Dressage Level 1 --- - Test 4				
						Lucy Stafford	HS Wineglass Two	AA	61.61	1
							Buck Chuck			

Photos from Schooling Shows



From Top Left

- Teresa Litchfield presenting high point award to Teri Duewer at IceBreaker
- Alyssa Ryherd and her high point award at FireCracker
- Hannah Jones, Reserve Champion Crazy Sock Contest at FireCracker
- Paula Briney accepting the AA High Point award for her student Laura Dietrich
- Emma Mendenhall, Crazy Sock Contest Champion, at FireCracker





YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED

TO ATTEND THE 2021

CenterLine Dressage

AWARDS BANQUET

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2021

SANGAMO CLUB

227 E. ADAMS STREET

SPRINGFIELD, IL 62701

SOCIAL HOUR AT 6:00 PM

DINNER SERVED AT 7:00 PM

RSVP BY OCTOBER 24TH ONLINE

(217) 622-9349

OR

centerlinedressage.com/RSVP

RSVPs not
available yet.
check back soon.

2021 CLD Awards Amnesty Program

As in years past CLD is offering again an Awards Amnesty Program that allows lapsed members to join the club now, nominate and submit scores for their horses to be applicable for 2021 awards if and only if they pay for their 2021 membership and 2022 membership now.

Volunteer Hours or Awards Program fee due with scores by October 10.

Submit your membership application and double fees now.



All
awards
material including
online forms at
centerlinedressage.com/awards

Submit Scores Today!

Scores are due by October 10. If you are competing in the schooling division and did not receive your scores at CLD shows you must submit your scores! No horse/rider participants for 2021 in Western Dressage or Schooling Divisions have submitted scores.

If you are in the Rated show division you DO NOT NEED to submit scores, you ONLY NEED TO NOMINATE!

2021 Nominated Horses

(If your horse isn't on this list you need to nominate! Remember nominating is free but has to be done every year)

- Zlatan M. Ge
- Madroño XXXVI
- Latino
- Domburg
- Travis
- Jackpot Royal
- Richthofen 7
- R Genga
- ASR Fadls Willie
- Ronin
- Jameson SW
- Wilona HSR
- Franzsis HSR

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CenterLine Dressage New Member & Renewal Form

(Membership year is December 1 through September 30)

Name: _____ USDF #: _____

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Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

Birth Date for Youth Members (21 & Under): _____

<input type="checkbox"/>	Renewal:	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	New Member:	<input type="checkbox"/>

Reader Preference		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Paper Copy:	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Digital Copy:	<input type="checkbox"/>

Membership Type	Details	Totals
Individual Membership	\$45 Includes 1 Reader, 1 Vote, USDF Membership, Discounts at CLD Shows, Discounts on Advertising, Horse Nomination (requires separate form centerlinedressage.com/horse-nomination-form)	\$ _____
Junior Membership <small>(21 & under)</small>	\$25 Includes 1 Reader, 1 Vote, USDF Membership, Discounts at CLD Shows, Discounts on Advertising, Horse Nomination (requires separate form centerlinedressage.com/horse-nomination-form)	\$ _____
Family Membership	\$65 Includes 1 Reader, 2 Votes, 2 USDF Membership, Discounts at CLD Shows, Discounts on Advertising, Horse Nomination (requires separate form centerlinedressage.com/horse-nomination-form)	\$ _____
Total Dues:		\$ _____

Please send to:

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 New Berlin, IL 62670

DEADLINE FOR READER ITEMS



CenterLine Dressage

Items for publication or inclusion in the READER should be received by the editor by the 1st of the month. Items for THE READER, activity forms, ads, etc should be sent with a check for the charges, if any, to:

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