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From Your President

Hey CDCTS members!

2020 is drawing to close which might be a good thing considering how this year has gone. We are now looking forward to our CDCTS Banquet which will take place on January 23, 2021. Invitations will come through evite near the end of December. If you wish to apply for an award, get your scores in by November 30. Send them either to my email, shamrockfarm3100@gmail.com or through the regular mail, 3100 Hines Valley Rd., Lenoir City, TN, 37771.

Be thinking of who you would like to nominate for the Merryhour Award. This award will go to a member who has been with the club and participated in supporting club projects over the years. You can only win it once, but we still have great people that should receive this recognition. If you would like to nominate someone for this award, send me an email or put a note on your evite when you send it in.

We usually have a silent auction at our banquet and plan to have one this year. If you have any horse equipment that is in good shape and want to donate it, bring it to the banquet and we will put it up for auction. Talk to your vet or farrier and see if they would like to donate a service.

The CDCTS board is being formed so if you would like to be part of that, get in touch with Dave McAdoo. We have some vacancies this year that need filling. The board itself will determine who will fill which positions. Hope everyone is out enjoying this short-lived great fall weather. The horses are a little frisky but it beats snow, sleet, and mud. Good riding to everyone!

Jean Sullivan,
CDCTS President

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CDCTS MEETING MINUTES, NOVEMBER 10, 2020

I. Call to order

President Jean Sullivan called to order the regular meeting of the CDCTS Board at 7:00 p.m. on November 10, 2020 at Merryhour Farm, Maryville, TN.

II. Roll Call

President Jean Sullivan conducted the roll call. The following board members were present: Jean Sullivan, Carolyn Ordal, Carol Mitchell, and Jill Strain. The following Board members were absent: Susan Hill and Alece Ellis. The following CDCTS members were in attendance: Julie Hall, Carol Grau, Dave Macadoo, and Julie Noe. Guests: Charlie Grau.

III. Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting

Minutes from October 13, 2020 were sent electronically via newsletter to all members for their review. A motion to accept the minutes as read by Carol Mitchell and was seconded by Carolyn Ordal

IV. Committee Reports

Treasurer's Report

Jill Strain presented the financials. Carol Mitchell made a motion to accept the Treasurer's Report and was seconded by Carolyn Ordal.

V. Old Business

Carolyn Ordal gave a final report for the Fall Fun Day which was held October 17, 2020 at River Glen Equestrian Center. It was a huge success with 36 riders, the most on record. Carolyn attributed this success to the repeated blasts on social media and the required pre-registration and payment. The youngest rider was 5.5 years old. The costume winner was new CDCTS member Kathryn Dankewalter. So many participants had terrific costumes! Just to name a few, new CDCTS member Liz Wagar for her Dorothy costume and new CDCTS member Anne Titus for her witch doctor costume. Carolyn appreciates the efforts of those who volunteered but she does stress that more help is needed for future events. Please consider volunteering your time in the future and earn the hours needed for participation in the annual awards.

Jean Sullivan gave an updated report on the 2020 Awards Banquet set for January 23, 2021 at Buddy's Banquet Hall. The facility will be following COVID precautions with seating maximum of 40 people – 10 tables with 4 people per table. Wine only will be provided. An auction is planned, and donations of all kinds are still being sought. Please consider donating anything horse related.

VI. New Business

Christmas Party and Meeting: It was decided to have an informal Christmas gathering in conjunction with a December 8, 2020 CDCTS meeting at Merryhour Farm. Charlie Grau has offered to supply pizza for everyone! Thank you Charlie! We will have a Dirty Santa gift exchange/game with a \$25 maximum for the gift.

Board Member Openings: There are four (4) Board Member openings available beginning January 2021. If anyone is interested in joining the Board, please contact Dave McAdoo at 865-674-7041 or 865-680-5488. As a reminder, anyone can join the Board however you must have been a CDCTS member, in good standing, from 2018 to present in order to hold a position such as President, Vice President, Secretary or Treasurer. In addition, you must have your 2021 membership renewal received and processed before the end of November 2020. CDCTS members select Board Members, and Board Members elect the individual for a particular position. If you are interested in joining the Board, you must act quickly as November 30, 2020 is just a few short weeks away.

CDCTS MEETING MINUTES, NOVEMBER 10, 2020 - CONTINUED

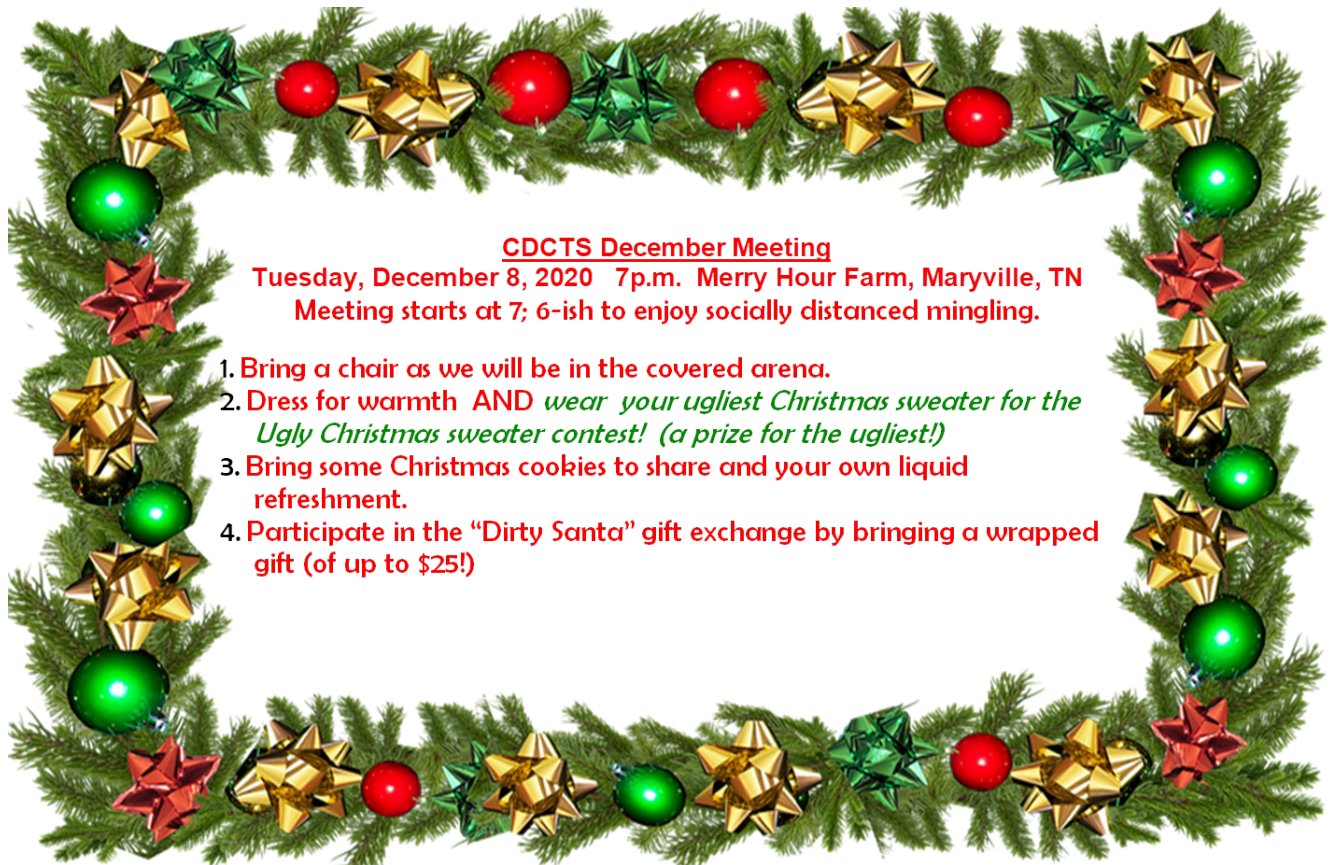
VII. Upcoming Local Events

- Jim Koford Clinic: November 12-15 and December 17-20. Please contact Tina Hodges for more information or registration
- JJ Tate Clinic: December 6-7, 2020 at Penrose Farm. Please contact Teresa Shafer for more information or registration
- Scenic Flight Dressage Show: November 21-22, 2020 at Tri-State Exhibit Center, McDonald, TN. See Scenic Flight Dressage Show Series on Facebook for more information

VIII. Adjournment

Adjournment at 7:39 p.m. on November 10, 2020. Next meeting will be on December 8, 2020 at Merryhour Farm, Maryville, TN. Social time 6-7 p.m.; Meeting begins promptly at 7:00 p.m. Social distancing will be observed.

Minutes submitted by Julie Hall, substituting for Susan Hill, CDCTS Secretary.



CDCTS December Meeting

Tuesday, December 8, 2020 7p.m. Merry Hour Farm, Maryville, TN
Meeting starts at 7; 6-ish to enjoy socially distanced mingling.

1. Bring a chair as we will be in the covered arena.
2. Dress for warmth AND wear your ugliest Christmas sweater for the Ugly Christmas sweater contest! (a prize for the ugliest!)
3. Bring some Christmas cookies to share and your own liquid refreshment.
4. Participate in the "Dirty Santa" gift exchange by bringing a wrapped gift (of up to \$25!)

Remember to provide photos for the slide show at our Annual Banquet on January 23, 2021. Please email your photos to Coy Bays at coyjbays@gmail.com before Friday, January 15, 2021.

CDCTS CLASSIFIED CORNER

Piedmont Woodrow, 2017 beautiful bay gelding. 3/4 Connemara - 1/4/ TB. ACPS and USEF registered. Should mature ~15 hands. Outstanding eventing prospect; brave, friendly, loves to gallop and be scratched. Jumps ditches, crosses water at liberty. Super friendly and personable; has been easy to handle and train up to this point. I am excited about his potential. I'm a breeder; he needs a loving person who wants to train and compete and win! Contact me, Vanessa, at 423-744-9071 or email connemaras9@gmail.com.

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ARTICLES FOR THE CROSSING

Please submit articles for your monthly CDCTS newsletter, *THE CROSSING*. Deadline for articles is the 20th of each month. Send your article by email to: coyjbays@gmail.com.

RATED DRESSAGE SHOW - TRI-STATE, CLEVELAND, TN



CDCTS member Liz Wager on Huckleberry.



Tosi looking forward to a great day at Tri-State.



CDCTS member Anne Titus and Tosi.



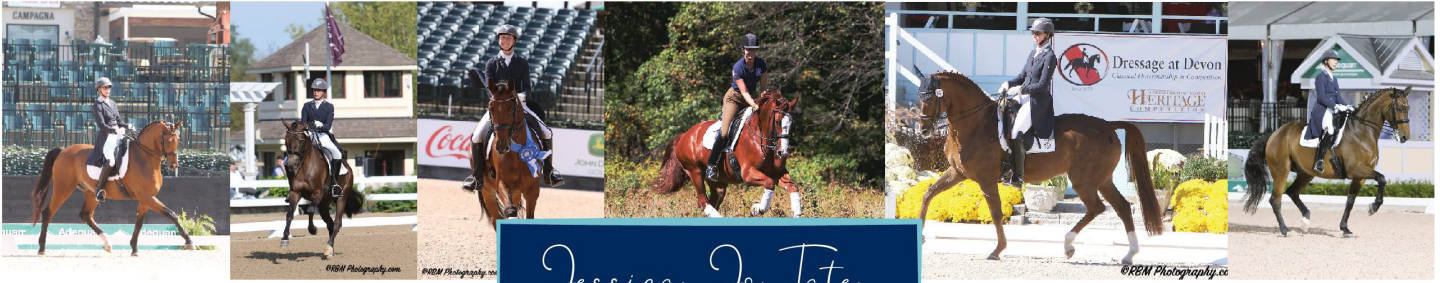
Julie Hall and Rudy. High Point Morgan Horse and Reserve Champion AA of the rated dressage show at Tri-State.



The Topperhill Gang! Dru Adams, Trish Burns, Anne Titus and Julie Hall. Lots of Blue ribbons and Awards!



Julie Hall with Trish Burns. Rudy and Yogi discussing the game plan.



Jessica Jo Tate

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NOV 28 & 29
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Wild Rose Farm
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 Walworth, Wisconsin 53184
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MAPLE PARK, ILLINOIS ➤
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Paulina 630.639.1093
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 Maple Park, Illinois 6015
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MALTA ILLINOIS
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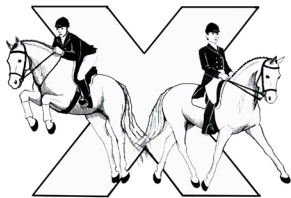


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Crossroads Dressage and Combined Training Society

2021 Membership Application



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First Name: _____ Middle Initial: ____ Last Name: _____ USDF#: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Primary Phone: () _____ Secondary Phone: () _____

Primary Email address: _____

Birth date: _____ (required by USDF for all riders under 21 years of age, and requested for those over 21 years old to assist in limiting doubled entries at USDF)

I would like to Join: ____ /Renew: ____ Crossroads Dressage and Combined training Society for the membership year 1 December 2020—30 November 2021 in the following category:

a. Charter Member (Founding member of the club whose membership has not lapsed) _____ X \$23.00 _____

b. Adult Member (Over 21 years old as of January 1, 2021) _____ X \$52.00 _____

c. Junior/Young Rider Member (21 years old or younger as of January 1, 2021) _____ X \$28.00 _____

d. Family Membership (\$52 Primary Member + \$13.00 per each additional member) _____ X \$52.00 _____
 _____ X \$13.00 _____

ARE YOU PAYING WITH PAYPAL? IF YES, ADD \$2.00

Total: _____

List the Additional Family Members below:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

I would like to volunteer to support the club in the following areas:

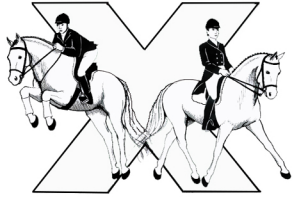
Horse shows: ____ Scribe, ____ Scorer, ____ Runner, ____ Ring Steward, ____ Concessions, _____ Set up and Tear Down, ____ Hospitality

Other: ____ Phone Contacts, ____ Committees, ____ Board Member, ____ Write for Newsletter, ____ Publish newsletter, ____ Website, ____ Sell Advertising, OTHER: _____

Please make your check payable to CDCTS and return to:

Susan Hill, CDCTS Secretary
7500 Fairview Road
Lenoir City, TN 37771

Office action: Date Received: _____
Check #: _____
Amount: _____



Crossroads Dressage and Combined Training Society 2021 Professional/Business Membership Application



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Professional/Business membership dues are determined annually by the board. For 2021, there is no fee to become a Professional/Business Member of CDCTS.

Primary Contact: First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____

Business Name (if applicable): _____

Mailing or Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Primary Phone: () _____ **Secondary Phone:** () _____

Primary Email address: _____

I would like to Join: ____ /Renew: ____ Crossroads Dressage and Combined training Society for the membership year 1 December 2020—30 November 2021 as a **Professional or Business Member (please select one)**

- a. I/we wish to provide a lecture or training series with the following details:

- b. I/we wish to sponsor a class in a CDCTS Schooling Show for the following amount _____ or with the following goods and/or services _____. Please select Spring or Fall Show or both.

- c. I/we wish to sponsor a _____ (trophy, ribbons, neck sashes, etc) in a schooling show. Please select Spring or Fall Show or both.

- d. I/we wish to sponsor a year end award. Please specify which award and amount.

- e. I/we wish to support the club in another manner. Please specify below:

Please fill your form out and mail it to:

Susan Hill, CDCTS Secretary
7500 Fairview Rd
Lenoir City, TN 37771

Office action: Date Received: _____

2020 - 2021 EVENTS

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Awards Banquet. January 23, 2021, Buddy's Banquet Hall on Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN

Next Meeting
December 8, 2020
Merryhour Farm, Alcoa, TN



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CDCTS is a USDF Group Member Organization that caters to dressage and combined training (eventing) riders and enthusiasts in the Knoxville area and throughout East Tennessee.

By joining CDCTS, you will be on the fast track to learning about shows, clinics and other great educational opportunities in our area. You will get to meet other like-minded, horse loving people, and you will become part of a group that is continually working to promote dressage and eventing in your area.

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