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From Your President

Fall Fun Day 2023 was a success! 20 riders came and enjoyed the trip around River Glen, wearing lots of great costumes and concluding with the Wine/Whine by the Barrel team race. Thanks to everyone who participated and of course, all the wonderful volunteers! Kacy was an absolute rock star, bringing her husband Stefan Friday as she designed and they set up the jump course and then as an all around helper on Saturday. Dave McAdoo and his 4 wheel drive truck helped me mark the course on Friday, then he picked up all the pink ribbons on Saturday and helped pack up everything back in the trailer. Lynn and John are keepers of the CDCTS trailer and bring it to our venues and then take it home. My friends Janice and Candi helped with timing and the water hazard and Candi also jump judged. Julie is our grill cleaner, helped jump judge, took pictures during the Wine by the Barrel race and helped clean up at the end. Mike and Diane were chef and sous chef and fed us well. We can't do the events without volunteers. Make plans to volunteer at our events next year.

2024 Events (so far)—mark your calendars!

Annual Banquet January 27 at Bearden Banquet Hall; Spring Schooling Show, May 4, location TBD; Summer schooling show, June 15, at Walnut Grove Stables; Fall Schooling show, September 28, location TBD; Fall Fun Day, October 26, @River Glen.

The end of the 2023 show year is rapidly approaching. Your scores must be in November 30 to qualify for year end awards at our annual banquet, January 27.

Renew your membership for the December 1, 2023 - November 30, 2024 membership year. If you renew by November 10, you can save \$5 off your membership fee. Include your vouchers if using them to pay for membership. Snail mail them to me or if using Paypal, let Kacy know what you are paying for and then email me your actual membership form.

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From Your President - CONTINUED

Annual Banquet, January 27, 2024. If you have vouchers from previous volunteering, you can use them to pay for 2024 membership and/or the January 27 annual awards banquet. Those vouchers expire after the 2024 annual banquet. Start thinking of who you can get to donate items or services to our silent auction. Horsey (or people) massages, farrier work, vet services, no longer needed tack (gently used) are all popular auction items. I will be donating bottles of my homemade Kahlua, Amaretto and Bailey's in case previous winners of these items were wondering!

We will be voting for new members of the board at the annual banquet. The president, secretary and treasurer positions are open as well as having places for board members at large and alternates. Please consider serving on the board and help out CDCTS! Let any one of the current board members know of your interest. FYI, you earn 11 volunteer hours just by serving on the board!

The CDCTS board welcomes any ideas our members have for seminars, clinics, and other events you would like to see us present. Contact any board member with your ideas!

Until next month, Happy Riding!

Carolyn Ordal,

CDCTS President

CDCTS MEETING MINUTES, OCTOBER 10, 2023

Call to Order: President Carolyn Ordal called the meeting to order at 7 p.m.

Approval of the Minutes: Rita Dunn made a motion to approve the minutes and Lynn Holtman seconded. The September minutes were approved by all.

Treasurer's Report: Kacy Schanke provided the treasurer's report. Lynn Holtman made a motion to approve the treasurer's report as presented. Susan Hill seconded the motion and it was approved by all.

Old Business:

Membership Committee Report

Updates were provided.

Show Committee

Fall Schooling Show:

- Went well. Waiting for a replacement check from Jesse Krusenklous. Everyone's help is appreciated.
- CDCTS jumps are still at The Stables. A placed is needed to keep them and someone to pick them up. Susan Hill offered to store them if we can get them to her farm.

Fall Fun Day, October 28:

- Volunteers are needed (of course)!
- Friday: Set up, marking course, marking jumps, set up secretary and concessions areas.
- Saturday: Timers, person at water hazard/ fun stop on course; jump judges, tear down/clean up. Mike Sullivan and Diane Carlson are doing concessions. Need lots of picture takers!!!

2024 Shows:

- Carolyn Ordal emailed Debbie Schwartz and asked her to be judge for Summer Schooling Show, June 2024 at Walnut Grove Stables.
- A suggestion was made for the Stables at the Main for the Spring Schooling Show, May 2024.
- More time is provided for determining a location of the 2024 Fall Schooling Show.

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CDCTS MEETING MINUTES, SEPTEMBER 12, 2023 - CONTINUED

January 27, 2024 Banquet

- Banquet organizer is needed. Includes ordering prizes/ribbons; tallying year end awards and documentation; silent auction; sending out e-vite to members; etc.
- \$250 nonrefundable deposit for the Bearden Banquet Hall has been paid.
- Clarification regarding nominations for new board needs to be obtained.
- Need to recruit new board members.

New Business:

- Brainstorming session for 2024 programs and activities on November 12 at home of Coy Jo Bays.
 - Do we want to add a Working Equitation obstacle play day to calendar?
 - Seminars? Clinics? Ideas for 2024?
- Lining up a speaker for the banquet is the current high priority.

Meeting Adjourned at 8 p.m.

Upcoming Events Through November 2023

- CDCTS Fall Fun Day—October 28, River Glen, closing date October 23, 2023
- River Glen Horse Trials—November 10-12, 2023

2024 Events

Annual banquet January 27, 2024 at Bearden Banquet Hall
Spring Schooling Show, May 4, 2024; location TBD
Summer Schooling Show, June 15, 2024 Walnut Grove Stables
Fall Schooling Show, September 28, 2024; location TBD
Fall Fun Day, October 26, 2024 at River Glen

CLUB MEMBER NEWS



**Dara Lindner on Ron Gregory
with Jim Koford
at
Tryon Fall Dressage
October 27-28, 2023
Mill Spring, North Carolina**

Fall Fun Day 2023 Results

Class 1 - Walkers

Merry Hour Devil Monsters - 1st, Allie Kahl, Melissa Feinbaum and Cat Owings

Spooky Pookies - 1st-2nd, Kristen Mobley and Lily Eddidin

Linda Bird and Toni Corn - 3rd

Butterfly + - 1st- 4th, Steve Lloyd and Jessica Prigge

Class 1 - Hilltoppers

Fusterclucks - 1st, Anne Hatfield, Lisa Bailey-Cox and Emily Fjosee

Hideaway - 1st-2nd, Dawn James, Kennedy Jones, Emma Hayes and James Wolfenbarger

Longear Ladies - 3rd, Brittany Phillips and Lauren Dutton

Spooky Pookies - 2nd-4th, Ave McKeehan, Wren Wilcox and Emma Wilcox

Class 3 - Fast 'n furious

Hideaway 2 - 1st, Dawn James and Tiffany Metcalf

Class 4 - Jumpers

Class 5 - Costumes

1st, Emma Wilcox

2nd, Wren Wilcox

3rd, Jessica Prigge

4th, Merry Hour Devil Monsters - Melissa Feinbaum, Cat Owings and Allie Kahl

5th, Kristen Mobley

Class 7 - Wine/Whine by the Barrel

Hideaway 3 - 1st, Tiffany Metcalf and Kennedy Jones

Longear Ladies - 2nd, Brittany Phillips and Lauren Dutton

Hideaway 1 - 3rd, Dawn James and Sky Morse

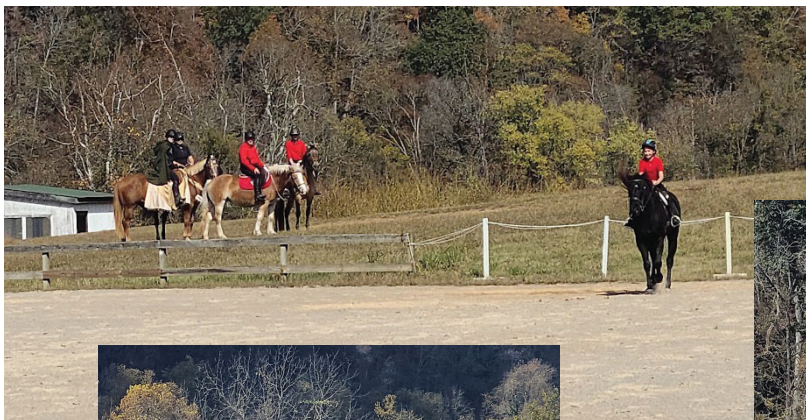
Hideaway 2 - 1st, Dawn James and Sky Morse

Spooky Pookies 2nd - Wren Wilcox and Ava McKeehan

Haley Hernandez - 3rd

FALL FUN DAY

OCTOBER 28, 2023; RIVER GLEN EQUESTRIAN PARK



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OCTOBER 28, 2023; RIVER GLEN EQUESTRIAN PARK- CONTINUED



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OCTOBER 28, 2023; RIVER GLEN EQUESTRIAN PARK - CONTINUED



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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: cdctsnews@gmail.com.

NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2023 CALENDARS

November 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10 River Glen Horse Trials	11 River Glen Horse Trials
12 CDCTS Board Work Session River Glen Horse Trials	13	14 CDCTS Board Meeting	15	16 Jim Koford Clinic	17 Jim Koford Clinic	18 Jim Koford Clinic
19 Jim Koford Clinic	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

December 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 CDCTS Board Meeting	13	14 Jim Koford Clinic	15 Jim Koford Clinic	16 Jim Koford Clinic
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24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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2023 EVENTS

- **Jim Koford Clinic's 2023:** 11/16-19; 12/14-17
- **River Glen Horse Trials:** 11/10-12, 2023 at River Glen Equestrian Park, New Market, TN

2024

- **CDCTS Annual Banquet:** January 27, 2024 at Bearden Banquet Hall, Kingston Pike, Knoxville, 6:30 p.m.
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Next Meeting December 12, 2023

Calhoun's Restaurant

(Pellissippi/Kingston Pike Intersection)

10020 Kingston Pike, Knoxville, TN

6 p.m. for dinner, 7 p.m. for meeting



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.

In addition, by joining CDCTS, you automatically become a Group Member of USDF, which provides you with many additional benefits in the dressage arena.

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By joining, you also receive complimentary issues of the award winning *USDF Connection*.



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**Crossroads Dressage and Combined Training Society
2024 Membership Application**



CDCTS membership year is 1 Dec 2023-30 Nov 2024. After 1 Dec, the effective date of membership begins the day the form and correct dues reach the CDCTS Secretary at the address below. CDCTS is a USDF GMO and its members are automatically USDF Group Members. For Participating Membership, members must apply directly to USDF. \$24.00 of your primary GMO membership fee goes directly to USDF for your Group Membership. Electronic copies of CDCTS applications will be held until funds are received.

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 2023—30 November 2024 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, 2023) _____ X \$52.00 _____
- c. Junior/Young Rider Member (21 years old or younger as of January 1, 2023) _____ X \$28.00 _____
- d. Family Membership (\$52 Primary Member + \$13.00 per each additional member) _____ X \$52.00 _____
 _____ X \$13.00 _____
- e. Early Bird Discount (Payment before November 10, 2023) **deduct \$5.00** _____ -\$5.00 _____

ARE YOU PAYING WITH PAYPAL? IF YES, ADD \$2.00 _____
 (cdctsort@gmail.com) Total: _____

List the Additional Family Members below:

Name: _____ Phone #: () _____

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

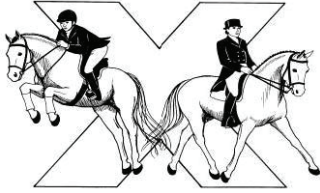
Horse shows: ___ Scribe, ___ Scorer, ___ Runner, ___ Ring Steward, ___ Concessions, _____ Set up and Tear Down, ___ Hospitality

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:

Carolyn Ordal
 2100 Harris Road
 Knoxville, TN 37924
 (Carolyn.Ordal@YouthVillages.org)

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



**Crossroads Dressage and Combined Training Society
2024 Professional or Business Application**



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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: _____

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- 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:

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Office action: Date Received: _____