



2022 Spirit of Long Island Drill Team



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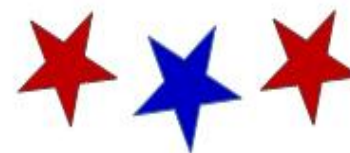


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Mounted Drill Team



"The Spirit of Long Island"



We open for the IHA horse shows with flag presentations and perform at various events across Long Island. We also compete in national drill team competitions. Come watch us practice every Wednesday evening at the Bohemia Equestrian Center. Check our webpage and Facebook page for details on where we will be next and how you can become a member or sponsor!

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The Islip Horsemen's Association, Inc.
Spirit of Long Island Mounted Drill Team
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The Islip Horseman's Association Inc. is a non-profit organization sponsoring the continued appreciation and education for both it's members and the public.

NOW IN ITS FORTY-FOURTH SEASON! "The Spirit of Long Island" was formed in 1978 by IHA member, John Jorgensen who was a member of the New York City Mounted Police Unit.

The team is currently being coached by Loretta Hall who continues with the team's tradition of keeping the American spirit alive.

The drill team is made up of riders of all disciplines, some of whom have been with the team for over 10 years. Over the years our horses have ranged in age from 4 years to an impressive 33 years old and included such breeds as Quarter horse, Thoroughbred, Appaloosa, Hanoverian Cross, Morgan, Tennessee Walking horse, Paso Fino, Welsh pony, Arabian, Paint and many more. The riders and their horses maintain a high level of discipline, resilience and a strong determination to achieve excellence.

Throughout the year the team performs at local fairs, various horse shows and participates in parades across Long Island. We have had the privilege of performing at both Belmont and Saratoga Race and each year on Labor Day we have the Honor of performing for the Veterans at the VA Hospital in Northport. From 2004 - 2006 we held the title of Northeastern Regional Drill Team Champions and in 2009 more than a few dreams were realized when we were invited to participate in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.

"The Spirit of Long Island" Mounted Drill Team enjoys showing that a little hard work and lots of fun can result in a performance that not only entertains but is also an excellent example of good horsemanship.



The IHA Mounted Drill Team would like to thank all of our generous supporters for sponsoring our 2022 performance season. The Islip Horsemen's Association Inc. is a non-profit organization and we rely upon the generosity of our members and the sponsoring public to support our good works. When you are considering places to eat, shop, or have various improvements in your life or home, please consider our team sponsors first.

A special thank you to our announcer John Laguzzi, and to Lou Maggio and Gary D'Amaro for their videos and photos.

Also, thank you to Theresa & Steve Mansbart and Denise Ryder for their work on this booklet, and Salli & Lou Maggio for printing it.

A special thank you to our wonderful "roadies"

And to our friends and families, thank you, without all of your love and support we could not succeed.

Thank you for coming to see us today, we hope we have given you a performance you won't soon forget!





Fr Charles and Laurie wish a safe and successful season for the Spirit of Long Island Mounted Drill Team. They pray that all those that witness the team perform be reminded of the blessings that God created for us, and in particular the country in which we live. We thank all those that protect and defend us. God bless all the Drill Team volunteers, riders and their steeds. Amen

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The IHA Spirit of Long Island mounted drill team is looking for riders of any discipline who want to have a great time riding in parades and drill performances!

All types of riders welcome, we just ask that you have the confidence and know how to control your horse (walk, trot, canter, back, etc.). No drill team experience necessary. Team training is provided! Practices are held at the Bohemia Equestrian Center on Sycamore Avenue in Bohemia on **Wednesdays, 5:45 pm to 7:15 pm.**



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- Salli & Lou

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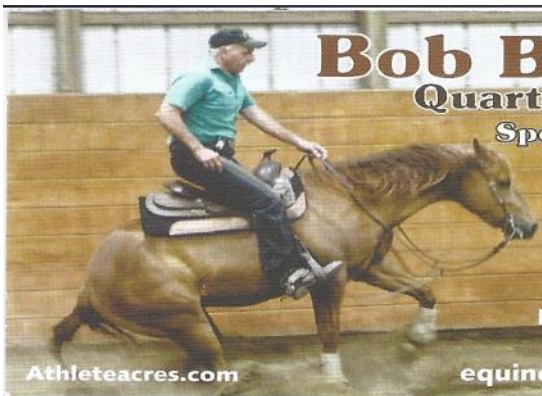
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Mary and Champ wish all their fellow drill team horses the best of luck in the 2022 season! Let's ROCK and ROLL!

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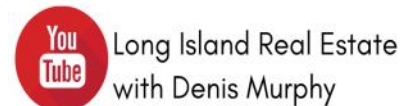


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