

### **UPCOMING DATES TO NOTE:**

- March 1 IEA Regional Finals at Elvenstar in Moorpark
- March 13 15 Surf and Turf 2 County Show at Blenheim
- March 18 22 Blenheim Spring Classic Week 1
- March 21 22 IEA Zone Finals in Rancho Murieta, CA
- March 25 29 Blenheim Spring Classic Week 2
- April 1 5 Blenheim Spring Classic Week 3; USHJA International Hunter & Pony Hunter Derby
- April 8 12 Blenheim Spring Classic Week 4
- April 15 19 Longines FEI Jumping World Cup Final, Las Vegas, NV

- April 17 19 IEA Nationals, LA Equestrian Center
- May 15 17 Surf and Turf Show 3 at Blenheim

### Barn Hours:

Monday - Closed Tuesday - Friday from 9am - 6pm Saturday from 8am - 4pm Sunday from 8am - 2pm

CLICK HERE to check out the Bridges Training Stable Website



### WELCOME TO THE BARN

We are pleased to welcome another new Bridges Training Stable team member and her family to the barn this month.

Lauren Cosgrove has been riding at Bridges Equestrian and on the IEA Team. Lauren is in 8th Grade at St. Mary's School. She is starting her halflease on Willow on March 1st. Please welcome Lauren, her mom Stephanie, and her dad Doug to the BTS family!

### LONGINES FEI JUMPING WORLD CUP FINAL

For those of you who love horses and Las Vegas...then you will LOVE that the Equestrian World Cup is being held in Nevada this year.

The Equestrian World Cup runs from April 15 - 19, 2020. All session tickets are on sale now and single session tickets go on sale starting March 3, 2020.

### CLICK HERE TO VISIT THE WORLD CUP WEBSITE

	Wednesday, April 15, 2020
9:30am	Longines FEI Jumping World Cup™ Warm-Up
1:40pm	FEI Dressage World Cup™ Warm-Up
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	<u>Thursday, April 16, 2020</u>
Noon	FEI Dressage World Cup™ Grand Prix
7:00pm	Longines FEI Jumping World Cup™ Final I
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	<u>Friday, April 17, 2020</u>
7:30am	FEI Dressage World Cup™ Freestyle Rehearsal
1:00pm	Devoucoux Dressage Showcase
7:00pm	Longines FEI Jumping World Cup™ Final II
	Saturday, April 18, 2020
Noon	Las Vegas Jumping Grand Prix
7:00pm	FEI Dressage World Cup™ Final (Freestyle)
	Sunday April 10, 2020
	<u>Sunday, April 19, 2020</u>
Noon	Longines FEI Jumping World Cup™ Final III
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### **OC-IEL SEASON UPDATE**



CLICK HERE TO VISIT THE OCIEL HOMEPAGE







Congratulations to the Bridges IEL Team! The season awards banquet was held last weekend and here are some of the season highlights:

Novice Hunt Seat Lucia Giacinto - Champion in Novice Equitation Over Fences and Hunter Under Saddle. Reserve Champion Novice OCIEL Medal. Reserve Champion Novice Hunter Individual.

### Freshman Hunt Seat

Peyton Dopf - Champion in Freshman Equitation Over Fences, Hunter Under Saddle, Hunt Seat Equitation. Reserve Champion in Working Hunters. Champion Freshman Hunter Individual. Champion English Over-all High Point Individual.

**Lily Muzzy** - **Reserve Champion** for Hunt Seat Equitation and **Champion** for the OCIEL Medal.

### Junior Varsity Jumpers

**Claire Janda - Champion** in JV Jumpers Timed First Jump Off and the Jumper Classic. **Reserve Champion** in JV Jumpers Optimum Time.

Emma Khacherian - Champion in JV Jumpers Optimum Time, Jumpers Timed First Round. **Reserve** Champion in JV Jumpers Timed First Jump Off and the Jumper Classic. Champion JV Jumper Individual.

Dressage Rowan Smark - Champion in



Dressage Training Level Test I and Test 2. **Reserve Champion** in Dressage Training Level Test 3. **Reserve Champion** in Freshman Dressage High Point Individual. **Reserve Champion** in Dressage Over-All High Point Individual.

Kendra Bridges earned Trainer of the Year for the JV Division

### INTERSCHOLASTIC EQUESTRIAN ASSOCIATION TEAM UPDATE

Our Bridges Equestrian "IEA" Team is ready for the Regional Finals scheduled for **March 1, 2020** at Elvenstar in Moorpark.

The Zone Finals are scheduled for **March 21-21, 2020** in Rancho Murieta, California. This year the National Finals are scheduled to take place in Los Angeles on April 18-19, 2020. Go Team Bridges!



#### Congratulations to the Bridges Equestrian IEA Team 2020 Regional Final Qualifiers

Class	Rider	Points
3 Varsity Intermediate OF	Keira Yost	18
3 Varsity Intermediate OF	Rowan Smark	17
5 JV Novice OF XRails	Sophie Fidler	20
5 JV Novice OFXRails	Mia Parker	16
6 JV Novice on the Flat	Sophie Fidler	18
6 JV Novice on the Flat	Tessa Daniels	16
6 JV Novice on the Flat	Mia Parker	16
13 JV Beg WTC	Isabella Yencho	19
Middle School Team		
Class	Rider	Points
9T Future Intermediate OF	Kate Parker	Team
9 Future Intermediate OF	Kate Parker	25
9 Future Intermediate OF	Peyton Dopf	15
10T Future Intermediate on the Flat	Kate Parker	
10 Future Intermediate on the Flat	Kate Parker	31
10 Future Intermediate on the Flat	Peyton Dopf	16
11T Future Novice OF XRails	Lily Muzzy	
11 Future Novice OF XRails	Lily Muzzy	23
11 Future Novice OF XRails	Mila Slutzky	23
11 Future Novice OF XRails	Lucy Donchess	21
11 Future Novice OF XRails	Camryn Fisher	21
12T Future Novice on the Flat	Lily Muzzy	
12 Future Novice on the Flat	Camryn Fisher	24
12 Future Novice on the Flat	Lily Muzzy	24
12 Future Novice on the Flat	Lucy Donchess	21
12 Future Novice on the Flat	Mila Slutzky	21
13T Future Beginner on the Flat	Carly Messer	
13 Future Beginner on the Flat	Carly Messer	31
13 Future Beginner on the Flat	Ever Burns	25
13 Future Beginner on the Flat	Julianna Kornegay	23
13 Future Beginner on the Flat	Lauren Cosgrove	16



### DESERT INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW - WEEK 5

This past weekend Ally and Tulip, Kate and Tino, and Lily and Prince showed with Devon at the Desert International Horse Show - Week V. The weather was perfect and the horses and riders came ready to play!

All three riders enjoyed a wonderful week of showing featuring some awesome new experiences, new tack(check out Tulip's custom saddle pad in the photo), new



heights, and new partnerships.

Way to go Team Bridges!

### **BLENHEIM SPRING SERIES**

On March 18th the Blenheim Equisports Spring Classic begins. This A show runs for 4 weeks. CLICK HERE to reference the schedule for Week 1.

See the sign-up sheets in the barn office and please add your name or the rider's name if you plan on participating. We will send out an invoice for a \$200 non-refundable deposit per week toward rail fees to secure your place in the shows. We need a minimum of 3 riders for our barn to participate.

## **BLENHEIM EQUISPORTS**

BLENHEIM SPRING CLASSIC 1 March 18 – 22, 2020 USEF "National" and Jumper 4s Rated BLENHEIM SPRING CLASSIC 2 March 25 – 29, 2020 FEI CS1 3, USEF "Premier," Jumper 4s Rated BLENHEIM SPRING CLASSIC 3 April 1 – 5, 2020 BLENHEIM SPRING CLASSIC 4 April 8 – 12, 2020 FEI CSI 27: USF Promin, "USHJA WCHR, Jumper '4" Rated SHOWPARK SPRING FESTIVAL April 23 – 26, 2020 USFF "National" and Jumper '2" Rated SHOWPARK RANCH & COAST CLASSIC @ BLENHEIM May 5 – 10, 2020 USFF "Promine", USHJA WCHR, Jumper '4" Rated

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### **GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Plaid Horse continues to provide great information for equestrians. Check out this article titled **10** *Equestrian Grants or Scholarships Every Rider Should Know About.* 

### **Click Here for Article**

### IEA HORSEMANSHIP PROGRAM

The IEA Online Horsemanship Program is only \$15 for all IEA Riders and allows riders to use the regular season to prepare for the post-season Horsemanship Tests that are available at Regional Finals, Zone Finals, and Nationals. This is a great opportunity to put your horse knowledge to the test and win some prizes along the way!



Check out the IEA Website for More Information



### **NEW PARTNERSHIPS**

This past month some of our riders welcomed new partners to the barn.

Ashley Andersen loves her new horse Midsummer Reverie "Reverie". The pair showed at the Surf and Turf Show in mid February and looked fabulous as a team!



Paige Janda also welcomed her new partner "Cairo" . Photo to follow soon!

### IN-BARN FULL AND HALF LEASES AVAILABLE

We currently have three horses available for in barn full or half lease at Bridges Training Stable.

See our new "Available for





Lease" page on the Bridges Training Stable website by CLICKING HERE

### PARENTS' GUIDE FOR HAVING AND MODELING CALM AND CONFIDENCE AT THE HORSE SHOW

LINK to ARTICLE from THE PLAID HORSE

With the local show season starting at Blenheim, this article from our friends at *The Plaid Horse* is both timely and helpful for parents.



### USEF MEMBERSHIP RENEWALS

If you are planning to compete at a licensed competition (any A show), it is important to make sure you are an active competing member before the show begins.

RENEW YOUR USEF MEMBERSHIP HERE

### **2020 SHOW CALENDAR**

We have prepared a google calendar that includes the dates of several local shows and team member birthdays. This calendar can be used for your planning purposes for the 2020 season!



**CALENDAR LINK** 

## **TEAM FAN SWAG**



### BTS TEAM WEAR.... SHOW YOUR TEAM SPIRIT

It's not too late to order BTS Team swag and fan wear. Follow this link to The Perfect Impression to order directly.

LINK TO PERFECT IMPRESSION