

DRESSAGE CLINIC *with* ELIZABETH BRAVERMAN Sunday, March 21, 2010

BIOGRAPHY

ELIZABETH TRAINS RIDERS AND HORSES IN THE DISCIPLINE OF DRESSAGE. HER QUALIFICATIONS INCLUDE 23 YEARS OF RIDING EXPERIENCE AND 21 YEARS OF COMPETITION.

DRESSAGE HAS ALWAYS BEEN HER FAVORED RIDING DISCIPLINE; HOWEVER LIZ HAS EXPERIENCE COMPETING IN HORSE TRIALS. SHE HAS COMPETED SUCCESSFULLY FROM THE LEVELS OF ELEMENTARY TO PRELIMINARY. IN DRESSAGE, SHE HAS COMPETED THROUGH THE PRIX ST. GEORGE CHAMPIONSHIPS AND SCHOOLED THE GRAND PRIX MOVEMENTS.



AT AGE TWENTY-TWO, SHE COMPETED HER THOROUGHBRED, MERCI AT THE PRIX ST. GEORGE REGION 8 CHAMPIONSHIPS AND FINISHED SIXTH OVERALL. MERCI ALSO RECEIVED AN AWARD FOR THE HIGHEST SCORING THOROUGHBRED AT THE FEI LEVEL IN THE 2004 NEDA FALL DRESSAGE SHOW. LIZ PURCHASED MERCI WHEN HE WAS FIVE AS AN EX-RACEHORSE AND THEY HAVE COMPETED IN HORSE TRIALS STARTING AT NOVICE THROUGH PRELIMINARY.

LIZ HAS RIDDEN A BROAD SPECTRUM OF HORSES, BEGINNING WITH NEWLY BACKED HORSES – AS WELL AS ADVANCED EVENT HORSES WITH MARK WEISSBECKER, AN INTERNATIONAL FOUR-STAR EVENT RIDER, AND GRAND PRIX DRESSAGE HORSES WITH DAVID COLLINS, A GRAND PRIX DRESSAGE RIDER. SHE ALSO STUDIED EXTENSIVELY WITH KIM WALNES, WHO SPENT EIGHT YEARS ON THE UNITED STATES EQUESTRIAN TEAM. DURING HER YEARS AT YORK COLLEGE IN PENNSYLVANIA, SHE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY WITH EVENTER, JIM KOFORD AND THREE-TIME OLYMPIAN, JESSICA RANSEHOUSEN. IN ADDITION, SHE HAS RIDDEN IN CLINICS WITH OLYMPIAN, LENDON GREY AND THE FEI JUDGE, DR. VOLKER MORITZ.

CLINIC INFORMATION:

THE CLINIC WILL FOCUS ON IMPROVING THE BASIC FUNDAMENTALS OF DRESSAGE. ELIZABETH WILL HELP IDENTIFY THE UNIQUE STRENGTHS AND AREAS OF IMPROVEMENT FOR BOTH HORSE AND RIDER. THE FOCUS OF ELIZABETH'S TRAINING METHODS IS TO DEVELOP A POSITIVE HEALTHY CONNECTION BETWEEN HORSE AND RIDER.

- **FIRST GROUP WILL START AT 1:00PM**
- **EACH ONE HOUR SESSION IS OPEN TO RIDERS OF ALL LEVELS. 2 RIDERS PER GROUP.**
- **RIDERS WILL BE PAIRED BASED ON ABILITY AND HORSE**
- **PRICE IS \$65 PER PERSON BASED ON 2 RIDERS IN A GROUP.**

**RIDER PARTICIPATION AND GROUPS ARE LIMITED SO PLEASE SIGN UP EARLY TO RECEIVE YOUR RESERVED
time!!!!**

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