

Manitoba Horse Trials

Fall 2003

Newsletter



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After a long and busy summer, the fall issue of the Manitoba Horse Trials newsletters is finally out! Any interest in additions or submissions to future newsletters may be forwarded to Lindy Norris at (204) 222-6731 or (204) 955-2223. Results from the seasons events will follow in next newsletter.

A 2nd set of bursaries for the 2003 year were recently announced by Eventing Canada, to be awarded for youth eventing athletes between the ages of 14 and 21. Five \$1000 bursaries will be awarded to individuals, based on assessments of financial need, equestrian experience and equestrian goals. Please visit www.eventingcanada.com for more information and for applications to the scholarship.

**MHT ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:
OCTOBER 15TH @ 7:30 p.m.
TWIN BARREL RESTAURANT, OAKBANK**

Any person wishing to participate, or take part in any subjects regarding the 2004 event schedule and related matters may attend. If you would like to attend but are unable, please e-mail Lindy Norris at lindy_norris@hotmail.com to obtain minutes.

The following names have been put forward for the 2004 MHT executive. If you would like have your vote counted, please attend the AGM. The names are: Bob Kurylko, Lynne Kurylko, Lindy Norris, Nancy Norris, Geri Sweet, Jan Stephens, Sheila Deane, and perhaps Teri Moehring.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS! Horse Trials will begin a rigorous approach volunteer recruitment for next year's show season – including **all** MHT members. Specifically, a poor turn out for cross-country course grooming has prompted more severe penalties for not attending work parties. Please be prepared: a course map and further information will be sent out to all members in the spring.

To increase sponsorship and heighten awareness of Manitoba Horse Trials, MHT will be launching a new sponsorship campaign for the 2004 Show Season. Everyone is expected to branch out where they can to find companies or individuals interested in doing so. Several equestrian organizations function with assistance from its members who obtain sponsors; and with everyone's help the events will only get better! More information on this campaign is to follow after the show season winds down.

All results from the 2003 eventing show season are in, and the high point champions are as follows:

PRELIM: N/A

TRAINING: 1. Montgomery 2. Kish Mir

PRETRAINING: 1. Preacher 2. A Patchy Warrior

NOVICE: 1. Gypsy Rose 2. Ali Sharp

Any questions or concerns regarding the allocation points or placings may be directed to Geri Sweet.

Congratulations to everyone for a successful eventing season!

An Alberta resident in the eventing discipline has decided to branch into Manitoba with her own products to Western Canadian eventers. The FLY SHEET NECK GUARD, ONLY \$65.00, attaches easily to d-rings on blankets. Contact Candy at (780) 459-3405 or e-mail her at 1CANDY@TELUS.NET.