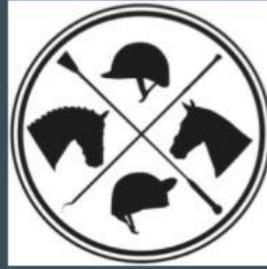


THE NEWS

AUGUST 2021



North Carolina Dressage and Combined Training Association

Member to Member: Awesome Arenas

By Tonya Bruno, Data Compiled by Lynn Leath

Anyone who has built or maintains a riding arena knows that the struggle is real! It is almost a living entity unto itself and requires a great deal of planning and maintenance.

Lynn Leath embarked on a wonderful project of gathering information from a variety of NCDCTA Members regarding their experiences with their own Arenas. From Amateurs to Professionals, there are some great points made by your fellow NCDCTA Members. Thanks to Lynn Leath for getting these responses! Thank you to all who responded and were willing to share.

It's all about the...Base!

Nancy Sharpless of Chestnut Oak Farm, Climax, NC - our arena has a screenings (the fines from the process of crushing blue stone) base of several inches over graded clay. We started by having it graded with one of the big motor graders that have the blade in the middle. That type of grader grades much more smoothly and evenly (no little waves) than other types of equipment. Getting the base smooth with a slight crown and drainage away from the ring is extremely important and must be done before applying footing. I can't emphasize enough the importance of getting the base right before applying footing. Then we got the screenings and had them graded and slightly crowned with the same grader.

Bridget Gibbons of Buckhorn farm - on their previous arena in Apex: We had a big challenge with the underlying soils, which were white/beige clay, "Augusta soils" base Great for making porcelain, but not for an arena base, as they were very plastic, and did not drain at all. To fix that situation, we had to till in, with a huge roto-tiller tractor attachment, many cubic yards of screenings. Glenn Petty made recommendations for fixing base. When they moved Buckhorn Farms to Southern Pines the sand/clay base is a great draining soil and dust is kept down. The grass jumping arenas are super and I think the horses prefer them. They do have to be mowed in warm months and we have to be careful after heavy rains.

Ellen Ziemer of Pura Vida farms, Bahama, NC - the base was prepared by another contractor and was graded down to clay and had a 6" layer of gravel.

Lynn and Keni Kerin of Brookside Farms, Fuquay-Varina, NC - the base is over packed screenings and a crowned clay base.

Amy Brumbach, Durham, NC - our arena has a wonderful clay base with 6" of screenings as the base.

Karen Rourk - an adult amateur with a private farm used 6" sandstone as a base.

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2021 NCDCTA Spring Survey -Part 2

By: Tonya Bruno

Part 2 we look at questions addressing the Newsletter and the Website and how our membership uses the website.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the 2021 Spring Survey for the North Carolina Dressage & Combined Training Association.

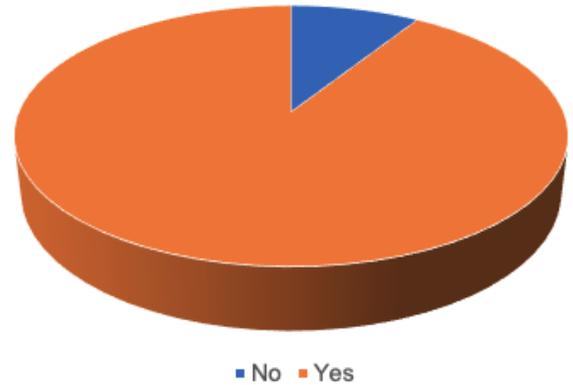
We had 115 people respond to our Survey – We were very excited to get this response, consider it a success and a good start!

The full results will be shared with the NCDCTA Board of Directors, and the information learned will be considered for future decisions and possible actions of committees.

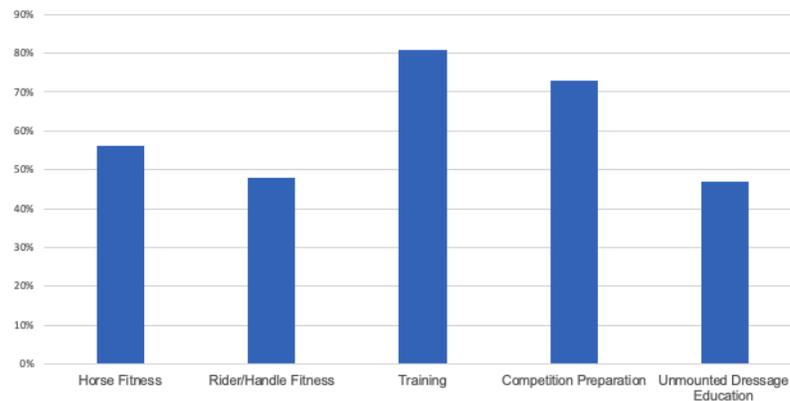
Just because the survey is over does not mean with are not open to suggestions and new ideas!

Please email me with any thoughts you might have: media@ncdcta.org

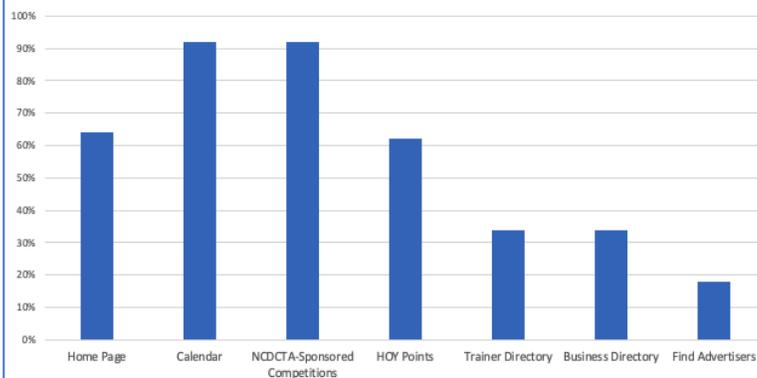
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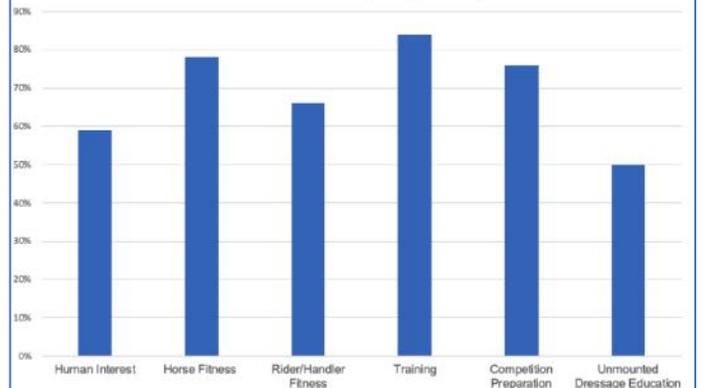
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Bringing A Guest Horse

By: Carole Wertz

This year for the Capital Dressage Classic show I brought my 4-year-old gelding, Hyperdrive, as a guest horse. Han, as he is known around the barn, has been on lots of trail rides and has gone to a breed show for in hand showing. It was now time for him to learn what a dressage show is all about.

A show is a different experience than a lesson off property or a trail ride. There is nervous energy in the air from all competitors, no matter how seasoned they might be. Allowing a young horse to be part of this environment is a crucial step in developing their mind. The beauty of bringing guest horse to a show is that there is no pressure. When you are able to relax because you don't have a test to ride at a specific time, you can help your horse relax as well.

Han alternated between trying to look over the solid stall walls and napping. He was initially concerned when his next-door neighbor went out for a ride, but a flake of alfalfa quickly distracted him to the more important matter at hand: eating. I was able to monitor how he would do at a show: would he drink strange water (yes) eat his grain (not with powdered supplements in it) and eat his hay (yes, especially with the yummy alfalfa) and sleep (absolutely yes!).

After settling into a strange stall, it was time to tack up and go see the sights. Since I have shown at Raleigh before, I am familiar with the layout of the arenas. I knew that the lunging area is set up by Youth Center Road and that taking a young horse up there might be more excitement than he could handle. I opted to go ahead and ride him in a less intense arena, rather than lunge him first. We walked around the Arena 2 dressage arena and warm up and then headed into the indoor arena. There were a few horses in there, so that he knew he was not alone. We rode our normal routine that we practice at home and utilized the areas inside and outside the dressage arena. He got to see people up in the stands and learn that a child running along the seats at his eye level was not going to eat him. He had a safe, confident first experience in the indoor arena.

Another adventure a young horse needs to conquer is the wash rack. Especially when said young horse is a pinto and feels that sleeping in manure is absolutely the best hair product in the world. He got to experience the outdoor wash, complete with the open ditch of running water behind the rack. There was an active warm up arena behind him and people going back in forth on horseback and golf cart. Once again, because we did not have the pressure of competition, this too became "no big thing". While it is different than the hot and cold-water wash stall with cross ties at home, he learned that he could be a good boy and get lots of compliments on how handsome he is as a clean horse.

We capped off his experience with a ride in the working warm up arena. With a properly secured bridle number, also a new experience. I worked on having him pay attention to me and not the other horses who were coming at him and passing him from every direction and gait. I felt confident enough to trot around both directions several times and felt that we should stop while we were ahead. Because I was secure in my belief that nothing was going to happen to us and because of our relationship that we had built at home, we had a successful, low key adventure. All in all, I felt that his first under saddle outing as a guest horse was a tremendous success. Han was just happy to go back home and hang out with his pasture mate and tell him what a great big world it is out there.



Hyperdrive with Carole Wertz figures out the wash rack is "no big thing" Photo by: Ashely Haffey



Carole Wertz riding her young horse Hyperdrive in the warm up arena. Photo by: Jennifer Treadway

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And on top?...the Surface!

Nancy Sharpless - we let the screenings settle and firm up, then smoothed again with the motor grader before applying about 2 inches of shredded rubber on top. It is topped with about 1.5 to 2 inches of crumb rubber.

Ellen Ziemer - used a combination of Chapel Hill Gravel and sand in her arena

Jeanne Karver of Karver's Creek Farm in Summerfield - used Sand with large, irregular particles, plus Surefoot rubber particles.

Amy Brumbach - has 3" of sand with some of the "Chapel Hill Grit" mixed in.

Keni Kerin and Lynn at Brookside Farm their arena is comprised of bunker sand and TruTex Element Fiber footing. The TruTex Footing company offers an affordable way to add fiber to your footing to provide shock absorbency and stability. A 725-pound bale of the Element fiber costs around \$700. To bring a standard dressage arena to a depth of 2-3 inches, requires 6-7 bales.



Nancy Sharpless' ring with the rubber surface.
Photo by Nancy Sharpless.



Keni Kerin and Lynn at Brookside Farm their arena is comprised of bunker sand and TruTex Element Fiber footing.

Dust? Yuck! Moisture Control



Wider view of Nancy Sharpless' ring with the rubber surface. Photo by Nancy Sharpless.

Nancy Sharpless - the ring does not get at all dusty with the rubber surface, and it does not require watering. The footing is very consistent year-round in all types of weather.

Bridget Gibbons - used tripod sprinklers at "Apex Buckhorn" and installed an overhead sprinkler system at Buckhorn Southern Pines (which can't be used when below freezing.)

Jeanne Karver - uses Mag Flakes to keep the dust down in her covered arena.

Ellen Ziemer - has an overhead irrigation system in her covered arena.

Kris Daniels of Brier Creek Stables - has a resourceful Husband who built a water system into the arena post. Lowe's Home Improvement had the sprinkler heads. The only drawback is below 30 degrees it is just too cold run them.



Ellen Ziemer has an overhead irrigation system in her covered arena. Photo by Ellen Ziemer.

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Keeping it all useful...

Maintenance Equipment

Nancy Sharpless and Ellen Ziemer - uses a chain link drag.

Keni Kerin and Lynn at Brookside Farm - drags daily with a 72" Drag N Fly Standard Arena Drag. This is the drag that is recommended for the TruTex Fiber footing and costs between \$2700 and \$5700 depending on size. It can be used behind a tractor with a 3-Point hitch, but you can also buy a tow bar to use with an ATV or Gator. For dust control they have an in-ground sprinkler system.

Kris Daniel uses a Land Pride AG1584 Arena Drag

Amy Brumbach - has a regular chain harrow and an Arena Rascal Pro. We use them for different reasons. The Rascal Pro has profile blades that go underneath the footing and lifts the footing from underneath, which helps with pulling hoof prints out of the arena. It also has a rake that then smooths out the surface. The harrow is good for breaking up the top layer if it gets too compacted.

Karen Rourk - has an Arena Rascal TR-3 but is (yet another!) vote for the chain harrow for ease of use and effectiveness.

Jeanne Karver - utilizes a Premier arena drag with corners.

In addition to the local wisdom of our NCDCTA folks below, there is a wonderful booklet that you can purchase from USDF called "Underfoot." For only \$10 it is a fantastic resource for building an arena that will last! <https://store.usdf.org/products/underfoot>

Capital Dressage Scholar



Maggie Bishop and her horse Herry Hill, Photo by: Chris Bishop

Thank you to NCDCTA and The Raleigh dressage staff for awarding me the opportunity to compete with my horse Herry at our first-rated dressage show. My horse Herry Hill is a 9-year-old Irish Sporthorse crossed with Appaloosa. I have only had him for a year now. We mainly competed in Eventing, so I wanted to take this opportunity to improve my dressage. We competed in Training levels 2 and 3. I was fortunate to show in the coliseum, where I received my first qualifying score. Since then, I have been working hard at improving my accuracy on my geometry to improve my test overall. I am grateful for the judge's feedback to help achieve our goals of lowering our dressage scores. This show really helped me focus on my dressage and really helped my relationship as a team member. Overall, I achieved my personal best of 74,

obtaining qualifying scores for the USDEF region and championship CBLMS. I also want to thank my parents for making this all possible and the NCDCTA for everything.

Maggie Bishop the extremely capable way she has been riding and told her that Second Level was also in the cards.



NCDCTA Board Meeting 7/6/2021

The NCDCTA Executive Board and membership met via teleconference on July 6, 2021. Board members present were Amanda Miller, Tyler James, Rachel Edwards, Amy Warren, Tonya Bruno, Jessica Brown, and Emme Johnston. Excused were Wendy Warner, Tiana Darling, Deb Branson, and Alex Martini. Will Barrus also joined.

President Amanda Miller called the meeting to order at 7:03 PM.

VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT: Will Barrus presented the membership numbers as of July 6, 2021:

Adult Amateur: 371

Paid Horses: 332

Jr/YR: 118

Volunteer Card Horses: 100

Open: 123

Total Horses: 432

Total Members: 612

Joan has ordered banners and business cards for the NCDCTA table for future War Horses.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Tyler James reported that the club should net about \$1,800 from the Capital Dressage Classic.

COMMUNICATION CHAIR'S REPORT: Tonya Bruno reported that the survey is completed, and a snapshot of the survey will go into the next newsletter. The person who prints the newsletter is retiring at the end of the month, so quotes are being compiled for printing and mailing future newsletters. There's a rebranding of the newsletter with a competition for a new name and masthead. Lastly, Tonya is reaching out to founding NCDCTA members to ask them if they may be interested in submitting newsletter articles.

COMPETITION REPORT: Will Barrus reported that prize lists for upcoming shows will be added to the website.

HOY GALA CHAIR REPORT: Jessica Brown reported that, after reading through the survey results, the membership is looking for a guest speaker. She is looking forward to discussing this next month when the Board meets in person. The survey responders were specific in what they would like with prizes, so she is going to get with Darlene Ivey about ordering prizes early. Amanda and Will said that there were guest speakers in past galas. Because the Club gives out so many prizes now, it is a balancing act with how much time to spend on a speaker verses prize giving. Jessica thinks this is an important conversation to have in-person with more Board members.

EDUCATION CHAIR'S REPORT: Emme Johnston reported that the Michael Bragdell clinic is set for October 23-24. She is working on finding a hosting facility now and on the application process for potential attendees.

EVENTING CHAIR'S REPORT: Amy Warren reported that she would like information about the grants to go on the Facebook page, the website, and on the Club War Horse table. She and Jessica have an idea to educate competitors about rules and safety concerns.

The next meeting will be in person on August 3 at Backyard Bistro in Raleigh.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:33 PM.

Respectfully submitted by Rachel Edwards, Recording Secretary.



Take advantage of this opportunity to promote your business to our membership!

The NCDCTA Business Directory is open to all active NCDCTA members and is not limited to "equestrian" businesses! Inclusion in the Business Directory is not automatic. You must submit a separate form with your business information.

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SHOWS & EVENTS for 2021 - Please check the Calendar online to stay up to date!

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- 8/7-8/2021 - Early Morning Blues: Kay Whitlock, kaydq@fastmail.fm, 9106928467, www.carolinadressage.com
- 8/8/2021 - Stable View Eventing Academy Sch HT: Chelsea St. Jacques, secretary@stableviewfarm.com, 484-365-3173, <https://stableviewfarm.com>
- 8/11/2021 - HRF Wednesday D/CT/HT: Heather Boyer, hlhamilton07@gmail.com, 910-224-1719, www.HeatherRidgeFarm.org
- 8/12/2021 - CLOSE: Labor of Love I & II: Lori Kaminski, kaminski.lori@gmail.com, 302-545-8855, www.ncdcta.org/lo
- 8/14/2021 - Tryon Summer Dressage 3: Monica Meyers Fitzgerald, mon1206@aol.com, 954-647-7940, <http://tryon.couth.com>
- 8/14/2021 - TTC D/CT/Jumper: Beth R McCashin, johnttc@aol.com, 336-978-3278, www.TTCMocksville.com
- 8/14-15/2021 - Made in the Shade I: Martie Healy, contactmartie@gmail.com, 352-363-0085, <https://www.EquestrianSecretarialServices.com>
- 8/14-15/2021 - Windridge Summer HT: Alicia Henderson, windridgefarmsnc@gmail.com, 828-674-1885, <http://windridgefarmsnc.com>
- 8/15/2021 - DUE: Harvest Moon Jr/YR Scholarship App: Tiana Renee Darling, jryr@ncdcta.org, 910-705-6817, <https://www.ncdcta.org/junior-scholarship>
- 8/15/2021 - Made in the Shade II: Martie Healy, contactmartie@gmail.com, 352-363-0085, <https://www.equestriansecretarialservices.com>
- 8/15/2021 - Tryon Summer Dressage 4: Monica Meyers Fitzgerald, mon1206@aol.com, 954-647-7940, <http://tryon.couth.com/>
- 8/16/2021 - OPEN: NCDCTA Harvest Moon & 2021 CBLM Championship: Kathy Grisolia, kgrisolia@aol.com , 631-338-6340, www.ncdcta.org/hm
- 8/18-19/2021 - Too Hot To Trot I: Chelsea St. Jacques, secretary@stableviewfarm.com, 484-365-3173, <https://stableviewfarm.com>
- 8/21/2021 - Britches & Bridles IV: Heidi Evans Medlin, medlinheidi@yahoo.com, 704-609-6175, <http://unioncountysaddleclub.weebly.com>
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- 8/28/2021 - The Oaks - Dressage & CT: Danielle M Jones, danielle@sharonoaksstables.com, 919-260-4040, www.SharonOaksStables.com
- 8/28-29/2021 - Five Points HT: Abby M Schlicht, abby@carolinahorsepark.com, 910-875-2074, www.carolinahorsepark.com
- 9/4/2021 - Labor of Love I: Lori Kaminski, kaminski.lori@gmail.com, 302-545-8855, www.ncdcta.org/lo
- 9/4-5/2021 - Cooldown Dressage: Kay Whitlock, kaydq@fastmail.fm, 9106928467, www.carolinadressage.com
- 9/5/2021 - Labor of Love II: Lori Kaminski, kaminski.lori@gmail.com, 302-545-8855, www.ncdcta.org/lo
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11/20/2021 - Portofino Dressage: Sandra S Thompson, portofinoequestriancenter@gmail.com, 919-270-0089,
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11/21/2021 - Antares Dressage: Vicki M Kelley, vicki@antaresdressage.com, 910-610-8511, www.antaresdressage.com

11/21/2021 - Stable View Eventing Academy Sch HT: Chelsea St. Jacques, secretary@stableviewfarm.com, 484-365-3173,
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11/24/2021 - HRF Wednesday D/CT/HT: Heather Boyer, hlhamilton07@gmail.com, 910-224-1719, www.HeatherRidgeFarm.org

12/11-12/2021 - Winter Wonderland: Chelsea St. Jacques, secretary@stableviewfarm.com, 484-365-3173,
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12/22/2021 - HRF Wednesday D/CT/HT: Heather Boyer, hlhamilton07@gmail.com, 910-224-1719, www.HeatherRidgeFarm.org

2/5/2022 - HOY Gala!: Jessica L Brown, gala@ncdcta.org, 919-548-6324, <https://www.ncdcta.org/hoy-gala>

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Eventing Grants:

Fall Eventing Grant:
Due August 1 annually

Spring Eventing Grant:
Due March 1 annually

Any questions can be directed to eventing@ncdcta.org

Application: <https://www.ncdcta.org/eventing-grant>



Junior/Young Riders Scholarships:

- Harvest Moon (due 8/15/2021)
- Autumn Leaves (due 9/26/2021)

Each scholarship will cover the cost of four classes, one stall, and a shared tack stall. This application, due by the show's opening date, will be randomly selected. Applicants do not need to be NCDCTA members.

Application: <https://www.ncdcta.org/junior-scholarship>



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