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Calendar

March 20, Snow date March 27 - Region V lunch meeting in Middletown, Ohio contact Martha Slammer at marthas@gtownonline.com or 937-855-6063

July 10-11, 2010 - Midwest Pony Show

Fall 2010 - ACPS Annual Meeting and Inspections in Georgia, near Atlanta

Region V had our annual region meeting this year at Amanda Pierce's home in Michigan in March. Over 20 people attended this year. Amanda served us a great lunch and we were able to see her lovely ponies. We discussed the plans for the coming year and had our terrific social time. Martha Slamer volunteered to host next March's meeting at her home in Middletown Ohio. The lunch and meeting will be held on March 20th, with March 27th being a snow date. Region V, VI, and VII pulled forces together in August to hold the first Connemara Midwest Show. It was held at Windy Isles Farm near Peotone Illinois. The show was dedicated to the memory of Martin Prendergast who passed away in May. His dreams of creating an Irish Fest and pony show, came to fruition and was a huge success. We hope that it continues on a yearly basis.

Pat and Janice are working hard to put together a quarterly newsletter for the region. They do a great job of gathering news and putting it together so all of us can keep in touch with the goings on of the region members. Martha Slamer keeps a region for sale list for us. It is attached to each newsletter, and gets dropped off at shows and clinics. There is a wide variety of ponies for sale.

Region V hosted the national meeting in Fairlawn Ohio the first weekend of October. I would like to thank Deb Busta for her amazing organizational skills in putting together an awesome meeting. We had two great speakers, on color genetics and metabolic disorders which were very informative and well done. On Friday we had a delicious barbeque at the Busta's home. Saturday we had a demo by the youth council members. Caleigh and Sean combined to do a riding and in-hand demo. They have some big plans for next years meeting. Sunday we had inspections with 8 ponies. I'd like to thank Deb and Michael Busta for opening their home to host the inspections. The silent auction was a huge success. Pat and Janice did a wonderful job of putting it all together and we managed to raise a lot of money. After careful thought of our guest Tom McGlaughlin, region V was the winner of the region basket contest. Fonda Eigel did a superb job of putting together our basket.

Kathy Caldwell is in charge of the region store, and has it well in hand. She has quite a few new items and has done a great job with the store and fundraising.

All in all, we have a very active region, with people out doing wonderful things with their ponies. The wide variety of interests of the people in the region reflects the versatility of the pony. They can, and do, pretty much everything. Loughin's Jack Henry was sold to new member, Susan Milovich in Lebanon Ohio. Susan has a lovely boarding and training stable. Gideon, Courtney's half-bred is there also, and Susan has been putting some training on him. She has done so well that Courtney was able to show him several weeks ago. If anyone is looking for a good trainer to work with their ponies, I recommend Susan and her Little Bit of Sunshine Farm.

I hope everyone has a lovely holiday season.

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News and Reviews

Stephanie Burke wrote the bulk of the following report with some additions by Jessie Cohen and Pat Reichle. This originally appeared on the ACPS web site but since many of you receiving this newsletter get it by snail mail we decided to include it in the newsletter so you all could read it to.



*The Quietman

to the actual competition, hay rides and childrens' activities were provided, raffle tickets for a number of nice prizes were available, and free massages were offered to customers of the two AND four-legged variety!

Competitors were treated to a well-managed, efficiently run show program with a diverse range of classes including an in-hand division, a performance division featuring hunters and jumpers, the opportunity to ride dressage tests, several fun classes including a trail class and a foal race, and a class for horses and ponies available for sale. The in-hand judge was Marynell Eyles, who later in the afternoon presented a talk on evaluating and judging the ponies; the hunter-jumper judge was Vicky Reeve, and the dressage judge was Kathy Dunk. Horses and ponies of breeds other than Connemaras were welcome in many of the classes – which helped enlarge the field of entries – and indeed one spectacular jumper was an Appaloosa pony named “Appily Ever After.” Higher-level jumper classes – over 3’ fences, including a Gambler’s Choice that included a 3’6” triple oxer - were welcome and exciting additions to the show program and drew a large and enthusiastic crowd (and yes, “Appily Ever After” did fly over that 3’6” jump, but hot on his heels was our own Connemara Loughin’s Journey piloted by Martha Slamer of OnaLark Farm near Middletown, Ohio).



Loughin’s Journey



Blue Ridge Fionuala

The Supreme Champion of the show was Blue Ridge Fionuala (Moxley Duncan X Tre Awain Hobbie Grey [by Hisega Meadows Erin Bobby]) owned by Martin Fitzgerald of Kerry Meadows Farm and shown by his daughter Amanda. Reserve Supreme Champion (and also Junior Champion) was the Irish-imported mare *Murvey Inver Lor (Currachmore Cashel X Murvey Cara [by Boden Park Finnard]) owned by John Keane of Blue Rock Farm. The All-Around Performance Purebred Champion was the German-imported gelding *Kinzighausen Golden Mortimer (Glaskopf Golden Merlin x Carragh Lass [by Fort Dara]) owned by Wendy Bennett.

Windy Isles Farms Irish-imported Grade 1 stallion, *The Quietman (Moy Hazy Cove x Blathin Chonamara by Cloonisle Cashel), had a banner day as a sire. His two-year-old colt and filly won the Get of Sire class: Windy Isles Quiet Lady (X *Cree Lady [by Forest View Sparrow]) owned by Windy Isles Farms and Windy Isles Silver Cloud (X *Summer Sun [by Ashfield Jovial Joker]) owned by Oliver Cotter. Quietman’s foals finished 1st and 2nd in the Foal class: 1st. Windy Isles Martin’s Pride (X *Catherine’s Pride [by Gurteen Paddy]) owned by Windy Isles Farms; 2nd. Soeey Annabelle (X *Kilmurray Aisling Owen [by Glanns Owen]) owned by Seamus

Flanagan. His foals again finished 1st and 2nd in the Yearling class with his yearling colts taking top placing. 1st. Blue Rock Riley (X *Laurin of Rosscon [by Rosenaharley Laughris]) owned by John Keaney of Blue Rock Farm; 2nd. Windy Isles Island Rebel (X *Catherine's Pride [by Gurteen Paddy]) owned by Windy Isles Farms. Blue Rock Riley then went on to be Reserve Junior Champion.



Blue Rock Riley and *Murvey Inver Lor



Windy Isles Island Rebel

Stephanie Burke said, “The accommodations for our ponies were excellent: very large box stalls (we guessed 12 x 14 or 14 x 14’) were freshly bedded deep in clean shavings awaiting their occupants; fresh water was provided, water buckets refilled as needed and muck buckets were whisked away and cleaned whenever they contained, well, muck. (This writer particularly appreciated not having to carry water!) Stalls were sturdy and safe. The area was well ventilated and well lit. An indoor arena was available for warm-ups on Friday night and through Saturday. The organizers knew exactly where we needed to go and cheerfully directed us to our stalls when we arrived. “Goody bags” magically appeared on our stall doors, filled with a variety of horse treats, a bottle of fly spray, coupons and assorted other goodies. Show committee chairman Martin Fitzgerald cordially greeted us on Saturday morning, handed us a large, bound show program and ascertained that we were all “all right” and happy with the setup thus far – a very nice personal touch delivered by an otherwise very busy man!



Martin Fitzgerald with Elmshoot's Krispin O'Thule

As a side note – apparently the show had been well-advertised (I heard that it had been discussed on local radio stations featuring Irish music), and a large number of spectators turned out, most of them Irish-American families with children. I had finished my hunter courses and was making my pony comfortable back in his stall when I noticed that the streams of people touring the barn was growing larger. Kids wanted to pet horses, and my pony, who likes attention and behaves like a saint, was happy to oblige, so I spent a fair amount of time fielding questions about horses in general and Paddy and his Connemara relatives in particular, and allowing the kids to sit on his back for photos. (You may recall from a recent account in American Connemara magazine that last fall Paddy played ambassador to a handful of Mongolian dignitaries at a civic function in Middletown, Ohio; this year evidently it was his turn to cater to Irish kids – what a great pony!). It is always nice to have a chance to introduce people to our wonderful Connemaras.



Steph and Paddy

The dinner that followed the show featured Irish Entertainment by three Irish bands and Irish Dancing performed by World Champion Irish Dancers. All total about 500 spectators attended the show and festivities, some coming as far as Ireland. During a break in the music, show organizers introduced the spectator who had

traveled the farthest – a gentleman from County Clare, Ireland – and the competitor who had traveled the farthest – Marcia Rood, with three ponies, from Blanchester, Ohio; several other presentations were made as well, but the program was short and timely, and we were allowed to get back to the real business of eating, drinking, enjoying the music and good conversation with our friends and fellow pony enthusiasts. Finishing off the evening were the announcements of split-the-pot and raffle prize winners, followed by a bonfire. What could be better?



Marcia Rood's pony Nansi

Due to diligent hard work on the part of the show committee, an ample number of sponsors allowed for a competition that offered cash along with ribbons and trophies as prizes, which went a long way toward offsetting our travel expenses and other costs. As I said to my friends during dinner Saturday night, "there are so many pictures in my head of this day that I will remember for the rest of my life." Even the weather had cooperated, the rainclouds of the week shredding in the cool wind under that huge sky – an Irish day. I am sure Martin Prendergast had something to do with that.

Ireland is traditionally known as the land of 'a hundred thousand welcomes'. Certainly the Irish who have come to the states have brought that tradition along with them, and those of us who traveled to Illinois at the end of August will be happy to agree. Our heartfelt thanks to all those who made this lovely show a reality. Clearly the organizers worked extremely hard to bring it all together, and we wholeheartedly urge as many folks as possible to lend their assistance and support next year – this one's too good to miss!

Pat Reichle seconded this opinion. Said Pat, "I attended the show with my pony and I must say I have never had so much fun at a show. Everyone was so friendly and I really enjoyed listening to all the Irish people talk. The Irish really know how to put on a great show and have a terrific party. And it was so well run. I never even had a chance to pick out my stall. The stall fairies were always ahead of me, the same with water. Win, lose or place it was all fun and the cash prizes were nice but not necessary. It was so nice seeing all the men with their ponies. I have never been to a show where there were so many men actively involved. Then afterwards, there was the food and entertainment: Three Irish bands and Irish dancers. Thank you all, Midwest Pony Breeder group! I can just imagine all the hours of work and planning that went into this show, not to mention all the volunteers. You all did a wonderful job and I hope you have it again next year. I'm ready."

Greetings from Onalark Farm, Settling down to fox hunting and trail riding for late fall and winter with an occasional fun show thrown in every so often.

Sarah and I enjoyed the Midwest Connemara Show immensely, what a slice of Irish American life we were privileged to share for the very full day we had at the Windy Isles Farm. The attention to detail was amazing and the level of expertise in running a show was quite welcome! We will definitely plan on returning next year and hope many others in the region will support this superb effort at promoting our ponies.

I have not mentioned our lovely 4 year old gelding Springhill's Liam lately. He has been at a friend's (Marylou Braun) farm concentrating on dressage training and showing while Marylou's 3 year old gelding Grey Haven's Keegan MacDaire has been here learning his P's and Q's. Liam lit up the training 3 test in our local dressage circuit and will be getting an end of year award for his lovely scores and placing. Keegan has done some showing also in beginner hunter and has been fox hunting.

We missed the National Annual Meeting because it conflicted with Camargo Hunter Trial we like to show the ponies off in every year. I was happy to ride Hillside Lilly Brown now owned by Steph Burke, previously owned by Brenda Kinyalocis in an open Hunter division (3' outside course) where she competed against all horses and placed well in all three classes of the division. Also had Pat Reichle's Woodchuck Ridge's Aimee Brown in beginner horse where she had good placements.

Our 1/2 bred filly Lark's Gamin (by Robuck) had a lovely dressage debut this summer under Sarah who has been her trainer, placing well in her intro classes. Mary Yeager's Loughin's Journey is a permanent resident here and is on vacation while I concentrate on sale ponies so is running and bucking all over the field these days.

Squeezing in as much pony activity as possible now that my real job (teaching) and shorter days has started. We will be doing as much fox hunting as we can get in, along with trail riding and other fun stuff with the other half of Team Connemara, Steph Burk and Grey Haven Paddy MacDaire. (He and Keegan are 1/2 brothers, fun to have them out together!)

Hope all is well with the rest of the pony people. Have a lovely Thanksgiving. Martha and Sarah Slamer

Greetings from Steph and Paddy! We have a lot to be thankful for this year. Beautiful weather, a fun and successful show season and good health to enjoy it. We had an absolute blast at the Midwest Connemara show in Illinois this August and once again would like to profusely thank all those responsible for this wonderful experience. If it happens again next year - and we hope it does - rest assured you have our wholehearted support. After that show we finished up our rounds of Dayton Local Show Circuit Hunter shows and have been notified that we are qualified for a year-end award - we'll learn what it is at their annual banquet on November 20th - looking forward to that. And for something completely different, we rode with the Onalark Farm contingent (Martha and Sarah Slamer) at the Miami Valley Hunt Club Blessing of the Hounds. Martha and Sarah are full members and avid foxhunters; I'm a "social member" and fair weather rider, so I will probably just ride a couple more times this fall before hunkering down for the winter and working on dressage (still).



Sarah/Malarky and Steph/Paddy



Martha/Grey Haven Keegan MacDaire

Next year's plans include possibly wandering a little farther afield with Team Connemara (me, Paddy, the Slamers and whatever horses they are training at the moment) just for the fun of it - Upperville? Warrenton? - and if possible working at the World Equestrian Games - don't want to miss that! Also hopefully getting Paddy's pasture buddy Eddie child-safe for a young cousin. Got to corrupt these kids early!

From Cathy Blackmon and Hideaway's Special Delivery -So, I am home from the Annual Board of Governors Meeting, impeccably hosted by Region V. Ladies and gentlemen we should be so proud to have Debbie Busta and Mary Yeager on our team. They did an amazing job showing off our region to the rest of the Society members. And my hat is off to Pat and Janice, the A team for Silent Auctions. There were so many fabulous items to bid on we had to convince Sally to extend the time to bid. And it was well worth it. There are still a few loose ends from an accounting stand point, but these two ladies raised about \$3,000 for Region V!!! Next year the meeting will be in Georgia, near Atlanta. I recommend everyone come. I have grown to believe that these Connemaras, "that do it all" attract people "that do it all". When I sit at the table for a few days of meetings and get to witness all the business taken care of to promote and protect the Connemara Pony in America, all by volunteers, it is an amazing group of people. I am proud to be a part of such true and passionate folks.

So, Special and I are just having fun these days. We will be, God willing...Deus Vult!! heading to Ocala the first of January through March to see what kind of mischief we can find. Maybe we will hunt with Jim Kilcrease and Z, Special's daughter...wouldn't that be a gas. I think I will need more bit or at least more brakes!!

Elliott is at Central Florida in Ocala so it will be great to be together again. She is working for Pierre and Samantha St. Jacques, a Canadian couple. Pierre is a fabulous dressage trainer/competitor. He took his Tiger to the Pan Am games

and Samantha rode her Live Wire in the 2008 Olympics in Beijing, on the Canadian Three Day Event Team. Elliott, Caspian(thoroughbred) and Scotty(IRD) are in heaven. Oh and she has a puppy, Scout. Is she looking like the rest of us at only 18???? No money, but two horses and a dog!!!! And couldn't be happier.

Last year a crazy thing happened while we were in Ocala. Overlook Farm, Erik and Sara Dierks, decided to host a Derby the weekend that Red Hills was supposed to run, but had been cancelled. So Elliott and I thought that would be fun...run a stadium/cross country course, optimum time with no faults wins, BUT, NO watches allowed. There was a \$5000 purse for the Intermediate/Prelim riders so all the biggies were there, Davidsons, Kyle and Jen Carter and others. Elliott had gotten to know the working students at Overlook, in particular a young girl from Germany. Her name escapes me, but she had a strong accent...So Special and I jump the novice stadium and head for the cross country. What a blast we are over logs, through water, over a brand new ditch, up a bank, over another log, then a long gallop up a hill and top the hill with a comfortable long spot over a galloping log. (he and I don't mind the occasional long spot, but my trainer does, so we get a scolding :(...whoops) and then through the finish flags. After all the novice horses have gone, Elliott and I are hanging around waiting for her round on Caspian and the young German girl comes scooting over saying, "Elliott, Elliott, your Mother has won the novice....I have her prizes!!!" We cracked up laughing in disbelief...I am NEVER on time, anywhere, not even to Church!!! We were only one second off optimum and closest for the day! Yippee for the pony and the occasional long spot!!

So another highlight of 2009 was the Midwest Connemara Show at Windy Isles! It was a incredible treat to walk off the trailer and I swear Special just kept looking around saying, "These are my kind". There were Connemaras everywhere and Irish everything. Steph Burke at the end of day said it the best when she shared that you couldn't swing a cow without hitting an Irishman. She was right!! Great competition, food, music, dancing and camaraderie. Be sure to be there next year, it is well worth the effort.

From my house to yours we wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year with the most amazing ponies around.

News from the Dunton Farm - The big news is that Kerry (Dunton's Irish Magnum) registered Irish sport horse filly 2 yrs old will be moving this week to her new home in Union, Michigan as Amanda Pierce's new horse!!! Amanda is very excited to get her own new horse in years. She will drive down to Ohio on Sunday to pick her up!!!

As a result of this sale, Dona (Loughin's Prima Dona) 3 yrs old filly will be going to the Satin Equestrian Center this winter to be broke with trainer Kim Seng.

Dona went to Bath, Ohio in October and passed her inspections with flying colors! She was a bit nervous but was a very well behaved 3 yr old.

Donovan (Dunton's Erin Donovan McDuff) 1 yr old gelding is still available for sale, (\$2800.00) He stands close to 14 hands at a young age!! His training continues in the round pen and he is quite comfortable working away from the herd. He is roaning into a grey like his mother.

Linden and Maggie are now out being ridden on a weekly basis. Maggie has done a couple of Trails and Riding club rides. Linden and Dona when to a "Horseplay" work shop in Ravenna Ohio and may go again the end of November. Work for Kathy is slow, the nursing homes are not very full, so there are a lot of empty beds and decreased work hours - hurts in the pocket book!!



Sales List

I would like to find a Connemara breeder in this region that may be interested in a half-bred mare to add to their brood-mare band. Ritzy will be 16 next summer, but she's in good health. She is very attractive, sport-horse type, always gets compliments on her conformation and classy appearance. I'd love to breed her myself but I don't have a proper facility. I'm willing to be VERY flexible to place her in the right situation. Piedmont Ritzy is by C.R. Roaringwater Bay, out of a TB mare. Wonderful ground manners, has been very lightly shown pleasure, in-hand, schooling hunter, and dressage to 1st level. e-mail skhrn@msn.com or call 260-434-1432 for more info."

Here are a couple show pictures of Ritzy. Thanks, Sandy Hoffmann



For Sale, bay pony mare, 10 years old, 3/4 Connemara, 1/4 TB. Tiara is registered. She is about 13 hands 2 inches, although I haven't had a measuring stick on her. the young man in the photo is quite tall. Tiara has been a pasture ornament most of her life and is now in training. I am asking a minimum price for her only because I don't have enough time to spend on her. \$1500.00. I also have a pony cart and harness for a medium size pony. the harness is black leather, the cart is an easy entry style. harness: \$200.00, cart: \$300.00 email for photos. Jacquelyn Davis sjd.art@gmail.com or 740 362 1892.



For sale - gelding, Blood Bay w/one right rear white sock, foal date May 2006. He is registered ACPS & AWS. He was the Bronze Medal Winner at his 2006 AWS inspection. He stands 15'3. He leads, loads, blankets, grooms, ties under supervision, yields hindquarters, good with vetting and the Farrier. He has not been clipped or hosed with water (only because I have not had the time). His uncle is currently doing eventing with the four star David O'Connor team. His Aunt is Wedgewood Dynasty who scored highest ever with AWR at the time of her inspection. He would be a tremendous prospect for Dressage, Eventing or Hunter Jumper. He is very intellegent and sweet temperment. Lovely movement. He would be an asset for anyone in the above mentioned disciplines. His Sire is Morning Glory's Illushin (AWB & CONN). His Dam is Morning Glory's Wildwood Annie (AWB). His grand sire is Fiddler's Glory Boy (CONN), Grand Dam is Tullymor's Lizzie MacLynch (CONN). His Great Grand Sire is Grange Finn Sparrow (CONN), Great Grand Dam is Threesprings Molly MacDaire(CONN). Those two are from Glory Boy. On Tullymor's side the Great Grand Sire was Montully's Son (CONN), and Great Grand Dam was Tre-Awain Silaech (CONN).

On the Dams side: Grand Sire was Wedgewood (AWB & HAN) who was out of Waldgott (HAN) & Domanique(HAN). His Grand Dam was Lance's Annie(TB) out of Social Hall(TB) & Barli Ann(TB). If you need anymore info on his breeding you can contact Mary Brandes Dearden on her website: morninggloryfarm-horses.com or by email: mglory@erols.com.

I would like to see him go to someone who can take him to the level he should be in future, but also someone who could

really love him and partner with. I do expect he will go to 16h. His Dam is 16h. Contact Joanie Stover, Draft Cross Farm, draftcrossfarm1@sbcglobal.net



CONNEMARA PONIES FOR SALE REGION V

Purebreds

Dawn's Brennain 2002 15 1 bay gelding. Extensive show mileage, excelled in jumpers see ad in Equine.com for more info. \$18,000, Jodi Melfi 614 805 7873 jodi@absoluterts.com.

2007 Purebred Connemara filly by Kerrymor Madison- Dawn's Molly has an interesting blaze and a curious fun personality. Likely to mature 15+ hands Born 4/21/2007 at Dawn of Promise Farm. Molly is out of our lovely dun mare, Serendipity's Savannah, (Oak Hill's Country Song-Oak Hill's Maggie) Savannah is ICCPS inspected and approved and has three incredible foals by Madison. Contact Vickie Maris, dpfponies@excite.com. Photos and links to video clips are available at www.dawnofpromisefarm.com and www.imageevent.com/vjmarisphotos

2007 Purebred Connemara bay colt by *The Quietman born 6/7/2007 at Dawn of Promise Farm. Dawn's Jeremiah McLane is out of Old Carolina's Bitsy (GunSmoke-Oakfield's Garnet Finch to of Templebready Ruby). He's a lovely bay with a star and has excellent substance and super potential. He is a member of the first purebred foals by The Quietman (Moy Hazy Cove-Blathin Chonamara) Both Bitsy and The Quietman are inspected and approved. We anticipate he will finish large pony size and very true to Connemara type. Contact Vickie Maris, dpfponies@excite.com. Photos and links to video clips are available at www.dawnofpromisefarm.com and www.imageevent.com/vjmarisphotos

CS Independence rising 3 yo colt (still intact) by Balius Drumcolligan out of Rosland's Tollitche. "TJ" is dark bay, a really nice mover and built like a sport pony. Is very green at present. He is cryptorchid and will be gelded prior to being sold. He will go to the trainer's soon and price will go up with training but negotiable now at \$2,500. Should mature to 14.1 He should make a very nice sport or dressage pony Jill McNichol CSEquine@aol.com

Elk Creek Farm ponies has several youngsters by Elphin Song Sparrow, purebreds, Welsh and Tb crosses. www.elkcreek-farmponies.com.

Serious inquiries only: April 2008 foal by Willow Boy (*Chiltern Colm x Sillbridge Miranda by Thunderbolt) and out of Tre Awain Miss Muffet (Tre Awain Donaghoo x *Maggy of Abbyelex by Carna Dun). The foal will be one of the following coat colors: buckskin, bay, smoky black or black with a high probability of going grey and absolutely NO chance for a blue eyed cream as Willow Boy is non dilute. Erin at willowrun@bluemarble.net

Coming 3 yo gray colt Loughin's Jack Henry by *Kilfenora Windy Isles and out of Balius Miakoda (Tre Awain Cavan O'Connor) This great guy is true pony type, with plenty of substance and beautiful conformation. Will remain pony size. Great prospect for any discipline. Mary Yeager 440-834-0234 or loughinfarm@msn.com, website www.loughinfarm.tripod.com.

Prairie Caeli 3 yo filly by Blue Ridge Jefferson out of Glynmarie Guinevere (Loughmor Aran-Sweet May du Langwater), both sire and dam ACPS inspected and approved. She is gray dun, athletic, a beautiful mover and has a great disposition. Please call 765 404 0515 or email cgspories@aol.com for more information Carole Seibecker

Dunton's Erin Donovan McDuff born 6/8/08 black colt out of Greenway's Erin Linden and by Tre Awain Dobh McDuff. \$2800 Katherine Caldwell kc7750@esagelink.com or 440 834 4043

Mtn Prospect's Irish Rogue 2006 filly dark dun Out of Afternoon Delight and by Blue Ridge Jefferson. Beautiful, smart and very talented. Won Best of Day for the youngsters at the 2007 Region V Connemara show at Hoosier Horse Park. She has been started over fences at Robert Murphy Stables in Lexington. She walks trots canter (knows her leads) quietly under saddle. Has been ridden by both small children and adults. Irish Rogue walks calmly on trails, trailers quietly, loads, ties, bathes stands well for clipping, mane pulling the farrier and the vet. She is truly a gem. Rogue will be competing at the Robert Murphy B show July 2-5 at the KY Horse Prk in the Beginner Horse division 2 ft. \$7,000. Susan Burke Mt Prospect Farm Lexington, KY Susan.Burke@uky.edu 859 361 7159

Ridgetop Thule Mist (Aladdin's Denver x Blue Hill's Egan) 15 yo bay mare Inspected and approved. Broke to ride and drive. Has been Region 5 Show Champ twice and a reserve champ driving champ as well Had 3 foals. Serious inquiries only Kathy Sparks Elmshoot@aol.com 812 988 2377

Kent's Tortellini (*Hayselden Perseus x Aluinn Torrance) 11 yo roan mare Inspected and approved. Broke to ride and drive. Serious inquiries only. Had 2 foals. Kathy Sparks Elmshoot@aol.com 812 988 2377

For Lease: Heaven's Ridge Treasa (Balius Rhydspence x Gately's Ana Moira) available immediately for free lease for breeding season. Tess has produced many athletic, typey offspring and is easy to breed. She has performance bloodlines and can produce your next champion. She is currently living in Franklin, TN. Contact Sally Eyles-Goldfarb tanyderi@bellsouth.net

Marshwood's Summer Keavey (Kerrymor Madison x Serendipity's Irish Spring) 2000, bay mare, 14 2, inspected and approved. She has an easy going disposition and would make a wonderful partner for pony club or adult. I am 5'6" and feel very comfortable on her. She has been shown lightly in training level dressage and has done a little jumping. She has won first in several trail classes. She has very nice gaits and is easy to ride, she is just a great pony and really deserves to have her own person. We need to downsize and are asking \$7,000 but may be willing to negotiate if it was the right situation. Please call Janet Baughman 616 897 0801 or email janet@marshwoodfarm.com

Woodchuck Ridge's Nainsi 7yo 14' 2 dun mare, has had a foal and lots of natural horsemanship work and is now beginning her performance career. No question of whether she will jump or go, very willing partner, good mind, easy to deal with. Has started with some combined tests at beginner novice and a hunter pace. \$14,000 Martha Slamer 937 855 6063, marthas@gtownonline.com

Cornerstone's Indelible: Black 1999 gelding 14.1 hands, started under saddle while still a stallion. Progressed to walk trot before our trainer bought her own stallion. Was gelded beginning of July so getting ready to restart his training. Excellent disposition when a stallion. Will make a great hunter has jumped on the longe line and has good form. Not a spooky type, will stand and look at something to check it out. Asking \$4,000 price to increase as I get him going and out to shows. Dori Zaidel DZaidel@egh.org

New Heart's Morning Glory: 2001 dun mare 13.3 hands ACPS inspected and approved as a 2 yr old proven broodmare. Ballywhim AN Luan x Tullymor's Tiger Nelly great mover, great disposition, was lightly started but then used as a broodmare. Glory is too nice to sit in my backyard not being used. She has a great pedigree. \$5,500. Dori Zaidel Dzaidel@egh.org

New Heart's Morning Joy: Smokey black 4 yr old mare. Not started, nice mover, Cornerstone's Indelible x Tullymor's Tiger Nelly is a sweet mare that needs her own person. We have too many here to give her the time she needs. 13.3 hands asking \$2,000 Dori Zaidel DZaidel@egh.org

Dancing Winds: Purebred Connemara mare 3 yrs old, Awesome mover great performance prospect Smokey black with perfectly centered Star and connecting stripe blaze and a couple of white socks to add to the flash! Winnie is to be sold unregistered as she should not be bred due to a slight under bite (it does not affect her ability to eat or her appearance) She will be great in the hunter or dressage ring. Lora this one is a Stormy look a like! Asking \$4000 Dori Zaidel DZaidel@egh.org

Ledgewood's Greystone Keely Mor: Bay 1999 mare ACPS inspected and approved great mover, Keely was trained WTC by her breeder but has not been ridden for a couple years. We had planned to breed her to an outside stallion, but never had the \$\$\$. She would be a nice performance mare or a great broodmare. Is possibly in foal to Cornerstone's Indelible due to a fence failure 2 days before he was gelded. Asking \$4,500 Dori Zaidel Dzaidel@egh.org

New Heart's Patriot Games: Bay stallion prospect 2 yrs old Cornerstone's Indelible x New Heart's Morning Glory. Had injury to his left eye at 7 days old, does not affect his vision. Great mover good bone good conformation. Needs to be worked with more. Asking \$1,500. Dori Zaidel Dzaidel@egh.org

Woodchuck Ridge's Aimee Brown by Rattlen'Snap Laddie Boy and out of Prospect's Bonnie (by Bobby Brown*) 3 yo filly 14 hands, dark solid gray, just started under saddle and doing wtc, and cross rails, goes out on her own or with a group. Could make a lovely hunter pony. Steady, smart gal with tons of personality and potential. Ground manners are fine, loads etc. Asking \$10,000 Owner Pat Reichle 513 313 8401 or reichlep@earthlink.net or trainer Martha Slamer 937 855 6063 or marthas@gtownonline.com

GreyHaven Keegan MacDaire by Robuck* out of Maplehurst Leah MacDaire 3 yo gelding bay will go over size, wonderful stout fellow with a heritage of performance that he is living up to. Sweet, agreeable doing wtc, and cross rails, some show experience, loads, great ground manners. \$10,000 trainer, Martha Slamer 937 855 6063, marthas@gtownonline.com

Springhill's Liam 4 yo gelding grey 14 1 by Annilaun Oscar*, by Chilham Eclipse. Exceptional talent and personality on this remarkable pony. Currently doing dressage, scored a 70 on his last training 3 test. First time in a stadium test he placed 2nd at a combined test in May. Just walks in and does what he is supposed to do. Very eye catching , just a lovely package. Martha Slamer 937 855 6063 or marthas@gtownonline.com \$22,000

Hillside Lilly Brown 11yo grey mare. Please see GreyHavenFarm.com for photos and more info.

Connemara Crosses

8 yo 13 3 black mare 3/4 Connemara, 1/4 Welsh. Has been shown intro dressage. Hasn't been seriously worked for a couple of years. Loves to jump. Grand daughter of Prospect's Callahan, by Chip O'Perseus. Patty Todd 740-427-4736.

2009 halfbred filly by Landgate Bluebeard out of TB mare Stormy's Sister. Born 5/1/09 a bay. Very nice filly, should be very athletic. Dam stands 16.1 Contact: Beth Blankenship 859-873-3768 bethb@iglou.com

New Heart's Night Wing: 4 yr old bay 14 hand 1/2 bred gelding Cornerstone's Indelible x Delaney (unregistered trakhener cross) perfect hunter or event prospect. Beautiful mover Not backed yet but ground work started. Has longed over small fences and never refused. Likes to work and has a very loving personality. Asking \$2,000 Dori Zaidel DZaidel@egh.org

New Heart's Hot Shot: 3 yr old full brother to Nightwing bay, 14 hands gelding has done some ground work but needs more work (again too many ponies not enough time), beautiful conformation and movement asking \$1500 Dori Zaidel Dzaidel@egh.org

Country Store

To all the members that were unable to attend the Annual Meeting in Fairlawn, Ohio --- you missed some really great clothes at the Country Store. But don't worry -- we have some really great NEW items available to you. Items you asked for, youth t-shirts, toddler t-shirts, they are darling!!! And really nice vests. Look below at the items for sale and contact Kathy Caldwell, kc7750@esagelinnk.com if you want to shop early for Christmas -- (today 10/8/09 we only have 78 shopping days left !)



\$12.00 - Toddler t-shirt sizes -
2T pink - & 4T tan



\$25.00 - Scoopneck long sleeve ladies sizes –
S navy, S pink, L black



\$30.00 - Polo Shirt S royal, M blue
berry, black & kelly green, L sand &
Kelly green



\$28.00 - Classic Turtleneck sizes –
S pink, S white, M red, L white, XL black



\$47.00 - Vest size S pink,
M pink, L blue



\$25.00 - Mock Turtleneck –
S black & white, M navy, blue & white



\$12.00 - Youth t-shirts XS blue, S red,
M lime, L navy, XL yellow



\$10.00 - Patches – white/green,
white/black, navy/white, black/white

*Ceramic mugs - \$4.00

*Cloth bags - \$3.00

*4x8 notebooks - \$5.00 - from the Annual meeting – all the items have ACPS on them – great stocking stuffers

Welcome New Members

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And a Happy New Year!

Joyful Holidays

Happy Hanukkah

Merry Christmas

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