



ODS DISPATCH

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The ODS Spring I and II shows are on the books! Now your ODS Board can take a break! At least it feels like it. The shows were again a huge success! A big thank you to Roberta Clark as the show committee chair and to Diane Smith, ODS VP, for all their continuous work to make this show a success. They are not the only ones who worked hard to make this happen. Tamera Mayo continues to provide great financial help keeping track of expenses and getting the bills paid. There are many others to thank for all the wonderful silent auction items and organization. And let's not forget all those who volunteered their time as runners, scribes, ring stewards, and other duties to help make the shows a success. Sherry Guess did a great job in getting the all volunteers organized. Thank you also goes out to Anne Kuhns and Susan Peacock for their continued support of these shows. Susan continues to volunteer her time as secretary in the honor of her parents, Bee and Bob Pape. I don't have a complete list of all those who need to be told thank you, so I'll stop there.

Thank you to all the ODS riders who continue to support this show. We also had a number of riders from out of state that gave us great reviews. We had so many freestyles, 1.5 hours that we had to have 3 rings on Sunday, which caused some confusion yet it all worked out. We may have to rethink some of the show events or timing of freestyles continue to be so popular.

Now on to the Green Country shows and then there are always the Great Plains shows. We all need to be supporting all the ODS and Chapter shows. One of the things I have noticed this year is that everyone planning events needs to look at the ODS and Region 9 show calendar before scheduling clinics, new shows or events. We may have made a mistake in scheduling the Lee Tubman show and workshop. That weekend was a big show at the Texas Rose Horse Park. Lee has quite a following in Texas and we were told that several would have come to ride with Lee if on a different weekend. I also know that getting dates at either the Oklahoma City State Fair Park or the Tulsa Expo Center is difficult, so we also have to deal with that scheduling issue if we want to use those facilities. That is why we scheduled the Lee Tubman show and workshop when we did. There is also a clinic scheduled for the same weekend as the Green Country shows. I know several riders who will not be at the Green Country shows in order to ride in this clinic. Is that the way to support all of ODS? Something to think about for next year.

I challenge all riders in the future to make an effort to ride in at least one show at each location where we have shows, and I'm also talking about the schooling shows. You do not get a true picture of your horses training or your capability if you only show at one location. We have many great locations and shows around the State. There are also some really nice shows outside the State, the KDEA show and the shows at the Texas Rose Horse Park are just a couple examples.

The Summer Meeting and education event information is now up on the website. Zoetis will provide a free lunch so please send in your reservation form so we can make sure we have enough room for everyone and enough food.

I look forward to seeing all who are showing or working the shows in Claremore and all of you at the Summer Meeting.

Pamela DeVore, President, ODS

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Horses newly registered with ODS:

2419	Magnificent Magnola	Sarah Buller
2420	D'Ormonde	Carolyn Hoekstra
2421	Rose Marie	Deedee Moore
2422	Calamity Jane	Mark Reynolds
2423	Lets Spent It	Susan Stoker
2424	Jeanne Bell	Jan Cibula
2150*	Prince Phippen	Jan Cibula (change of owner)

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Membership Information:

"Have a change of address? Earned a new performance award? New phone number or email? If so, be sure to fill out a new membership form and mark "information change only" and mail to Christina Harmon, P.O. Box 33231, Tulsa, OK 74153.

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Upcoming ODS Board Meetings:

July 11 th	6:30pm	Stroud City Hall
August 8 th	6:30pm	Stroud City Hall

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Calling all tech-saavy members!

ODS is looking for a webmaster to begin ASAP.

Janet Cagle has resigned and we are now desperately looking for someone to help us out.

(This would also help qualify you for ODS educational scholarship application status!)

If you are interested, please contact [Pam Devore](mailto:pamelad68@aol.com), ODS President, at pamelad68@aol.com

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ODS is looking for someone to help with the membership directory for 2018!!

Looking for a way to give back to your nonprofit organization?

Want to have a say in how it is compiled, designed, and delivered?

Here's your chance!

Email [Pam Devore](mailto:pamelad68@aol.com), ODS President, at pamelad68@aol.com

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Educational Session & Summer Meeting

Vaccines & Emergency Care

Sponsored by **zoetis**

Saturday, July 29th, 2017



Location:

Charles and Linda Cline Equine Teaching Center
2601 West McElroy, Stillwater, OK. 74078

Agenda

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| 9:30am-10am | Check – In |
| 10am-12:pm | Equine Vaccinations - Brett Burk, Zoetis
Vaccine Regimes & Why ?
Vaccine Categories?
Why to use separate vaccines or combos? |
| 12pm-1pm | FREE Lunch – ODS Business Meeting |
| 1pm-2pm | Equine Emergency Care – Dr. Burba, OSU
Trailer Accident or Tornado Disaster?
What do we do first?
What can we use? Makeshift first aid ideas?
What supplies do we need in case of an emergency? |
| 2pm-3pm | Emergency Care Question & Answers
Door Prize Draw |
| 3pm-4pm | Facility Tour – Optional |



FREE Educational Seminar - Registration Form

(RSVP due by July 22, 2017 – Walk-in's welcome but lunch not guaranteed)

Name: _____

Cell#: _____

- Register me for the ODS Educational Seminar
- Register me for the ODS Business Meeting and FREE Lunch
(A \$10 check is attached with this registration form and I understand it will be returned to me when I check in for this event.)

Send Registrations Forms to:

ODS Education & Summer Meeting c/o Pamela DeVore
11513 NS 3600 Rd. Seminole, OK. 74868

Email: pamelad68@aol.com

Meet our presenters...

Who is Zoetis -Zoetis discovers, develops and manufactures a diverse portfolio of animal health medicines and vaccines, complemented by diagnostic products, genetic tests, bio-devices and a range of services, which are designed to meet the real-world needs of veterinarians and the livestock farmers and companion animal owners they support. Zoetis provides a range of equine vaccines, dewormers and sedative analgesics that both veterinarians and horse owners know and trust for helping horses live longer, healthier lives.

Below is a brief sampling of Zoetis equine products:



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Dormosedan®/Equipmidine®/Detogesic® (detomidine hydrochloride) - A sedative/analgesic used for minor surgical and diagnostic procedures

West Nile Innovator®/Equip WNV® - A vaccine that delivers demonstrated protection against West Nile Virus (WNV) in horses

Fluvac Innovator®/Equip FR® - A vaccine that delivers demonstrated protection against circulatory contemporary equine influenza viruses

Terramycin® - An antibiotic for the treatment of susceptible ophthalmic infections

Proposed Changes to Oklahoma Dressage Association Bylaws

Article VIII Officers

Section 1: **Number and Election**

All Officers shall be Senior ODS members in good standing *and be an elected member of the Board of Directors. Exception is a CPA who volunteers to be the ODS Treasurer.* The Secretary shall be a resident of the State of Oklahoma. The Officers shall be a President, a Vice President, a Secretary and a Treasurer, plus any other officers as may be designated by the Board. Officers shall be elected by the Board of Directors at the first meeting of the year of the Board of Directors. *With the exception of the Treasurer, Officers shall hold their positions for one (1) year or until successors are elected. The Treasurer will hold their position for 15 months to allow a three (3) month overlap with new Treasurer.*

Article VIII Officers

Section 2: **Duties and Authority,**

B. In the absence of the President, or in the event of the President's inability or refusal to act, the Vice President shall perform the duties and have the authority of the President. The Vice President shall perform such other duties as the President and / or the Board of Directors may assign. *The Vice President is the President elect for the following year. The Board reserves the right to re-elect the President and Vice-President for a second term if agreed to by the President and Vice-President.*

Article X Chapters

Section 3. **Governance**

The general membership of each ODS Chapter shall elect a Board of Directors composed of not less than three (3) ODS Senior members in good standing, one of whom shall be elected as the Chapter Presiding Officer. The Chapter may elect or appoint such additional Officers, as it deems necessary to properly conduct the affairs of the Chapter. *Officers must all be elected Chapter Board members.*

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Chapter News:

Great Plains Chapter of ODS News



The May schooling show and AHA One Day recognized Sport Horse show with Melissa Creswick judging was jammed full on May 13. Ms. Creswick stayed for a two day clinic following the show. The next GPC activity is a two day recognized show with Debbie Riehl Rodriguez judging. The dates of the show are June 24-25. The clinic dates are June 26-27. The show is close to full so get your entry in ASAP if you plan to ride. The Monday clinic is full but we have room on Tuesday if you would like to ride with the judge. For information on the show and clinic, please visit <https://www.horseshowconsulting.com/june-24-25-2017>.

GPC and GCC are teaming up to offer a social and educational activity at Valley View Equestrian Center in Stillwater. The tentative date is July 22. Look for more details soon.

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Green Country Chapter News



GCC held a schooling show on Saturday, May 27 at Sheridan Stables in Mounds, Oklahoma. It was a well-attended show, and GCC thanks its riders, volunteers, and judge for another successful event! Results from the show can be found on the GCC website at greencountrydressage.com

The next schooling show was held on Saturday, June 10 at Patty Couch's Rocking C Stables in Inola, Oklahoma. Kay Kamish judged.

The Green Country Dressage Classic is June 17th and 18th and will be held in Claremore, Oklahoma.

Interested parties should contact Annie Houchin at ahouchin@midcon-energy.com.

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OKC Metro Dressage News

OKC Metro at High Hill Farm May show offered a full day of rides and a two day musical freestyle clinic with judge Melanie Michalak during the Memorial Day weekend. The weather was hot and muggy but a huge improvement from freezing rain in March and the torrential downpour which postponed the April show. Show series points are updated and available on www.horseshowconsulting.com. The next OKC Metro show and clinic is scheduled for July 1 with judge Mary Mahler. Please visit the website for entry and clinic information. All show information for OKC Metro can be found at www.horseshowconsulting.com/okc-metro-dressage.

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North Central Chapter News



The NCC of ODS is planning on having 3 schooling shows this fall! Yeah!! So far we have 3 judges with Susan Lange being the one that has chosen the Nov. weekends of either the first weekend or the 2nd weekend in November. Thanks so much Susan. We also will have Marie Maloney and Lyn Francik as soon I get their open dates this fall from them. Watch for the news of the dates on the NCC of ODS on our Facebook page. We will post it as soon as they send me their open dates. These shows will all be shown at "A Little Bit Of Heaven" in Newkirk, Ok. Any questions feel free to call Rainee at 580-761-7951. Our last meeting was held May 6th and we had an important program on use of your hands in Dressage. We had several sets of reins brought so that we could work on the "Feel" of the horse and the Feel of the reins. Our next meeting will be June 3rd at the RCB drive thru bank corner of Lake and 14th St. in Ponca City. We hope to see every one of you there.

Thanks and happy transitions! Rainee

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FOR SALE STUBBEN DRESSAGE SADDLE

This Stubben Dressage Saddle is in excellent condition. It was used on an Arabian mare while taking dressage lessons. Because of its age, it may need reflocking.



When new, the saddle was priced at \$2,400.00
Present asking price: \$750.00; OBO

Linda M. Gremore

Cell: 918.521.2286

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THANK YOU FOR A SUCCESSFUL SPRING SHOW

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MAKE OUR SHOW HAPPEN

We extend our appreciation to all our sponsors this year. Your commitment to our 2017 Spring Show is the key to our success.

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May ODS Show Awards:

High Point Awards (from Saturday show):

FEI

Open- Charisma ridden by Nikki Weitzenhoffer

Fourth Level

Open- Contador SG ridden by Gretchen Aycock

Third Level

Open- Finian ridden by Anthea Kin

Amateur- Disco Divo ridden by Delinda Ruffino

Second Level

Open- Wiebekka ridden by Mimi Benton

Amateur- Fauston NAF ridden by Pamela DeVore

JR/YR- Faloria ridden by Hensley Moses

First Level

Open- Madoc All Dun ridden by Julie Madriguera

Amateur- Landstrider ridden by Amanda Edwards **(Bob Pape Trophy Winner!)**

JR/YR- Southern Vintage ridden by Emily McDonie **(Bee Pape Trophy Winner!)**

Training Level

Open- Sandrino ridden by Gail Abele

Amateur- Sister Sara SF ridden by Erin Nelson

JR/YR- Details at Last ridden by Lily Rhodes

Intro

Amateur- Liam XO ridden by Michelle Beckes

Breed Awards (from Saturday Show):

OLD/NA

Wiebekka owned by Vanessa Carlson

Oldenburg/German OHBS

Fursten Royal owned by Stephanie Wilson

Morgan

CBMF Fully Loaded owned by Elizabeth Ontiveros

Georgian Grande

Uniquely Silver owned by Danielle David

Friesian

Fauston NAF owned by Pamela DeVore

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May ODS Show Photos:

Amanda Edwards, Bob Pape Trophy & Emily McDonie, Bee Pape Trophy Winner.



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Proposed Policy and Procedures Amendments- Summer meeting

The previous Board proposed these Policies and Procedures Amendments. However in the change-over between Officers these Amendments were never posted as required by the Policies and Procedures.

IV. Board of Directors

A. Definition

3. ODS Board members must represent ODS above their respective Chapters and cannot serve on Chapter Boards.

IX. Chapters

B. Governance

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ODS Academy Awards Sponsored by Cheryl West and West Equestrian

Mission Statement: To find the ultimate lesson student who is capable of riding multiple horses, and to find the ultimate school horse who willingly carries and teaches all riders. ODS Academy Horse Award Requirements:

- A minimum of 5 scores with 3 different riders
- Must be ridden in USDF test at Intro level or above
- The rider cannot be the owner of the horse
- Horse can be un-papered, but must have an ODS registration number
- Horse must be part of an active riding or lesson program
- Horse must be 5 years old or older
- Recipient is determined by median score
- Award will be presented to the program that owns the horse
- Scores can cross all levels

ODS Academy Rider Award Requirements:

- A minimum of 5 scores on 3 different horses
- Must have ridden a test at USDF Intro level or above
- Rider must be a member of ODS
- Scores can cross all levels above Intro
- Recipient is determined by median score
- Rider cannot be the owner of the horse
- Horse must have an ODS registration number

A line will be added to the schooling show entry forms to indicate that the horse is an Academy horse so that the horse and rider are eligible for the award.

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2017 OKLAHOMA DRESSAGE SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

ODS is a Group member organization (GMO) of Region 9 of the United States Dressage Federation (USDF).

New Membership _____ Renewing Membership _____ Information Change only _____
Last Name _____ First Name _____ USDF ID# _____
Address _____ City/State Zip _____
Daytime Phone _____ Evening Phone _____ Cell _____
Email _____

USDF membership year is Dec 1 through Nov 30. Membership dues are late after November 30th.

ODS Membership – Select One Category. For family memberships consisting of more than two family members, please check both boxes for that section (Family and Add third family member).

- \$50 Adult Please check any that apply. Open _____ Amateur _____ Vintage (50+) _____
- \$20 Charter / Life (for ODS founding members and those members who have lifetime memberships)
- \$40 Junior, under 18 as of Dec 1 of the current membership year _____ Birth date _____
(For example, must be under 18 Dec. 1 of 2015 for 2015 membership)
- \$60 Family (for two family members) Name of second family member _____
- \$10 Add third family member Name of third family member _____

Please include birth dates for junior family members

Chapter Membership – Check which chapter you would like to join. Chapter membership is not required, but is required to participate in the Chapter awards programs. Chapter membership cost is the same for an individual or a family.

- \$10 Green Country Chapter (GCC)
- \$10 North Central Chapter (NCC)
- \$10 Great Plains Chapter (GPC)

_____ OPTIONAL donation to ODS. ODS is a tax exempt 501.c organization.

_____ **\$5 DISCOUNT for memberships received before November 30th.**

_____ **TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED**

Please tell us about your USDF/USEF accomplishments by checking any of the following boxes that apply. We plan to publish a list of member accomplishments on the website and in the directory.

____ Gold Medal ____ Silver Medal ____ Bronze Medal ____ USDF Rider Performance (training, 1st, 2nd)
____ “L” judge ____ USDF Instructor Certification

ODS membership is an opportunity to promote Dressage in your community. The club is ONLY as good as it's most ACTIVE members. We need your help! What are your skill sets? Please circle all that apply.

Scribing Scoring Organization/Management Accounting Spreadsheets

Arena Set-up/Tear-Down Photography Fund Raising Other _____

I hereby release the Oklahoma Dressage Society, it's officers, members, employees and agents from any liability and all claims of every kind, including costs, expenses, or attorney fees that might result from damages, injuries, or losses resulting directly or indirectly from the negligent act or omissions of the officers, members, employees or agents of the Oklahoma Dressage Society Club. I agree and sign below:

Signed: _____ Date _____ (Parent/guardian must sign for Junior Rider.)

Mail this form, with check payable to “Oklahoma Dressage Society” to: Christina Harmon, PO Box 33231, Tulsa, OK. 74153. Email: chrissilynn@att.net phone: 918-406-7173. Please allow 4 to 6 weeks for processing by USDF.