

2024 LINDA O'CARROLL MEMORIAL CDS ADULT AMATEUR CLINIC SERIES WITH HEIDI GAIAN



SOUTH : February 23-25

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HEIDI GAIAN

Heidi is seasoned FEI competitor, coach, and trainer as well as a USEF 'S' dressage judge.

Heidi's riding accomplishments include earning USDF Gold, Silver and Bronze medals with distinction as well as the USDF Gold Freestyle Bar. She has won numerous regional championships—second level through Grand Prix, and was named to the US Developing Rider list on three different FEI Level horses. She also had the honor of representing the USA in the Nation's Cup in Wellington, FL, and CDI Sydney, Australia.

As a coach, Heidi has helped many riders earn their USDF Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals and has coached riders to International, NAYC, National and Regional Championship successes.

CHAPTER PARTICIPATION

1. Procedures for Chapters to Reserve Clinic Space
 - The clinic Organizer will contact the Chapter Chairs 4-6 months in advance of the scheduled clinic to begin the process for rider application and selection.
 - a due date for receipt of checks will be set by the Organizer, typically 60 days before the clinic date.
 - to reserve a Chapter's space in the clinic the Chapter Chair or Chapter Treasurer is required to send a check for \$150.00 to the Central Office in accordance with the dates provided by the Organizer.
 - Checks must be received by the deadline or the chapter will forfeit the spot. If a Chapter is sending a rider but not supporting the fee, the rider is responsible for the clinic fee and the check must be received by the Central Office by the deadline.
 - Any vacant spots will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis from the waiting list by the Clinic Organizer.

- Any Chapter or individual can place a name or request to be on the waiting list.
- 2. Rider Eligibility and Selection - The following pertains to all riders, whether chosen by their Chapter or those who submit their names to be included for the waiting list. Riders must be members in good standing of CDS and be Adult Amateurs 22 years or older. The same rider cannot ride in two consecutive yearly clinics. The riders must be able to walk/trot/canter with proper diagonals and leads (Training Level minimally). The rider, to be eligible, must have a sound, fit and in good condition, familiar equine partner, presenting as a "horse/rider team". They must be actively riding demonstrated by current dressage lessons with their horse for the past 6 months. A borrowed or loaned horse just for the occasion is strongly discouraged. An application must be submitted.

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