

# BOOTS AND SADDLES



## Ride with Pride



**FROM  
THE  
DIRECTOR'S  
CHAIR**



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It has been entirely too long since a Boots & Saddles has been put out and it is all my fault! But, we have all been busy and I am sure you have seen so many things going on. First, and foremost, the teams have been coming along very well. We had a great White Division Show on the Father's Day weekend. I think we all anticipate the improvement that will be shown in White Olympics in August. I was particularly impressed with the White Division teams that loped their drills with considerable precision. Westernaires is, and always has been, focused on precision drill at speed. The emphasis is on both the precision and the speed. Teams that go at a trot sacrifice some of what Westernaires was founded upon and teams that achieve speed without the requisite precision sacrifice that history as well. The Standard Drill Show proved that precision is possible for nearly every

team. What is left is putting the two together.

Prospects for the future sure are looking good, if Interclub was any indication. We had many excellent riders and I really don't envy the judges their job. The Tenderfeet and Juniors have much to be proud of and elsewhere in this edition, you will find the results of the day.

Red Division is also looking good. Precisionettes have done the rodeo in Granby on Memorial Day, the Polo for the Cure event in June and the Rodeo at the Ranch in July. I am told they shone each time. Red Team traveled to Washington, Kansas to help celebrate their 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary and truly wowed the town. Many said they had never seen anything like the Westernaires and they were surely impressed. Success comes from everyone working hard, training consistently and all putting forth a complete effort when performing. The

next several months will be very busy as well and then it will be fall, new tenderfeet and Annual Show on the horizon.

At the same time, I am seeing a great deal of pride in our facilities and in our care for them. White Division teams are out trimming weeds and cleaning up and painting the bleachers. Red Division teams are faithfully cleaning the horse vans and buses for all to use. The volunteer staff are working very hard to have everything ship shape for all to enjoy. Thanks to everyone.

Now, I want to talk about a special event coming in August. On August 14<sup>th</sup>, the Jefferson County Fair will be held. They are doing quite a bit different this year and we have been invited to participate. They will be having booths in the area that is the Rodeo Arena Parking Lot and Westernaires will have a booth too, with brochures to hand out and we will be answering questions. They will also be having a rodeo on the evening of the 14<sup>th</sup> and Westernaires who buy their tickets in advance will get the same discount that the 4-H and other participants receive. That is a first! We need to praise Tod Cooper, a Westernaire dad and president of the Jeffco Fair, Inc. for including us in his vision of a true Jefferson County Fair.



We will be cooperating a great deal with the fair and you will all be asked to sacrifice some to accomplish the fair. Tickets will be available for \$8.00 instead of \$12.00. To order, email Tod Cooper at

[coopercorrals@msn.com](mailto:coopercorrals@msn.com). Make checks payable to Jeffco Fair, Inc. and mail the check to 13300 W. 72<sup>nd</sup> Ave. Arvada, CO 80005. Please make sure you make payment at least a week prior to the rodeo. There is no limit, so bring friends and family and let's have a rollicking good time.

Glen E. Keller, Jr. Director

# INTERCLUB RESULTS 2010

Congratulations to all of the participants in the 2010 Interclub. Five ribbons were awarded in each of the classes. In the Championship round, the top three from each class competed for the E. E. Wyland Trophy and 4 ribbons. The winners are as follows:

## E. E. Wyland Trophy: Lauren Smith

**Second:** Arturo Curiel                      **Fourth:** Bethany Olguin  
**Third:** Melissa Oehrlein                      **Fifth:** Jonathan Grogan

### FIRST

Kira Funk  
America Paisley  
Boden Grimes  
Olivia Ipson  
Autymn Purcell  
Alexis Senecal  
Beth Brewster  
Emily Fournier  
Isabella Olson  
Kiersta Roe  
Madison Crossier  
Hannah Gay  
Bethany Olguin  
Rory Tolvo  
Jordan Ehler  
Arturo Curiel

### SECOND

Christian Lyons  
Caeley Story  
Emma Ellison  
Ian Johnston  
Olivia Palaschak  
Morrigan Skelton  
Kit Binkley  
Jonathan Grogan  
Lauren Phillips  
Claire Wingert  
Shelbi Davenport  
Kristina Greatorex  
Annika Kraakevick  
Daniel Phillips  
Jordan Iko  
Lauren Smith

### THIRD

Kathryn Linz  
Ava Zonneveld  
Christian Dawson  
Anna Lakatos  
Evan Lim  
Jon Tyus  
Rachel Eben  
Cora Johnson  
Amelia Nutt  
Lauren Sayers  
Marguerite Buchman  
Samuel Grogan  
Tiffany Monahan  
Stephanie Pluskett  
Shania Garcia  
Melissa Oehrlein

### FOURTH

Collen Lyons  
Nadine Rayburn  
Miranda Granillo  
Kristen Kissler  
Cheyenne Mayo  
Abby Spaeth  
Taittum Barrett  
Maggie Krumholz  
Mykaela Martinez  
Maleah Cespedes  
Ariana Dawson  
Lauren Healy  
Caitlin Nestler  
Hannah Schear  
Ben Grogan  
Angela Robertson

### FIFTH

Alyssa Martinez  
Aidan Ingalls  
Erika Ask  
Melissa Leewaye  
Emily Overholt  
Jonathan Sheffield  
Taylor Albin  
Maegan Handley  
Kristina Medina  
Tiandra Reno-Scott  
Paris Franklin  
Elizabeth Gountanis  
Kiana Morin  
Caleb Story  
Alysha Gear  
Tori Malek



## TENDERFOOT INDUCTION

Be sure to remind all your friends and family about the upcoming Tenderfoot Induction night on August 27. Get your applications in now, as spaces are filling up quickly and we don't want to turn anyone away. [www.westernaires.org](http://www.westernaires.org) or get an application in the office.



## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR 2010 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:

### RED TEAM

Holly Augustine  
Elaine Casey  
Becca Eman  
Kayla Fisk  
Amy Howard  
Sydney Koop  
Katie Lambooy  
Tara Leibensperger  
Leah Major  
Mary Misgen  
Amanda McCarthy  
Jenna Simmons  
Allyson Zinke

### PRECISIONETTES

Olivia Cipro  
Morgan Dimick  
Ashley Fanning  
Amber Harrison  
Ginaya Jaramillo  
Shari Lightfield  
Adrianna Machosky  
Shannon McIntosh  
Marie Prilika  
Amanda Smith  
Kelli Tichy  
Amanda Visser

### CAVALRY

Eddie Haggerty  
Ian Kersch  
Geoff Lee (flag rider)  
Tony Luchetta (flag rider)  
Matthew Maes  
Nick Walton (flag rider)

### CRIMSON

Ruth Chadwick  
Victoria Fisher  
Amber Franklin  
Toni Hoven  
Alyssa Lehto  
Hannah Morton  
Ashley Mount  
Michelle Omernick  
Alexandra Reetz  
Alexis Schaap  
Stephanie Smith  
Kaitlyn Weiman



### ROYAL

Lexi Andersen  
Chelsi Grover  
Sarah Kearns  
Stephany Lemley  
Becki Lewis  
Erica Moul  
Annie Philbrook  
Julia Sneider

## UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

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[www.westernairesalumni.org](http://www.westernairesalumni.org)

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### 2010

- July 22, 23 Queen City Horse Show – Red Team
- July 23 Western Heritage Show – Crimson, Royal and Nighthorse
- July 24 3<sup>rd</sup> Junior Lecture  
Buffalo Bill Parade  
National Western Complex – Red Team
- July 27 Easter Seals – Precisionettes
- July 31 Tenderfoot Testing
- August 7 Junior Testing
- August 7-15 Alumni Week
- August 14-15  
Jefferson County Fair and Rodeo  
Pony Rides 10-2  
Rodeo 7 pm – Precisionettes
- August 21 White Olympics  
Wheat Ridge Carnation Festival  
Littleton Western Welcome Week Parade
- August 22 White Olympics
- August 27 Tenderfoot Induction
- August 28 Individual Portraits
- Sept 4-6 Trinidad – Red Team  
Individual Portraits
- Sept 11 Arvada Harvest Festival
- Sept 21 National Western – Red Team and others
- October 16 Halloween for Horses
- Nov 6-7 Annual Show (revised date)