



# THE STABLE

*On The Woods*

## *Spring Fling*

**ADULT EVENT CAMP • APRIL 13 - 17, 2009**

The Stable on the Woods is pleased to announce the addition of this new program to the 2009 calendar. We will accept riders whose skills range from those wishing to get started in combined training to riders already competing at the Beginner Novice, Novice and Training Level. Adults from any discipline are welcome and will be registered on a first come, first served basis. This program will be **limited to 25 riders and their horses** to allow for flexible scheduling and individual attention.

Camp will focus on all three areas of eventing. The morning sessions will focus on dressage and supple work in a semi-private format. The afternoon session will focus on conditioning, cross-country, gymnastics and show jumping in small groups of riders. Our schedule will allow each person to ride with a variety of instructors in a variety of settings and phases. Additional cross country schooling will be held at local venues in Aiken.

The camp will have unmounted instructional sessions, stable management lectures, hands-on experience, video and individualized guidance and scheduling for horse and rider. You will gain valuable knowledge, experience and confidence!

Horses will be boarded either at The Stable On The Woods' Lower Barn or across the road at Hathaway Farms. These participants will have a short 5 minute hack to The Stable On The Woods. Both barns are permanent barns, with wash stall and tack room facilities. Limited turn out will be available.

An unsanctioned combined test will be running at the end of the program on April 18th at Full Gallop Farm in Aiken. Participants of the adult event camp will have the opportunity to compete at the schooling two phase, with the help and coaching of camp clinicians. The cost of the combined test is not included in tuition; more info on the combined test will be available soon.

Our clinicians will focus on the fundamentals of eventing and balance seat riding. We are fortunate to have **Michael Page and Heidi White as the clinicians** for our first event camp.

### **Heidi White**

*Heidi has been with her partner, Northern Spy, known to his friends as Farley, for 7 years now. Some of their competition highlights together include leading lady rider and owner/rider at the 2006 USEF National CCI\*\*\*\* Eventing Championship where the pair came in an impressive second at the Rolex Kentucky CCI\*\*\*\* Three-Day Event. In 2005, the pair was 10th at the Badminton CCI\*\*\*\* which meant she was the highest placing American in eight years at this event. They also took 10th at the FEI World Cup Final in Sweden. The previous year, the duo came in eighth at the Rolex Kentucky. Farley has completed seven four-star events and eight three-star events, his best finishes coming at Rolex Kentucky*

CCI\*\*\*\* where they were second in 2006 and fourth in 2007.

The pair was short-listed for the 2004 Athens Olympic Games and represented the U.S. on the team at the 2006 Eventing World Championships in Germany. The Fork Horse Trials in April 2008 gave the pair - who is rarely out of the ribbons - a massive victory. They took home top honors in the CICW\*\*\*.

## **Michael Page**

Michael Page's credentials speak for themselves. He graduated from the French Cavalry School in Saumur, France before winning the Individual Gold Medal in both the 1959 Pan American Games in Chicago, the Individual Gold and the Team Gold in the 1963 Pan American Games in Sao Paulo, and the Individual Bronze and the Team Gold in the 1967 Pan American Games in Winnipeg. Page competed in three different Olympic Games winning a Team Silver in 1964 and an Individual Bronze and a Team Silver in 1968. He also served as the coach of Canadian 3-Day Olympic team in the 1976 Olympic Games in Montreal. He also has served as Chairman for the AHSA Equitation Committee, the USET Nominating Committee, and was a Judge for the AHSA/ASPCA Equitation Finals (7 times), and also at the Intercollegiate National Finals (4 times). Page is currently the Resident Trainer and Instructor for the Kent School in Kent, Connecticut. Page conducts several clinics each year and is renowned for his lectures on Horsemanship, Horseshowmanship, and other Equestrian related topics.

## **Facilities**

Please visit our web site: [www.stableonthewoods.com/camp.html](http://www.stableonthewoods.com/camp.html)

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## **Requirements**

- Horse must be suitable, safe and fit enough\* for 2 - 3 hours of work per day.
- Negative Coggins within one year of camp date.
- Flu/Rhino shot within 3 months of camp date.
- Out of state horses must have a valid Certificate of Health.
- Record of vaccinations, signed by a veterinarian (click here to download a Certificate of vaccination and list of shots).
- Shoes should be in appropriate condition, preferably done one to two weeks before arrival at camp. A farrier is on call, but may not be readily available. It is strongly suggested shoes be replaced one to two week before camp.

\* Horses must be in suitable condition for 2-3 hours of work each day. This is very important so campers can benefit fully from the program. Check with your trainers for a suitable conditioning schedule or call us if you need assistance.

## **Horse Care**

- Campers are responsible for the complete care of their horse throughout their stay, unless campers are a current boarder of The Stable on The Woods.
- Clinicians and staff will be available to answer any and all questions and to advise, but campers will be responsible for the daily care of their horse.
- Horses will be boarded either at The Stable On The Woods' Lower Barn or across the road at Hathaway Farms. These campers will have a short 5 minute hack to The Stable On The Woods.

## **What To Bring**

### **For Your Horse:**

- Grain, hay, shavings and any supplements (shavings will be available for purchase, please include on registration form if you will need shavings and how many you will be ordering)
- Tack and equipment such as any martingales, breastplates, galloping/brush boots and several saddle pads)
- Tack cleaning equipment
- Grooming equipment
- Braiding, clipping, trimming equipment
- Extra halter, girth, reins, stirrup leathers
- Fly Spray
- Medical Kit

### **For The Rider:**

Please note, you are to be properly turned out for all instruction! This includes:

- USEA medical armband
- Breeches, tall boots or properly fitting half chaps, collared shirts (polo) tucked in with belts.
- Hair properly contained, a hair net is recommended if needed.
- Approved helmet.
- Gloves, bat, dress whip, spurs, etc.

## **Registration & Fee**

\$1600 per person

This includes all instruction, stall, lectures, welcome dinner party Sunday, and lunch Monday - Friday.

**A non-refundable deposit of \$500 is due with your registration to hold your spot.**

**The balance is due on or before 3/15/09.**

Refunds for cancellations are only available if we are able to fill your spot from the waiting list.

To register, please download all the required forms for the Adult Camp on our Forms page. Fill them out and mail to:

**The Stable On The Woods  
Spring Fling  
2200 Dibble Road  
Aiken, SC 29801**

## **Check List**

- completed registration form
- non-refundable deposit of \$500 made payable to The Stable On The Woods
- a release form
- a copy of your negative Coggins
- a valid Certificate of Health, out-of-state horses only
- record of vaccinations, signed by a veterinarian