

Meadow Lake Menagerie

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Cheers to all of the Accomplishments in May!

Congratulations are in order to all of those who have competed recently in competitions with great success. Everyone at MLEC is very proud of all of our students.

- Lindsey Howland and Scooter placed second at the Wilderness Trace Pony Club Show with a completely clear jumping round! Way to go Lindsey and Scooter!
- Haley O'Kane and General Lee placed fourth at the Wilderness Trace Pony Club Show, also having an amazing show!

Way to go girls and congratulations. All of your hard work has certainly paid off.

- Lindsay Koffler Cassidy and Kasper won the Young Adult Grand Prix class at the Lamplight CDI in Chicago.

Welcome New MLEC Boarders

Please help us in welcoming our new boarders.

Richard Ketch

Paula & Denny Gooden

We are very excited to welcome everyone. Please help us in welcoming all of the new boarders by intro-



Ladies Night

Every Thursday Night we are having ladies night at MLEC. What a great time we all had. Ladies night is going to be from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. The evening starts by tacking up the horses and meeting everyone and then we head out for some unstructured riding fun in the

arena and a few friendly tips from Lindsay or Brianna. Then when we have had enough of the arena the ladies take to the trails for a new perspective of the farm from horseback. When everyone returns we retreat to the beautiful Ashley Inn for some refreshments and fun

Meet Our New Farm Manager Julie Levandowski

Julie Levandowski comes to us from Canter View Equestrian Center, where she has spent the last four years as manager, trainer, and instructor. She is currently competing at USDF and USEA shows with the TB stallion Hooray Hooray. Julie primarily competes in eventing, but is also a strong competitor in dressage. Julie strongly believes that horsemanship is the key to success. Julie has been a member of the Army Reserve since 1996. She served 9 months in Afghanistan during Operation Enduring Freedom and 5 months at Fort Lewis, WA for Operation Noble Eagle. Currently Julie serves as a drill Sergeant stationed in Lexington, Ky. Julie is a well-decorated and highly respected soldier and combat veteran. So if you would like to get in shape we might be able to talk Julie into morning runs and workouts! Julie is excited to begin working as manager of MLEC, with plans of bringing in world renowned clinicians, and nationally approved horse shows in multiple disciplines including: Hunter /Jumpers, Eventing, and Dressage. Julie is dedicated to providing the best quality of care and training to our clients and their horses. Welcome Julie!

“Giddy– Up Days” Summer Camp Series 2008



Do you know a special young person that just can't get enough of horses? Well we have the solution. Our new “Giddy– Up Days” camp is just the right place for them to be. Lindsay and Brianna are excited for school to end so that all of the fun can begin! Our camp days are going to be jammed packed with tons of fun and HORSES! Each camp will offer two riding sessions per day and tons of fun in be-

tween. We will also learn all about horse care and safety. A shuttle service is going to be offered convenient to the Lexington area, with the pick-up at Brannon Crossing off Nicholasville Road. The MLEC Shuttle will pick all of the kids that have signed up at 8:30 a.m. and will bring them back at 5:30 p.m.

Camp dates are as follows for ages 10-16:

June 2-6, 2008

June 16-20, 2008

July 7-11, 2008

July 21-25, 2008

Junior Camp for ages 6-9 will take place August 4-8, 2008.

If you would like more information please feel free to give us a call in the office at 859-548-2219. You can also stop in the office for some brochures.



Ribbon Cutting June 7th

Angela Hecker-Jackson Coming in June!

Come and join all the fun as we cut the ribbon and open the farm to the public! The festivities will commence at 1:00 p.m. and will last until 5:00 p.m. Share in the fun with tours of the house and farm, pony rides, face painting, and refreshments! You don't want to miss out on all the family fun.

Angela Hecker-Jackson is dedicated to preparing and showing horses of all various ages and levels. She is a successful show jumping trainer as well as dressage trainer having won the gold medal riding award in jumping and the silver medal at the German Young Riders Championships. Angela's focus has shifted towards the training of dressage horses since arriving in the United States. Angela has

been very successful at training young horses from her families breeding program for the past 20 years. The breeding program has had many successes in producing many Grand Prix jumping as well as dressage horses. Meadow Lake Equestrian Center is proud to offer a two day clinic with Angela.

“Where Aspirations Become Achievements”.

Meadow Lake Equestrian Center Tack Shop & Boutique

We have opened our new tack shop! The tack shop carries all of the horsey necessities from shampoo to fly masks and lots of things in between. We even have some fun boutique accessories for the equestrian! If you need something specific please inquire for we might be able to order that for you as well. Please stop by! If no one is available please call Laurie at 859-608-9174. Happy Trails!

Horse Health Connection

We have revamped the horses worming schedule according to Rood and Riddle and the research from the famous University of Kentucky's Gluck Center. Starting this month the horses will be wormed on a rotating schedule. We will begin this month with Quest., and continue in June, November, and January. We are confident that this is the

most complete and appropriate way to worm the horses. We will no longer be feeding daily dewormer unless requested by the owner. If you have any questions regarding the new schedule please feel free to contact Amanda Shoults, Assistant Farm Manager at 859-548-2219.