



# Stone Ledge Farm Newsletter

## September Show Edition!

September 2019

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Stable Show Series!** Saturday, September 14th kicks off the first of our 2019/2020 Stable Show Series with the Back-to-School Stable Show! Competitors who compete throughout our Stable Show series will earn points towards the coveted High Point Awards presented at the end of our March 2020 Stable Show! The November show in this series will tentatively be held on November 16th. Stay tuned for the upcoming dates for our January and March Stable Show dates that will round out the series!



**New Lesson Payment Options:** Payments can now be made online via PayPal on our website, or through bank payments via Wave invoices. Please let Christie know if you are interested in setting up monthly automatic invoices and/or payments!

### UPCOMING EVENTS



**Back-To-School Stable Show:** *September 14th, Stone Ledge Farm!*  
This will be the first of the 2019-20 Stable Show Series where competitors earn points towards the coveted High Point Awards presented in March 2020! This event is also a potluck, so bring a dish to pass and come hungry and ready to learn and have fun!

**Grand National & World Championship Morgan Horse Show:**  
*October 12-19th, Oklahoma City, OK.* "GN" is the annual National and World Championship Morgan horse show that draws in over 1,000 horses from 45 states and 4 countries, 5,000

attendees, and awards over \$300,000 in prize money. Competitors at this show are all hoping to win the title of National Champion and the highest title of all, World Champion.

**IASPHA Fall Horse Show:** *October 25-27th, Gurnee, IL.* This Saddlebred, Open and Academy show brings consistent competition to the Academy Division and SLF will be represented both in the Open and Academy divisions at this show!



## MORGAN MASTERPIECE RECAP



**Hunter Recap:** Jess and Roxie earned a 5th place ribbon in the Hunter Ladies qualifier to then come back for a Reserve Champion ribbon in the Hunter Amateur Championship! Jess also rode Mateo in the Hunter division, winning both the Youth qualifier and Championship! Becky showed Freya in her second ring appearance with SLF, winning the 4-Yr Old Hunter class and the Jr Horse Championship. Nicole rode Rillo in the Hunter Amateur division, winning both the Qualifier and the Championship in a pair of beautiful rides! Grace took Corey into

the Hunter Equitation division and had an amazing show! Emily and Peeps had a busy show, winning the Walk-Trot Pleasure qualifier and earning a Reserve Champion ribbon in the Championship class as well putting in strong finishes in the Walk-Trot Equitation division and Youth of the Year!

**English Recap:** Kit rode Hannah in the English Pleasure Jr. Horse division, earning a 3rd place in the qualifier and a Reserve Champion ribbon in the Championship! Jess and Nate put in two strong rides in the English Pleasure division, earning a 2nd place in the Ladies and Reserve Champion ribbon in the Jr./Amateur Championship! Abby rode Dave in the competitive Classic Pleasure division, earning a 3rd place ribbon in the Jr. Exhibitor qualifier and a 5th in the Classic Pleasure Championship. Kacy and Ace also did well in the Classic Pleasure division, earning a strong 2nd place ribbon in the Ladies, and a Reserve Champion ribbon in the Championship!

**Western Recap:** Sharp gave Kelly and Nicole a series of great rides, bringing home a 1st place in the Amateur, 5th place in the Ladies, 6th place in the Jr./Amateur Championship and a 3rd place in the Western Championship! Becky rode Mila for a 2nd place finish in the Mares class, and a 6th place ribbon in the Western Championship!



**Driving Recap:** Matchbox and Cindy got 2nd in the Classic Pleasure Driving qualifier and a 4th place finish in the Championship! Al and Angel had a beautiful turnout at this year's Oshkosh with a sweep of wins in Carriage division!

**Academy Recap:** After a series of tornado warnings and intense storms, riders Ava and Maddie had a fantastic Academy session with Fluffy, earning many victory laps between the two riders!



## SIGNATURE SHOW RECAP

**Hunt/Western Recap:** Holly and Tori had 2 fantastic rides in the Open Hunter Pleasure division, earning a Championship finish in

the Open Hunter Championship! Western riders Sierra, Becky and Christie took on the Open Western division on Rocky, Gator and Whisper. Sierra and Rocky swept the Western classes with two victory passes, including the Championship, while Becky and Gator earned a 3rd and 4th place ribbons and Christie and Whisper earned a 4th place in the qualifier.

**English/Driving Recap:** Bonnie was a busy lady at Signature, both riding Fluffy in the Open English Pleasure division, and driving Murphy in the Open Pleasure Driving division, earning a 4th with Fluffy in the Championship and winning the Driving Championship with Murphy! Abby took Clarence into the Open English Pleasure division as well, with two stunning classes and earning a 5th place ribbon in the Championship.

**Academy Recap:** Riders Ellie, Allie and Maddie took on a competitive WTC 14-17 Yr Old division in a deep field of strong riders. All three riders put in a series of great rides, consistently landing in the ribbons and representing SLF well!



## BUCKEYE RECAP



**Hunter Recap:** Jess and Roxie had a great show, earning two 2nd places in the Youth and Mares qualifiers and a Reserve ribbon in the Hunter championship. Jess and Mateo did equally well, earning a 2nd place in the Amateur Stallions/Geldings, a 1st in the Road Hack class, and a 4th place in the Amateur Championship. Emily and Mr. Peeps had another great showing in the Walk-Trot division, earning a 2nd place

in the 11 & Under qualifier and a Reserve Champion ribbon in the Championship!

**English Recap:** Jess took Nate into the English Pleasure Amateur class, earning a 4th place ribbon, and earned a 2nd place in the English Pleasure Youth! Kit took Hannah into the Jr Horse English Pleasure division, earning a 5th place in the qualifier and a 5th place in the Championship. Cameron and Dave took on the Classic Pleasure division, earning a 3rd place in the Classic Pleasure Jr. Exhibitor class!



