



2016 VRPC Upper Level Prep Sessions

(March 5, 2016)



H-B/H-A Prep Sessions

March 19 - H-B/H-A Prep Oral Subjects

This will be a learning session and self-evaluation of weak areas. Candidates will begin building their study outlines.

Time: noon – 4 pm

Location: Hoof and Paw Vet Service

211 S 20th St, Purcellville, VA 20132

Clinician: Paula Horne, DVM

April 7 and 21 H-B/H-A Unmounted Oral Subjects

Time: Evenings, 3 hour sessions for oral discussions.

Location: Hoof and Paw Vet Service

211 S 20th St, Purcellville, VA 20132

Clinician: Paula Horne, DVM

April 17 –Longeing & Bandaging.

Afternoon Workshop: HB/HA Candidates will longe and bandage their own horses or a provided horse if they can't bring their own.

Location: TBD (same location as mounted prep)

Clinicians: Karen Nutt, Cathy Frederickson, Mary Schwentker

May 5 and 19 H-B/H-A Unmounted Oral Subjects

Time: Evenings, 3 hour sessions for oral discussions.

Location: Hoof and Paw Vet Service

211 S 20th St, Purcellville, VA 20132

Clinician: Paula Horne, DVM

May 15 – Conformation & Bandaging

Afternoon workshop: Conformation discussions and identification of seats of lameness. Bandaging techniques.

Location: TBD (same location as mounted prep)

Clinician: Christina Keim

May 21 – Mock H-A

Location: TBD

June 22 - Longeing & Bandaging

Afternoon workshop: Candidates will longe and bandage their own horses or a provided horse if they can't bring their own.

Location: TBD (same location as mounted prep)

Clinician Melissa Martell

June 25 – Mock H-B

Location: TBD

July 6 – Longeing & Bandaging

Afternoon workshop: Candidates will longe and bandage their own horses or a provided horse if they can't bring their own.

Location: Deep Run Hunt Club, 1540 Manakin Rd, Manakin-Sabot, VA 23103

Clinician: Jane Kelly

July 15-/16 - H-B Certification

Location: Jarvandi Farm, Haymarket, VA

VRPC will host the H-B Certification. Members who wish to test should go to the USPC website to register and pay for certification.

C3/B/A Riding Clinics

April 17 - C3/B/A Riding Clinic: Are you ready?

What is my path to succeed at the national certification? This C3/B/A clinic will answer that question by providing formal assessments that shows where each rider needs to focus for success. Parents are encouraged to attend this clinic as well as test candidates.

Afternoon workshop: Longeing & Bandaging

Candidates will practice longeing & bandage mounts.

Location: Bakers Field Farm, 902 Old Winchester Rd, Boyce, VA

Clinicians: Karen Nutt, Cathy Frederickson, Mary Schwentker

May 15 - C3/B/A Riding Clinic

Elements will include:

Flatwork focus on position and effective use of aids.

Gridwork with focus on position.

Working lunch: Understanding Use of Grid and Jumping Distances.

Afternoon workshop: Conformation & Bandaging

Conformation discussions and identification of seats of lameness.

Location: TBD

Clinician: Christina Keim, Alita (Bunny) Hendricks

June 22 - C3/B/A Riding Clinic

Elements will include:

Flatwork focus on warm up and test riding.

Course work over fences.

Working lunch understanding lateral work.

Afternoon workshop: Bandaging & Longeing

Location: TBD

Clinician: Melissa Martell

July 6 - C3/B/A Riding Clinic

Elements will include:

Flatwork focus warm up, discussion and switch rides.

Jumping warm up, discussion, switch rides.

Working Lunch understanding course design and distances.

Afternoon workshop: Longeing & Bandaging

Location: Deep Run Hunt Club, 1540 Manakin Rd, Manakin-Sabot, VA 23103

Clinician: Jane Kelly, Richard Lamb

July 19/20 - Are You Really? Mock Test

We will try to run as close to an actual test as possible with some coaching. Elements will include:

Turn out

Flatwork warm up, test and switch rides

Jumping grid, course, switch rides and xc

Location: TBD

Clinicians: Deb Wilson and Susan Harris

August 5-7 – National Certifications C-3/B/A

Location: Glenwood Park, Middleburg, VA

VRPC will hold national certification testing for C-3/B at Glenwood Park, Middleburg, VA

Members who wish to test should go to the USPC website to register and pay for certification.

Note: registration deadline for this date is May 13, 2016.