

**Opening Date:**  
April 11, 2006

**Closing Date:**  
May 12, 2006

**THE OLD CHATHAM PONY CLUB  
And  
THE OLD CHATHAM HUNT CLUB**

**SPRING SCHOOLING DRESSAGE & COMBINED TEST**

Sunday, May 21, 2006  
Start time 8:00am

Larkin' Hill  
515 County Route 32  
North Chatham, NY 12132

**Mail entries to:**

Natalie M. Epstein, Organizer  
P.O. Box 147

North Chatham, NY 12132

Phone: 518-766-7800

Fax: 518-766-7801

Day of show only: 518-225-7137 (cell)

[ghepst@aol.com](mailto:ghepst@aol.com)

**Judges:**

Pat Jacobson, NY (r)

Margie Hutchison, Jump Judge & TD

Website:

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

- Photographer on grounds
- Warm-up rounds allowed for jumping - \$5.00
- Great beginning-level show! Bring the whole family - something for everyone!
- Concessions: Hot food on grounds all day - Breakfast & Lunch menus!
- FREE - Callers/Readers available to call dressage tests (not allowed for combined tests)
- EMT Squad on grounds
- Farrier and Veterinarian on grounds

**Old Chatham Spring Schooling Dressage Show  
& Combined Test  
May 21, 2006**

*Class List*

- Class 1: Leadline (Open to any competitor 10 years and under)
- Class 2: Dressage Suitability (Not open to horses being shown at First Level and above.)
- Class 3: Dressage Equitation (Open to all competitors.)
- Class 4: USDF Introductory Test - Juniors (Please indicate which test you prefer to ride.)
- Class 5: USDF Introductory Test - Seniors (Please indicate which test you prefer to ride.)
- Class 6: CT- Crossrails/ USDF IntroTest A - Juniors
- Class 7: CT- Crossrails/ USDF IntroTest A - Seniors
- Class 8: USEF Training Level Test I - Juniors
- Class 9: USEF Training Level Test I - Seniors
- Class 10: USEF Training Level Test 2 - Juniors
- Class 11: USEF Training Level Test 2 - Seniors
- Class 12: CT- 2006 USEF Beginner Novice Eventing Test A - Juniors
- Class 13: CT- 2006 USEF Beginner Novice Eventing Test A - Seniors
- Class 14: USEF Training Level Test 3 - Juniors
- Class 15: USEF Training Level Test 3 - Seniors
- Class 16: USEF Training Level Test 4 - Juniors
- Class 17: USEF Training Level Test 4 - Seniors
- Class 18: CT -2006 USEF Novice Eventing Test A- Juniors
- Class 19: CT -2006 USEF Novice Eventing Test A - Seniors
- Class 20: USEF Test of Choice (Please specify; no Junior/Senior divisions)
- Class 21: Quadrille Division (please indicate what test you will ride)

- Classes may not run in numerical order, please check website prior to show. Leadline, suitability, and equitation will run at 12:00pm.
- Warm-up rounds allowed for jumping - \$5.00. Only 1 warm-up round per rider per class
- USEF Dressage Tests are 2003 editions, and the Combined Tests(CT) dressage tests are the new 2006 USEF eventing editions
- Combined test competitors may enter a maximum of 2 divisions with the same horse, as long as they are consecutive.

## Levels/Divisions

Dressage - USDF Introductory through Training Level, USEF Test of Choice, Dressage Suitability & Dressage Equitation.

Combined Test - Baby Green Division: USDF 2003 Intro Test A

Crossrails (no more than 18")

Beginner Novice Division: USEF 2006 BN Test A

Jumps up to 2' 6"

Novice Division: USEF 2006 Novice Test A

Jumps up to 2' 11"

*NOTE: Rider Divisions will be Junior and Senior for both the Dressage and the Combined Tests. Juniors must be 18 or under as of December 31, 2006. Seniors must be 19 or older as of December 31, 2006.*

## Awards

1. Ribbons to 8th place
2. High Point Championship ribbon, Junior and Senior Divisions, Dressage Low Point Championship ribbon, Junior and Senior Divisions, Combined Test (4 Championships all together.)
3. OCPC Challenge Turnout Prize - awarded to best turned out horse and rider.(Jr.)  
Please see "**Special Items**" below for details.

*NOTE: Championship ribbons and PC Challenge Prize awarded at end of Dressage classes. Ceremony is unmounted, but show attire and horse in-hand for photos, please.*

## Entries

\$25.00 - Dressage tests, any level.

\$60.00 - Combined test. Includes dressage test and jumping round.

\$15.00 - Suitability and Equitation classes.

\$10.00 - Leadline class.

\$ 5.00 - Warm-up round for jumping.

*NOTE: Discount of \$5.00 for members of USPC. Entries will not be considered complete unless current (within 1 year of show date) negative Coggins enclosed!! Checks payable to OLD CHATHAM PONY CLUB.*

*\$20.00 fee for changes after closing date, or an incomplete entry. Non-negotiable checks will be charged \$20.00. Post entries accepted to fill scratches with \$20.00 fee. Complete entries will be processed in the order they are received, by post-mark. Refunds given for cancellations BEFORE the closing date, less \$10.00 office charge.. NO REFUNDS AFTER THE CLOSING DATE, and will be considered a donation to OCPC/OCHC. You may receive a receipt for your donation if requested from show office or manager in writing. Competition cancellation – no refund.*

## Times

Unofficial times will be available on OCPC website, [www.oldchathamponyclub.org](http://www.oldchathamponyclub.org), one week before the competition. Alternatively, send SASE, and we will provide your times. Be sure to check the official ride times upon arrival at the show grounds. They will be posted in the Secretary's Booth.

## Stabling

None available.

### **Footing**

1. One indoor arena with very good sand and rubber footing (Dressage tests) - small arena with area to circle before entering at A for Intro and TL tests.
2. One large outdoor arena next to indoor with very good sand footing.
3. Depending on weather, jump course or warm-up may be set on beautiful, lightly rolling, well mowed field. *Please ride only in designated areas.*

### **Food**

Concessions with hot foods available on grounds all day.

### **Other**

Show rules will follow USEF and USEA competition rules. Management reserves right to combine, divide or cancel any class, and add to or vary the list of judges. Horses not showing but schooling on the grounds will be allowed if noted with separate entry (no charge) and upon receipt of a current negative Coggins test. Appropriate ASTM/SEI approved headgear MANDATORY when mounted on the show grounds. Sorry, NO DOGS allowed. Photographer on the grounds; sign up at Secretary's Booth.

### **Special Items**

OCPC wishes to make the world of dressage showing and eventing accessible, understandable and friendly to entry-level competitors, thus we are providing, below:

- (1) A free service of test readers/callers for anyone riding a USDF/USEF Dressage test. Please indicate on entry if you wish to use this service. *NOTE. According to USEA rules, dressage tests ridden for eventing divisions may not be called but must be ridden from memory!! Sorry!*
- (2) OCPC Challenge Turnout Prize - Show off your grooming and turn-out abilities! Be judged on 3 different areas of horsemanship: tack, horse grooming and rider grooming and turnout. Judges will be looking for neatness, cleanliness, appropriateness and a pleasing appearance only. NO extra points awarded for name brands; everyone equal. Dressage showing attire only (no colorful or casual eventing gear.) To be judged in separate area from show arenas. Check where it will be located when picking up competitor's package in Secretary's Booth. Competition begins when show opens and closes at 12:00 sharp. Award given during championship ceremony after last dressage class. Prize will be a quality grooming tote filled with grooming products for horse, rider , and tack worth approximately \$100.00.

## **Directions**

**Larkin' Hill is located at 515 County Route 32 in North Chatham, 12132**

Note: Competition entrance is off of Woodward Road, please **don't use the main entrance** on Rt. 32. Thank You!

### **From I -90**

#### **Westbound:**

Get off Exit B-1  
Take first exit immediately after toll booth= Exit 12 for Rt.9  
Turn left onto Route 9 south  
Go just over 1 mile to left turn onto County Rt. 32  
Go 2 miles to left onto Woodward Rd. – Larkin' Hill is on the right.

#### **Eastbound:**

Get off Exit 12 for Rt.9/ Hudson  
Turn right off exit onto Rt. 9 south  
Go approximately 1 mile to left turn onto County Rt.32  
Go 2 miles to left onto Woodward Rd., Larkin' Hill is on the right.

### **From I-87 Northbound:**

Take Exit 21A for Mass Pike  
Get off at Exit B-1  
Follow as above for Eastbound I-90.

### **From Route 9 North:**

Follow Rt. 9 north to Rt. 9H north  
Follow to where 9H joins 9 again in Valatie. Follow Rt.9 north  
Go 3.5 miles...go under RR Bridge. Where road turns into 4 lanes, turn right onto  
Route 32. Follow as above for Eastbound I-90.

### **From Rt. 22 North:**

Follow north to left turn onto Rt. 203 in Austerlitz towards Chatham. At stop light  
Turn right onto Rt. 66 north. Follow Rt. 66 north around fountain and out of town.  
Go about 3 miles into Chatham Center, go over red bridge. Continue straight.  
Soon after Rt. 66 will bear right, you need to GO STRAIGHT onto County Rt.17.  
Follow for a few miles to stop sign. Turn right onto Rt.203. Go about 1 mile thru  
Hamlet of North Chatham. At end of hamlet , Rt 203 bends sharply right, you  
Need to turn left onto County Rt.32...this is not well marked. Follow Rt. 32 for ½  
mile to right turn onto Woodward Rd. – Larkin' Hill is on the right.

### **From Rt. 20 Westbound:**

In Nassau, turn left onto Rt. 203. Follow 2-3 miles to North Chatham. At corner  
After new firehouse on left, turn right, then go straight onto County Rt. 32.  
Go ½ mile and turn right onto Woodward Rd. – Larkin' Hill is on the right.

**Lost?? Call Margie's cell: 518-441-2176**

# OLD CHATHAM Spring Schooling Dressage & Combined Test

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## **Entry Form – Combined Tests**

Closing Date: May 12, 2006

Rider's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Club: \_\_\_\_\_

Rider's Division:  Junior; give birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_  Senior

Rider's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's Name, Address & Phone (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Class #</b>	<b>Tests</b>	<b>Fees:</b>
Please use separate entry for each horse/rider.		<b>TOTAL ENCLOSED:</b>

- Current negative Coggins enclosed (mandatory to be considered a complete entry.)
- I am interested in using a photographer.

**RELEASE:** I agree to hold all property owners, Old Chatham Pony Club, Old Chatham Hunt Club and its officials, officers and volunteers, Larkin' Hill, Margaret L. Hutchison and any and all employees of said businesses free from any claim of whatever nature that may be occasioned by the horses exhibited by me, and to repay the property owners on demand for all damages they may sustain by reason of any claim or demand occasioned by the aforesaid. I further agree to wear an appropriate protective helmet at all times while riding at this OCPC/OCHC Spring Schooling Dressage and Combined Test show. **MEDICAL RELEASE:** If emergency medical care is required for myself and/or my minor child, or an accompanying spouse or relative, and I am not able to convey permission in a timely manner, then the undersigned authorizes appropriate emergency medical care as deemed necessary by emergency medical personnel, a physician or the medical facility providing treatment. I have read the above releases and agree to them:

Rider's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Owner's Signature (if different): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
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