

Spring Lunch & Learn - April 30

Green Hill Park EQ. Center - Gate opens at 8:30 am

The BCHA Board would like to invite members, their guests, & the public to bring their equine pals to a Lunch & Learn; use the rings, open fields, water crossing, and cross country course at GHPEC. This is a great opportunity for inexperienced riders and horses! In additional to the great features of Green Hill, we will have trail obstacles and a 6 jump course open from 9am - 4:30pm. A schedule of clinicians is also in the works, more details to come. We hope you will join us... practice, play, try new things – share your knowledge with others.

- A waiver must be signed and negative Coggins presented upon arrival to participate.
- Riders 18 and under are <u>required</u> to wear helmets when mounted. Helmets strongly encouraged for ALL riders!
- All GHPEC rules & guidelines must be followed. DOGS must be on a leash! Horses too ©
- Gates will be closed by BCHA at 5:30pm. GHPEC members are welcome to stay if they have the gate code.
- It's called Lunch & Learn for a reason...we're firing up the grill. 11:30am 1:30pm. Get your big bag lunch! Hot dog beef or turkey with all the fixin's, chips, cookie, fruit, and a drink are included*!
- RSVP not necessary, but appreciated it does help us plan lunch **by April 26th**!

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Fees for the day:

BCHA Members - \$10 for the day, includes lunch. (Must have active/paid membership as of April 30)

BCHA Member Guests - \$30 for the day, includes lunch and a year individual BCHA membership

General Public - \$35 includes lunch and a year individual BCHA membership

Clinicians...

Western, Gaited, and Classical Dressage - listen and learn or try out some actual new moves

Roanoke based dressage judge & trainer **Gabi Hooten** will offer an intro to dressage. Times to be announced.

Natural Horsemanship Clinic – control, confidence... on the ground and under-saddle. Start with the basics.

Coming in from Appomattox, natural horsemanship trainer and farrier **George Schaefer** will be offering a shortened version of his 4 hour program - it will contain an hour on the ground and one hour mounted. It will start at 9:30am and then repeat in the afternoon. More details to come. Observe or participate.

Horse Jumping Critique – 6 jumps, we set up the fences, you just jump - listen - jump again.

Local long time hunt seat competitor **<u>Dedi Spradlin</u>** will be offering jump critiques. Take advantage of a 6 fence course and a judge to give you some pointers. Jump, get a critique, ride the same fences again, quick final critique.

Hunter Pace – guided, safe, controlled learning experience on the cross country course.

Our BCHA President, Debbie Mooty will lead a group session. 60 minutes morning session - time to be announced. If enough interest a second session may be added.

Others in the works...Visit www.BotetourtHorseClub.com for more details. Full schedule posted by April. 1st.

*Individual food items will be available for sale.

Restroom facility will be open.

Stalls are first come, first serve - \$15 each. Stalls MUST be cleaned out by 5:15pm - \$10 refund if clean.

In addition...we are offering a Tack Sale on site... Bring your own table, tent, or tailgate. Advertise your items on our Facebook page before and after. \$5 claims your spot. No reservation necessary, please check in at the registration desk. Vendors and individuals are welcome to buy a spot. All <u>Tack Sale Spot</u> proceeds will go to the Roanoke Valley Horse Rescue Feed Fund.