



Majestic Farm 2015 Year Awards

**A Celebration with Something for Everyone
Featuring Guest Speaker DANIEL STEWART**

The highly anticipated, first annual Year-End Awards Banquet hosted by Majestic Farm was held on November 21st, 2015. This event was made possible by some fabulous sponsors like Carneys Feed Mill, Purina, Belterra Park, Frontline...and what a night it was to remember!

The banquet hall at Belterra Park filled with joyous, equestrian enthusiasts there to attend this inaugural event and many to receive awards for their accomplishments. The area dressage community, pony club, local stables, trainers, friends, and family alike were all in attendance. After hors d'oeuvres were served the evening began with a delicious meal prepared by Chef Joe followed by an unbelievably motivational and educational seminar given by none other than the great Daniel Stewart himself! He is the internationally acclaimed author of "Pressure Proof Your Riding" and "Ride Right". It was amazing to have gotten the chance to meet such an inspirational coach who teaches sold-out clinic-tours around the world.

Once everyone had noted the three parts of "homework" Daniel had assigned to us, Majestic Farm's Barb McCarthy commenced with the award announcements. The evening was such a great opportunity to celebrate accolades recognizing all the horses and riders who excelled throughout this year's schooling show series. It was also wonderful being able to watch all the important people who have served tirelessly, dedicating their time at Majestic Farm organizing all these equestrian events we look forward to competing in each year be honored for their supporting efforts.

The Majestic Farm schooling show series offers something for everyone. There were two separate series championships...Series I (Jan, Feb, Mar) and Series II (Apr, July, Nov) that included INTRO through FEI TOC. Recognized awards were Junior/Young Rider, Adult Amateur, Open, Sportsmanship Award, Volunteer Award, and two, highly coveted Owner Awards sponsored by Majestic Farm. Daniel Stewart selected the tickets for both these awards and generated more laughter with his antics. The first OWNER AWARD (Training, First, & Second Level TOC) was a trip for two for 3 nights in the Bahamas...and the winner was LESLIE KOENIG! The second OWNER AWARD (3rd Level, 4th Level, FEI TOC) was a trip for two for 5 nights in Hawaii...and the winner was "NO WAY, NO WAY, NO WAY", Eileen Beckman! She just couldn't believe it.

What a wonderful evening with everyone that participated and congratulations to all the winners! For those of you that were unable to attend mark your show calendars now to include the 2016 Majestic Farm Championships Series I and Series II to join us next year at the 2nd Annual Year End Banquet. All those

weekends are already blocked for me because I am sure that there will once again be something for everyone to celebrate!

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