

High Standard Stables 2012 Clinic Series

____ Show Prep Clinic
1/7/2012 (close date Jan 3)

____ Fitting/Horse Care Clinic
2/18/2012 (close date Feb 14)

____ **Dressage Clinic**
4/21/2012 (close date Apr 3)

____ **Jumping Clinic**
5/5/2012 (close date May 1)
____ **Group-A jumps up to 2'-3" starts 9:00 am**
____ **Group-B jumps up to 3' starts 1:00 pm**

____ Judging/Instructing Clinic
5/12/2012 (close date May 8)

____ **Western/Gaming/Trail Clinic**
7/28/2012 (close date July 24)

Important Notes about the clinics. PLEASE READ!!!

** Please check the clinic/clinics you are attending. Each clinic is \$40 but if you sign up and pay for all the clinics by the first clinic Jan 7 you will receive \$30 off.

** Each clinic will be 3 hours long. They will start at 9:00 am except the Jumping clinic Group B starts at 1:00 pm.

** The clinics in **BOLD** you may bring your horse or ride an HSS horse. If you need an HSS horse you must contact Amy to make sure there is a horse available. If you need a stall for any reason it is \$25 and it must be paid for at time of registration. No refund will be given for the stall if you decide you don't need it.

** You must register by the date in () next to the clinic. There will be no refunds given unless filled from the waiting list.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Make Checks to High Standard Stables.

Mail registration to: *High Standard Stables 5980 Sheppard Rd, Dansville, NY 14437*

of Clinics you are signing up for: _____ x \$40/clinic = \$ _____

If you sign up for all 6 you will receive \$30 off.

Please register me for all 6 clinics: \$240 - \$30 discount = **\$210**

\$25/stall: _____ of clinics requiring a stall x \$25/clinic = _____

Total: \$ _____

Descriptions of the different clinics offered at High Standard Stables in 2012.

Show Prep: Learn how to stand out in the show ring by making your horse perfectly turned out for the show. Whether it is braiding for dressage or hunters, or banding for western you will learn many tricks to make them beautiful. Plus learn how to clip, and all the other little details that tend to be over looked. A demonstration of braiding will be done, and then everyone will have a chance to practice.

Fitting/Horse Care: Learn how to make sure your saddle, bridle, bit, blanket all fit your horse correctly. If they don't they can hurt your horse. Plus learn about what grain is right for your horse and supplements. Learn how to clean a stall and prevent wasting money. Also you will learn how to correctly put on leg wraps, polo wraps, boots, shipping wraps, and much more!

Dressage: It is such a beautiful dance between horse and rider. Learn what dressage is really about. Some people think it is just doing a pattern in a ring, others think wow what a nice headset. But Dressage is much more than the head coming down. It is about communicating between horse and rider so that you can't even tell that the rider is asking the horse for anything. They just flow together as a team. When dressage is worked on and done correctly perfect harmony between horse and rider will be accomplished. Come learn what to work on with your horse, plus how to do movements, circles, and the test correctly. You will also learn about how to get your horse on the bit CORRECTLY! Please note this is not a quick fix! It takes a great deal of time and correct riding to accomplish!

Judging/Instructing: Every wonder what does the judge want??? Well get some inside tips about what the judge is looking for in each class. It will help you know what to work on to be more prepared for your shows. Plus you will learn how to judge...it is not as easy as you might think. We will go over dressage, hunters, equitation, western, showmanship, halter, and trail. Even if you don't ever want to be a judge this clinic will still help you pick up many tips about how to make yourself better prepared for the shows!

Jumping: Come work on your two point, courses, counting strides, some gymnastics, and over all position and communication with your horse. We will go over strategy for hunter/equitation courses, jumpers, stadium jumping and cross country. This clinic will be broken up into two groups first group will be jumping up to 2'3" second group will be jumping up to 3'. Please sign up for the appropriate group.

Western, Trail, Gaming: Learn techniques to improve your showmanship, also learn to negotiate through trail obstacles whether on a trail ride or competing on a trail class. Lastly we will go over gaming, learn how to cut seconds off from your time and how to correctly ride your pattern.