

# Wheel to Wheel

## Newsletter for the HUB



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**From the Editor** As your editor, I ask that you send me photos and anything else that you would like to see in the newsletter. I am more than happy to use anything you want in the newsletter, as it is **YOUR newsletter**. If you want to continue to have an informative newsletter, I need material from the membership. You can send them to me directly at [briarpatcheast@aol.com](mailto:briarpatcheast@aol.com) by the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month. Kris Breyer

**From the Webmaster:** Please submit items for web page. Include pictures of all our members. Please send names of driver, passengers, horse(s), and description of what you are doing, and where.



## **Prez letter:** While our stellar Sterling Graburn

clinic was taking place the last weekend in May, this message came through the now-functional CD-L and I thought it was very apropos:

I am working my way back after a serious injury. I spent the past year with a severely broken leg and PTSD that I may get hurt around the ponies. I have done a few things that have helped to motivate me and build confidence. **I have enrolled in a few clinics, did the CAA Level 1 Driver Proficiency Program, took a lesson with a well-known trainer, watched Andy Marcoux's webinars, attended carriage club events and fun days.** Just trying to get my desire engaged again. I have 2 clinic lessons on Monday with Andy! I am now back to driving my pony with some ground assistance and just started my first of 3 ponies in long lines. Just getting out there and doing it has helped a lot. There's always something else more important to distract us. I found that scheduling the time, spending some hard earned money and putting deadlines on me has helped.

This person has shared some excellent ideas for getting back in the game after being away for a while that I thought our members might benefit from. What are your favorite ways of improving your skills and knowledge in carriage driving? Subscribing to a magazine, grooming for someone, auditing a clinic? **Email your favorite ways to keep motivated and make progress and we'll get a list started!**

. Yours Truly, **Dr. Lydia Gray**

# 2017 Driving



- June 1-4 The National Drive's Spring Fling, Lexington, KY- Virginia Goodman  
[thenationaldrive@gmail.com](mailto:thenationaldrive@gmail.com), 502-370-1848
- June 2-4 Prairie State Classic Morgan Horse Show, Roscoe, IL Gail Kelce, [gaidkelce@gmail.com](mailto:gaidkelce@gmail.com),  
815-624-7993 Three Open Carriage classes altogether on Friday
- June 13-17 Midwest Charity Horse Show, Springfield, IL- Carole Kennedy, [ckennedy0317@gmail.com](mailto:ckennedy0317@gmail.com),  
217-414-1900
- June 18 DDC Governor Dodge State Park Drive, Dodgeville, WI
- June 17-18 Columbus Carriage Festival, Columbus, WI- Heather Kuenzi, [keponyclubcenter@gmail.com](mailto:keponyclubcenter@gmail.com)  
920-285-0701
- June 23-25 Metamora CDE, Metamora, MI- Darlene Daly, [ddaly0037@gmail.com](mailto:ddaly0037@gmail.com)
- June 24-25 Skunk River CDE, Ames, IA- Jada Neubauer, [jada@midwestdriving.com](mailto:jada@midwestdriving.com), 515-450-4820 / 515-233-6014
- June TBD DDC Sauk Prairie Recreation Site Drive, Devils Lake State Park- Southern End
- June 30-July 2 CAA Carriage Festival, Lexington, KY- John Stallard, [john@jsfound.org](mailto:john@jsfound.org), 859-231-0971
- July 1 **Northern Lights Open Driving Show**, Belvidere, IL. Contact: Kris Hall 815-871-1470
- July 1 Notara Farm HDT, Verona, WI
- July 13-15 Morgan Masterpiece, Oshkosh, WI- [info@morganmasterpiece.com](mailto:info@morganmasterpiece.com), 608-215-9530  
Open to all breed carriage classes
- July 15-16 **Heart of America Miniature Horse Show, Boone County Fairgrounds**  
Horse Barns #4 & #5 & Indoor Horse Arena, Contact: Jean Estes 815-964-2146
- July 15 A Day of Driving at FVSA, Hampshire, IL- Michael & Kelly Chuman**
- July 16 HUB Club Dirty Harness Day**
- July 22-23 Hickory Knoll CDE, Fitchburg, WI
- Aug 5 Mid States Morgan Show, Hampshire, IL Kris Breyer [briarpatcheat@aol.com](mailto:briarpatcheat@aol.com) 847-526-3012**
- Aug 5-6 Eastern Iowa Carriage Glow, Manchester, IA [Laurie@touchofglassinc.com](mailto:Laurie@touchofglassinc.com)  
[www.easterniowacarriageglow.com](http://www.easterniowacarriageglow.com)
- Aug 12-13 Wade House Carriage Driving Days, Greenbush, WI- Wade House,  
[wadehouse@wisconsinhistory.org](mailto:wadehouse@wisconsinhistory.org), 920-526-3271
- Aug 12-13 A Day of Driving at FVSA, Hampshire, IL- Michael & Kelly Chuman**
- Aug 15- 16Iowa State Fair Society Horse Show, Des Moines, IA- Jennifer Cannon, 515-262-3111
- Aug TBD DDC Menomonee Park/Lannon Quarry Drive, Lannon, WI
- Aug 30- Sep 2 Jubilee Regional Morgan Horse Show, Springfield, IL- Betsy Bishop  
[www.jubileemorganhorseshow.com](http://www.jubileemorganhorseshow.com), 217-836-5055
- Sep 2-3 Jericho Open Horse Show, Jefferson, WI
- Sep 5-9 All American Horse Classic, Indianapolis, IN- Steve Kildow, 765-620-5779

Sep 8-10 Villa Louis Carriage Festival, Prairie du Chien, WI. Pleasure driving event ---educational programs, pleasure classes, obstacle classes; vendors, social events .Contact: Mike Rider, 608-326-4436, [info@carriageclassic.com](mailto:info@carriageclassic.com)"

**Sep 16 A Day of Driving at FVSA, Hampshire, IL- Michael & Kelly Chuman**

Sep TBD DDC Donald Park Drive Mount Horeb, WI

Sep 22-24 Indiana CDE & CT, Edinburgh, IN

Oct TBD DDC Didier Farm/Radtke Drive, Port Washington, WI

Oct 10-15 National Drive, Lexington, KY- Virginia Goodman, [thenationaldrive@gmail.com](mailto:thenationaldrive@gmail.com), 502-370-1848

Oct 21 DDC Horses in the Park, Columbus, WI

**October 28 Fitchie Creek FP HUB Club Fall Fun Drive.** Fitchie has two bridges to cross; winding path through wooded area; mild rolling hills; grass, limestone and some blacktop paths. Trailer parking on grass just east of the entrance drive. Two shelters, restrooms and access to water. Depending on the condition of the season in late October, the water pump may or may not be operational so suggest that we bring our own water for our horses. Link to the information about Fitchie Creek

<http://kaneforest.com/ForestPreserveView.aspx?ID=20>

Nov TBD Corn Maze Drive, Spring Grove, IL- Richardson's Farm

Dec TBD Victorian Horse Drawn Parade, Sharon, WI

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/8lfgll4bvew5hk7/AAA8ifNmtvsMhrLkkoYDLdgqa?dl=0>



This is the link to the Hub Club Library – out on Dropbox. For those unfamiliar, Dropbox is a free computer app. that allows files to be shared on the internet. Anyone clicking on this link will get the excel spreadsheet with the most updated library on it. This link to a dropbox HUB Club folder, contains the library spreadsheet but also a number of ADS forms, event packing lists, scans of the articles that were copied as pages in the library, etc. I don't know if we plan to put the articles onto the website or the packing list or other forms. CDE entry form, cones scoring forms, etc.

Anything else anyone things should go into this folder and we can share with members and they can read the heavier articles direct from the link without having to save or download to print. would like to remind everyone that we

now have a mail out and back program.

If you want to check something out from the library you contact **Leslye Sandberg**

[leslyesandberg@gmail.com](mailto:leslyesandberg@gmail.com) and include your mailing address. The item will be mailed to you. We ask that you return the item in a timely manner in the preaddressed envelope that will come with it. You will have to pay the return postage. In upcoming issues I will be showcasing some of the new additions. And again I ask for your suggestions for items to add to the library. Note that any horsey movies or videos you have that you no longer want or need, can be donated to the library as well.



# Fox Valley Saddle Association's 2017

July 15<sup>th</sup>

August 12<sup>th</sup>

September 16<sup>th</sup>

## Driving Show Series



**Location:** 44W300 Rohrsen Road, Hampshire IL  
(Corner of Rohrsen and Tower Rd)  
Location is north of Route 64, south of Route 20.

### Classes:

Morning Driving Derby	Afternoon Pleasure Classes	
1. VSE Trot Only Driving Derby	9. VSE Pleasure Driving	15. VSE Cones
2. VSE Open Driving Derby	10. Pony Pleasure Driving	16. Pony Cones
3. Pony Trot Only Driving Derby	11. Horse Pleasure Driving	17. Horse Cones
4. Pony Open Driving Derby	12. VSE Reinsmanship	18. VSE Town and Country
5. Horse Trot Only Driving Derby	13. Pony Reinsmanship	19. Pony Town and Country
6. Horse Open Driving Derby	14. Horse Reinsmanship	20. Horse Town and Country
7. Multiples Trot Only Driving Derby		
8. Multiples Open Driving Derby		

\*Cone width - 175 cm standard.

\*\* Placements in Classes 18, 19, and 20 will be based on optimum time

Friday Schedule:	Saturday Schedule:
5:30 PM – Grounds Open (Secretary's Stand Open)	8:00 – Grounds Open
6:00 PM – Pot Luck Begins	9:00 – Secretary's Stand Opens
7:00 PM – Secretary's Stand Closes	9:45 – Secretary's Stand Closes until the conclusion of the Driving Derby
7:30 PM – Fun Classes (organizer's choice) begin under our arena lights (or in indoor arena)	10:00 – Driving Derby Begins
Campfire and socializing to follow weather permitting	12:00 – Secretary's Stand Re-Opens & Lunch is available
	12:45 – Secretary's Stand Closes for the day
	1:00 – Pleasure Classes Begin (classes will not start before 1PM)
	30 minutes after last round – Awards Ceremony

Ribbons up to 6<sup>th</sup> place! Year-end Awards will be awarded at September Show.

Lunch will be available to order during a limited time only

**Contact:** Questions please call or email Mike Chuman: [FarmAwesomeMike@gmail.com](mailto:FarmAwesomeMike@gmail.com) (630) 723-7648

### Fees:

\$25 – Derby Entry per horse/driver team	\$25 per stall
\$35 – all four Afternoon Pleasure classes per horse/driver team	\$10 – Overnight Electric Hookup
\$10 – a la cart Afternoon Pleasure classes	\$15 – Daytime Electric Hookup

\*\*FVSA reserves the right to require stall rental if weather conditions preclude parking on grass

**Attire:** All safe vehicle types are welcome. Driving Derby - ASTM/SEI helmet, whip, and gloves are required. Safety vest is strongly encouraged. Afternoon Pleasure Classes – Gloves, Whip and Apron are required. Helmets are recommended

American Driving Society (ADS) Rules Apply. Driving Derby - Navigator required for large pony (ponies over 120 cm), horses, and multiples (navigators can go around multiple times).

**WARNING:** Under the Equine Activity Liability Act, each participant who engages in an equine activity expressly assumes the risks of engaging in and legal responsibility for injury, loss, or damage to person or property resulting from the risk of equine activities.

**GENERAL RULES:** No entry fees refunded. Judges decision is final. All stallions must have an adult handler. FVSA is not responsible for any theft, accident or bodily injury. No alcoholic beverages on the grounds. All dogs must be on a leash. Children must be under adult supervision. The show committee reserves the right to combine, split, or cancel any class based entries. ADS Rules will be followed where applicable. Announcements made the day of the show take precedence over written show bill. State of Illinois proof of negative Coggins Law abided by. NSF FEE: \$20 for returned checks

# **OPEN SHOW SPONSORED by the Mid-States Morgan Horse Club**

DATE: SATURDAY, August 5, 2017

TIME: 9:30 A.M.

ENTRY FEES: \$8.00 PER CLASS

OFFICE FEE: \$3.00 PER Rider/Driver

STABLE FEES: \$35.00 PER STALL

OUT OF TRAILER FEE: \$20 PER EQUINE TROPHY &

RIBBON FOR 1ST PLACE,

RIBBONS FOR 2ND THRU 6TH PLACE

AMHA Open Morgan Award

JUDGE: Jessica Moctezuma DeHart, Woodstock, IL

LOCATION: FOX VALLEY SADDLE ASSOCIATION

SHOW GROUNDS, 44W300 ROHRSON RD.,

HAMPSHIRE, IL (ROHRSON RD. & TOWER RD. –

north of Plato Rd

and south of Plank Road)

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Please, NO alcoholic beverages or dogs on the grounds

Age of horse or rider is of January 1, 2017

Novice classes are for riders and horses who have not won  
more than three blue ribbons in that division before today's  
show.

NO stallion over the age of two may be shown by a junior  
exhibitor.

Equitation patterns may be posted at the judge's discretion.  
In classes of less than three entries, the show committee  
reserves the right to combine, cancel or substitute classes.

Proper horse show attire shall be required in all classes,  
with the exception of the Academy classes.

Academy classes are for beginning riders on lesson horses.

Riders in these classes may not enter any other ridden class,  
with the exception of the games/ pattern riding classes.

Schooling tack, including martingales, is allowed. Formal show  
attire is not allowed. Jodhpurs, dark pants, breeches and

appropriate boots are allowed, with long sleeved shirts, ties,  
sweaters and sweater vests & fitted vests. Hats, with the  
exception of ASTM/SEI helmets are not allowed. ASTM/SEI  
helmets shall be allowed and encouraged in all classes.

There will be a food CONCESSION on site FOR THE  
DAY

Tentative CLASS SCHEDULE: 9:30 A.M.

1. OPEN 3 YRS. & UNDER AT HALTER
2. MORGAN HORSES IN HAND (Stallions/Mares& Geldings)
3. OPEN ENGLISH TYPE AT HALTER
4. OPEN WESTERN TYPE AT HALTER
5. GRAND & RESERVE OVERALL AT HALTER
6. OPEN SHOWMANSHIP
7. OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE, 18 & OVER (SS/HS)
8. OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE, 17 & UNDER(SS/HS)
9. OPEN SADDLESEAT EQUITATION
10. OPEN HUNT SEAT EQUITATION
11. OPEN HUNTSEAT PLEASURE
12. OPEN SADDLESEAT PLEASURE
13. OPEN SENIOR RIDER PLEASURE, 40 & OVER - ANY SEAT
14. MORGAN ENGLISH PLEASURE (HS/SS)
15. OPEN ENGLISH PLEASURE NOVICE HORSE
16. OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE
17. OPEN WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP
18. MORGAN WESTERN PLEASURE
19. OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE, NOVICE HORSE
20. WALK/TROT PLEASURE, 11 & UNDER - ANY SEAT
21. WALK/TROT (18 YRS. & OVER) - ANY SEAT
22. WALK/TROT EQ 11& UNDER-ANY SEAT
23. LEADLINE HORSEMANSHIP (8 YEARS & UNDER)

## **BREAK**

24. ACADEMY W/T EQ, 12 THRU 17YRS, ANY SEAT
25. ACADEMY EQ, W/T 11 & UNDER, ANY SEAT
26. ACADEMY EQ W/T/C, 18 YRS & OVER, ANY SEAT
27. ACADEMY EQ W/T/C, 12 thru 17 YRS, ANY SEAT
28. ACADEMY EQ, W/T/C 11 & UNDER, -ANY SEAT
29. ACADEMY PLEASURE W/T, 11 & UNDER, ANY SEAT
30. ACADEMY PLEASURE W/T, 12 thru 17, ANY SEAT
31. ACADEMY PLEASURE W/T/C, 12 thru 17, ANY SEAT
32. ACADEMY PLEASURE W/T/C 11 & under, ANY SEAT
33. ACADEMY W/T CHAMPIONSHIP (Judged as an Equitation Class)
34. ACADEMY W/T/C CHAMPIONSHIP (Judged as an Equitation class)

## **DRIVING CLASSES NOT TO START BEFORE 2PM.**

35. OPEN PLEASURE DRIVING
36. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING, WORKING
37. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING, REINSMANSHIP
38. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING, TIMED COMP
39. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING- BOW TIE
40. CARRIAGE PLEASURE DRIVING, RAINBOW CONES



# **HUB Club 2017 Annual Spring Clinic with Sterling Graburn: Horses, Drivers, and Auditors Take Home “Sterling” Silver Nuggets of Wisdom**

If you closed your eyes – and your ears, carriages are quite noisy/squeaky – you could have imagined you were at a dressage clinic on May 27 and 28 when the HUB Club hosted Sterling Graburn at the Fox Valley Saddle Association (FVSA) in Hampshire, IL. Sterling competes in both Pleasure and Combined Driving, with singles, pairs, tandems, unicorns, and four-in-hands. He has competed at the World Singles Championships, twice won the USEF National Combined Driving Single Horse National Championship, and thrice won the FEI Top Driver Award at the North American Challenge, Single Horse Championships. Encouraging, fully engaged, and witty, it's hard to tell where his main expertise lies, as he seemed equally gifted in all three phases of combined driving: dressage, cones, and marathon/obstacles.



***Sterling gives pointers to Jane Hemboldt driving her 11-year-old Morgan gelding “Liam”***

## **Dressage**

If you're a dressage rider, these instructions from Sterling should sound familiar. That is, much is the SAME between ridden and driven dressage:

- “You should be able to put the head anywhere you want it and still talk, still be connected”
- “In the walk, march, march, march, business-like”
- “We want more engagement but not faster”
- “He needs more activity in the hind end”

- “We want impulsion but not speed”
- “Forward into the contact”

And here's some advice that Sterling gave drivers which is DIFFERENT from what might be heard from a riding instructor:

- “You may feel like you're doing something, but there are two terrets between you and the bit”  
*(Lots of drivers fall into the trap of moving their hands left, right, up, or down to steer their horse or rate the pace, but because the reins pass through two sets of rings on the harness, we are unable to use a leading or opening rein.)*
- “Use the brakes to stop the CARRIAGE, not the HORSE”  
*(Yep, some carriages have brakes on them, and they can be useful for all sorts of things, like slowing the carriage when going downhill or turning sharply around an obstacle. In this case, Sterling was instructing the driver to support her horse by touching the brakes on down transitions so that the horse only had to worry about himself in the moment, not stopping the carriage and driver too.)*
- “Push with the voice, not the hand for a lengthened trot”  
*(Drivers lose the seat aid when they move from the saddle into the carriage – the leg is replaced by the whip – so in order to lengthen the frame and stride, we use another tool, the voice, which is permitted in driven dressage tests. Although test readers are not.)*



***Lydia Gray negotiates cones with “Newman,” her 16-year-old trakehner gelding***

### **Cones**

Related to the stadium jumping phase of an event, most drivers (and horses) really enjoy cones courses. Since they show up in both pleasure driving shows and combined driving events, it pays to get top-notch instruction from someone like Sterling on negotiating them fast and clean, as we’re all seeking the “double-

clear.” Not only did he drive most of the horses (including Newman!), he also personally walked the lines he wanted us to drive – even bravely walking with us following right behind him! – and also used himself as a human “cone” when drivers were cutting corners or turning too early or late quipping “I’ll help you.”



***Sterling trots a line into the Four Corners obstacle (forward, round, and with bend!)***

One of my biggest takeaways from the session on cones was that drivers should make the set-up, or the preparation, the priority, not the passing through the actual cones themselves, because that’s what causes us to turn too early, or too late, or look down to see if we hit the cone, etc. He shared that when he is walking a cones course at a competition, he will often stand in between a pair of cones and look backward to find his line and where he needs to turn

backward to find his line and where he needs to turn to make that line. Some of my other favorite takeaways came from a wonderful lesson with a 70+ year-old driver and her Morgan gelding:

- The idea is to pass through cones perpendicularly, not on an angle
- Wait, wait, wait (to turn until past the cones)
- Can start the BEND when the horse’s shoulders pass, but not the turn until the driver is past
- Drivers take balls down not because of speed but because of turning too soon
- Steering is better when you’re forward into the contact
- The most obvious route may not be the best/fastest: i.e. what looks shorter may not be faster



***Jane Hemboldt drives “Liam” straight and clean through a pair of cones***

Sterling kept the auditors chuckling during the two days, such as when he told this same driver: “think of the cones as fire – don’t get burned!” or his favorite saying when horses got tired near the end of lessons “I think your horse has run out of nickels” referring to the grocery-store mechanical horse. Then there was “you can’t get to 6 that way” when a driver turned the wrong way after 5, and our favorite “That’s right. Start from the beginning. From 5.” What now?

### **Marathon/Obstacles**

The marathon phase with its obstacles (formerly known as hazards) are usually the combined drivers’ and spectators’ favorite part, much like the cross-country phase is the favorite part in eventing. We were treated to two



Intermediate lessons (one KWPN and one Fjord) that trotted to the start/finish flags then galloped through the obstacles as directed by Sterling, trying to better their times each attempt. Then there was me.



***Jennifer Thompson gallops her 7-year-old KWPN gelding “Lucas” into the Four Corners obstacle.***



***Sterling boldly drives “WW Reidar,” a Norwegian Fjord owned by Linda Syverson-Kerr***

I make lots of excuses for why Newman and I are not fast in obstacles, such as: “he’s a 17hh long warmblood that turns like a bus” and “I have a fancy presentation vehicle not a true marathon cart,” but it really comes down to me not being brave or either of us having the desire to really “attack” the obstacles. Sterling rode on the back in the navigator position and coached us from warm-up – which included easy passes straight through the obstacle – to gradually tighter and tighter turns that culminated in us trotting around the inside of the obstacle, around two barrels. When we did eventually hit one of the wooden fence corners, his response was “if you’re not rubbin’, you’re not racin’.” My first full lesson in obstacles, I learned: 1) that the line is the most important thing and that you keep the bend with the inside rein and half-halt on the outside rein to rate the speed and tightness of the turn, 2) that it’s important not to look at the horse but ahead at your line to where you’re going, and 3) that you need a certain degree of forward for the horse to be able to accept a half-halt on that outside rein. To me, this sounds a lot like good dressage!





**Group of auditors by the cones course**



**Ann McCombs and “Tevis” the mule in cones**



**MaryAnn Carter ground driving Sandy Nowicki's “Shyanne”**





**Denise Marino driving "Todd" in cones**



**Sterling driving "Starlane Rhona"**



**Grace Freilach- Grubb driving "Starlane Rhona"**



**Terri Delke with "Georgette" the mare, Latte the dog, and Tammy Carlo the navigator**



## Driving at Muirhead Springs

This month Hub Club members Rosalie Taylor and Bob Mikos took a windy drive at Kane County Forest Preserve Muirhead Springs. The day started out sunny, but clouds gathered and the wind increased. Despite the change in weather the drive was still fun!







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**Show  
Gig for  
Sale**

Built by Todd Frey of Frey Carriage, Columbus, Wisconsin. Gig is about 15 years old, lightly used. I have used it at a few shows and it is very well balanced and smooth riding. It has a beautiful dark green paint finish. It has new shaft covers and includes a full canvas cover. It is in very good condition. **\$3,800** Contact Sandra Nowicki, 262-889-4802 or [sannowicki@aol.com](mailto:sannowicki@aol.com)

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Country Carriages Road Cart for sale. Includes custom fabric cover for storage, Cart stand, cart jack, rain seat and rain seat back cover. Used with 15hh horse. 49.5" diameter wheels, 76" shafts. Show ready! Asking \$2000

Contact Cathy Thomas 608/332-8361, [cathytho@gmail.com](mailto:cathytho@gmail.com). Located in Verona, WI.

**FOR SALE:** 5-acre Horse Property, with 4-stall barn, 350 bale loft, 4 fenced paddocks, 2.5 acre equine seeded pasture, lighted sand arena, close to trail system, 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, 16x40 in-ground pool, Barrington schools. **See droneography on YouTube at "21670 N Countryside Lane, Barrington"**. Listed with Lynn Fairfield, ReMax, (847) 373-3311, listing active 1-28-17, Owners Robert & Janet Molzahn (847) 381-7347. **Selling price \$587k.**



## **For sale:**

Pony presentation vehicle that was used in the World Pairs. We are selling our presentation vehicle as we have replaced it with an antique that we can use for our four as well as our pair.

The vehicle is suitable for 13 HH to 14-2 HH ponies. It also has single shafts and thus can be converted to a single. It has both single trees and roller bolts.

Currently it has brass hardware, but we have a full set of stainless as well. Rear wheel stainless disk brakes, two side and one rear light

can be included. We have used this for pleasure shows as well as CDEs. Condition is very good. Many photos are available. **With three lamps, pole, shafts and all hardware \$5900. Without lights \$5450.**

**John & Betsy Freiburger** [frei@chorus.net](mailto:frei@chorus.net)



## ***For sale:***

We bought this vehicle new and used it much less than anticipated—maybe 10 outings. It has a pole and shafts. I'm not sure of the weight but have driven it single with the off horse, a Belgian thoroughbred cross. The brake is in the center of the floor so it can be driven easily from either traditional or traffic position and it rolls quite freely.

It's well sprung and rides quite comfortably over uneven ground as well as roads. Pictures don't show the color well—the frame and gear are all a



beautiful shade of bottle or hunter green and the woodwork is light varnished wood. Its been used for a wedding supper, an HDT, a couple of Pleasure Driving classes and three club pleasure drives. I am asking \$2,600. Call me at 630-363-4619 with any questions. Grace Frejlach-Grubb



## ***For sale:***

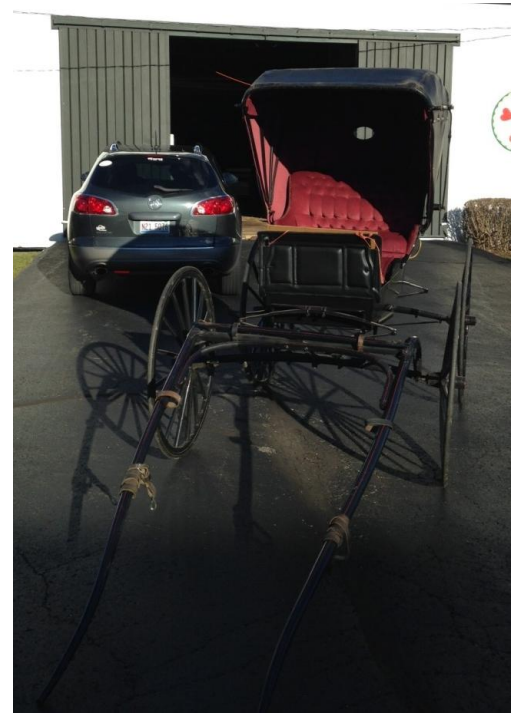
The gig is most suitable for a cob size horse/pony, however the horse shown in the picture is a 16.3 field hunter. It's royal blue with gold pinstripes and has natural oak wheels and shafts. The interior is black velvet and as comfortable as any loveseat. it has been used at Villa Louis, Iron Horse CDE as well as many pleasure drives and the Sharon WI lighted Christmas parade. I'm selling it for \$1800.

Call me at 630-363-4619 with any questions. Grace Frejlach-Grubb





**FOR SALE:** This buggy was restored by Amish, Ben Yoder. Beautifully restored, in excellent condition, ready to hitch. I had many fun rides for eight years, prior to retiring my horse. Asking \$4,950. We will also accept a reasonable offer. Best regards, Joe [Yoder & Associates, Inc. Woodstock, IL 60098 Phone:815-337-3533 Fax:815-337-3535 craig\\_yoder@yoderassoc.com joe@yoderassoc.com](#)



# ASK WHINNEY



This is an opportunity for all members, but especially novice drivers, to get input and advice from other members. Each month we will be posting an anonymous question raised by a Hub Club member and asking you, the membership to respond from the deep and vast store of your driving knowledge and experience. So let's go!

**QUESTION:** Can horses get sunburned?

**ANSWER:** Just like humans, horses can and do get sunburn, although this condition is most commonly seen with light pigment in areas surrounding the muzzle and eyes. Many Pintos, Appaloosas, Cremellos and other light skinned colors are at more risk, as are dark colored horses with large blazes or bald white faces.

Sunburn in horses are often worse than we as humans experience and can be characterized by bright pink, scaly and cracked skin. Sometimes blisters form and any freshly burned area is tender to touch. A frequent complaint of horse owners is their horse has suddenly become head shy when in fact a tender nose is due to sunburn and is making the horse reluctant to wear a halter or bridle.

A greater danger of sunburn beyond the immediate discomfort is that it can increase the chances of a malignant form of skin cancer known as squamous cell carcinoma.

Implementing methods to prevent sunburn in your horse should occur prior to your horse actually getting burned. Applying sunscreen to any area of pink pigment on your horse's face is an excellent preventative measure. Yes, there are horse specific sunscreens available for horses, and any child-safe waterproof sunscreen works well. Choosing a sunscreen SPF30 or above will offer the best protection.

Fly masks provide protection from the sun. If you decide to use one, make sure it fully covers the necessary areas of a horse's face. Full masks with ear protection and extensions going over the muzzle are sometimes needed. If you have a horse with light skin all over the body, a fly sheet may be the most economical way to prevent sunburn along the topline.

Of course, limiting your horse's time outside when the sun's rays are at their worst is another way to prevent sunburn. Housing your horse inside from 9am to 3pm will protect him from the most direct UV rays.

If your horse has already been sunburned a soothing, moisturizing, child-safe ointment helps ease the acute pain and dryness. The diaper rash ointment for babies "Desitin" is a very popular and safe ointment to use on the sunburned horse.

**Next Month's Question:**

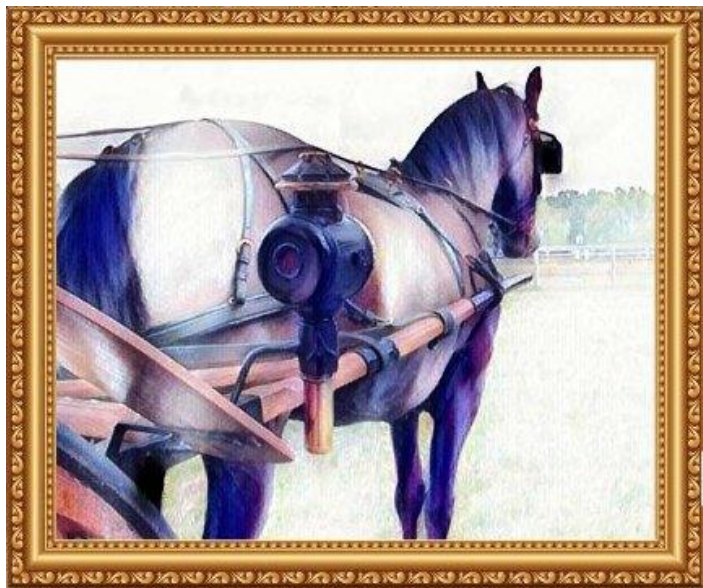


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Also, parent/guardian must sign on application for Junior Members to participate at club events.

I accept the benefits, obligations and responsibilities of membership and agree to abide by the HUB Club bylaws

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