

BER English Riding Clinic, June 27-29

BER will be hosting an English riding clinic open to all levels of riders. You may choose to ride dressage, hunter flat or over fences, or any combination. Lessons will be available Friday evening, Saturday, or Sunday June 27, 28, and 29th. Costs for BER members will be \$25 for 90 minute group, over fences lessons or \$40-\$45 for 45 minute private lessons. (lesson fees, times and locations depend on which instructor you wish to ride with) Non-members will be charged an additional \$5 per lesson. This is a wonderful opportunity to ride with our very knowledgeable local instructors and help raise funds for other BER activities. Though dress will be casual, helmets, boots, and English bits and saddles are required.

Laurie Holverson and Karla Stanley have graciously agreed to provide instruction and donate part of the ride fee to BER. Laurie, a United States Dressage Federation Associate Instructor, rides at Grand Prix (the highest level of dressage) and has many students showing well at both dressage and hunter in local and regional shows. Karla has coached her daughter, Mimi to Grand Prix as well as competing at dressage herself. She owns and operates Prairie Rose Training Center where she trains horses and riders that compete and win at national and international levels in dressage and over fences. They have both participated in the USDF Instructor Certification Program and Judge's Learning Program.

In order to plan this clinic and be fair to our instructors, I would like to know in advance how many are interested in taking part in the clinic and how many rides each of you want. If you are interested in riding in the clinic or if you have any questions, please email Marylu Weber by **May 18th at horsetracks@btinet.net Registration forms will be coming in the May newsletter.**