

Blackstone Valley Dressage & Combined Training Association

**\*\* Nona Bianchi Clinic \*\***

Saturday, March 6, 2010

Beechwood Stable, 645 Central Turnpike, Sutton, MA 01590

Closing Date: February 28, 2010

Any questions can be directed to [missytansey@gmail.com](mailto:missytansey@gmail.com) or 508-917-8488

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Town, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

BVDCTA Member:    YES                    NO

Horse's Name, Breed, Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Clinic Choices: Please Check Off Your Choice (Auditors are Free!)

\_\_\_\_\_ 45 Minute Private - \$ 65 BVDCTA Member, \$ 75 Non-Members

\_\_\_\_\_ 45 Minute Semi Private - \$ 55 BVDCTA Member, \$ 65 Non-Members

What are you looking to work on in this clinic? Please let Nona know what your and your horse's experience is. Any rider requests for semi privates as well.

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Please send: Entry, release form, check made out to BVDCTA, and copy of a current Coggins within 1 year to:

Missy Tansey  
87 Purgatory Road  
Sutton, MA 01590

### **General Activity Release**

I hereby attend this competition at my own risk, subject to the rules of Blackstone Valley Dressage and Combined Training Association and Beechwood Stable. I hereby agree to be responsible for any injury or damages that may occur to, or be caused by any animals, vehicles, or trappings, or the loss of any animal, vehicle, or trappings belonging to or exhibited by me. I further agree to be absolutely responsible for the physical condition of any animal under my control or ownership and will also release, indemnify and save harmless the said competition, its show management, volunteers, and Beechwood Stable from any damage, expense and/or liability arising out of or resulting from any act or omission of the exhibitor, Blackstone Valley Dressage and Combined Training Association, or Beechwood Stable or their agents, servants, or employees. I certify that all my horse(s) are free from contagious disease. Warning: Under Massachusetts Law, an Equine Professional is not liable for any injuries to, or death of, a participant in equine activities, pursuant to chapter 128, section 2D of the general laws.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **About Nona Bianchi**

Started formal lessons at 10 years old in Huntseat of which I rode for about 7 Years. At about that time dressage became popular but I didn't want to give up jumping just yet, so I did 3 years of Combined Training. It was fun but then I fell in love with dressage and the musical kur. I have since then dedicated 27 years to dressage and 23 of those were with my mount and partner Reggae who took us to Prix St. George level. I also have done numerous musical exhibition rides as well as a Pas De Deux.

I have been a student of Susan J. Williams for 14 years. She took Reggae and I to FEI level and she herself has trained 6 Grand Prix horses. She has worked with Michael Poulin, Alex Knoyot, his daughter Tina Knoyot, and Oded Shimimoni to name a few. She also was a judge for years (now resigned) and continues to train and teach between New England and Florida.

I have been teaching for a little more than 18 years and have helped develop quite a few young adult and adult riders. It is my honor and privilege to share what I have learned to help others achieve their dreams and enjoy their horses in a harmonious respectful way along with my quirky sense of humor and love of these majestic animals.

