



## Strides & Tides Sonoma— Sept 12-16



Strides and Tides is coming up in September and we are looking to get the Prestige Show Team together for another great show. Let us know if you are interested in heading out to Sonoma. Annette can help you with hotel booking. For those who have not been to the Sonoma Shows. Strides and Tides is a A-rated show, that generally has a great turn out with wonderful

competition. All our Prestige kids have had great show records at the Sonoma Horse Park. We had reserve championships with Moses, Quelle, Lowengraf, and Panzer. Also taking class championships on Sasha, Quelle, and Panzer. Totally 10 Show Championships/Reserves!!

Sonoma Horse Park has been developed on 40 acres and is centrally located just 45 minutes from the East Bay. The facility is minutes away from some of California's most celebrated destinations. Hundreds of wineries, luxury hotels and charming bed and breakfast inns, world-renowned res-

taurants, golf courses and shopping are all just a short drive away.

Talk to Julia or Hana with more questions. You can also check out our documents page for approximate show costs.

We look forward to another great show!! Thanks to everyone for the continued support.

### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- ◆ AppleCreek Farms Welcomes the Prestige Equestrians Family
- ◆ Sonoma Horse Show Now Scheduling Sept 12-16
- ◆ Hannah Carlson— Assistant Trainer
- ◆ New Lesson Horses
- ◆ Welcome Back Dana Groop

## Hannah Carlson— Assistant Trainer



It's official, Hannah is Prestige's First Official Assistant Trainer. Though she needs no introduction, we are so excited to have the opportunity to have Hannah training with us. Hannah has an extensive

history riding and coaching initially in the three-day event world and more recently transitioning almost exclusively to hunter/jumpers.

Please check out the About Us Page on PrestigeEquestrians.com for her full biography.

She is currently accepting lessons. Please contact Julia or Hannah to schedule.



## *Accepting New Clients*



doors to new lesson and training clients. We are very excited to have the opportunity to expand the Prestige Family. Please help Prestige spread the word.

“WE ARE  
OPENING UP  
SPOTS FOR NEW  
LESSON  
CLIENTS.”

After almost 5 months of limited lesson availability, we are opening up spots for new lesson clients. The prestige family has grown with the move to AppleCreek and with the addition of Hannah as our Assistant Trainer. This growth has allowed us to re-open our

## *Welcome Dana Groop*

We are happy to have our Davis family in the Bay Area. Dana was with Prestige back at our beginnings and has come back with her new horse. Dana's new horse has been shipped from back east and should be arriving any day. We are excited to meet the new guy and excited to see Dana again. Welcome back and thanks for your continued loyalty and commitment to the program!!! On the topic of a continued Davis presence, Cosmo has

been back in the program for a few months now and is making a splash back in the show ring!!!

## *New Lesson Horses*

We are proud to introduce our new lesson horses. Kalua is on trial as a lesson horse for the upper level riders. A Holsteiner with an Ex- Grand Prix history and a demanding presence. Packed into a small package, Kalua is ready to bring our mid-level riders to new levels. Watcher(AKA Uno) is a big beautiful Hungarian Warmblood, with many years of experience as a low to mid level lesson horse.

He has a kind heart and a watchful eye for the beginner to intermediate riders. Watcher lost his left eye as a colt, but has not let that impede his abilities as a Hunter/Jumper. Come meet the new horses in the Prestige Family and book a lesson to check them out!!!



## *AppleCreek Farms*

Prestige has officially moved to AppleCreek Farms!! As we all settle into our new home, we understand that there may be concerns that come up. AppleCreek is a wonderful facility that is going to offer everyone great opportunities. The arenas are large and well groomed. The horses have more room with paddocks and turn outs available. The management is very responsive and helpful to any concerns and have shown to be dedicated to taking great care of the horses and the Prestige Family. We are excited to have access to 120 acres of private trails

on which we will not have to be concerned with loose dogs or mountain bikers. We are slowly introducing a new complete jump course. Prestige is working to bring more obstacles and more show quality standards and panels to the arena. Keep your eyes out for continued improvements throughout the Prestige Barn and Arena. We are so excited about this move and hope you are as well. Please bring any concerns about the facility, the commute, or the equipment immediately to Julia or Hannah. We are dedicated to making this move as good for everyone as it

is for us. As always, we consider each one of you as part of the family and will continue to work to make Prestige BETTER and BETTER!!!



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## *Events Calendar*

- ◆ Sonoma HMI Summer Classic Aug 23-26 — Now Scheduling
- ◆ KMT show September 9th— Contact Julia or Hannah to Schedule
- ◆ Sonoma Strides & Tides Horse Show Sept 12-16 — Now Scheduling
- ◆ SAVE THE DATE (Horse Show Options for October)
  - Let's Show Fall Festival Oct 4-7
  - Horse and Hound Finals Oct 18-21
  - Let's Show Halloween Oct 24-28

## *Newsletter*

We are trying out something new. We know we are such a tight knit group that a newsletter is probably not necessary, but we wanted to try it out and see what everyone thinks. Let us know if you have any suggestions. With the move, we are attempting to refocus the group. We have such a wonderful family of peo-

ple that are truly dedicated to the horses and becoming the great equestrians. We want to focus on improving our riding skills and continuing our great show record. We are so thankful for everyone's help and continued dedication to Prestige.