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News & Updates From Black Prong

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Dear Diane,

Please view this newsletter as "full screen", so you don't miss any of the details!

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Linda Evans Becomes Organizer For Nature Coast CDE

A big **THANK YOU to Linda Evans**, Black Prong Season Supporter plus frequent competitor, who has volunteered her talents as Organizer of the Black Prong Nature Coast CDE in January. Linda understands the many "behind-the-scenes" efforts of a well-organized show – and we are grateful that she selflessly chose to organize rather than compete in this year's event.

Nature Coast Event details:

- **Event Dates:** January 13-15, 2006
- **Entries Open:** Nov. 22; **Entries close:** Dec. 27
- **Levels/Divisions:** Training, Preliminary, Intermediate
- **Classes:** Single, Pair, Multiples
- **Acceptance:** First come/first served, Limit 70 entries

[Click here for details of this and other Black Prong Events](#)

Stay at Black Prong! Prime Units Still Available



Black Prong offers several convenient lodging options, and **we welcome your reservation for a stay of any duration** – including days, weeks, or months! Escape from the cold and stay where champions train and vacation!

Due to schedule changes, we have **several prime units available throughout the season**, and we're even expanding to serve you better! Call us today at 352-486-1234, and **let us work to accommodate your needs.**

Special Guest Georgina Frith Clinic: Nov 30-Dec 2

Sign up today to train with world-class clinician **Georgina Frith**, a "special guest" of Black Prong's International Clinic Series, on **November 30 through December 2 – immediately prior to the December 3-4 Black Prong Holiday Driving Trial**. Special thanks to Wendy Ying and Scott Adcox for their support in coordinating this great opportunity. To register, please call the Black Prong office at 352-486-1234. Full 3-day clinic investment: \$400 (\$350 for Season Supporters); 3-day Audit: \$100 (Free for Black Prong Season Supporters & Residents); One-day Audit: \$50 (Free for Season Supporters & Residents).

About Georgina Frith: She is a seven-time winner of the British National Pony Driving Championships and three-time winner of the European Championships, with Four-in-Hand of Welsh Section B ponies. A pharmacist by profession, Georgina regularly teaches at home and in the States. She was appointed 2005 Team Coach for the U.S. World Pony Championships and helped Suzi Stafford achieve an individual gold medal.

Enjoy an Evening at Black Prong to Share World Championship Photos & Conversation



Please join Maureen and Alan Aulson and friends at the Black Prong Pavilion on Thursday evening, December 1st at 7 p.m. for a fun and casual evening of photos and conversation about their exciting and interesting journey to the 2005 World Pair Championships in Austria.

You'll meet and/or hear the personal stories of people who made the trip and event(s) successful, including Julie and Greg Anthony - Friends and

Navigator; Marc Johnson – Navigator; and Ona Weisenbach – Groom. Here's your chance to ask questions and learn the details of how we flew the horses overseas, and more! Your RSVP is appreciated but not required, and refreshments will be served.

E-mail Your Interest in January Event Organizers' Clinic

Black Prong would like to host a one-day Organizers' Clinic with presenter Simon Rosenman in January (Anticipated date: a day during the week before the Jan. 13-15 Nature Coast CDE.) This multi-media, interactive workshop will benefit everyone from volunteers who organize or work during a CDE, to organizing committees, show management, and people with specific tasks such as volunteer recruiters, volunteer coordinators, clerks of competitions, scorers and show secretaries.

In order to plan for this event, we need to know your level of interest. **Please e-mail us at Blackprongcenter@aol.com with your interest, and/or if you would like to participate in this workshop.** Use the subject line "Organizer's Clinic Interest".

Become a Season Supporter,
and Enjoy Several Benefits



Become a Season Supporter today! Simply mail your check for \$350, payable to Black Prong, to: Black Prong Equestrian Center, Season Supporter Opportunity, 450 SE CR 337, Bronson, Florida 32621.

Your annual contribution as a **Black Prong SEASON SUPPORTER** helps us to provide competitors and visitors with an outstanding Black Prong experience. In return, we are happy to provide you with outstanding value that outweighs the face value of your contribution.

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Important Reminder: Use of Goethe State Forest Trails

Since Black Prong is nestled among the great trail system of the Goethe State Forest, our guests are naturally attracted to the Forest's 150-plus miles of marked trails. Please remember, though, that the use of these trails is a privilege, not a right. Therefore, you **MUST** obtain a FOREST PASS for the nominal fee of just \$1 per day, OR purchase a season pass from the Forest Service. The Forest Service requires all trail users to carry and show their pass upon their request. **Remember: Do NOT enter or leave Black Prong property via the Forest if you don't have a Forest Pass.** You must use public roads or Black Prong roads until you obtain a Forest pass.



[Click here to learn more about Goethe State Forest](#)

An Exciting New Season Has Begun!

We're "pumping up the excitement" at Black Prong with the start of this new season! Once again, Maureen is offering exercise classes in the Pavillion's workout room. Season Passholders and guests are invited to participate for free; please call the Black Prong office for the updated schedule and details.

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