



FROM: THE ZONE 6 COMMITTEE & WHJA, MHJA, INHJA

DATE: APRIL, 2007

TO: ALL ZONE 6 MEMBERS

2007 is the year to celebrate Zone VI. The Zone Committee and its Affiliates are planning fun and exciting events for the year. Our hope is to become more than a faceless entity to you all and to show you the benefits the zone offers through your membership. We are hoping to have a meet and greet party at the Midstates Spring Horse Show in Mason City this May. We are excited for the Classic Finale at the Midstates Fall Show. Remember you don't have to qualify to compete in the classic, but your horse has to have an annual or lifetime recording number. Horse ID numbers are not valid. There will be classics for all Horse of the Year award divisions, as well as the finals of the inaugural Powers Horsemanship classic.

As we slowly pull out of mud season and the spring monsoons, we want to share a bit of information about who we are, and what we are up to. Zone VI may be one of the smallest Zones membership-wise, but we are an active group. Clinics are popping up all over the Zone. Our thanks to the following who have hosted USHJA affiliated clinics already this spring: Jacki and Len Danielson of North Run Farm with Derek McConnell; Susan Wood and Falmouth Farm with Amy Hunter-Clark; Tom and Alison Plemmons of Friendship Farm with Brenda Mueller. To come in April are Stephanie Histed and Timeless Farm with Michael Bea; and the MHJA and Alpine Farms with Archie Cox. And that's just the first part of the year! Later on in the fall Joe Fargis is coming to do a clinic at Alpine Farm in October, and Frank Madden is coming to N.E.W. Farms, LLC in Seymour, Wisconsin in early November. Check out the USHJA website for the Zone 6 clinic schedule [Clinic Calendar](#).

We have eight B shows partaking in the Foundation Awards programs, split among Iowa-Nebraska and Minnesota-Wisconsin. No qualifications are involved here either, but you must be a USHJA member and your horse must have a recording number.

Zone 6 B & C Show Schedule –Foundation Awards 2007

- April 26 – 29 Phoenix “B” Bellevue, NE Janine Carhart, Mgr.
- June 27 – July 1 Phoenix “B”
- July 18 – 22 Riverbend “B” Rockford, MN Barb Ahrens, Mgr.
- August 1 – 5 Valley Park “B” Des Moines, IA Ned Long, Mgr. *
- August 16 – 19 Carriage House Farm “B” Hugo, MN Ann Bower, Mgr.
- August 29 – Sept. 2 Phoenix “B”
- August 30 – Sept. 2 Otter Creek Farm “B” Wheeler, WI Lena Werner, Mgr.

* not yet filed with USEF

For 2008 Competition Year:

Oct. 25 – 28 Phoenix “B”

As the summer progresses the zone, with its affiliates, is responsible for submitting rule changes as well as specifications for our classes, and also national specifications. It is our responsibility to keep you informed of possible changes and to have your input. Please keep in touch by checking with the following links:

Zone 6 www.ushja.org/committees/zone6.shtml

MHJA www.mhja6.org
INHJA www.webmaster@inhja.net
WHJA www.whja.org
USEF www.usef.org

You will find all sorts of information and committee contacts through the above links.

One final note. We want all our Zone members to be aware that because of the outbreaks of Equine Herpes Virus (EHV), some shows and clinics may require certain health protocols this year. Check your clinic info and prize lists carefully to see if anything extra is required. Be prepared not only to have a copy of your Coggins, but also a health certificate, temperature record, proof of vaccination or other documentation.

We look forward to meeting you in the forthcoming season!!!! Please keep in touch with us.

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- Louise Otten, MN, Chair
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