

DETC NEWS

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READY FOR THE NEW YEAR!

Well the New Year is upon us, and I hope you have all had a wonderful 2009. DETC went through a bunch of changes, but I believe them all to be for the best and personally cannot wait for what 2010 will bring!

I want to thank you all for sticking with me through the move to Rocking A, and a big Thank You to Tami and John for everything they have done to make the transition as smooth as possible for us and our four legged friends!

January will begin our new show season! The Poway Open show series starts on the 24th, so if you know you would like to go, please let me know so I can arrange for trailers. Poway is a full dress show, so you might also make sure your show clothes fit from last year! We have a bunch of riders close to each other in sizes, so if you need to buy or sell something, let's ask each other before buying something brand new...

Our other show for January is the (now) Sierra Empire Arabian Horse Show in Pomona January 29-31. If you plan to attend, make sure your memberships to AHA and USEF are current, and please get me a copy of your card. Entries are due JANUARY 4, so get them to me this weekend!

Rain has finally shown its ugly head... Be sure to keep an eye on your horse's feet, whether they are in the barn or in an outside corral. Thrush is a fungus that can grow in the

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frog of the hoof, and is usually black until picked with a hoof-pick and then you will see white. To aid your horse in staying sound, you might spray the bottom of his or her feet with a 50-50 mix of bleach and water, or invest in some betadine to pour on it as well.

If you have any questions or concerns, ideas or suggestions, feel free to let me know!

Again, thank you all for your continued support of the Darcy Edwards Training Center!

*Darcy Edwards
Owner*



Chiropractor in January

I'm going to have our wonderful chiropractor out in January to work on the horses, and I'm hoping Cheryl can make it sometime during the first or second week. Please let me know if you would you're your horse adjusted so I can get them on the list to be seen!

If your horse has been adjusted by Cheryl before, the cost is \$50. If this is your horses' first time to be seen by her, it's \$100.

I will contact all owners ahead of time when I have the date. I will also be contacting lesson because once the horses are done, they need the day after off for relaxing 😊

If you'd like to contact Cheryl ahead of time to set up your payment, her number is 760-744-1111, otherwise I'll be collecting checks for her.

ECLAP Vet News and Updates

DETC uses the vets of East County Large Animal Practice for their horse's routine maintenance. Most DETC horses are due for spring shots in March. This includes the 4-way and Rhino vaccines, as well as the West Nile. For horses that travel to shows, Strangles is also recommended but not required.

The West Nile vaccine should be given every 6 months. The threat of West Nile is still here in Lakeside!

ECLAP offers some wonderful horse maintenance programs and I encourage all owners to take into consideration their offers:

PREVENTICARE

This plan provides you with the best possible preventative health care. Also, under a special agreement with Pfizer Animal Health, the makers of Strongid C2X, if your horse colics while enrolled in the PreventiCare plan and requires surgery, Pfizer will reimburse you for the cost of the surgery plus up to three days of aftercare up to **\$5,000.00!** This colic assistance is provided at no additional charge when you enroll in, and comply with the terms of the program.

To qualify, the patient must receive the following services from ECLAP:

- Annual physical exam and nutritional

“A healthy horse is a happy horse”

DETC 2010 Show Schedule

January

24- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA
 29.31- Sierra Empire Arabian Horse Show (Arabian);
 Pomona, CA
 Entries Close: January 4

February

7- Valentine's Fun Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA
 28- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA

March

19.21*- Rancho California Horse Show (Arabian); Burbank,
 CA
 Entries Close:
 21- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA
 28- Easter Fun Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA

April

2.4- Fiesta Del Mar Arabian Horse Show (Arabian, R1 and
 7); Del Mar, CA
 Entries Close:
 18- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA
 20.25- ASHO4U and Region 7 Championships (Arabian);
 Scottsdale, AZ
 Entries Close:
 25- Arabian Community Horse Show (All Breed,
 Eng/West); Temecula, CA
 25- Hunter/Jumper (All Breed, All English); Poway, CA

May

2- Arabian Community Horse Show (All Breed, Eng/West);
 Vista, CA
 9- Mother's Day Fun Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway,
 CA

22.23*- SCAHA Arabian Horse Show (Arabian); City of
 Industry, CA

Entries Close:

23- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA

June

3.6- Region One Championship Arabian Horse Show (Arabian);
 Del Mar, CA

Entries Close:

6- Poway Open Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA (Rain
 date)

20- Hunter/Jumper (All Breed, All English); Poway, CA

22.27*- Region Two Championship Arabian Horse Show
 (Arabian); Santa Barbara, CA

Entries Close:

August

21- Hunter/Jumper (All Breed, All English); Poway, CA

September

9.12- SAAHA Silver Buckle Duel (Arabian); Tucson, AZ

October

17- Hunter/Jumper (All Breed, All English); Poway, CA

24- Arabian Community Horse Show (All Breed); Temecula, CA

30- Halloween Fun Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA

November

7- Arabian Community Horse Show (All Breed); Vista, CA

8- Hunter/Jumper (All Breed, All English); Poway, CA

21- Turkey Trot Fun Show (All Breed, Eng/West); Poway, CA

*Darcy Edwards Training Center Recommends the following
 for your horse needs;*

Steve Crotz Horseshoeing, 858-248-1523

East County Large Animal Practice, 619-561-4661

El Cajon Valley Veterinary Hospital, 619-444-9340

JC Feed and Supply, 619-561-4479

Carters Hay and Grain, 619-561-0631

San Diego Saddlery, 619-441-2613

Tack-N-Up Saddlery, 619-440-8223

The Hay Guy, 619-443-0431

Carl's Boot and Leather Repair, 619-442-3027

ECLAP Programs from page 2

- consultation
- Annual dental examination/care
- Recommended vaccination regimen
- Twice-yearly purge worming with Ivermectin
- Daily use of Strongid C2X purchased from ECLAP

The following is a description of the actual cost of the PreventiCare health program which supports you in complying with the above:

Twice-yearly examinations: $\$66.00 \times 2 = \132.00
Annual 5-Way vaccination: $\$47.00 \times 1 = \47.00
Six month Booster flu/rhino vaccination: $\$30.00 \times 1 = \30.00
Annual teeth float and sedation $\$124.00 \times 1 = \124.00
Twice-yearly worming with ivermectin $\$21.00 \times 2 = \42.00
First bucket of Strongid C2x $\$45.00 \times 1 = \45.00
Bi-Annual West Nile Virus vaccination $\$32.00 \times 2 = \64.00
Total= $\$484.00$
Your cost to enroll in the PreventiCare plan is $\$370.00$

Ranch Calls and any additional procedures are not included and are regularly priced. Plan Participants **MUST** purchase Strongid C2X from ECLAP. This is a requirement from Pfizer to prove that your horse is on the daily wormer. Strangles vaccinations are not included in the plan; it is available for an additional fee.

There are only three (3) disqualifications for the PreventiCare program. These horses are not eligible for reimbursement on colic surgery.

1. Any horse that has had prior colic surgery
2. Any horse that has experienced colic in the past 12 months/ has a history of chronic colic
3. Any horse that is under 5 months of age and not fully weaned from its mother, or any horse older than 20 years of age (Horses that are enrolled before the age of 20 may re-enroll each year until age 2. If enrollment lapses at anytime after the age of 20, the horse will not be eligible for re-enrollment.).

To sign up call our office at (619) 561-4661 and tell us

you want to enroll your horse in the PreventiCare program.

HEALTH MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

ECLAP has a yearly program that condenses the amount of doctor visits for annual procedures. Every year a horse should receive vaccinations, teeth floating, deworming and sheath cleaning. The HMP is a program that will provide you with all of these services.

A one-time fee of $\$360.00$ is paid on the first visit and includes: 1) twice yearly ranch calls and physical exams, 2) twice yearly vaccinations (one 5-way, one Flu Rhino, and twice Yearly West Nile Virus Vaccinations), 3) six dewormers, 4) teeth examined and floated with sedation, and 5) sheath cleaned and examined. The price does stay the same if the horse is a mare and does not need a sheath cleaning. The price does go down if you have more than one horse on the program. For two or more horses, it is $\$330.00$ per horse. Strangles vaccinations are not included in the program and are an additional fee.

The average cost of services for the year is:

SERVICE COST

Call Fee x 2 $\$120.00$
Exam x 2 $\$132.00$
Teeth Float w/sedation $\$124.00$
Sheath w/sedation $\$49.00$
5-way $\$47.00$
Flu Rhino $\$30.00$
Bi-Annual West Nile Virus $\$32.00 \times 2 = \64.00
Wormers x 6 $\$110.00$
Total $\$676.00$
HMP Price $\$360.00$
Total Savings $\$316.00$

When the doctor comes out to perform these appointments he/she will leave a six month supply of dewormers to last until the next appointment. This program is a wonderful way to lessen the amount of doctor visits. Also, with this program there is an average cost of over 50% savings.

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SALES AND LEASING

Tiz Teddy

4 yrs 16 hand bay Gelding Broke for Arena and Trail!

By Royal Cat out of Tiza. Don't let his age fool you! Teddy is very settled and mature for his age, and shows the ample bone and substance that makes him an excellent candidate for a future eventer. Long clean legs and a big body will make him suitable and successful in the hunter ring. Currently under saddle and has been successfully shown! Also a dream to ride out on trail...
\$8,500 OBO



TEDDY

Afleet Aloha

6 year old 16.0 Bay Reg TB Gelding

"Joe" is a beautiful 16 hand TB gelding registered with the Jockey Club. Half brother to Belmont Stakes winner Afleet Alex! He has been ridden English and shows great potential for the hunter ring. Smooth gaits for anyone to ride and super sweet to boot! Started over ground poles and 2 foot verticals, and is doing very well. Very SCOPEY!!! Blue ribbon winner with 12 year old at his second show!
\$8,000 OBO



JOE

All horses are also available for lease!