

# Back Bay Farm Newsletter December 2008



**Tis the season...**

## **Successful Find**

Congrats to Anna & Anne Roberts on the purchase of their stunning new steed Cha Ching, aka Prento. You'll have a fun winter getting to know each other.

## **Special Leases**

Looking for 1 or 2 riders to lease Doc so he can receive more one-on-one care & attention. Arrangements made for the right situation. Captain is also looking for a committed rider/mom (or dad).

## **Florida Anyone?**

Anyone feeling the chill & fantasizing about palm trees, sun & short sleeves, arrangements can be made for showing in Ocala or Wellington!

## **Memberships Expire Dec 1<sup>st</sup>**

Renew or join USEF/USHJA - can be done online. \*New this year, owners must register their horse w/USHJA for a one-time fee \$30. If the horse has a life recorded USEF #, it's free.

For MHC & NE, add the \$10 horse registration to garner year-end points. North Shore memberships count for the 5 show series & banquet. Those leasing or any questions, talk to Robin.

Forms are available at the barn.

Once you have all 4 cards, photocopy on a sheet w/name, address, date of birth & give a copy to Robin. Do it now!

## **A Few Barn Reminders**

- ☞ School riders, *please* check that your tack is put away & sweep up!
- ☞ Boarders, *please* call by 9 am if you cannot make it to the barn so we have time for grooming care or to schedule a schooling ride. It gets too hectic to fit extras in late in the day.
- ☞ Riding off the property requires an instructor for safety & to respect BBF's arrangement with private landowners.
- ☞ Ask about blanketing before you leave.

**Upcoming:** Everyone invited, join us Dec.21<sup>st</sup> for our **Barn Christmas Party!**

Barn closes at noon on Dec 24 & all day the 25th.