

# Back Bay Farm Newsletter ▶ September 2010



## All Lesson Cancellations

Must come through our office phone by 9 am, please. Otherwise, times that could be available for others are missed & horses or ponies scheduled for you may not get exercised. Please be considerate about canceling ahead of time - it's a both a health and fairness issue.

## Fall Schedules

As the weather & leaves change, so does our schedule shift to accommodate the ongoing school year programs, plus [x-country](#) & the ever popular [beach](#) rides. Please check the board for sign-ups, etc.

## Sales & Leases

Call Me Al & Havana are up for grabs! Both proven, consistent winning mounts. Several school horses will also be available for partial lease starting in Oct. Leases are a great way to improve your riding/experience without the full cost of owning. See Robin for details.



## Summer Success x 2

BBF is thrilled by the across-the-board competitiveness & camaraderie of our riders at the **Vermont Summer Festival** in August. Kudos to all who rode & to Dominique, Jessica & Cindy who worked tirelessly to make the horses shine.

We also commend our excellent group of 14 **August Campers**, who had to deal with a lot of indoor riding due to rain. You all made great strides & kept it fun.

## Hot Weather Vet Tip

Advice for hot weather: avoid skin problems on horse's faces by not oiling bridles or using conditioners. Glycerine soap is best during hot, sweaty temps. Also, concentrated bug spray should be used with caution & not put on faces.

## Congrats to Louisa

On the purchase of her lovely new mount Lola, aka Showgirl. She looks to be the total package: talented & a sweetheart. The long search turned up a gem worth the wait. Best of luck to your partnership!

## Room Service

Reminder: Have you booked your hotel reservations for Zone, MA & NE Finals?

## Birthday Thank You

Peter sends out a heartfelt thank you to all who attended his awesome surprise party, a fun evening with so many friends and for the many cool, thoughtful gifts.

Upcoming: Indian Meadow 9/4, Myopia 9/9-11, Zone 1 Finals 9/15-18, NSHA 9/19, Volo 9/29