



# Great Lakes Dressage Club

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Next GLDC meeting will be:

## When?

Saturday, 10 AM  
APRIL 16

## Where?

Karen Miller's  
Farm  
5691 Co. Rd 1-2  
Swanton, OH

Coffee and donuts will be served with a short meeting after the clinic at Charlie's Restaurant on Airport Hwy.

## What?

### Long Lining Clinic

The meeting is posted on our facebook page.

## Long Lining Clinic with Kandace York

Kandace is a lifelong horse person who's been long-lining and ground-driving for 25 years now. When used correctly, it's a great tool. When used incorrectly, like any other tool, it's abusive. I'll try to show the correct way,

### Secretary's Report

23 people were present for the Sue Burton lunging clinic at the last meeting and everyone enjoyed Sue's demo. Members went to Charlie's Restaurant on Airport Highway afterwards for a short meeting.

The Dorothy Mueller clinic is iffy for June. The April clinic with her at Handy Hunter was cancelled due to the rainy conditions we always get in April. A long lining clinic is scheduled at Karen Miller's on April 16th.

Our annual schooling show will be held at the WB Ranch again this year on September 10th.

Ruth Ann Walsh mentioned that by joining the Fulton County Horse Council, you can get a 1 million dollar insurance umbrella for only \$18.00 per year.

The year end awards process has been changed back to the way we previously did it. You do not have to submit the \$10.00 fee this year.

Hopefully, the ride-a-test will be in May, but nothing scheduled yet.

## Treasurer's Report

2/15/11 to 3/31/11

\$1,805.63	beginning balance checking
-\$60.00	#1732 2/11/11 to Linda Myers – pilates class
-\$250.00	#1733 3/1/11 to WB Ranch – deposit for show
-\$50.00	#1734 3/12/11 to Karen Miller – use of facility
<u>+\$270.00</u>	deposit – membership dues
\$1,715.63	ending balance – checking
\$2,748.03	beginning balance – savings
<u>+\$ .32</u>	interest
\$2,748.35	ending balance – savings
\$1,715.63	Checking account funds
<u>+\$2,748.35</u>	Savings account funds
\$4,463.98	Total funds

**WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!**

Constance Lutton, Swanton, OH, Rachel Zimmerman, Sylvania, OH and Mary Jane Callegari, Clinton MI.

**FINALLY! A NEW RULE FROM USDF USEF**

*Briefly, the first rule change requires anyone on a horse to wear a ASTM/SEI-approved helmet at all times while mounted on competition grounds at U.S. nationally rated eventing competitions. The rule change is effective immediately.*

"If the technology is available to reduce head injuries, the time to use it is now," said USEF President David O'Connor. "I am very proud of our organization for taking this very important step. It is a huge direction of change."



The March meeting presented a lungeing Clinic with Sue Burton. Some comments were: Pam Shipley. "Wonderfull clinic at Karen Miller's farm. Thank you Karen. Sue Burton was great. Very informative lunge line clinic with a cooperative young horse. Thanks to Sue for an awesome clinic and to Ruth Anne for setting this up."

**Jerece Scott**, "Sue Burton is always great. You can learn a lot from her."

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