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The Newsletter of the International Equestrian Organization, promoting “international style” riding (dressage) since 1958 – The oldest dressage organization in the United States.

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October, 2013

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## **DID YOU SNAP A FEW PICTURES THIS SEASON?**

The IEO had a great and beautiful show season; we had the weather on our side for the most part of this season. We are currently looking forward to our annual banquet for the year and are in need of current pictures of yourself and your horse/pony! They will be used in a power point presentation that will be shown at the annual banquet- please send them in any format you would like; as I can convert most files to [creidsporthorses@gmail.com](mailto:creidsporthorses@gmail.com). I have already begun to receive some pictures but would love to have more! Looking forward to seeing those few snaps that you took this season! - Jessica Barker

## **CONGRATULATIONS SEPTEMBER SHOW WINNERS**

High Score Intro	Tammy Murphy on Versace
High Score Training Level	Kim Hillyer on Ona Wild Goose Chase
High Score First Level	Dona Ruth on Leonetti
High Score of the Day Jr/Yr	Darah Yerger on Naufauli
High Score of the Day AA	Tammy Murphy on Versace
High Score of the Day Pro	Kim Hillyer on Ona Wild Goose Chase

**Complete results follow in this newsletter.**

## **IEO 2013 ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET – NOVEMBER 16**

The 2013 IEO Annual Awards Banquet to honor our club’s year end awards winners will be held on Saturday evening, November 16 at Duke’s Riverside Bar and Grille. Plan to join us for an evening of fun with good friends and great food. Invitation and reservation form attached to this newsletter.

## ITEMS NEEDED FOR SILENT AUCTION

We will be holding our popular Silent Auction again this year at the Awards Banquet on November 16. So! We need items to auction off.

Are you artsy? Make something for the auction! Do you have a business to promote? Donate your services! Don't know what to do with that extra saddle pad you never used? We can sell it! Gift certificates, books, DVDs, jewelry, riding apparel, tack, gift baskets, lessons and services also make great auction items.

The auction is an important fund-raiser for the club. Proceeds from the auction help pay for the schooling show series, clinics and educational events, and subsidize the banquet and year-end awards. So please, if you are coming to the banquet or even if you aren't, consider donating something for the auction.

For information on how to donate items, contact Beth Major at [beth.major@gmail.com](mailto:beth.major@gmail.com) or (717)818-91287.

## IEO SEPTEMBER CLUB HIGHLIGHTS

September was a busy month for the IEO. Here are a few of the clubs news highlights to report:

\*Three new policies developed this summer and presented by the Governance committee were unanimously passed by the Board. They are available for members to view on the IEO website ([www.ieodressage.org](http://www.ieodressage.org)) under the Membership heading. The new policies are:

1. **Board and Officers Job Descriptions** – This policy covers the basic responsibilities and qualifications required to be an officer or at large Board member for the IEO.
2. **Administration Control Policy** – This policy sets out the ethical manner by which all IEO business will be conducted and is applicable to all IEO Board members and committee chairs.
3. **Email Policy** – This policy outlines email etiquette that needs to be followed by all IEO members so that good communication can be effectively established and maintained. It establishes an Email committee and outlines Email disciplinary actions that can be invoked in cases where respectful and civil dialogue has deteriorated.

\*The Governance committee also developed and presented By Law Amendments that were unanimously approved by the Board and then circulated to all members for a 30 day comment period. You can find a copy of the proposed changes on the IEO website under the Membership heading. After the 30 day comment period is finished, the amendments will be presented to the general membership for a down or up vote. To be enacted, the amendments must receive an affirmative vote from 3/4ths of the members. Ballots will be emailed to all members and the final votes tallied at the Annual Meeting to be held on Saturday, November 16, 2013 during the IEO Awards Banquet at Duke's Riverside Bar and Grille in Wormleysburg, PA. Many thanks to Tracey Bray, Governance committee chair and the rest of her hard working committee which included Kim Hillyer, Jessie Barker, Karen Pelton and Susan Moody for undertaking this challenging and very important project!

\*The last of our schooling shows, held on Sunday, September 22 had cool, breezy weather and 68 rides scheduled before "L" judge Cheryl Ash. Cheryl was very positive in her comments and many riders remarked that her cheerful sense of humor was much appreciated.

\*The Nominating committee, chaired by Beth Major, is seeking names of members who would like to run for IEO office for 2014. The positions that need to be filled include president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer, as well as 5 board members at large positions. Elections

will be held at the Annual Meeting on November 16. Members unable to attend the annual meeting may mail their completed ballot before the November 16 deadline.

### **POSITIVE TRAINING: CREATING THE SPARK AND ENTHUSIASM FROM WITHIN YOUR HORSE.**

By Hector Carmona

Many times in retraining a horse ultimately it is the ingredient of enthusiasm that is missing and the only way to attain it is with forward riding. Get away from the exercises you are performing and get back to them once you have attained the spark. Then the exercises will have the true purpose of development.

During the stage of forward riding reduce the length of the ride to roughly the 15-20 minutes with the goal being a little cluck cluck from the voice and to have all the eagerness that is available. In order to do this first we must get the balance so he is not on the forehand. It is not hard to do. The neck needs to be with the poll as the highest point. You need to feel his center of gravity become located more under you and more to the quarters. For this to be successful both the rider and the horse must be awake. Horses will respond; they are good souls. This attitude should be there from the onset; otherwise we only warm-up inefficiently without preparing the horse for the possibilities. And so between you and your horse it is building the fire.

Energy: without it what is there? The goal needs to be finding where the edge is and going beyond it. Once you know where the edge is then all you need to do is back off a little bit. The horse's mind will guide you. All this needs to be done in short bursts and not sustained ones.

Think and act as if you are training him for the thoroughbred races and put dressage on the backburner. Excitement from you and him is the task at hand.

Work 15-20 minutes with the breaks included with no segment lasting more than 5 minutes more or less. Praise him plenty as he begins to awaken up and takes the bit from his quarters. This is done with light seat positioning from the rider and positively no sitting trot. But remember this will not work if he is on the forehand so you must change his center of gravity first before going only more forward.

When the spark and enthusiasm is within the horse and you can feel it even before mounting then it's time for the next phase of education in positive training. Your horse will be grateful and happy for the joy you are presenting him. Without joy there is no real dressage and there never will be true beauty.

### **SOUTHERN STATES FEED LABELS: BENEFIT FOR IEO**

YES! We are still collecting these feed labels, too! Triple Crown, Legends, and Reliance feed The IEO Dressage Organization, a non-profit club, can benefit from your feed labels, similar to the FUTRENA label program.

If you can **cut off your proof of purchase labels on the back of your bags**, the club will receive cash! Send these labels, to:

**Cindy Mattern, 2889 Ford Farm Rd., Mechanicsburg, PA 17055**



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### **I WAS JUST WONDERING ...**

Have you ever stopped to wonder why there is no movement called “shoulder out” in our dressage tests? In the listing of lateral suppling movements, the shoulder in is championed as an essential gymnastic exercise. It is included in dressage tests starting at second level, the first tests where collected gaits are required. But there is no such recognized exercise as its opposite, what FEI judge and author Charles de Kunffy calls the shoulder out. I’d like to argue that the shoulder out has gymnasticizing benefits as well and deserves to get a little respect; better yet, even recognition in the USEF Dressage rulebook and inclusion in our national level tests. We have travers (haunches in) and renvers (haunches out), both of which appear in second level tests, suggesting there is abundant evidence in support of bending the horse behind the girth and riding the change of bend from inside to outside and back. Why then is there no such series of exercises requiring riders to bend the horse in front of the girth while keeping the haunches straight and change the bend from inside to outside and back?

I think we can all agree that it’s essential for dressage horses to be balanced and laterally supple enough to bend and work in both directions and just as important for riders to be capable

of putting the horse's shoulders or haunches *anywhere* they want to *whenever* they want to. Appreciating that the objectives for all the lateral movements include increased suppleness and elasticity, improved obedience and engagement as well as increased cadence and collection, then it seems logical that the shoulder out should qualify as a lateral movement because it too helps to accomplish all of these qualities. And in addition, the shoulder out ridden on a 20-meter circle provides an extra bonus – the challenge of riding counter flexion where your horse is continuously bent to the right (outside) while circling to the left and vice versa. One of my favorite uses for this exercise is when horses are braced at the base of their necks and not through their backs or tracking up. By changing from shoulder in to shoulder out on the circle, I can soften the neck and establish a more correct connection without having to change rein – a nice bonus indeed!

So tomorrow morning when you're mucking stalls and filling water buckets, consider the advantages of asking for shoulder out on the 20-meter circle when you ride out to school. Shoulder Out - the new and improved lateral suppling exercise, guaranteed to add one more physical and mental challenge to your already over-flowing list of dressage movements to master. Or maybe it might just be easier to put this idea out to pasture with another one of those dressage movements that you've probably schooled but won't find in any USEF rule book or dressage test – the turn on the forehand. Now what's with that?

Like I said at the beginning of this essay, I was just wondering ....  
Susan Moody, IEO President

### **VISIT [e-TRAK](#); USDF'S ONLINE LEARNING CENTER**

You can search for such things as "leg yield" and see written articles from past USDF Connection magazine articles as well as YouTube video selections from USDF produced DVDs.

Available at *no cost* to all current IEO members, e-TRAK is USDF's online learning center for dressage and equine education. Through one convenient location, members can access hundreds of educational resources, engage in structured learning activities, and earn USDF University Program credit! To access e-TRAK, IEO members just need to log in to the website at [www.usdf.org/e-trak](http://www.usdf.org/e-trak).

### **MEET THE JUDGES - JOIN THE HOSPITALITY CREW**

Please consider joining me sharing I.E.O. hospitality at functions and shows. Duties would include but not limited to welcoming participants to the show grounds, helping with planning food for the volunteers and judge on show dates, any food planning for other I.E.O. functions such as this May 18 clinic for volunteer training. Your help would be greatly appreciated. Contact Leslie London cell 717 817 5094 or home 717 755 4108.

### **THE IEO LIBRARY NEEDS YOU!**

The IEO library has over 40 horse-related titles ranging from training to novels - something for everybody. The titles are now posted on the IEO website ([www.ieodressage.org](http://www.ieodressage.org)) so you can see what is available. Is there something you would like to borrow? Something you would like to donate? Something you wish we had? Call or email librarian Beth Major. Phone: 717-432-7068 email: Beth.Major@ymail.com

## **JUST FOR FUN...**

.Email your filled-out questionnaire (cut and paste into an email) and attach a photo of you and your horse to [katnels@msn.com](mailto:katnels@msn.com). Don't be shy!

### **IEO Member Profile Questionnaire:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Profession: \_\_\_\_\_  
Current training level and how long you've been riding: \_\_\_\_\_  
Long term riding goal: \_\_\_\_\_  
Favorite dressage book: \_\_\_\_\_  
Favorite quote (can be related or unrelated to riding): \_\_\_\_\_  
The most important lesson I ever learned: \_\_\_\_\_  
My happiest horse memory: \_\_\_\_\_  
My dressage role model or favorite rider: \_\_\_\_\_  
My most embarrassing moment on a horse: \_\_\_\_\_  
When I'm not riding, I like to: \_\_\_\_\_  
Something people don't know about me: \_\_\_\_\_

## **NEW BOLTON CENTER FREE LECTURES**

October 1, 2013	Treating Heaves	Dr. Emilie Setlakwe
November 5, 2013	Ten Important Observations of Health-Related Natural Horse Behavior	Sue McDonnell, PhD
December 3, 2013	Leaping from Bench to Stall, Cage or Bedside	Dr. Tom Schaer
January 7, 2014	Ultrasound Examination of Fetal Well-Being in Late Pregnancy: Is My Foal at Risk?	Dr. Virginia Reef
February 4, 2014	Gender: A Fact in Your Mare's Performance	Dr. Pat Sertich
March 4, 2014	What's Your Diagnosis? Neurologic Disease in the Horse	Dr. Laura Johnstone

This schedule is subject to change. Please RSVP to [beltb@vet.upenn.edu](mailto:beltb@vet.upenn.edu). Please check the website, <http://www.vet.upenn.edu/FirstTuesdays>, for the most current information.

## **ACTIVITIES COMING IN 2013**

October 17-20, 2013 USDF/GAIG Regional Championships hosted by VADA in Lexington, VA  
November 1-3, 2013 BLM Championships hosted by NCDCTA in Williamston, NC  
November 7-10, 2013 The first US Dressage Finals will be held at the Kentucky Horse Park, in Lexington, KY.  
November 16, 2013 Region One Fall meeting at Best Western Leesburg, VA  
December 4-7, 2013 USDF Convention Lexington, KY

**T-Shirt Order Form**

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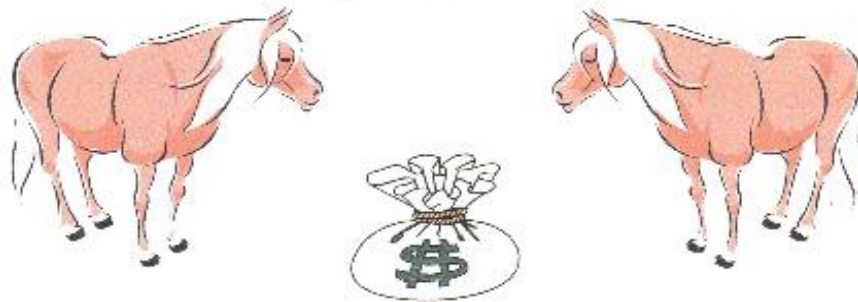
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Proofs for Nutrena feeds can be mailed to IEO Young Rider, Samantha Bray, at 160 Pine Woods Rd., Wellsville, PA 17365



## SEPTEMBER SCHOOLING SHOW RESULTS

### USEA Test of Choice

Jr/Yr	115	Shelby Alwine	Dutchess (beg. Nov. A)	120	60.000%	1
AA	134	Jennifer Mischke	Tiglon BC (nov. B)	137	68.500%	1
AA	134	Jennifer Mischke	Tiglon BC (nov. A)	151	65.652%	2

### Introductory Level – Test A

Jr/Yr	95	Darah Yerger	Naufauli	112	70.000%	1
Jr/Yr	79	Bethany Yerger	Shazam	107.5	67.187%	2
Jr/Yr	115	Shelby Alwine	Dutchess	103	64.375%	3
AA	97	Pamela Amende	Everblest Exodus	116	72.500%	1
AA	119	Diane Rukert	Benedek	99	61.875%	2
Pro	144	Heather Hobbs	Blew By You	104.5	65.313%	1
Pro	200	Kathryn Weaver	High Roller	97.5	60.937%	2

### Introductory Level – Test B

Jr/Yr	79	Bethany Yerger	Shazam	108	67.500%	1
Jr/Yr	115	Shelby Alwine	Dutchess	103	67.375%	2
Jr/Yr	140	Olivia Staub	Classy Cee Cowboy	103	64.375%	3
Jr/Yr	95	Darah Yerger	Naufauli	105	65.625%	4
AA	139	Tammy Murphy	Versace	118	73.750%	1
AA	67	Lisa Acey	Allegro Bay	105.5	65.938%	2
AA	97	Pamela Amende	Everblest Exodus	104.5	65.313%	3
AA	120	Nikki Keeney	Calamari	103.5	64.688%	4
AA	119	Diane Rukert	Benedek	99	62.313%	5
AA	61	Leslie London	Hillbilly Hobby	99.5	62.188%	6
AA	127	Dorry Powell	Elaina	95	59.375%	
Pro	144	Heather Hobbs	Blew By You	98.5	61.563%	1

### Introductory Level – Test C

AA	114	Melissa Hawkens	Tennyson	139	69.500%	1
AA	139	Tammy Murphy	Versace	13.5	68.750%	2
AA	61	Leslie London	Hillbilly Hobby	132	66.000%	3
AA	120	Nikki Keeney	Calamari	126.5	63.250%	4
AA	67	Lisa Acey	Allegro Bay	123.5	61.750%	5
AA	127	Dorry Powell	Elaina	118	59.000%	6
Jr/Yr	140	Olivia Staub	Classy Cee Cowboy	123.5	61.750%	1

### Western Dressage TOC

AA	112	Mary Glazier	Chippa Hobby (Basic 3)	242	78.065%	1
AA	151	Barb Bigham	Buddy (Level 1 test 2)	237	76.452%	2
AA	54	Sarah Smeigh	(basic 1) Explicitly Dun Design	194.5	62.742%	3
Pro	88	Montie Eagle	Charro (Basic 2)	242	67.222%	1
Pro	88	Montie Eagle	Charro (Basic 1)	203	65.485%	2
Pro	166	Jennifer Hoffman	Gift Rapped (Intro 1)	112	65.179%	3

### Training Level Test 1

Jr/Yr	132	Sam Bray	Satchmoe	160	66.875%	1
Jr/Yr	136	Haley Rudacille	Gyzmo	142.5	59.375%	2
AA	176	Becky Frankeny	Silence Breaker	167.5	69.792%	1
AA	103	Patricia A. Jackson	Skip the Crowd	137.5	57.292%	2
Pro	149	Kim Hillyer	Ona Wild Goose Chase	169	70.417%	1

### Training Level Test 2

AA	176	Becky Frankeny	Silence Breaker	187	66.786%	1
AA	139	Dan Brown	Glen	183	65.375%	2
AA	103	Patricia A. Jackson	Skip the Crowd	166	59.286%	3
Pro	149	Kim Hillyer	Ona Wild Goose Chase	202.5	72.321%	1
Pro	133	Evelyn Pfoutz	Beste Inspiration	195.5	69.821%	2
JR/Yr	132	Sam Bray	Satchmoe	181.5	64.482%	1

### Training Level Test 3

Jr/Yr	116	Hayley McKay	Arrow Von Henry	155	62.000%	1
Jr/Yr	136	Haley Rudacille	Gyzmo	135.5	54.200%	2
AA	112	Mary Glazier	Chippa Hobby	158.5	63.400%	1
AA	139	Dan Brown	Glen	157.5	63.000%	2
AA	176	Becky Frankeny	Silence Breaker	157.5	63.000%	3
AA	86	Sue Smith	Thundershock	152.5	61.000%	4
AA	165	Nicole Corsetti	Sport	150.5	60.200%	5
AA	103	Patricia A. Jackson	Skip the Crowd	146.5	58.600%	6

### First Level Test 1

AA	112	Mary Glazier	Chippa Hobby	171.5	59.138%	1
AA	86	Sue Smith	Thundershock	165.5	57.069%	2
AA	165	Nicole Corsetti	Sport	163.5	56.379%	3
Pro	143	Dona Ruth	Leonetti	200	68.966%	1
Pro	150	Shauna Sober	Aristocrat	184	63.448%	2

First Level Test 2						
AA	193	Barb Bigham	Canadian Mist 229	61.892%	1	
Pro	143	Dona Ruth	Leonetti	247	66.757%	1
MFS						
AA		Evelyn Pfoutz	Beste Inspiration (TL)	244	81.333%	1
Pro		Barb Bigham	Canadian Mist (1st Lvl)	205	68.333%	2
Jr/Yr		Haley Rudacille	Gyzmo (TL)	188	62.666%	3

**CLASSIFIED ADS** *IEO members advertise for free*

**Large Pony Or Small Horse Wanted** - I'm a small adult looking for a half-lease or share-board on a large pony or small horse, preferably with some dressage training, within 30 minutes of Dillsburg. I am an intermediate rider with many years of experience. I was schooling 2nd level on the last horse I leased. Call anytime: Beth 717-818-9127.

**For Lease:** Hannah is a 15.1 hands 12-year-old TB mare. She has competed in Jumpers, Eventing, Dressage, and has been used in intermediate lessons. Shown in Level 2 Jumpers and evented through Novice and is a Beginner Novice packer. She is perfect away from home. Hannah is very willing and loves to jump. Shown 3' and schooling 3'6" at home. would be perfect for a small amateur or strong child. Prefers a rider with quiet hands and seat. Barefoot, easy keeper that prefers to be turned out alone, and absolutely no vices. Hannah loves apples and long trail rides. Looking for a two-year lease from September 2013 to August 2015 while I am in Graduate school. Contact Elaine Tierney (717)574-2783 [etierney03@gmail.com](mailto:etierney03@gmail.com)

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**Wintiec Isabel synthetic dressage saddle** for sale: 4 years old, excellent condition, 18" seat, includes easy change gullet kit with all trees and guage. Asking \$800.00 Contact Dane 717-919-2020

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**30" Wintec elastic cair dressage girth. \$90.00, 17" Triumph Schleese saddle \$2950.00,** both in excellent condition. Contact Karen 717-497-0923 or [kypelton@centurylink.net](mailto:kypelton@centurylink.net)

## **BOARDING:**

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If you would like to add or remove a classified ad, please call Kathy Nelson 717-235-6665 or email [katherinnelson08@comcast.net](mailto:katherinnelson08@comcast.net). Non-member ad rates: Full page \$20. per issue; Half page \$15. per issue; Quarter page \$10. per issue; Classified ad or business card ad \$5. per issue. 'Camera ready' ad copy should be sent to Katherine Nelson, 9856 Holly Hill Lane, New Freedom, PA 17349.



*The*

**International Equestrian Organization**

*Cordially invites*

*its members, family and friends to join them at*

*the annual awards banquet, Saturday, November 16, 2013.*

***Duke's Bar and Grille***

*At 313 S. Front Street*

*Wormleysburg, PA 17043.*

*Cocktails and Silent Auction will start at 6pm,*

*Dinner will be served at 7 pm with awards to follow*

*\$26.00 per person payable to **IEO**,*

*send RVSP and checks to*

*Jessie Barker*

*49 Milton Grove Rd N Elizabethtown PA 17022*

*by **Saturday, November 2, 2013.***



*Menu is as follows:*

*First Course: Lobster Bisque Soup*

*Second Course: Tuscan Chicken with Mushrooms, peppers and onions*

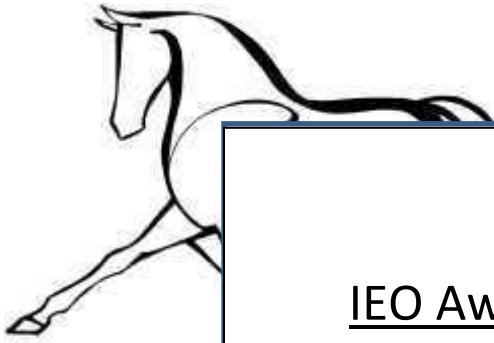
*Prime Rib with Au Jus and Horseradish*

*Sides: Double Stuffed potatoes*

*Chef's Choice of Vegetable*

*Desert: Cupcakes and Ice cream*

*\*Vegetarian Options will be available!\**



## IEO Awards Banquet RSVP Form

Name of Member: \_\_\_\_\_

How many are attending? : \_\_\_\_\_

How many Vegetarian meals? : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Banquet tickets @ \$26.00 per person

Total amount due: \_\_\_\_\_ payable to IEO

Please mail RSVP and checks to:

Jessie Barker

49 Milton Grove Rd N

Elizabethtown, PA 17022

By

**Saturday, November 2, 2013**

## IEO Board and Officers Election 2014 – Ballot

This ballot lists the nominated members for Board positions and club Officers to serve for 2014. You may choose someone from this list or you may nominate a current member from the floor. Officers and Board members will be elected by secret ballot at the November Awards Banquet. **Anyone not able to attend the banquet may submit his/her vote before the banquet. Email the completed ballot to [beth.major@ymail.com](mailto:beth.major@ymail.com) or mail it to:**

IEO Nominating Committee  
c/o Beth Major  
1481 S Mountain Rd  
Dillsburg, PA. 17019

**Mail-in ballots must be received by Friday, November 16.**

### IEO Board Positions – Vote for 5

Lisa Acey	Pamela Amende	Katie Beasley	Tracey Bray
Sue Budesheim	Leslie London	Tammy Murphy	Karen Pelton

Nomination from the floor to sit on the IEO Board for 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

### IEO Club Officers – Vote for 1 for each office

President – Evelyn Pfoutz

Vice-President – Heather Hobbs

Secretary – Margaret Hawn

Treasurer – Jessica Barker

Nomination from the floor to hold IEO club office for 2014 \_\_\_\_\_

Dues for December 1 – November 30

## 2013 IEO Membership Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Young Rider (under 22 years old) \$45.00 date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Individual or Primary Adult \$50.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Additional Family Members \$35.00 each

List participating family members: (Include date of birth for Young Riders)

Make check payable to I.E.O. and send to: Cindy Mattern  
2889 Ford Farm Road  
Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

