

## **Only 3 rider spots left (\* new price)- Option of 3 day or 4 day clinic- clinic must be filled by July 10, 2013**

**We are pleased to announce an open clinic with Melanie Bulmahn, certified Philippe Karl School of Légèreté instructor.** Melanie will be coming to the Ottawa area from August 30 to September 2, 2013 to hold an open 4 day clinic (3 day clinic option is also available). Melanie comes to us from Germany. She is one of Philippe Karl's top ranking certified instructors of the school of Légèreté (French for Lightness). She has been riding all of her life and teaching since 1990. Her holistic interests lead her to become an equine osteopathic therapist to compliment her continual study of Légèreté. Melanie's philosophy is to educate horses and riders in a sensible, healthy and anatomically correct way led by the classical art of riding of Philippe Karl. In her current work, she combines her medical background with the equestrian culture of Légèreté. Her goal is to provide a holistic training approach for horses and riders with the focus being respect for the horse. This provides a more intense dialogue between horse and rider where the horse is confident, light and at all times on the aids of the rider.

This is a very rare chance to ride with a licensed teacher from the School of Légèreté in Canada. The clinic is "open" which means any rider may participate. Unlike the School of Légèreté, riders need not apply and be accepted. Melanie is willing to work with all riders of all disciplines. Please see <http://www.philippe-karl.com/> for more information on the school of Légèreté.

Eight riders will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. Each rider will ride one time on each of the 4 days of the clinic and attend 2 theory lessons (or once on each of the 3 days and attend 1 theory lesson). A limited number of auditors will be accepted.

### **Cost for riders**

- **4 day clinic is \$950 (*cost may be further reduced as all auditor proceeds will be used to offset rider costs*).**
- **3 day clinic is \$725 (*cost may be further reduced as all auditor proceeds will be used to offset rider costs*).**

A deposit of \$250 is due immediately to hold your spot. Full payment is due by July 3, 2013. Lunch will be available at a cost of \$10.00 per day. Beverages and snacks will be available. Daytime and overnight stabling will also be available.



**Date:** August 30 to September 2, 2013

**Venue:** Kindred Farm, 3293 Paden Road, North Gower, Ontario

**Rider and Auditor Payments**

- 8 riders at \$950 for the 4 day clinic and \$725 for the 3 day clinic (***cost may be further reduced as all auditor proceeds will be used to offset rider costs***)
- 4 day clinic includes 4 private lessons for each rider and 2 theory lectures for riders and auditors
- 3 day clinic includes 3 private lessons for each rider and 1 theory lecture for riders and auditors

**Auditor Payments**

- **Before June 15, 2013-** Auditors-4 day with theory \$90, 1 day without theory \$25.00, 1 day with theory \$45.00
- **After June 15, 2013-** Auditors- 4 day with theory \$120.00, 1 day without theory \$35.00, 1 day with theory \$55.00

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