

TRAINERS DIRECTORY

DEFINITIONS:

Stable is the location where the trainer primarily works.

USDF Rating - Qualified Riders' Award - Four scores of 60% or higher at Training Level

Bronze Medal - Six scores of 60% or higher: two at First Level; two at Second Level; two at Third Level

Silver Medal - Four scores of 60% or higher: two at Fourth Level; two at Prix St. Georges

Gold Medal - Four scores of 60% or higher: two at Intermediare I and/or Intermediare II; two at Grand Prix

Level of Training and/or instruction offered according to the trainer

Lesson Horses available for giving lessons

Travels to other stables for lessons

Provides clinics for groups

Offers boarding for your horse at his/her training facility

Judges: 'L' = graduate of USDF learner judges program

'r' = USEF Recorded dressage judge

'R' = USEF Registered dressage judge

'S' = USEF Senior dressage judge

EVNT = USEF Eventing judge

Shows regularly and/or coaches students at shows

CPR - Certified by the Red Cross to administer emergency first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitate

****Listing in this directory does not constitute an endorsement by ADA or TDC.
Information has been provided by the individuals listed.***

Alkin, Jackie

Royal Salute ~ 28440 N. 53rd St, Cave Creek, AZ 85331 ~ (480) 585-5950 ~ royalsalute03@yahoo.com

USDF Rating - Qualified, Bronze, Silver

Clinic N

Training Levels - Beginner to FEI

Board Y

Lesson Horses Y

Judge N

Covered Arena N

Show Y

Travel N

CPR N

Other: Multiple national, regional and local championships, specializing in Arabians, half-Arabians for Dressage, Sport Horse and Working Hunters. Also has a very successful youth program.



Baker-Shirah, Pat

3482 N. Reed Basin Place, Tucson 85745 ~ M2 Sporthorses ~ 1280 N. Falcon Ridge Dr. Tucson, AZ 85712 ~

(520) 325-2214 (home) ~ (520) 954-5627 (cell) ~ pbsdressage@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold

Clinic Y

Training Levels - Training Through Grand Prix

Board Y

Lesson Horses N

Judge 'r'

Covered Arena N

Show Y

Travel N

CPR Y

Other: USDF Horse of the Year Awards; Regional Championships; California Association Professional Trainers; Beginners thru FEI level students; all breeds of horses

Borghesani, Laura

Desert Sport Horse, LLC and Laura B's Event Training, LLC at Carefree Farms ~ 36412 N. 7th Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85086
(602) 320-6613 ~ laura.borghesani@gmail.com ~ www.alicesarno.com and www.carefreefarms.net

USDF Rating -	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Dressage through 2nd Level	Board Y
Eventing through Preliminary	
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: Eventing, Dressage, Jumpers, Cross Country



Casati, Cheryl

Area: Throughout Arizona, Los Angeles, United Kingdom ~ 2236 Apache, Glendale, AZ 85307 ~ (520) 468-9066 ~ EquiBalanceCentred@fastmail.fm

USDF Rating - N/A	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Through Grand Prix	Board N
Lesson Horses N	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: German Riding medal, Licensed Bereiter (Germany), BHSAI (Talland Riding School, UK), Head instructor of the international section of St Georg Reiter Schule in Ramstein, Germany (3 years), Certification in Equine biomechanics, horsemanship, and in-hand work to help educate riders and develop their relationship with their horses, also in-hand development of the correct biomechanics in the horse to make piaffe, passage more fluid and increase strength correctly.



Chandler-Brown, Catherine

Columella Equine ~ Scottsdale, Cave Creek, Gilbert ~ (928) 231-9602 ~ thekitcat86@gmail.com ~ www.columellaarts.com/ColumellaEquine.htm

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Beginner to FEI, All Breeds Welcome	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: Many Regional and State Awards, USDF All-Breeds Award, Top Year-End Awards with ADA. Quality training available in the Scottsdale area, will travel.



Clement, Colleen

Dressage in the Desert ~ 1915 W JC Ranch Road, Saint David, AZ 85630 ~ (520) 678-5081 ~ colleen@dressageinthedesert.com ~ <http://www.dressageinthedesert.com/>

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Beginner through FEI	Board Y with full training
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Teaching and training for over 40 years. School horses available to FEI. Also certified Professional Trainer with The Western Dressage Association

Cohn, Jenny

CC Farms ~ 7500 N. 181st Ave., Waddell, AZ 85355 ~ (623) 935-3267 ~ ccfarms3@aol.com ~ West Phoenix

USDF Rating - Qualified Rider, Bronze	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Through Fourth	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge L Graduate
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: Boarding, great footing, misters and fans, mirrors, great clinicians, work with many breeds and young horses.



Coomaraswamy, Aoife

Aslan Dressage ~ 2098 S Trekell Rd, Casa Grande, AZ 85193 ~ (917) 399-6441 ~ aslandressage@gmail.com ~ www.aslandressage.com

USDF Rating - Training to Grand Prix	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Intro to Fourth Level	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: True harmony between horse and rider developed from knowledgeable and supportive horsemanship.



Crail, Valerie

Ironwood Sport Horses ~ Pinnacle Vista and 44th Street, Cave Creek, AZ 85327 ~ (480) 585-5793 ~ (602) 919-3390 ~ vscrail@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Bronze	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge L Graduate & S Judge
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: FEI 1*/2* Eventing Judge, FEI Level 1 Eventing Steward ~ USEF 'S' Eventing TD- 'S' Eventing Dressage, Horsemaster and Instructor Certificate from Potomac Horse Center— 1968



DeCesari, Laura

Decesari Equestrian ~ Bandalero Ranch ~ 8526 E. Tanque Verde Road, Tucson, AZ 85749 ~ (520) 907-1927 ~ laura@decesariequestrian.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: 2010 NAJYRC Team Gold Medalist, National and Local awards, Young horse expertise, Covered arena with fans, Veterinarian on site 5x weekly, Aqua Conditioning Program

Doty, Kristy

Kemah Farms ~ 27213 N. 44th Street, Cave Creek, AZ 85331 ~ (623) 910-1782 ~ kristy@kemahfarms.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Young Horse-FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Beautiful and immaculate private facility with block barn, huge stalls and daily turnout



Eikel-Baughman, Nathalie

Feel Good Training ~ Baughman Ranch ~ 6630 W. Pinnacle Peak Rd ,Glendale, AZ 85310 ~ (480) 231-4587 ~ feelgoodriding@yahoo.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Intro through 4th Level	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge L Graduate*
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Awarded FN Bronze Medal for dressage and jumping and FN Silver Medal for jumping in Germany



Fahrenson, Scarlett

St. Georg Dressage and Schooling Barn ~ P.O. Box 1276, Sonoita, AZ 85637 ~ (520) 455-4751 ~ stgeorg@dakotacom.net

USDF Rating - Bronze/Silver/Silver Freestyle Bar	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: Master horse trainer and instructor FN (Germany) and FENA (Austria). German Bronze and Silver medals; showed and trained in Europe international dressage / show jumping / eventing. Instructions for students of all ages, all levels; training horses all breeds. Imports German dressage horses.



Hoffacker, Louise

Wind Horse Ranch ~ 6914 E Continental Mtn Rd, Cave Creek, AZ 85331 ~ 2nd location: 6521 N.65th Pl., Scottsdale, AZ ~ (602) 568-2658~ louisehoffacker@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Beginner/Intro through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: In Equine business for 45+ years. Offer classical training to those interested in everything from Western to English to driving, combined training, endurance and gaited horses. Also offering Wind Horse Yoga specifically designed and developed for the Equestrian. Targeting strength through extension and somatic mind/body connection with the horse through the breath.

Irbinskas, Heather

Irbinskas Training Stables, Inc. ~ P.O. Box 40, Sonoita, AZ 85637 ~ Cell: (520) 444-2460 ~ snpbak@aol.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix	Board N
Lesson Horses N	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y



Jackson, Cyndi

To The Max Dressage ~ Chaparosa Ranch, Scottsdale, AZ ~ (602) 689-0952 ~ cynditothemax@gmail.com ~ www.tothemaxdressage.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through GP	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge L Graduate with Distinction
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel By arrangement	CPR N

Other: Have won many ADA, state and regional awards and championships at various levels, and attended three national championships (FEI Young Horse and Festival of Champions). Have trained with Christine Traurig, Steffen Peters, Charlotte Bredahl-Baker, and other US Team members . Graduated from the L Program with distinction. Have coached Junior/Young Riders, and helped numerous riders attain their USDF Bronze, Silver and Gold medals.



Jolliffe, Laurie

Blue Banner ~ 10124 N Sawgrass Dr, Oro Valley, AZ 85737 ~ (215) 771-2816 ~ exceldressage@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training/Novice through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: Grand Prix school horse available for lessons and one 4th level horse available for lessons.



Kemp, Terri

Five Star Farm ~ 34845 N 3rd Street, Phoenix, AZ 85086 ~ (480) 221-9510 ~ fivestarfarm@yahoo.com

USDF Rating - Bronze	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Beginner through 4th Level	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge 'S'
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: US Eventing Bronze, Silver and Gold, 'S' Event Judge and TD. Long-listed 1996 Olympics, Atlanta.



Krajenke, Tracey K.

Equus Dressage LLC ~ El Samaritano Equestrian Center ~ 28345 N 84th Street, Scottsdale, AZ ~ (602) 793-5838 (Cell) ~ Krajenkes@cox.net ~ www.equusdressage.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Winner of multiple USDF/USEF and Arizona Dressage Association awards. Four time MDA medal winner in the Midwest. 2002 ADA Rider of the Year. 2004 recipient of the Cameo FEI Award. Has experience and was a coach at NAJYRC. Also competes and coaches at Arabian and Andalusion-PRE, Lusitano Breed shows. Please go to equusdressage.com for more information.



Kruglick, Janice

Twin Acres School of Riding ~ 6407 E. Cactus Rd, Scottsdale, AZ 85254 ~ School (602) 867-2215 ~ (602) 309-8953 ~ ridetwinacres@aol.com ~ www.twinacresriding.com

USDF Rating - Qualified Rider	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Through Fourth Level	Board Y with Training
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: British Horse Instructor



McKee, Bobbie Lynn

Bobbie Lynn Dressage ~ Bellissima Ranch ~ 38232 N. 29th Ave, Phoenix, AZ 85086 ~ (602) 826-9923 ~ bldressage@yahoo.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver Medal Bellissima Ranch	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: 2006 NAYRC Gold and Silver Medalist, and several local and national awards



Paglia, Paula

Paula Paglia Dressage ~ 29292 N 78th Street, Scottsdale, AZ ~ 2nd location: El Samaritano ~ N 84th St., Scottsdale, AZ ~ (480) 695-4581 ~ pagliawest@gmail.com ~ www.PaulaPagliaDressage.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold Medal	Clinic Y
Level Training - Through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Have trained young riders on Bronze, Silver and Gold medal teams. Available for European shopping trips.

Parker, Jennifer

Agape Dressage ~ Milagro Riding Club, 9045 N. Verch Way, Tucson 85704 ~ Willow Woods, 3312 N. Riverbend Circle East, Tucson 85750 ~ (520) 539-9293 ~ jpagape@comcast.net

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge L Graduate with Distinction
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: Numerous wins at Regionals and National Championships, coached at NAJYRC, trained several riders to their USDF Bronze, Silver and Gold USDF medals



Patterson-Blaylock, Shari

Patterson Training LLC ~ Patterson Farms: 272 S. Sprague Dr., Star Valley, AZ 85541 ~ (928) 978-4478 (m) ~ (928) 474-1732 (h) fireponies@gmail.com ~ www.pattersonfarmsinc.com

USDF Rating - Bronze and Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training to FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: BS in Equine Science from Colorado State University. Sales in dressage horses and hunter/jumpers.



Rector, Shirley

Nag's Head Farm ~ 7300 N Snow Bowl Rd, Flagstaff, AZ 86001 ~ (602) 708-1068 ~ AZDRider@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Gold	Clinic: Y
Training Levels - Beginner through GP	Board : Y
Lesson Horses: Y	Judge: Y
Covered Arena: N	Show: Y
Travel: Y	CPR: N

Other: "S" Judge; Long listed for Olympics and Pan Am Games, Former Int II National Champion.



Rehberg-Sparks, Ulrike "Gina"

High Mountain Dressage ~ Prescott (Williamson Valley) ~ 9900 N. Goldings Way, Prescott, AZ 86305 ~ (928) 533-3693 Gina@HighMountainDressage.com ~ www.HighMountainDressage.com

USDF Rating - Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: A+ boarding and dressage training facility.



Riddell, Wendy

Ride-N-Rock Ranch ~ Paradise Valley, AZ 85250 ~ (602) 616-8771 ~ wr@ridenrockranch.com

USDF Rating: Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic: Y
Level Train: Beginner through Grand Prix	Board : N
Lesson Horses: N	Judge: N
Covered Arena: N	Show: Y
Travel: Y	CPR: Y

Other: Small private dressage barn in the Arcadia/Paradise Valley area specializing in dressage. Also home of Zony Pony Club for kids!



Rogers, Beverly

Beverly Rogers Dressage ~ Bellisima Ranch ~ 29211 N. 53rd St. Cave Creek, AZ 85331 ~ (480) 363-8327 (m)

blrnutsie@aol.com	
USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge 'S'
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR N

Other: USEF 'S' Dressage Judge



Sarno, Alice

Desert Sport Horse, LLC at Carefree Farms ~ 36412 N. 7th Ave, Phoenix AZ 85086 ~ (602) 501-4697 ~ desertsporthorse@gmail.com www.alicesarno.com and www.carefreefarms.net

USDF Rating -	Clinic Y
Training Levels - USEA Level III Eventing	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: USEA Level III Certified Instructor, @ Carefree Farms. Eventing, Dressage, Jumpers, Hunters, Cross Country



Schmitz, Ulrich

Central Arizona Riding Academy ~ 41655 N. Kenworthy Rd, San Tan Valley, AZ 85140 ~ (480) 580-0634 ~

dvschmitz@msn.com	
USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Beginner through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge FEI 'I' Event and 'R' Sport Horse , USEF 'S' Dressage
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel N	CPR Y

Other: German Riding Medal; FEI (I) Judge in Eventing; trained USDF Young Riders; USEF 'R' Sporthorse Judge, USEF 'S' Dressage



Schreiber, Cathy

Blue Banner Farm ~ 655 W. Calle Concordia, Tucson, AZ 85704 ~ (520) 272-3355 ~ cmlagrodressage@aol.com

USDF Rating - Bronze

Clinic Y

Training Levels - Through Third3

Board Y

Lesson Horses Y

Judge N—Audited L Program 2 times

Covered Arena N

Show Y

Travel Y

CPR Y

Other: BA, BHSAI, USPC Graduate A., TEAM Practitioner, PATH Int'l Certified Instructor, www.CathysRidingInstructionandTraining.com



Sloan, Joanna

Joanna Sloan Dressage ~ Rancho Decano, Scottsdale, AZ ~ (480) 773-5677 ~ jsloanhorsetraining@hotmail.com ~

www.JoannaSloanDressage.com

USDF Rating - Silver

Clinic Y

Training Levels - Training through FEI

Board Y

Lesson Horses Y

Judge N

Covered Arena Y

Show Y

Travel Y

CPR Y

Other: Compassionate and effective training focused on advancing horses while preserving their naturally pleasant, inquisitive and playful nature.



Sodowsky, Julie

Julie Sodowsky Dressage ~ Winter Rose Equestrian Center, 6740 E. Jomax Rd., Scottsdale 85266 ~ (602) 363-0664 ~

jsodowsky@cox.net ~ www.juliesodowskydressage.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold

Clinic Y

Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix

Board Y

Lesson Horses N

Judge 'R' Dressage Judge

Covered Arena N

Show Y

Travel N

CPR N

USEF Licensed Official USEF R Dressage Judge

Other: Has placed 28 times in USDF Horse of Year Awards and placed over 100 times in USDF All Breeds Awards.

Trained and shown Canadian and US National Champion Arabs, and multiple Regional Champions.



Stine-Masek, Eleanor

Rancho Del Corazon ~ 16075 W. Silverbell Rd, Marana, AZ 85653 ~ Tucson and Phoenix Metro by appointment

(520) 405-8886 (m) ~ esmranhdq55@gmail.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold!

Clinic Y

Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix

Board N

Lesson Horses Y

Judge S Senior Dressage Judge

Covered Arena N

Show Y

Travel Y

CPR Y

Other: Tucson area barns; Phoenix and Scottsdale by appointment. Horsemanship clinics for all disciplines

Torres, Juan Lopez

Winter Rose Equestrian Center, 6740 E. Jomax Rd., Scottsdale 85266 ~ (602) 363-4771 ~ juanlopeztorres@cox.net ~ www.juliesodowskydressage.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge N
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Specializes in improving rider position. Shows Irish Draughts and Baroque breeds. Also Shows Sport Horses in hand.



Vlatten-Schmitz, Dorie

Central Arizona Riding Academy ~ 41655 N. Kenworthy Rd, San Tan Valley, AZ 85140 ~ (480) 580-0634 ~ dvschmitz@msn.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge 'S'
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y

Other: Bachelor of Science in Agriculture; trained USDF Young Riders; awarded USET Asmis Grant; trained in Germany with 5 time German Champion Herbert Rehbein.



Whittington, Lois

Lois Whittington Dressage ~ (480) 585-7226 (home) ~ (480) 510-3628 (cell) ~ whittingtonla@aol.com ~ www.loiswhittingtondressage.com

USDF Rating - Silver	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through FEI	Board Y
Lesson Horses Y	Judge L
Covered Arena N	Show Y
Travel Y	CPR Y



Yacobucci, Kim

Horseshoe Springs, Inc. ~ 28635 N. 53rd Street, Cave Creek, AZ 85331 ~ cell (602) 370-4039 ~ kjihss@aol.com

USDF Rating - Bronze, Silver, Gold	Clinic Y
Training Levels - Training through Grand Prix	Board Y
Lesson Horses N	Judge N
Covered Arena Y	Show Y
Travel N	CPR N

Other: Has won many state, regional and national awards.