



FLORIDA HORSE TRIALS ASSOC., INC.
SPRING EVENT CAMP 2018
March 23-25, 2018



**LOCATION: The Oaks Equestrian Center, 211 SW Theodore O'Connor Cr,
Lake City, FL**

Who should attend?

1. Riders of all ages who are interested in learning about the sport of eventing or advancing their eventing skills.
2. Participants must be FHTA members. Dues are \$20 per year and can be paid along with Camp fees (see entry form).
3. No eventing experience required! However, riders should be comfortable jumping small jumps, especially if bringing an inexperienced horse. This is not for riders who have *never* jumped.
4. Camp will focus on skills needed for each phase of eventing (dressage, cross country riding, stadium jumping), with a focus on competitive skills, rules, etiquette, and horsemanship, as well as what to expect at your first event.

What happens at Camp?

Mounted sessions: Groups, of 5 rider/horse pairs of similar experience, will participate in 3 mounted sessions, each one focusing on one phase of eventing, led by experienced instructors. This year, we welcome Mikaila Herold (dressage), Henriette Borst (stadium jumping), Janet Andrews (cross country), Chris Cox (green beans)!

Other activities: Friday evening Welcome Social, with pizza, snacks and wine. Meals for riders, volunteers and instructors will allow time for socializing and posing questions to our experts and guest speakers. Guest meal plans available.

Tentative Schedule

Friday: Check in starts at 3:00. Campers will sign waivers and get stall assignments. First Bedding is provided. Welcome Pizza Party at 5-6pm.

Saturday: Breakfast in the clubhouse (8-9:30 am) for introduction of instructors and directions to riding areas. Riding session I (10-11:30 am). Lunch (12:30-2:00 pm). Riding session II (2:30 -4:00 pm). Catered BBQ dinner (6-8 pm).

Sunday: Breakfast (8-9:00 am). Mounted Photo session 9:15 am SHARP! Riding session III (9:20-11 am). Lunch (12:00 – 1:30). **Stalls must be stripped at end of Camp.** FHTA members are always considerate guests who leave the barn as clean, or cleaner, than we found it, so we will be asked back again!



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*Entries must **NOT** be postmarked **BEFORE March 6** (Opening Date). Refunds given if there is a wait list for your group. Entries without payment will not be accepted.

Mail completed entry form and stall deposit checks **payable to FHTA, Inc.** to:
 FHTA 2018 Event Camp c/o Carol Ogden 7608 SW 42nd Place, Lake Butler, FL 32054

Rider's Name: _____ Horse's Name: _____

Address: _____

Best Contact Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Age: Jr. Sr. Special Dietary Requirements: _____

Experience Level: Greenbean (horse has little jumping exp.; rider comfortable over small jumps)

Ready to jump 2'0" – 2'3" Ready to jump 2'6"-2'9" Ready to jump 3'

Briefly describe you and your horse's experience: _____

*****Important Safety Information:** Riders must wear certified helmets whenever mounted. Riders must carry emergency medical information card while jumping and safety vests for cross country. FREE Medical download: <http://useventing.com/news/medical-armband-card> Cards can be placed in armband or pinned to sleeve. I need to borrow a vest (state size)

Emergency Contact name & number: _____

Fees: (includes instruction, stabling, grounds fee, meals) **Camp is for FHTA members only.** Non-members can download membership form and including appropriate fees (\$20/rider, \$5/horse).

<http://www.floridahorsetrialsassn.com/become-a-member/>

A Stall Deposit check is required and will be returned Sunday upon verification of clean stall.

WARNING: Under Florida law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

For and in consideration of the above activities and entry fees paid, Participant hereby does forever and finally release, acquit, satisfy and forever discharge FHTA, Inc., Event Camp instructors, volunteers, landowners and any other person involved with FHTA, Inc., of and from all manner of actions, suit, debts, sums of money, bonds, billings, contracts, damages, variances, judgments, executions, claims, and demands whatsoever, in law or in equity, which may arise for or against FHTA, Inc. or any person associated with FHTA, Inc. for the activities stated above. Participant accepts all responsibility for any damages incurred by participant, horses, dogs, riders, attendants, vehicles, or equipment accompanying participant. This document, signed voluntarily, is a full and complete release from any and all liability that may arise from this activity and remains in existence for the duration of the activity.

Camp Fee	\$150
Guest meal plans (\$25 each)	\$ _____
Annual Membership (\$20/rider; \$5/horse) (Circle: New or Renewal)	\$ _____
Total Fees:	\$ _____
***Refundable Stall Deposit check	\$ 25

Rider Signature _____
 (or legal guardian if under 18yrs)