



Ringing in 2011...hoping for a year of big and wonderful changes...stay tuned.

### **Out with the old and in with the New!**

Sadly we say goodbye to rider, Abby Hudson, and horse, Sara. Abby's dad got a new job out of state and they will be moving. The good news is that Abby's mom found a therapeutic riding center for her to continue her riding. We will greatly miss Abby, but I am happy for her family. Sara has gone back home to her owner, Michelle. It was a treasure having Sara as part of the program and we hope to see her again in the future.

It is time once again to get ready for another lesson season. Rider packets are being prepared and will be sent out soon. The anticipated start date is March 20, 2011.

Please check the website to keep on top of important rider information.

Things are moving along well at South Park. We are still seeking that Washington area farm, hopefully we will find a farm.

### **Spotlight**

This edition's Spotlight is on....

Our volunteers...we could not have a program without these dedicated individuals. Every person who lends a hand helps to continue to ensure a future for our program. The volunteers help in so many ways, mostly with lessons and taking care of the horses. So thank you to all of the volunteers who participated in our program during the 2010 season, whether it was one lesson or all of the lessons, your time was greatly appreciated. I sincerely hope to see everyone again during 2011.

### **Fundraising News**

Ansys Tickets for Charity – we will again be participating in the Mylan Classic Tickets for Charity Program. You may order tickets from the fundraising tab of our website. We will receive the entire cost of your tickets. Every ticket sold and allocated to In-Stride is one more lesson for a child that may not otherwise have been able to afford to take one. What do you get for your \$25 ground pass ticket? Entrance into the Mylan Classic for the entire week, clinics, special events and the concerts (Country Star Craig Morgan

is expected to perform – will confirm at a later time). If you would like access to the club house, you can purchase a clubhouse ticket for \$50, this give you access to the above plus the clubhouse. There is a discount for purchasing a 10 pack of tickets.

We are hoping to get a submission into the Pepsi Refresh Project this year. The program begins in March – please watch for more information and cast your vote.

Also, please watch for more information regarding Chase’s giving program.



### **Reflections from the director....**

Horses help us to bring out our best selves...

### **Volunteer News:**

Stay tuned for more information about Volunteer Training day!

As Always volunteers are needed for more information contact [instride@hotmail.com](mailto:instride@hotmail.com)

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