



## 2012 ISSO Weekend

March 30 – April 1 in North East, MD

### Friday, March 30, 2012

2:00 – 4:00 PM	Saddle fitting and flocking Fairwinds Farm
4:00 – 5:30 PM	Board Meeting Best Western
6:30 – 9:00 PM	Light supper social & tack exchange Stretching and core strengthening workshop Best Western

### Saturday, March 31, 2012

9:00 – 12:00 Noon	Presentations and Tack Exchange Best Western
9:00 – 9:30 AM	Tying a stock tie – Kit Roszko
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Steam cleaning an antique habit – Joan Farwell
10:00 – 10:30 AM	Musical Free-style rides – Mary-Anne Ost
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Side Saddle Trivia – Anne Moss
11:00 AM - Noon	Lunch and travel to Fairwinds Farm
12:00 Noon – 1:00 PM	Side Saddle Types and Fitting - Linda Flemmer Fairwinds Farm
12:00 – 1:00 PM	Instructor's Certification Written Exam Best Western
1:00 – 4:30 PM	Lessons and saddle fitting Fairwinds Farm
6:30 – 10:00 PM	ISSO Awards Banquet Chesapeake Bay Golf Club

### Sunday, April 1, 2012

9:00 – 10:30 AM	Annual Membership Meeting and Continental breakfast Best Western
10:30 – 11:00 AM	Take down tables and travel to Fairwinds Farm
11:00 – 3:00 PM	Lessons by appointment Fairwinds Farm

Hotel: Best Western North East Inn, \$79/night + tax  
39 Elwoods Road, North East, MD 21901 410-287-5450

Farm: Fairwinds Farm, 41 Tailwinds Lane, North East, MD 21901  
Stall reservations available through ISSO

The annual **Awards Banquet** will again be at the Chesapeake Bay Golf Club (128 Karen Drive, Rising Sun, MD 21911). Buffet menu includes roast beef, lasagna, salad, chocolate mousse cake, and a cash bar. To honor our award recipients, cocktail attire or above, please.

ISSO is conducting **Side Saddle Instructor Certifications** during the weekend. Please contact [info@sidesaddle.com](mailto:info@sidesaddle.com) or 918-683-0539 for more information. Riders may be offered the opportunity to ride in the candidates' demonstration lessons for a minimal fee.

# 2012 ISSO Weekend Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred contact method (circle one): phone    email

Aside Riding level (circle one): first time    w/t/c 2'6"-/beg lateral    2'6"+/adv flatwork

Discipline (i.e. hunters, dressage, western pleasure, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

I need a saddle (circle one): yes\*    no

	ISSO member rate	Non-member rate	Quantity	total
Rider*	\$125	\$185		
Auditor	\$35	\$45		
Sunday Lesson	\$75	\$115		
Stall (incl bedding)	\$25	\$30		
Instructor Cert	\$150	n/a		
Awards Banquet	\$45 (\$25 10&under)	\$45 (\$25 10&under)		
Raffle tickets	\$2/1 or \$20/12	\$2/1 or \$20/12		
ISSO membership	\$35	\$35		
			total	

**Auditor** includes Sat. morning sessions, ringside viewing of all mounted sessions, and Sat. lunch. **Rider** includes Sat. morning sessions, approx 60-minute mounted lesson in a group not to exceed 4, Sat. lunch, and saddle fitting fee of \$25. **Sunday lessons** are approx 45 minutes in a group not to exceed 4. Groups arranged by rider ability. All riders must wear approved safety helmets and heeled boots. All equines must have proof of negative Coggins. Dogs and other pets should remain home, or must be leashed or kenneled at all times. Participation in this event earns ISSO non-competitive points.

**Get Your Raffle Tickets!!** All ticket sales directly support our mission of educating people about riding aside. The drawing is at the Awards Banquet, but you need not be present to win! Prizes include books, grooming supplies, antique sidesaddle print, [ISSO is a charitable 501(c)(3) organization, as determined by the IRS. If you are interested in donating to ISSO, either to the raffle or another way, please contact us at [info@sidesaddle.com](mailto:info@sidesaddle.com) or 918-683-0539.]

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\* Proper saddle fit is vital for the safety and success of both horse and rider. For riders with a saddle, the fitting fee is refundable if the horse/saddle pass a mandatory pre-lesson saddle fit check performed by an ISSO fitter without alterations to saddle or padding. If the horse/saddle does not pass, assistance and materials are available to make alterations if possible. NO GUARANTEE is made that an appropriate saddle will be available, though ISSO will make its best effort. If no appropriate saddle is available, ISSO will refund the difference between the auditor and rider fees, less a \$25 saddle fitting fee.

The instructor reserves the right to dismiss any horse at any time for reasons including safety, soundness, or saddle fit. Please ensure your horse is fit to carry a side saddle for at least 60 minutes.