

Thank you for your tireless work!

Derith Vogt

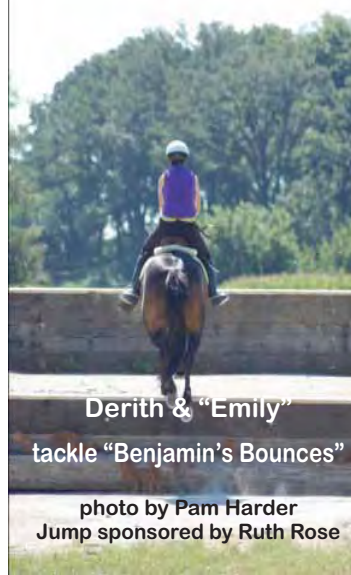
Catalpa Corner Charity Horse Trials was delighted to nominate Derith Vogt, Center Junction, IA, for **Area IV Volunteer of the Year**. CCCHT nominated Ms. Vogt for her skill, generosity, and equestrian fortitude. Although she was not selected for this specific award, Ms. Vogt **was** recognized by the Area IV Council with a lovely certificate acknowledging her commitment to the sport. We thank Region IV for their consideration of this kind and deserving person.

Additionally, Derith Vogt was chosen as the **Catalpa Corner Charity Horse Trials "Volunteer of the Year"** and was awarded scholarship funds to attend an Area IV clinic.

Congratulations, Derith!

We have known Derith for just a few years, but in this short time she has blessed our house, barns and event fields with energy, intellect and generosity.

Derith is an unusually dedicated and talented equine photographer and will stalk a rider and horse around a dressage ring, stadium course, or streak across an event field, capturing both the difficulty and jubilation of the sport for eventers. Many a rider will learn from her photographs, and



thus she not only captures priceless memories, but provides technical feedback for the eventing pair.

For this past year, she has donated the sales and profits from ALL her photographs from schooling shows, clinics, and recognized horse trials to our fledgling Catalpa Corner, raising hundreds of dollars for our jump-building fund.

Derith is also a tireless volunteer for our local and recognized shows, and can function in any capacity from the very mundane to the pinnacle of sophistication needed for a recognized horse trial show secretary. She has a wealth of experience that is truly calming during the typical organizational chaos.

As a horse owner, Derith has donated the use of her lovely and talented horses to the betterment of myriad Area IV young riders. She provides not only the horse flesh, but also carries the financial burden, which is so often unrecognized. Most importantly, Derith placed her OWN boots in the stirrups this fall, and was the blue ribbon leader of the victory lap, sporting the biggest smile imaginable.

Thank you Derith--for EVERYTHING!