

UNSUNG HEROES

Of The Industry

BELLE



HOW DID BELLE BECOME A PART OF YOUR LESSON PROGRAM?

She came to us when she was two years old to get started. We broke her and showed her for owner and breeder Christine Clapp.

DESCRIBE A TYPICAL WEEK IN THE LIFE OF BELLE:

She subcontracts out her lessons and gives them to the underlings in the barn. She will consent to do three or four lessons a week but not for the "Itty Bittys." She needs a higher skill level than that.

WHAT ARE HER GREATEST ATTRIBUTES FOR BEING AN UNSUNG HERO IN YOUR PROGRAM?

She is the horse we use to get riders to the show ring for the first time. She shows them the ropes and in 2020 she won her first world championship with an eight and under rider. When in doubt she'll get it done. She gives confidence to the kids who get to ride her and/or show her.

ANY OTHER COMMENTS?

She is never naughty and never crazy. She's gotten so many riders in the show ring for the first time and has proven her worth over and over again.

HOME BARN
Gerry Rushton Stables

TRAINERS
Gerry Rushton and
Stacy Hennessy

REGISTERED NAME
PFF Francesca

BREEDING
Futurity French
Command x Boxford
Beloved

AGE

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