

# JAY DUKE

## Equestrian

Clinics & Course Design



## Learn To Ride *and Think* as Jay Duke Kicks Off 2018/2019 Winter Clinic Series!

"I truly enjoy working with riders and horses at every level of training because the basic principles of correct riding are the same whether you are a beginner or training for competition," said Canadian Equestrian Team veteran and renowned jumping clinician Jay Duke. "Seeing improvement at every level is what is important, and I hope to help riders achieve just that with their horses, no matter what their end goal is."

Jay will soon kick off his winter 2018/2019 clinic series tour on the west coasts of Canada and the U.S., and riders won't want to miss a chance to take advantage of learning from this popular clinician.



With a 30-year riding and training resume, Jay competed at the top level of show jumping, including Nations' Cup appearances throughout North America. Additionally, he developed a reputation for developing young horses from the ground up. Jay, who retired from the show ring in 2014 to focus on teaching and course designing, draws on that experience to share a lifetime's worth of knowledge with up-and-coming riders, as well as those simply wishing to add a little polish to their equitation or riding routines.

Jay Duke clinics focus on safe and effective riding that showcases both horse and rider in the best way. Jay evaluates all aspects, including tack, equitation, style, and form before digging into his library of flat and jumping exercises that are guaranteed to result in improvement.

Getting underway in Prince George, British Columbia, Canada, Jay will spend the weekend of December 8-9 at **Rosenol Sport Horses** for a competition-focused clinic. Contact clinic organizer **Lana Smith** at [lana-smith@live.ca](mailto:lana-smith@live.ca) for more information or to participate.

*"The thing that sets Jay apart from other clinicians is that he doesn't only teach you to ride, he teaches you to think. He comes up with exercises that, through repetition, help the rider to feel and develop the individual skill for which each exercise is designed to teach. The rider learns to react properly and ride effectively without harsh criticism. You know you have gotten the correct result when you have success in that exercise. Jay's 'philosophy' as I call it, teaches his students to be logical, reasonable, and effective. Green horses develop skills and patience without having to 'school,' and broke horses get sharper and more relaxed at the same time. I honestly don't know how I ever rode before I started in his program."*

~ Lana Smith, Rosenol Performance Horses

On December 16, Jay will continue on to Ardrossan, Alberta, Canada, to conduct his second clinic at **Ash-Bren Equine Ltd.**, this year. Clinic organizer **Nicole Herreros** can be reached at [ashbrenequine@hotmail.com](mailto:ashbrenequine@hotmail.com).

**Ridge View Equestrian** will celebrate the new year with a hunter/jumper-focused clinic in Okotoks, Alberta, Canada, from January 5-6. Clinic organizers can be reached at [ridgeviewec@gmail.com](mailto:ridgeviewec@gmail.com).

Continuing on to the United States, **Noble Jumpers** in Snohomish, Washington, will host Jay from January 19-20. Contact clinic organizer **Courtney Palmer** at [JuniorJumper1@gmail.com](mailto:JuniorJumper1@gmail.com).

Jay will then visit Billings, Montana, to focus on the show jumping phase of eventing at **High Plains Stables**, home of 3' event rider Martha McDowell. Contact [marthatmcd@gmail.com](mailto:marthatmcd@gmail.com) with clinic inquiries.

Jay concludes his winter schedule from February 8-10 at **Rose Bush Equestrian Center** in Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta, Canada. Clinic organizer **Kayla Bushell** can be reached at [rosebushequineservices@hotmail.com](mailto:rosebushequineservices@hotmail.com).

## Spring 2019 clinic dates now available!

Jay's Spring 2019 schedule is booking up fast! There are only a few openings left for clinics throughout North America.

A range of packages are available, from single to four-day sessions, featuring training that draws on three decades of experience. Each clinic includes a sampling of Jay's extensive library of flat, gymnastic, and jumping exercises.

With extensive first-hand knowledge of the jumping discipline, Jay customizes his clinics to meet the needs of any level horse and rider.



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