Ben will show the elements of a good foundation, including body control and softness. He will review a few basic exercises designed to build and improve softness and control of the shoulders and hindquarters. Ben will then go on to show how to use this foundation to work towards lateral movements like side-passing, two-tracking, and counter-bending. He also hopes to perform a bridleless ride.

9-10 Beyond Basic Groundwork

Does your horse already know the basics on the ground? Get started with intermediate groundwork exercises designed to build your horse's focus and balance, while you build more control over his feet.

10-11 Riding Patterns

Different riding patterns will be set up with barrels, poles and cones that will test your horse's softness, steering and body control. At each pattern we will go over how to prepare for the pattern, riding the pattern, and how it can advance our horses.

11-12 Group Riding Exercises

Many riders experience problems in a group that they do not when riding solo. Through a variety of group exercises we will work on keeping a horse focused on the rider, and solving problems like racing to the front of the line, refusing to stop, refusing to stand still, etc.

Sign up for a clinic under “2016 CT Horse Symposium” at:

http://animalscience.uconn.edu/horseSymp/HorseSymposium.php

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Registration Form – Ben Wallace Clinics

Name: __________________________________________________________________________

Address: ________________________________________________________________________

Telephone: ___________________________ Fax: ______________________________

Email: __________________________________________________________________________

What You Would Like to Learn ____________________________________________________________________________________________

Session:

___Beyond Basic Groundwork

___Riding Patterns

___Group Riding Exercises

Amount included (please make check payable to University of Connecticut)

___$50 for riding in a session using your own horse, $35 for age 9-18, senior citizens

___$25 UConn students using their own horse

___$40 UConn student in practicum using a UConn horse

Name of Horse Requested (list more than one choice): _________________________________

___$70 ride in session using a UConn horse, not a rider in the Horse Practicum, must be able to walk,

trot, canter in control and sign a release form

___ $20 audit the entire day

___$10 audit B. Wallace only

___$10 for age 9-18, 4-H leaders/members; UConn students; youth groups, senior citizens

___ Total Amount Included

Equine Health Form for Visiting and Donated Horses must be completed and brought with you that
day including negative Coggins, a veterinary certificate if out of state, rabies within 1 yr – 28 days
prior, Eastern/Western/West Nile Virus/Tetanus/Flu/Rhino within 1 year and a 3 day temperature
log. You will not be allowed to unload your horse until we receive this paperwork.

ASTM/SEI approved helmets required for all participants as per UConn Horse Barn rules.

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4375 or email jenifer.nadeau@uconn.edu. Must be received by 3/1/16.

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