



Coventry Equestrian Center

KRISTIN HERMANN

presents

Mastering the Mind

Introductory Clinic
March 26, 2017
9:00AM - 3PM

This 1 day clinic will introduce the Clinton Anderson Fundamental Groundwork method. You will learn the basics to “master” your horse’s mind.

The goal is to develop a safe, soft and respectful horse from the ground up.
The method works for any breed and discipline.

The clinic will begin by taking some time to understand the psychology of the horse and the philosophy of the method, this will be a lecture held in the lounge.

The next step will be introducing the tools and how to use them required for groundwork. These tools include the rope halters, lead ropes, and sticks with string. Tools will be provided for this session. Tools will also be available for purchase at the clinic.

The next step will be to demonstrate basic round pen objectives. We will do this in two ways: with a trained horse and then take a volunteer horse to show the process from the beginning.

After a lunch break we will start to work with the horses on basic exercises such as desensitization to Lead rope and stick & string, yielding the hindquarters, backing up and flexing. It is designed to gain the respect and leadership of the horse. We will demonstrate other exercises with a trained horse.

This workshop will be held at Coventry Equestrian Center, 452 Old Hickory Road, Washington PA, 15301. Please contact Kristin Hermann at 724-206-9902 for directions. Please contact Tami Heckman at 724-433-9505 for questions about the workshop and to reserve a spot. Preregistration is mandatory for participation.

There is a maximum of 10 participants. Participants will have hands on experience with their own horse or a demonstration horse. Auditing is also encouraged. Fee for participating is \$65, lunch is included. Auditing fee is \$15 or \$20 for 2 people.

Checks made payable to: Tamera Heckman. Mail to: 546 Fennel town Road, New Alexandria, PA 15670
Lunch provided for participants and pre-paid auditors. \$5 extra for auditors paying at the door.



Scott Downs, presenter, started using the Clinton Anderson method in 2007. He completed both the Fundamental and Intermediate level. He spent two years touring the country with Clinton as a member of the road crew for his Walkabout tours. Scott has been able to use his skill and knowledge of the method to start colts successfully under saddle. He has taught the technique in multiple venues and clinics. His goal to encourage horse owners to deepen their understanding and expectations of the relationship with their horse through knowledge.



Glenn Robison has had a love for horses from a young age. It wasn't until his early 20's that he was able to pursue his dream and own horses. Approximately six years ago, his daughter needed help with a young horse she owned and was starting to train. Glenn reached out to high school friend Scott Downs for help. He since has become a serious student of the Clinton Anderson Horsemanship program and works with Scott at many clinics. Glenn has used his 30+ years of horse experience to serve as the Vice-president of Second Chance Equine Association for the last two years and has been a member of the board of directors for four.