



**Presents**

**The Art of Longeing and Long Lining**

**Monday April 23, 2018 ~ 6:00 pm**

**Justamere Pony Farm**

**258 North Street, Ridgefield, CT**

**Registration ~ 5:00 pm ~ Refreshments**

**\$25 for Nonprofessional PHA Members**

**Guest Speaker: Barbara Kivell Filippelli**

Barbara is the owner and trainer of Valley Pond Farm which presently resides at Kirby Hill Farm in Pawling, NY. She started riding 48 years ago as a lesson kid at Saddletree Farm in Bronxville NY, now Twin Lakes Farm. She has been a professional trainer for 37 years and loves every minute of it! Barb has qualified many of her students for indoor finals. She likes to work on addressing the mental and emotional side of riding. Barb has the ability to teach students to be confident and effective riders both on and off the horse. **"Getting down to and sorting out the multi layered reasons of the "why" in a problem is what interests me."**

She maintains a fun atmosphere while educating her students on every aspect of riding.

Barb is a former Vet Tech from New England Equine Practice. She currently conducts bone scans for NEEP which has even furthered her education and understanding of these wonderful animals.

Barb has been an "R" licensed Hunter/Jumper/Equitation judge since 1991 and fully enjoys the judge's box! **"My other passion is judging. I absolutely love it and there is no greater honor."**

She is also on the Board of Director's for the National Professional Horseman's Association, PHA.

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