

**representative Jim Ward** who discussed proper equine nutrition, as well as **R rated judge** and experienced horsewoman, **Dawn Casey**. Dawn taught trailer safety which included a hands-on course in the proper way to change a trailer tire. It was an enjoyable and fun week for participants with two riders being recommended for the national competition in November.

**Longwood Farm South** in Ocala, Florida is continuing to grow after all these years. Once the premier training facility for eventers and the USET, Longwood has added a huge Grand Prix ring, a hunter derby field, and soon to be finished a polo field! The facility hosts all kinds of horse competitions and is a great place to visit for both you and your horse. Check out **Longwood Farm South** when you can, with that big of an expansion it has to be quite a site!

**Kelly Lube** has opened a new barn, **Golden Lane Farms, LLC** in **Orlando, Florida**. Good luck Kelly! We already love your son, **Jack Lube**, the winner of our 2013 *Sidelines* Magazine Winter Equestrian Festival Exclusive Showing Vacation contest – so we know we will love your new barn, too!


Congratulations to **Annie Bolling** of Alabama, who won the *Sidelines* Magazine “Design A Hunter Derby Course” at the **Charleston Summer Classic Horse Show**. Annie designed the course and helped build it, along with the show’s official course designer **Allen Rheinheimer**. She also watched the riders compete over the course she designed. How cool is that! This is Annie and her horse **Ofrenda**.



**Ashley Fleischhacker** and **Sharn Wordley** are getting married – which is why Ashley was spotted in New York City trying on **Vera Wang** wedding dresses. We can’t wait to see the beautiful bride!

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It’s the luck of the Irish, as Irish riders continue to dominate the Grand Prix in Lake Placid. This year, **Paul O’Shea** won the first week’s \$75,000 Equine Insurance Services/Great American Grand Prix of Lake Placid and **Kevin Babington** won the second week’s \$100,000 Woodlea Farms Grand Prix. Last year, **Darragh Kenny** won both Grand Prix, and in 2010 and 2011, the first week’s Grand Prix was won by Darragh and **Jonathan McCrea**, making it six wins for Irish riders in the last eight Grand Prix in Lake Placid! Maybe it’s that green grass field they ride on!

Speaking of the Grand Prix in Lake Placid, it was nice to see a couple of really well liked riders do well. **Heather Caristo Williams** was in the ribbons both weeks, coming in third the first week and eighth the second on Evening Star. **Hillary Simpson** finished sixth in the \$100,000 class on **Nopus Du Gue Joubert**. Way to go, girls!

Congratulations to **Ronan** and **Lisa McGuigan** on the birth of their new daughter. Baby **Zara** was born on July 7th. She  
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