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### **Green Mountain Horse Association Hires New Eventing Organizer**

*South Woodstock, VT (December 15, 2015):* The Green Mountain Horse Association is pleased to announce that Shelley Spielman will be taking the reins as our new Eventing Organizer. Shelley Spielman of Aiken, South Carolina, will lead the teams working on GMHA's three USEF/USEA sanctioned Horse Trials.

In her 26 year career, Shelley has organized hundreds of events ranging from schooling shows through CCI\*\*\* events. Her international experience includes serving as organizer for The Fork International CIC\*\*\*/\*\* Horse Trials, Florida Horse Park CIC\*\*/\*, Jersey Fresh CCI\*\*/\*, as well as having worked on the World Equestrian Games in Aachen and Jerez, and the Olympic Games in Athens. As President of Equestrian Events, LLC, Shelley currently organizes events for Kingfisher Park, Live Oak International, Tryon Hunt & Riding Club, Wellington Eventing Showcase, and Tryon International Equestrian Center.

"We are excited to bring Shelley to Vermont for our 2016 season," said GMHA Assistant Director Karey Waters. "She brings a wealth of national and international equestrian event experience to GMHA and has a great hands-on approach. We have a really strong team in place, and having Shelley as our leader will keep us moving forward."

*The Green Mountain Horse Association, founded in 1926, is a 65-acre equestrian facility in South Woodstock, Vermont. GMHA is a non-profit 501(3)(c) organization fully committed to serving five equine disciplines including: trail riding, hunter/jumpers, dressage, eventing and driving. With approximately 1,500 members, GMHA is a vital community of equestrian enthusiasts. Each event season contributes over \$4 million to the local economy. In addition to competitions and pleasure rides, GMHA offers many educational activities and is a leader in trail and open space preservation. Member support helps to ensure that GMHA will continue to exist for future generations and preserve its legacy in the equestrian community.*

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