F16- CHEROKEE NIGHT PROWLER SILVER WHISKERS AWARD APPLICATION (Perpetual Award sponsored by Cathy Couch)

Awards Deadline is December 1st

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- 1. The Cherokee Night Prowler Silver Whiskers Award is awarded to the Senior Horse, 20 years of age or older when submitted tests are ridden. Include validated copy of registration papers or Coggins.
- 2. Horse owner OR all riders must be SVDA members
- 3. The owner and/or riders must have 8 volunteer hours (collectively).
- 4. The Silver Whiskers horse with the highest average of 3 scores at schooling shows, licensed shows, or a combination of those may apply. This award is to honor the senior horse that loves to compete in traditional, western AND/OR gaited dressage.
- 5. Attach copies of all 3 tests' scores (schooling, sanctioned, and/or licensed shows) from any test level (can be multiple levels and multiple riders) from the current award year. The copy is the front of the completed test, which must include the name of the competition, name of test, date, judge, judge's signature, score, etc. If the judge's signature is not on the front, the rider must also copy the section that includes the signature.
- 6. Please attach verification of horse's age. Must be 20 years or older at time of each test submitted. Limitations:
 - *Musical freestyles, opportunity classes and rider test scores are not eligible
 - *The same horse can NOT win in consecutive years
 - *If no rider and horse (meeting the age requirement) apply, the award will not be issued that year.

Name:				lorse:			SVDA Member #:			
Division:	Open	Adult Amateur JR/			/YR (Date o	of Birth)				
Street Add	lress:				City:			State:	Zip:	
E-mail Add	dress:				Phone:				1	
Horse Size:		Pony	Cob	Horse	Draft					
Shirt Size:		SM	М	L	XL	XXL				
Have you completed your SVDA Volunteer Requirer				ments:	Yes	No				

Competition Level:

TEST	DATE	SHOW LOCATION	JUDGE	SCORE (%)
1.				
2.				
3.				

History: The Silver Whiskers award is in loving memory of Cherokee Night Prowler who came out of retirement at the age of 22 to teach an 11 year-old junior rider the basics of dressage. Despite his age and being blind in one eye, "Cherokee" loved competing and earned scores up to 77% and was awarded the title of Reserve Champion in both SVDA and VADA Introductory Jr/YR divisions against much younger horses with an average of over 70% for both titles. Sadly, "Cherokee" succumbed to a very aggressive cancer in July 2014 but he instilled the love of dressage so deeply in his junior rider that she has now devoted her riding career to dressage.

