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### 20 Year Old Rocks the Jumper Crowd-

## **Wonderful Walden Dances With Jumps**

*Cleveland, OH-* Wonderful Walden, a Pan Am Dressage Gold Medal winner and a top finisher in Grand Prix at the 2007 USEF Festival of Champions at Gladstone, headed for the grand prix *jumper* ring at the North Coast Jumper Classic in Cleveland, Ohio last week. Walden and his eleven-year dressage partner, Betsy Rebar Sell, rode in FEI grand prix style *around* the grand prix jumps for a special exhibition at the show.

Walden's musical freestyle exhibition was to provide the spectators with another form of equine entertainment prior to the \$50,000 Grand Prix Jumping Classic. Sell and her 20 year-old Hanoverian were an immediate hit as they demonstrated upper level dressage moves around the jumps to the music of Led Zeppelin. Their piaffes, pirouettes and passages thrilled the audience as they pranced across the course to the lively beat of the music.

"Walden was in his glory," said Rebar Sell. "After a summer of R & R he was all puffed up and proud to show off what a Grand Prix dressage horse can do. He loved being in front of an audience again!"

Last season, Walden, who still exhibits the light and defiant extensions of a much younger horse, was impressive enough to attract a feed sponsorship from Triple Crown feed. "Walden maintains a regimen of Triple Crown Senior feed and their new product, Safe Starch Forage," said Rebar Sell. "He has never looked or acted better and is very ready to compete on the 2009 Florida circuit this winter."

At Dressage at Devon, Rebar Sell will team up with her "second partner" co-owner of Show Clothes, Michele Hundt, at their mobile boutique. This is the first year Sho Clothes has taken the mobile boutique to Devon. "We want to be at the shows for every riding need our dressage clientele may have," enthused Hundt.

In October, the Sho Clothes mobile boutique, Hundt, Rebar Sell and Walden will head south for Florida winter circuit again in 2009. Dressage enthusiasts in Florida can also visit the Sho Clothes Sho Room in Wellington, Florida, where photos of Wonderful Walden and other dressage greats line their "wall of fame." Visit [www.shoclothes.com](http://www.shoclothes.com) for more details.



*Photo: Betsy Rebar Sell and her famous FEI dressage horse, Wonderful Walden, thrilled the crowds as they exhibited dressage moves around the Grand Prix jumps at the North Coast American Jumper Classic in Cleveland, Ohio.*