



# VOLLRATH STUD PRESENTS...

## VOLLRATH LESSING

Black Hanoverian Stallion, 175 cm, \* 2003.

### HIS PERFORMANCE SPEAKS FOR ITSELF...

Grand Champion Young Dressage Horse 2008

Reserve Champion Medium Dressage National & HoY 2010

Sire of the most beautiful and easy to ride progeny

Lessing's stud fee is \$2,400 + GST he stands for Natural service or AI transported fresh semen.

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## LESSING ON TOP by Jutta Rosenblatt

What a year it has been!

Lessing's success at Medium Level culminating in winning Reserve Champion titles at the Nationals and HOY 2010 respectively was one fabulous achievement.

Success at HOY in particular was very rewarding as Lessing coped remarkably well in an atmosphere that can upset even seasoned campaigners including Grand Prix horses.

But most exciting for us is that Lessing's oldest progeny are now under saddle and providing us with solely positive feedback from respective trainers and owners.

What a reward for a breeder to ride the offspring and hear all the enthusiastic accounts!

Our own **Lauretta** (Lessing/Dynamit/Genius) proved as easy to break in as her sire.

She is going to be a powerhouse with great aptitude for the canter work, in particular flying changes, and I'm planning on a long and illustrious career for her, starting with presenting her in the 4yr old Young Dressage horse class at Nationals 2011.

Sharleene Story from Morrinsville had to get on the phone to us straight away after cantering her big black gelding **Live!** by (Lessing/Anamour/Dynamit/Witzbold/Winnebago) for the first time: "What an amazing canter he has got!" an excited Sharleene reported, "He is wonderful to work with and very easy to break in!"

**Le Vivre** (Lessing/Genius/Kazakstan) is proving a great mount for Paula Brown. The big chestnut gelding was broken in by Jodi Hartstone, who sent us an e-mail saying: "If you've got more Lessings to break in, send them my way. This horse is just so cool, very easy to break in. If all horses were like that, my job would be a piece of cake!" With him now safely under saddle, Paula is having regular lessons with Rosanne Rix, who rates the horse highly, and she has already competed 'Levy' at a local show where he won the flat classes hands down.

**Latimer** (Lessing/Worldwide/Dynamit/Genius) is another chestnut gelding who was broken in early. At only rising three his owner Rochelle Budden couldn't wait any longer and started him this winter. She loves his temperament and movement, and is thrilled with how easy he is in every way.

**Latin Lover** (Lessing/Jaguar/Wolfsburg) was the first born Lessing foal. Jeannette Sigvertsen (who also owns the Worldwide mare Wildflower who is the dam of Lafayette who is just being broken in), is thrilled with 'Elvi' as he is called at home. "He is such a character! He has to carry the water bucket everywhere!"

Sally Field-Dogdson is another owner waiting impatiently for her two-year-old

**La Vida** (full sister to Lauretta) to be old enough to be started under saddle. She loves the filly that she purchased recently, saying she can't believe how easy and uncomplicated she is to handle: "She is just a dream to do anything with and I can't wait to start riding her!"

All these positive accounts confirm our initial predictions:

Lessing is proving himself both successful in his own right with a promising career in the dressage arena, and also as a reliable sire of top-quality offspring with extreme rideability.



Lauretta



Lauretta



Le Vivre



Latimer



La Vida