

Jasper the Mule

Hijinks! Excitement! Mysteries!

Jasper the Mule is the award-winning series of books and DVDs created by Meredith Hodges to introduce children to the courageous nature and fun-loving spirit of these remarkable animals.

All of the Jasper the Mule books and DVDs are designed to teach patience and acceptance, and celebrate traditional family values while using plain language and simple concepts to explore more complex issues.

Each story is packed with lots of excitement, hijinks and mysteries, and plenty of fun and interesting facts about—what else—mules and donkeys!



To learn more and to see clips from the DVDs, visit Jasper's website at

www.JasperTheMule.com

LUCKY THREE RANCH TOURS



Located in the foothills of the Rocky Mountains, 127-acre Lucky Three Ranch is home to Meredith Hodges, her champion equines and the Loveland Longears Museum & Sculpture Park, where dozens of bronze sculptures celebrate these magnificent animals. Four different tours are available by reservation weekdays at 10 a.m., January through October. The ranch can accommodate groups of up to 70 and offers special pricing for groups, seniors and children.



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WHAT CREATES SUCCESS?

A Willing Partnership

Meredith Hodges understands mules and donkeys like no one else. As the country's leading authority on mules and donkeys, and with a career spanning over 40 years as a trainer, champion competitor and author, Meredith's practical firsthand knowledge led her to develop **Training Mules and Donkeys: A Logical Approach to Longears**. This groundbreaking series covers the life of your equine—from foal to advanced levels—using a completely resistance-free approach. In addition, Meredith is available by phone or email to help you and answer all your training questions.

“It is impossible to overstate the importance of Meredith's accomplishments and the tremendous impact she has had on our industry.”
— Richard Shrake

“No mule owner should be without these resources in his or her library or tack room.”
— Leah Patton, Registrar, American Donkey and Mule Society

“Excellent books to be used over and over again by those who are committed to training mules and donkeys the right way.”

— Sue King,
North American Saddle
Mule Association

“Meredith's training videos are so detailed and she's so accessible that it's like having a private coach.”

— Scarlet Bellmore, student,
Nunn, Colorado

BOOKS



Training Mules and Donkeys: A Logical Approach to Longears

NEW REVISED EDITION WITH COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS. The original book on mule training. This book gives a condensed but thorough outline of the information and training in the DVD series. Over 250 Pages. Hardcover. *Autographed copies available.*

Donkey Training

A detailed book for training your donkey. Complete information from DVDs 9 & 10 to be used in conjunction with DVDs 1-8 of the Training series. 152 pages. Hardcover.

A Guide to Raising and Showing Mules

This book is the ideal resource for beginners of all ages. Covers nutrition, breeding, care and management (both practical and medical) that is vital to beginners and 4-H projects. Complements the DVD Training Series with a variety of management and training information. 338 pages. Hardcover.

Training Without Resistance—From Foal to Advanced Levels

New Revised Edition with Color Photographs. Detailed information covered in DVD Training Series 1-7. Perfect for an easy reference. 222 pages. Perfect Bound. *Available in English, French, German and Spanish.*

Equine Management and Donkey Training

New Revised Edition with Color Photographs. Detailed information covered in DVD Training Series 8-10, including nutrition. Perfect for an easy reference. 130 pages. Perfect Bound. *Available in English, French, German and Spanish.*

Equus Revisited: A Complete Approach to Athletic Conditioning

An award-winning athletic conditioning program for you and your equine, with contributions from equine-care professionals. Available with a companion DVD, this manual details the "whys" of the specific exercises in the DVD Training Series. Over 200 pages. *Available in English, French, German and Spanish.*

DVD TRAINING

Each DVD in this award-winning series includes at least 45 minutes of detailed instruction and comprehensive training course exercises. It's a logical, straightforward and step-by-step approach that will set you and your equine on the road to success. Print-ready workbook included on discs.

- Train for versatility
- Understand your equine's behavior
- Safe and effective techniques based on Behavior Modification
- 7 years of training represented with DVDs 1-7
- Master basic through advanced levels, including Jumping, Driving, Dressage, Reining, Western Riding, Pleasure and Trail



- DVD #1:** Foal Training
- DVD #2:** Preparing for Performance: Ground Work
- DVD #3:** Preparing for Performance: Driving
- DVD #4:** Basic Foundation for Saddle
- DVD #5:** Intermediate Saddle Training
- DVD #6:** Advanced Saddle Training
- DVD #7:** Jumping
- DVD #8:** Management, Fitting and Grooming
- DVD #9:** Keys to Training the Donkey: Introduction & Basic Training
- DVD #10:** Keys to Training the Donkey: Saddle Training & Jumping

DVD DOCUMENTARY SERIES

Mules and donkeys are brave, affectionate and unconditionally loyal to those they love. Welcome to the challenging, complex, often misunderstood and always fascinating world of "Longears," as seen through the eyes of Meredith Hodges, the world's foremost expert on mules and donkeys.



- DVD #1** The Story of Lucky Three Ranch & The Road to Bishop
- DVD #2** Walk On: Exploring Therapeutic Riding
- DVD #3** Bishop All Stars, The Bishop Experience
- DVD #4** Equus Revisited: A Complete Approach to Athletic Conditioning

This DVD documentary series explores Meredith's own personal and professional journey while discovering these magnificent animals and what they can do. It looks at the unique culture of mule people and the go-for-broke competitions at Bishop Mule Days Celebration, complete with behind the scenes interviews and footage. Meredith guides us through the capabilities of equines in therapeutic riding, and comes full circle with the culmination of her life's work: training with a complete approach to athletic conditioning.

