



2016 DRESSAGE HORSE OF THE YEAR: **LAURENCIO**

(Owner: Tina & Jaimey Irwin)



Laurencio (Laurentino x Donerhall), a 10-year-old Oldenburg gelding co-owned by Tina and Jaimey Irwin of Stouffville, ON, has been named the 2016 Dressage Horse of the Year in light of his consistent winning performances throughout the 2016 season.

With Tina Irwin in the irons, Laurencio won an incredible nine small tour classes in a row during the 2016 season. His first hat trick came at the CDI 3* Ottawa Dressage Festival in May 2016 with scores of 71.404% in the Prix St. Georges, 73.509% in the Intermediate I, and 74.333% in the Intermediate I Freestyle.

Just one month later, Laurencio once again dominated the small tour, this time at the CDI Cedar Valley in June at the Royal Canadian Riding Academy in Cedar Valley, ON. After starting out with a score of 70.921% in the Prix St. Georges, Tina and Laurencio received 75.605% in the Intermediate I, before finishing with a decisive win on the impressive score of 79.208% in the Intermediate I Freestyle.

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To wrap up the season, they travelled to Devon, PA for the CDI-W/3* Dressage at Devon in September. Despite a rain-filled weekend, nothing could dampen their success, and Tina and Laurencio earned progressively higher marks throughout the week, beginning with a score of 71.009% in the Prix St. George. They followed up with 73.579% in the Intermediate I, and finished with 77.175% in the Intermediate I Freestyle.