

Cindy ISHOY

Cindy Ishoy began her riding career in Germany as a teenager after swimming competitively from the ages of 10 to 13. Only a few years later, she was a member of the gold medal winning team and placed fourth individually at the 1971 Pan Am Games in Cali, Columbia. Her Olympic debut was the following year in Munich, when she was only 20 years old. In 1979 she was the first Canadian to win an international dressage Grand Prix, and was second at the 1988 World Cup in the Netherlands aboard her great Hanoverian partner, Dynasty. The pair were also members of Canada's bronze medal winning dressage team at the 1988 Seoul Olympics, where they placed fourth individually.

Since 2000, Ishoy has been paired with Proton, a 10 year old German bred gelding. At the 2004 Athens Olympic Games, Ishoy and Proton were the top Canadian Dressage competitors, placing 31st individually, which helped secure a team placing of ninth overall and move Canada up one place in the international rankings.

After winning both the Grand Prix and the Grand Prix Freestyle at the Canadian League World Cup Finals in 2005, Ishoy again represented Canada at the World Cup Finals. She followed this with an impressive 11th place finish in the Grand Prix at the CDI3* Hagen, Germany out of a competitive field of 46 international competitors. After winning a berth to Canada's World Equestrian Games team, Ishoy and Proton traveled with the team to Europe for preparatory training and competition where they scored top ten finishes in both the Grand Prix and the Grand Prix Freestyle at the CDI3* Pompadour in France.

Competition HIGHLIGHTS

2006

Team Member - 2006 World Equestrian Games Dressage Team - Aachen, Germany
7th - Grand Prix - Pompadour CDI3* - France
7th - Grand Prix Freestyle - Pompadour CDI3* - France
11th - Grand Prix - Hagen CDI3* - Germany
9th - Grand Prix Freestyle - Hagen CDI3* - Germany
Canadian Representative - World Cup Finals - Amsterdam, Netherlands
Horse: Proton - Baden Wurttemberg gelding owned by Cindy Ishoy

2005

1st - Canadian League World Cup Finals - Royal Winter Fair
2nd - Grand Prix & Freestyle - Dressage at Devon CDI3* - Devon, PA
Horse: Proton - Baden Wurttemberg gelding owned by Cindy Ishoy

2004

Member of the Olympic Canadian Dressage Team - Athens, Greece
9th place team finish
1st - Grand Prix Freestyle CDI3* Blainville, Blainville, QC
2nd - Grand Prix CDI*** Blainville, Blainville, QC
1st - Grand Prix & Freestyle CDI3* York Equestrian Centre, Cedar Valley, ON
1st - Grand Prix & Freestyle CDI3* Batavia, Batavia, OH
1st - Grand Prix & Special CDI3* Westchester Fairfield, Port Jervis, NY
Horse: Proton - 10 yr. old Baden Wurttemberg gelding owned by Cindy Ishoy

2003

2nd - Grand Prix & Freestyle - Dressage at Devon CDI3* - Devon, PA
Horse: Proton - Baden Wurttemberg gelding owned by Cindy Ishoy

2002

2nd - Intermediare I - FEI Coupe des Ameriques - Blainville, PQ
Horse: Proton - Baden Wurttemberg gelding owned by Cindy Ishoy

1998

2nd - Canadian League World Cup Finals - Royal Winter Fair
Horse: Donevan

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FAST FACTS

Birthplace: Edmonton, Alberta
Birthdate: June 19, 1952
Hometown: Jerseyville, Ontario
Occupation: Full-time Athlete
Stable: Ishoy Enterprises
Coach: Siegfried Peilicke, Willi Schultheis, Neil Ishoy, Norbert van Laak
FEI World Ranking: 88th



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Competition HIGHLIGHTS

1993

1st - Grand Prix & Freestyle - Dressage at Devon CDI3* - Devon, PA
Horse: Dakar

1992

10th Team Finish - Olympic Games - Barcelona, Spain
11th - Volvo World Cup Final, Göteborg, Sweden
Horse: Dakar

1991

1st - Volvo World Cup Canadian League Finals - Royal Winter Fair
Horse: Dakar

1988

Bronze Team Medal - Olympic Games - Seoul, Korea
2nd - World Cup Dressage Finals - s'Hertogenbosch, Netherlands
Horse: Dynasty

1987

Canada National Dressage Champion
4th - World Cup Dressage Finals - Sweden
Horse: Dynasty

1986

8th Team Finish - World Dressage Championships - Cedar Valley, ON
Horse: Dynasty

1985

Gold Individual & Team Silver Medals - North American Dressage Championships
Horse: Dynasty

1980

8th Team Finish - Alternate Olympic Games - Rotterdam, Netherlands
Horse: Equus



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