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1999 - present	Member of the Board of Directors – Ontario Hunter Jumper Association
2006 – 2008	* Past President of the Ontario Hunter Jumper Assoc.
2000-2006	* President of the Ontario Hunter Jumper Association
2004-2010	*Member of the Jump Canada Board of Directors Chair of Domestic/Athletic Development Committee
1985-present	* Chairman of the Rising Star Committee, Ontario - 2010 renamed Jump Canada Talent Squad Series
1993-present	*Own and manage 3 National Platinum and Gold Dressage Shows and 3 National Gold Recognized Hunter Jumper Horse Shows. 2007 – hosted Pan American Games Dressage Trials 2011- hosted Pan American Games Dressage Trials *Buy, train, agent and sell Hunters and Jumpers
1996-Nov.2004	*Designed and built a new 32 stall facility in Stouffville *Developed a riding school accommodating 300 students per week.
1993-1996	*Owner/Operator of CornerStone Farms at Leitchcroft Farms with husband, John Taylor. *Full service A Circuit Show Barn for Hunter-Jumper clients. *Riding School running 400 lessons per week *Boarding barn for 120 boarding horses. *Managed 7 Recognized Dressage shows each year including the Olympic and Pan American Games Trials. *Organized clinics with International Clinicians.
1975-1993	*Owner/Operator of Heritage Farms with full partner, Danny Foster. *Full service A Circuit show barn for Hunter Jumper clients. *Coaching for International students in both Jumping and Eventing Disciplines. *International Sales Barn
1973-1974	*Sam-Son Farms – managed and coached a full service A Circuit Show barn for Hunter-Jumper clients.

- 1971-1972** ***Held Real Estate License with Gibson Willoughby in Aurora specializing in Farm Real Estate.**
- 1968-1971** ***Taught grades 9-12 for the York County Board of Education in Aurora.**
- 1965-1968** **Taught grades 7-9 for the North York Board of Education.**

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- 1978-1996** ***Director of the Ontario Equestrian Federation (Member of the Executive Board)**
***Director of the Canadian Equestrian Federation**
- 1994-1996** ***Director of the Canadian Equestrian Federation (Member of the Executive)**
- 1987-present** ***Formed and managed the Ontario Government Best Ever Program (Rising Star/Jump Canada Talent Squad) for Jumpers – a program designed to encourage and develop aspiring Canadian Equestrian Team members.**
- 1985-1996** ***Director of Equestrian Junior Development for Ontario responsible for selecting teams to compete internationally and coordinating the trips.**
- 1988-1994** ***Coordinator of Level 1 & 2 Coaching Program for Ontario.**
- 1988-Present** ***Developed Level 3 & 4 Coaching Programs for Canada.**
***Currently one of 3 National Examiners for Level 3.**
- *Hold Senior Judges cards for Hunter, Jumper, Hack & Equitation in Canada and the United States.**
- *National & International Clinician in Hunter/Jumper and Eventing Disciplines.**
- *Head Clinician for Equine Canada – for the Hunter/Equitation Judge’s Recertification Clinics.**

***Expert witness on Horse related lawsuits for
Fireman,Regan, Toronto and other law firms.**

PREVIOUS ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2010** ***Jump Canada Volunteer of the Year Award**
- 2000** ***Ontario Equestrian Federation – Millennium Award.**
- 1991** ***Ontario Provincial Government –Volunteer of the Year
Award for Equestrian Sport.**
- 1992** ***Chef d’Equipe of the Canadian Junior Equestrian Team
competing in South Africa.**
- 1991** ***Owner/Trainer of the Pan American Games Individual
Gold Medal & Team Silver Medal Winner – Forever
Diamond – Havana, Cuba.**
- 1992** ***Owner/Trainer – Zeus – Top Canadian Jumper at the
Barcelona, Spain Olympic Games.**
- 1975-1992** ***Developed many horses and riders to Ontario Zone
Championships**
- *Managed Canadian National Exhibition Hunter/Jumper
Horse show for 5 years.**
- *Formed and managed the Kettlecroft Junior Horse Show,
And the Bolton Horse Show.**

EDUCATION

**BA from the University of Toronto
Graduate of the Toronto Teacher’s College
Real Estate License**