

The background is a dark blue gradient with a starry texture. On the left side, there are several overlapping circular elements. A prominent one is a large circle with a scale around its perimeter, ranging from 140 to 260 in increments of 10. Other circles are smaller and some have dashed outlines or arrows pointing in various directions, creating a sense of motion and complexity.

# EYESIGHT VS. INSIGHT

KEYS TO SUCCESSFUL LESSONS FOR BLIND PARTICIPANTS

PRESENTED BY KIMBERLY TAYLOR

# MY THERAPEUTIC RIDING JOURNEY

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HARMONY FARMS ~ COCOA, FL

CHARLESTON AREA THERAPEUTIC RIDING ~ CHARLESTON, SC





# PEPPER

HARMONY FARMS' APPALOOSA  
WHO TAUGHT ME NOT TO BE  
AFRAID OF HORSES' BIG SIZE



KIMBERLY &  
PEPPER 2007







# CATR'S GITANE

- Kimberly learning to trot on Gitane with her horse leader, June 2013



# KIMBERLY TROTS AFTER HER LEADER, CATR, JUNE 2014







# TEAMWORK!

- Kimberly, Gitane, and horse leader, December 2014





# JONES, MAY 2015

- Goal this semester: ride dressage pattern independently
- Success: Goal MET!





# AWESOME PAS DE DEUX, 2018





A person wearing a red helmet and a blue t-shirt is riding a brown horse in an indoor arena. The arena has a metal roof structure and large windows on the right side. The rider is looking forward, and the horse is facing right. The background shows green trees and a white fence outside the arena.

# 2019: USDF INTRO TEST B

SEMESTER GOAL: COMPLETE WALK/TROT DRESSAGE TEST INDEPENDENTLY,  
WHILE FOLLOWING LEAD HORSE/VOLUNTEER



“

Horses make blindness disappear... 45 minutes at a time!  
TR lessons are the fastest, most fun minutes of my week.

”

Kimberly Taylor

Thank you for coming to my presentation. I hope you learned some tips and tricks to enhance successful lessons for your blind participants.