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# Scottsdale Equestrian HIGH SCHOOL DRESSAGE

*Hosting Team: Scottsdale Equestrian*

Show ID #DU5027

October 7, 2023  
Rancho Del Pacifico  
15225 E Riggs Road  
Gilbert, AZ

The following have been invited to officiate:

Judge

Sarah Lindstein, USDF "L"  
Scottsdale, AZ

Manager

Kathy Johnson  
Phoenix, AZ

Steward

Callie Fitts, IEA Coach  
Phoenix, AZ

Medical Personnel

Over the Fence Medical, EMT  
Phoenix, AZ

In Gate

TBD

Secretary

Kathy Johnson  
Phoenix, AZ

\*\*\*QUALIFICATION STATEMENT\*\*\*

Membership in IEA is mandatory; only teams and individuals who are members may compete. Member's paperwork must be processed and the Member activated on the team roster prior to entering an IEA show pursuant to Rule G2000 in the *IEA Rules and Regulations of Membership General Rules*.

## Sportsmanship Statements

(Statement and Oath to be printed in the prize list and program.)

Rule G1501: The IEA was established to provide competitive and educational opportunities through equestrian athletics. Good horsemanship and honorable participation are priorities at every event. It is the responsibility of all attendees to foster a spirit of belongingness, an atmosphere of community enjoyment, and a mutual respect for all participants and their equine partners. All attendees must commit to the following oath:

Oath: (To be publicly stated at the start of all IEA events)

In representation of the participants at this event, I promise to respect and abide by the governing rules of the Interscholastic Equestrian Association and to represent myself, my team, and this association in the spirit of good horsemanship and honorable competition.

## Directions to Show

*Take the 202 East and exit at Val Vista, go south. Location is on the south-east corner of Val Vista and Riggs Road*

## Food Concessions

*Food is not available on the grounds*

## Dressage Class Descriptions

### Dressage Test Classes

#### CLASS D1. Varsity Open Dressage Test:

- Test: IEA Open Rider Test
- Open to riders in grades 9-12 who are not otherwise eligible for the varsity intermediate, or lower divisions.
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 12.

To be eligible for post-season competitions in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points and participated in a minimum of two (2) open DSE classes.

#### CLASS D3. Varsity Intermediate Dressage Test:

- Test: IEA Intermediate Rider Test
- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Open to riders who have not competed in a recognized or schooling dressage competition at Second level or higher.
- ~~Riders may not have competed in the FEI 5-year old test or above.~~
- Riders may not have been rated B or higher by the United States Pony Clubs, Inc.
- Riders who have won ten (10) or more blue ribbons in jumping events at 3'3" (1.0 meter) or higher are not eligible for intermediate classes (Rule G3101).
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter, and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 9.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points and participated in a minimum of two (2) intermediate or open dressage seat equitation classes.

#### CLASS D5. Junior Varsity Novice Dressage Test:

- Test: IEA Novice Rider Test
- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Open to riders who have not competed in six (6) or more first level tests or competed at a level higher than first level in any recognized or schooling dressage competition.
- Riders may not have been rated C+, C-3 or higher by the United States Pony Clubs, Inc.
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter, and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 7.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points and participated in a minimum of two (2) novice or intermediate DSE classes.

## Dressage Seat Equitation Classes

### CLASS D2. Varsity Open Dressage Seat Equitation (DSE):

- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter, and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 12.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points.

### CLASS D4. Varsity Intermediate Dressage Seat Equitation:

- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter, and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 9.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points.

### CLASS D6. Junior Varsity Novice Dressage Seat Equitation:

- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Riders must be able to walk, trot, canter, and halt in a group class.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 7.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points.

### CLASS D7. Junior Varsity Beginner Dressage Seat Equitation - Walk/Trot/Canter:

- Open to riders in grades 9-12.
- Open to riders who have not competed in six (6) training level tests or competed at a level higher than training, in any recognized or schooling dressage competition, including those recognized by USDF, USEF or USEA.
- Riders may not have been rated C-2 or above by the United States Pony Clubs, Inc.
- Riders must be experienced enough to canter on an unfamiliar animal in a group.
- To be eligible for Class D7, a rider must have had at least one year continuous professional instruction, must demonstrate proficiency at the trot and canter, and be capable of competing on a variety of unfamiliar horses.
- Riders should be capable of performing Dressage Seat Equitation Tests 1 - 6.
- Riders may not cross-enter into Class D8 Walk/Trot.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points.

### CLASS D8. Junior Varsity Beginner Dressage Seat Equitation - Walk/Trot:

- Open to riders in grades 9-12 who meet criteria for Class D7 but are not yet ready to compete on an unfamiliar horse at a canter.
- To be eligible for Class D8, riders must have at least six (6) months continuous professional instruction, must demonstrate proficiency at a trot, and must be capable of competing on a variety of unfamiliar horses.
- Riders should be capable of performing DSE Tests 1 - 5.
- Individual points will be tracked in Class D8 Walk/Trot for post-season qualification.
- No team points will be awarded in Class D8 Walk/Trot during regular or post-season shows.
- Riders may not cross-enter Class D7 Walk/Trot/Canter.

To be eligible for post-season competition in individual classes riders must have accumulated the required points.

### CLASS D7x / D8x. Junior Varsity Beginner Dressage Seat Equitation - Walk/Trot Warm-Up:

Optional offering that can combine with Future Class D13x / D14x. Open only to riders competing at that competition in Class D7 or Class D8. No individual or team points will be awarded.

## Dressage Seat Equitation Tests

### Rule D3304

Riders must be prepared to perform the tests appropriate for the dressage seat equitation class in which they are participating. Riders may be asked to perform the following test collectively or individually during a competition. A dressage judge may choose from the following list, using tests 1 - 5 for the Beginner Walk/Trot classes, 1 - 6 for the Beginner Walk/Trot/Canter classes, 1 - 7 for the Novice classes, 1 - 9 for the Intermediate classes, and 1 - 12 for the Open classes.

#### Tests 1 - 5 (Beginner Walk/Trot)

1. Ask an appropriate horsemanship question that is tailored to the rider's ability level
2. Halt
3. Transitions using the walk, rising trot, and canter
4. 20m circles
5. Change horses

#### Tests 1 - 6 (Beginner Walk/Trot/Canter)

6. Figure eight or serpentine at the trot demonstrating changes of diagonal

#### Tests 1 - 7 (Novice)

7. Figure eight at the canter demonstrating changes of lead through the trot

#### Tests 1 - 9 (Intermediate)

8. Sitting trot
9. Lengthening at the trot

#### Tests 1 - 12 (Open)

10. Lengthening at the canter
11. 10m circles at the trot
12. 15m circles at the canter

**SCHEDULE FOR OCTOBER 7: RCR/SCOTTSDALE IEA DRESSAGE**

**7:00 SCHOOL ALL AM HORSES**

**8:15 COACHES' MEETING**

**8:15 DRAW FOR AM CLASSES**

**8:30 SHOW A 1. VARSITY OPEN TEST**

**SHOW B 1. VARSITY OPEN TEST**

**SHOW A 2. VARSITY OPEN DSE**

**SHOW B 2. VARSITY OPEN DSE**

**SHOW A 3. VARSITY INTERMEDIATE TEST**

**SHOW B 3. VARSITY INTERMEDIATE TEST**

**SHOW A 4. VARSITY INTERMEDIATE DSE**

**SHOW B 4. VARSITY INTERMEDIATE DSE**

**SHOW A 9. FUTURE IINTERMEDIATE TEST**

**SHOW A 10. FUTURE INTERMEDIATE DSE**

**11:30 SCHOOL ALL PM HORSES**

**12:30 DRAW FOR PM HORSES**

**12:45 SHOW A 7X/13X JV/FUTURE BEGINNER WARM UP- WALK TROT**

**SHOW A 7/13 JV/FUTURE BEGINNER WTC**

**SHOW B 7X JV BEGINNER WARM UP- WALK TROT**

**SHOW B 7 JV BEGINNER WTC**

**SHOW A 8/14X JV/FUTURE BEGINNER WARM UP- WALK TROT**

**SHOW A 8/14 JV/FUTURE BEGINNER- WALK TROT**

**SHOW B 8X JV BEGINNER WARM UP- WALK TROT**

**SHOW B 8 JV BEGINNER- WALK TROT**

**SHOW A 5 JV NOVICE TEST**

**SHOW B 5 JV NOVICE TEST**

**SHOW A 6 JV NOVICE DSE**

**SHOW B 6 JV NOVICE DSE**

**SHOW A 11 FUTURE NOVICE TEST**

**SHOW A 12 FUTURE NOVICE DSE**

# General Rules

## Responsibility:

In exchange for entrance to and participation in the show, this entry constitutes an agreement and affirmation that the team making it, and each of its riders, coaches, trainers, and representatives shall accept and abide by the Rules and Regulations of the IEA and of the Show, and that each rider, coach and Team: (1) is a member in good standing of IEA, (2) is eligible as entered, and (3) will accept as final all rulings of IEA and the show steward (or committee) with respect to their conduct. Also, through participation each rider, rider's parents/legal guardians, coach, trainer, and participant acknowledges THAT HORSES ARE INTRINSICALLY DANGEROUS AND UNPREDICTABLE AND CAN CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH, thus each agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless IEA, its officers, directors, members, employees, Executive Director, National Steward, agents and representatives, the Event Host Coordinator, the host team and facility, the show stewards, stewards committee members, the show judges, the show secretary, all show organizers and officials, all medical personnel, and all persons, stables, and others providing facilities, horses or equipment for the Show, other riders, coaches, teams and team sponsoring institutions, from any claim, action or suit, for injury, property damage or death sustained by the individual, rider, entity, coach, trainer, or participant while traveling to, from and around the show, while staying in the city for the show, during participation in the show and while at the show. This entry constitutes an acceptance of the hired officials at this event.

## Entries:

G4105 In zones that ARE split into regions, the EHC must guarantee at least one entry per class to every team within their region entering before the priority entry closing date. (See Rule G5313) In zones that are NOT split into regions, the EHC must be prepared to accommodate at least twelve (12) riders in each class offered.

G4105.1 Once a team has fulfilled its hosting obligation to the region per Rule G4105, the coach may consult with the zone administrator to approve additional shows limiting entries in any fair and equitable manner. The zone administrator may also grant additional and priority entries to riders from the host team. The total number of rides from the host team may not exceed 50% of the total number of rides entered in the show.

*A team roster showing proof of rider eligibility must be included with the entry form per Rule G5311.*

Entries will be accepted on a first received basis with full payment until all spots are filled and may be limited in any fair way. Once the closing date has past, additional entries may not be accepted or added.

Each individual will be charged \$45 per DSE class and \$50 per Test Class. One rider in each class should be marked as the priority entry. Scratches can be made with full refund before closing date. After the closing date, entry fees will only be refunded if a substitute team or rider can fill the opening.

The region priority entry period ends with the opening of general entries to other regions and/or zones. Entries from teams within the priority region received after the opening of the general period will be handled as general entries.

Riders who become eligible after the closing date may not enter, even as a substitute.



Is this a region-only show? Yes

This is a Priority entry show and teams will be allowed 2 riders per class per team if it becomes necessary to limit entries. All teams are expected to "Cover their Hoofprints" by supplying horses to cover their rides.

Region priority entry opening date: September 1  
Region priority entry closing date: September 28

General entry opening date: September 1  
General entry closing date: September 30

The general entry period may close earlier if classes fill to capacity with permission of the Membership Office.

Checks should be made payable to **Scottsdale Equestrian Team**.  
Payment may also be made via Venmo: Kathy-Johnson-233 OR Zelle Willoway1975@aol.com  
Stalls will be available: Price TBA

#### Dressage Format:

The general format will follow the Rules and Regulations as established by the IEA unless otherwise stated. However, if a topic is not covered by these Rules and Regulations, first the rules and regulations of the Intercollegiate Dressage Association ("IDA") and then, if not resolved the rules of the appropriate national governing body (NGB) may be used as a reference for guidance in making an equitable decision under the circumstances. Any decisions made by a steward or show management shall be final.

All horses will be provided by the host. Horses and Order of Go will be assigned by a random draw on the day of competition. Riders participating in Dressage Test classes will be allowed a minimum of a two (2) minute warm-up prior to the bell, either in the show square, or in a designated warm up area. Show hosts may expand this time as long as each rider is allowed the same amount of time for warm-up. All classes will be judged on equitation, and faults of the horse will not be judged. If a horse should perform so poorly that it is impossible to fairly judge the rider, the judge may request a re-ride. All requests for re-rides will be determined by the steward.

-All riders must wear ASTM approved protective headgear whenever mounted.

#### Dressage Awards:

- **Champion Dressage Award (D3303)**: Presented to the high point individual open rider based on the total combined individual class points from the varsity open DSE and varsity open test classes. In case of a tie, the award will be determined by the higher individual test class score. (If the test scores are tied and cannot be broken, refer to Dressage Rule D4600).

- **Team Championship**: Each team will designate one point rider for each class in the Varsity and Junior Varsity and Future divisions. Different riders may be designated for flat and fences. A champion and reserve will be awarded to (1) The High Point Upper School Team and (2) The High Point Futures Team. Points will be awarded as follows: 1st=7 points, 2nd=5 points, 3rd=4 points, 4th=3 points, 5th=2 points, 6th=1 point.

- **Sportsmanship Award (G4504)**: The EHC will present a sportsmanship award to a youth member chosen by the show steward. The show steward will select from nominations received throughout the day from any show official or IEA member. The award should be given to the youth member (rider or junior education member) who, during the course of the show and competition, best demonstrated the true meaning of sportsmanship as defined in Rule G1501. The recipient may be a competitor or noncompetitor.

- **Horse of the Show Award (G4505)**: The EHC of each regular IEA sanctioned show will award the "Horse of the Show" to be chosen by the judge and/or show steward. The award should be given to the horse, regardless of points earned during the course of competition, who best demonstrated fair and generous treatment toward its riders.

Questions: Call Kathy Johnson (602)363-5041



It is the responsibility of the team coach(es) to confirm that they, their riders and attending family members have self-monitored their temperature once daily prior to entering the competition grounds. Anyone with a temperature of 100.4° F or higher may not enter the facility.

Coach's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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