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Entries Close & Must be Received by Monday, September 2

USDF Region 7 Qualifying Dates August 29, 2023 to September 2, 2024

Final day to Qualify for CDS Championships, September 1, 2024

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TENTATIVE CLASS SCHEDULE

Riders must be prepared to show in any class on any day depending on class entries.

Thursday, September 26, 2024

WELCOME 4 Yr Old Futurity Training Level Test of Choice
WELCOME 5 Yr Old Futurity First Level Test of Choice
WELCOME 6 Yr Old Futurity Second Level Test of Choice
4 Yr Old Futurity Training Level Test 3
5 Yr Old Futurity First Level Test 2
6 Yr Old Futurity Second Level Test 1
WELCOME Training Level Test of Choice
WELCOME First Level Test of Choice
WELCOME Second Level Test of Choice
WELCOME Third Level Test of Choice
WELCOME Fourth Level Test of Choice
WELCOME Prix St Georges
WELCOME Intermediaire I
WELCOME Intermediaire II
WELCOME Grand Prix
WELCOME FEI Test of Choice (only for FEI classes not offered)
\$1000 Prix St Georges CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Prix St Georges CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Great American/USDF First Level Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF Second Level Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF Third Level Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF Fourth Level Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF First Level Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF Second Level Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF Third Level Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF Fourth Level Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF Open Intermediaire II

Friday, September 27, 2024

4 Yr Old Futurity Open Materiale
5 Yr Old Futurity Open Materiale
6 Yr Old Futurity Open Second Level Test 2
Training Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 First Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
First Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
Second Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 Third Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
\$1000 Fourth Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Third Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year—JR/YR
Fourth Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 Grand Prix CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Grand Prix CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Great American/USDF Open Training Level
Great American/USDF AA Training Level
Great American/USDF Open Second Level
Great American/USDF AA Second Level
Great American/USDF AA Intermediaire II
Great American/USDF FEI Young Rider Team Test
Third Level Freestyle for CDS Lower Level HOY Freestyle - Open
Fourth Level Freestyle for CDS Lower Level HOY Freestyle - Open
Great American/USDF Intermediate Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF Intermediate Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF Grand Prix Freestyle Open/Jr/YR
Great American/USDF Grand Prix Freestyle A/A
Great American/USDF FEI Junior Rider Team Test
Great American/USDF FEI Young Rider Team Test

Saturday, September 28, 2024

\$1000 Training Level CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Training Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
\$1000 First Level CDS Horse of the Year - Open
First Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 Second Level CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Second Level Test 2 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Second Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 Fourth Level CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Fourth Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Fourth Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
Prix St Georges CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 Intermediaire I CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Intermediaire I CDS Horse of the Year - AA
\$1000 Intermediaire II CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Intermediaire Freestyle CDS Horse of the Year
\$1000 Grand Prix Freestyle CDS Horse of the Year
Great American/USDF JR/YR Training Level
Great American/USDF AA First Level
Great American/USDF JR/YR Second Level
Great American/USDF Open Third Level
Great American/USDF AA Third Level
Great American/USDF JR/YR Fourth Level
Great American/USDF Open Prix St Georges
Great American/USDF AA Prix St Georges
Great American/USDF JR/YR Intermediaire I
Great American/USDF JR/YR Grand Prix
Great American/USDF FEI Junior Team Test
USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Final Class 13 & under
USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Final Class 14-18
USDF Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final
Great American/USDF FEI Junior Rider Team Test
Great American/USDF FEI Young Rider Team Test
Great American/USDF FEI Junior Rider Individual Test
Great American/USDF FEI Young Rider Individual Test

Sunday, September 29, 2024

\$1000 Training Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Training Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 First Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
\$1000 Second Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
\$1000 Third Level CDS Horse of the Year - Open
\$1000 Third Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - AA
Third Level Test 3 CDS Horse of the Year - JR/YR
\$1000 CDS HOY Intermediaire II Horse of the Year-AA
First Level Freestyle for CDS Lower Level HOY Freestyle - Open
Second Level Freestyle for CDS Lower Level HOY Freestyle - Open
Great American/USDF Open First Level
Great American/USDF JR/YR First Level
Great American/USDF JR/YR Third Level
Great American/USDF Open Fourth Level
Great American/USDF AA Fourth Level
Great American/USDF Open Intermediaire I
Great American/USDF JR/YR Prix St Georges
Great American/USDF AA Intermediaire I
Great American/USDF JR/YR Intermediaire II
Great American/USDF Open Grand Prix
Great American/USDF AA Grand Prix
CDS Adult Amateur Dressage Seat Equitation - 22 & Over
CDS Junior Dressage Seat Equitation - 13 & Under
CDS JR/YR Dressage Seat Equitation - 14—17
CDS JR/YR Dressage Seat Equitation - 18—21
Great American/USDF FEI Junior Rider Freestyle
Great American/USDF FEI Young Rider Freestyle

GREAT AMERICAN/USDF REGION 7 CHAMPIONSHIPS 57th ANNUAL CALIFORNIA DRESSAGE SOCIETY CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

Important Show Information

Remember! **CDS CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW \$25 NOMINATION FEE :** For the CDS Horse of the Year Championships there will be a \$25 Nomination Fee for each Horse/Rider combination due in advance of the show. These fees are used to help fund the Championship Show. The fees are payable directly to CDS and mailed to the Central Office prior to Championship Show. This fee does not apply to Futurity Classes.

Remember! **DIVISION SPECIFICATONS:** GAIG/USDF Region 7 & CDS Championship Classes will all be judged by two judges. All FEI Level Horse of the Year Classes will consist of one ride. Open Training through Fourth Level Horse of the Year Classes will consist of one ride. Junior and Adult Amateur Training through Fourth Level Horse of the Year Classes will consist of two rides on separate days. All Levels offer an optional WELCOME Class, Thursday.

Remember! **FUTURITY SPECIFICATONS:** The CDS 4, 5, and 6 year old Futurity are open divisions with prizes to first and ribbons through 8th. Prize money amount is determined by number of nominated horses and paid in each age group. **CAL-Bred** money is paid based on overall score regardless of age. (See page 12).

Remember! **RIDERS IN MUSICAL FREESTYLES:** Remember to email your music to the announcer, Noah Rattner noah.rattner@devonwoodec.com. Send a duplicate copy to show secretary at mmmdressage@gmail.com. Then arrange a sound check with the announcer on Wednesday afternoon. Available hours will be sent with times and posted in the office.

Need more information!

Feed & Bedding: No straw is allowed for bedding. Feed and bedding orders are made directly through LAEC . Direct line: **818.971.2277**; Fax 818.973.1048; Email feed@la-equestriancenter.com. Initial orders must be placed by noon on Monday, September 23 to guarantee they will be at your stall when you arrive. Other orders must be made by noon. There are no deliveries on Sunday.

Golf Carts may be ordered from Mesa Golf Carts—949.642.1300

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WELCOME CLASSES

OPEN ONLY TO GAIG/USDF & CDS CHAMPIONSHIP HORSES

Tests may be read Training through Fourth Level. Whips may be carried in all Welcome Classes
Each Horse is Limited to One Welcome Class. Prize to First Place. Ribbons awarded 1st—8th.

Training—Fourth Level Welcome Classes				
	1	Welcome Training Level Test of Choice	Open	\$70.00
	2	Welcome First Level Test of Choice	Open	\$70.00
	3	Welcome Second Level Test of Choice	Open	\$70.00
	4	Welcome Third Level Test of Choice	Open	\$70.00
	5	Welcome Fourth Level Test of Choice	Open	\$70.00
FEI Level Welcome Classes				
	6	Welcome Prix St. Georges	Open	\$70.00
	7	Welcome Intermediaire I	Open	\$70.00
	8	Welcome Intermediaire II	Open	\$70.00
	9	Welcome Grand Prix	Open	\$70.00
	10	Welcome FEI Test of Choice (This class available only for FEI Classes not offered, i.e. GP Special, FEI JR, FEI Children)	Open	\$70.00
FUTURITY WELCOME CLASSES				
PLEASE NOTE: These classes are open only to horse and rider combinations entered in the Futurity				
	12	4-YR-Old Futurity Welcome Class (Training Level TOC)	Open	\$70.00
	13	5-YR-Old Futurity Welcome Class (First Level TOC)	Open	\$70.00
	12	6-YR-Old Futurity Welcome Class (Second Level TOC)	Open	\$70.00

IMPORTANT NOTES:

USEF Championship rules apply from the time of arrival on the grounds. GAIG/USDF & CDS Championship classes no readers & no whips. This means horses must remain stabled on the grounds once they arrive.

USEF SHOW PASS RULE: Effective 12.1.2022

Any rider, handler, driver or owner is limited to one Show Pass purchased annually (December 1-November 30)

*THE OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST OF THE GAIG/USDF REGION 7 DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS
MAY BE OBTAINED AFTER MAY 1, 2024
ON THE USDF WEBSITE AT WWW.USDF.ORG*

“A tentative schedule for the Awards Ceremonies will be printed in the “Show Program” and the official schedule will be posted in the show secretary’s office by noon on the day prior to the beginning of the competition and in an area where social distancing can be adhered to”

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Open Horse of the Year Classes

\$1000 prize money to 5th (30% - 25% - 20% - 15% - 10%); ribbons to 8th; winner to receive Championship Jacket and have their named engraved on perpetual trophy. (where applicable).

CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR OPEN DIVISION TRAINING –FOURTH LEVELS CLASSES — Entry Fee \$150				
100	\$1000 CDS Training Level Horse of the Year	Training Level Test 3	Peter & Bonnie Lert Perpetual Trophy	
101	\$1000 CDS First Level Horse of the Year	First Level Test 3	Mc Leod Perpetual Trophy	
102	\$1000 CDS Second Level Horse of the Year	Second Level Test 3	Bengt Lungquist Memorial Perpetual Trophy	
103	\$1000 CDS Third Level Horse of the Year	Third Level Test 3	Judith Elias Memorial Perpetual Trophy	
104	\$1000 CDS Fourth Level Horse of the Year	Fourth Level Test 3	Pal Kemery Perpetual Trophy	
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR OPEN FEI LEVEL CLASSES — Entry Fee \$175				
105	\$1000 CDS Prix St. Georges Horse of the Year	FEI Prix St. Georges	Bent Roswall Memorial Perpetual Trophy	
106	\$1000 CDS Intermediaire I Horse of the Year	FEI Intermediaire I	CDS Intermediaire I Perpetual Trophy	
107	\$1000 CDS Intermediaire II Horse of the Year	FEI Intermediaire II	"To the Music" Pelton Family Perpetual Trophy	
108	\$1000 CDS Grand Prix Horse of the Year	FEI Grand Prix	Sherry De Leon Memorial Perpetual Trophy	

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Grand Champion Awards

*Eligibility valid from Open, Adult Amateur or Jr/YR HOY Divisions
Winner determined by combining scores from HOY Championship and corresponding Freestyle
No Fee*

First/Second Levels Grand Champion - Atherton Dressage Society Perpetual Trophy

Must be entered in First or Second Level CDS Freestyle and the corresponding CDS HOY Class.

Third/Fourth Levels Grand Champion - Major Guy de Roaldes Memorial Perpetual Trophy

Must be entered in Third or Fourth Level CDS Freestyle and the corresponding CDS HOY Class.

Intermediaire I Grand Champion - Doug Downing Memorial Perpetual Trophy

Must be entered in Intermediaire Freestyle CDS and Intermediaire I CDS HOY Class.

Grand Prix Grand Champion - Keen Perpetual Trophy

Must be entered in Grand Prix CDS Freestyle and Grand Prix CDS HOY Class.



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Adult Amateur Horse of the Year Classes

PROCEDURES—PLEASE READ

Both Classes at each level must be entered: in Training—Fourth Levels. Ribbons to 8th in first class. Scores will then be combined with second class (no separate ribbons) for the CDS A/A HOY Championship placings: Ribbons will be

\$1000 CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A TRAINING LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP - Creswick Perpetual Trophy				
	110	Training Level Test 2	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
	111	Training Level Test 3	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
\$1000 CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A FIRST LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP - Full Cry Perpetual Trophy				
	112	First Level Test 2	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
	113	First Level Test 3	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
\$1000 CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A SECOND LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP - Two Tone Malone Perpetual Trophy				
	114	Second Level Test 2	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
	115	Second Level Test 3	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
\$1000 CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A THIRD LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP - Stanford Dressage Club Perpetual Trophy				
	116	Third Level Test 2	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
	117	Third Level Test 3	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
\$1000 CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A FOURTH LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP - Fox Run Perpetual Trophy				
	118	Fourth Level Test 2	Adult Amateur	\$90.00
	119	Fourth Level Test 3	Adult Amateur	\$90.00

Only one ride for FEI Levels. Ribbons will be awarded through 10th; prize money to 5th (30% - 25% - 20% - 15% - 10%); winner to receive Championship Jacket and have their named engraved on perpetual trophy. (where applicable).

CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR A/A FEI LEVEL CLASSES — Entry Fee \$175				
	120	\$1000 CDS Prix St. Georges A/A Horse of the Year	FEI Prix St. Georges	Global Imaging Perpetual Trophy
	121	\$1000 CDS Intermediaire I A/A Horse of the Year	FEI Intermediaire I	T.D.I. Systems Perpetual Trophy
	122	\$1000 CDS Intermediaire II A/A Horse of the Year	FEI Intermediaire II	
	123	\$1000 CDS Grand Prix A/A Horse of the Year	FEI Grand Prix	Rubenstein Memorial Perpetual Trophy

2024 CDS A/A EQUITATION CHALLENGE CLASS — Entry Fee \$75

Class 150. CDS Adult Amateur Dressage Seat Equitation Challenge — 22 and Over

Note: Riders must be qualified & entered in a CDS Championship Class to enter Equitation.

See Also, USDF Region 7 Equitation Final Class 550 on Page 18

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Futurity Division

All horses entered must have been born in 2018, 2019 or 2020. Horses who compete as 4 Year-Olds may nominate again the following year as 5 Year-Olds and again as 6 Year-Olds. Horses may have shown any level prior to the Futurity.

A nomination fee of \$100 must be paid prior to July 1, 2024. If paid after July 1, the fee will be \$150. Nomination fees are held in a special account and put into the purse the year the horse is nominated for the Futurity. There are no restrictions, other than age and no qualifying for the CDS Young Horse Futurity. **The CDS 4, 5, and 6 year old Futurity** will each be an open division with prizes to first and ribbons through 8th. Prize money amount is determined by number of nominated horses and paid in each age group: 30%; 25%; 20%; 15%; 5%; 5%. **CAL-Bred** money is paid in the same percentage but based on overall score regardless of age. **4 year-olds will ride Training Level Test 3; 5-year-olds will ride First Level Test 2 and then each ride a Materiale Class (counts 30%). Dressage tests count 70%. 6 year-olds will ride Second Level Test 1 and Second Level Test 2 (each tests counts 50%).** No ribbons for Materiale or individual classes of each Futurity Division. Combined scores determine winners, ribbons and prizes.

MATERIALE CLASSES will be split into smaller groups. Mares/Fillies and Stallions/Geldings will be separate.

Futurity tests may not be read. NO whips are permitted. Futurity WELCOME classes are open to Futurity horses only. Only one WELCOME class per entry. For designated Futurity WELCOME Classes, please see page 8. **Futurity Dressage Tests will be held Thursday. 4 & 5-year-old Materiale, second test for 6-year-olds, and awards will be Friday.**

NOTE: Horses must be entered in both classes

CDS FOUR-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY - INXS Perpetual Trophy				
	210	Materiale (counts 30%)	Open	\$75.00
	211	Training Level Test 3 (counts 70%)	Open	\$100.00
CDS FIVE-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY - Carousel Perpetual Trophy				
	212	Materiale (counts 30%)	Open	\$75.00
	213	First Level Test 2 (counts 70%)	Open	\$100.00
CDS SIX-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY - Parker Perpetual Trophy				
	214	Second Level Test 1 (counts 50%)	Open	\$75.00
	215	Second Level Test 2 (counts 50%)	Open	\$100.00

2024 CALIFORNIA-BRED FUTURITY

Winner to receive the Sally Gross Memorial Perpetual Trophy,

Open to horses born in 2018, 2019, or 2020 and who have been foaled in California or Nevada and are entered in the CDS Futurity.

Award to 1st, ribbons to 6th, cash to 6th. Winner to receive the Sally Gross Memorial Perpetual Trophy.

Ribbons and cash awards are based on the total percentage scored, regardless of age group.

The Cal Bred purse, which consists of all nomination fees from entered horses, is divided on the same percentage basis as the CDS Futurity

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Freestyle Classes

\$1000 CDS Lower Level Freestyle Championship:

Please note carefully:

CDS awards and prize money will be presented to the top 5 places of all levels overall combined (\$300—\$250—\$200—\$150—\$100). In individual classes, ribbons will be awarded 1st - 6th and Prizes to First at each level, One CDS Championship Jacket will also be awarded to the highest score of the combined levels.

Horse/Rider combinations in First-Fourth level freestyle classes **must have qualified with two scores of 64% or higher from 2 different judges.** Tests may not be read. Whips may not be carried.

CDS \$1000 Horse of the Year Lower Level Freestyle Division— Entry Fee \$125 per Class

201	CDS First Level Freestyle	Open	CDS First Level Freestyle Trophy
202	CDS Second Level Freestyle	Open	Dawn West Perpetual Trophy
203	CDS Third Level Freestyle	Open	"Sandy Howard Memorial Perpetual Trophy
204	CDS Fourth Level Freestyle	Open	Ran Averett Memorial Perpetual Trophy

\$1,000 CDS FEI Freestyle Classes:

Prize money to 6th and ribbons awarded to 6th in each class. CDS Jacket to First Place in each class

Horse/Rider combinations in FEI freestyle classes **must have qualified with two scores of 62% or higher from 2 different judges.** Tests may not be read. Whips may not be carried.

CDS \$1000 Horse of the Year FEI Freestyle Classes— Entry Fee \$175 per Class

205	\$1000 CDS HOY Intermediaire I Freestyle	Open	Lilian Van Dahn Memorial Perpetual Trophy
206	\$1000 CDS HOY Grand Prix Freestyle	Open	Lt. Col. Hans Moeller Perpetual Trophy

Riders in Musical Freestyles note:

Sound check schedule will be sent with ride times and posted at show.

Announcer will be available on Wednesday afternoon.

After Wednesday individual arrangements can be made, but time may be limited due to competition.

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to get their music emailed to the announcer. Please include rider/horse and class #. Send directly to the announcer, Noah Rattner— noah.rattner@devonwoodec.com and a copy to the show secretary, **Meaghan Mallory at mmmdressage@gmail.com.** Freestyles riders may have a representative at the announcer's stand to tell the announcer when to start and stop the music.

A back-up CD, MP3 or WAV file is required at the show. No cell phones or zip drives.

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CDS Horse of the Year Youth Championships

PROCEDURES—PLEASE READ

Enter both classes at each Level— Training—Fourth. Ribbons to 8th will be awarded in first class. Scores will then be combined with second class (no separate ribbons) at each Level for the CDS Jr/YR HOY Championship awards where ribbons will be awarded through 10th. (Single Class for FEI Prix St. Georges)

CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR TRAINING LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP				
	125	Training Level Test 2	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
	126	Training Level Test 3	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR FIRST LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP				
	127	First Level Test 2	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
	128	First Level Test 3	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR SECOND LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP				
	129	Second Level Test 2	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
	130	Second Level Test 3	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR THIRD LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP				
	131	Third Level Test 2	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
	132	Third Level Test 3	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR FOURTH LEVEL CHAMPIONSHIP				
	133	Fourth Level Test 2	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
	134	Fourth Level Test 3	Junior/Young Rider	\$90.00
CDS HORSE OF THE YEAR Jr/YR FEI YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIP				
	135	FEI Prix St. Georges	Junior/Young Rider	\$125

2024 CDS EQUITATION CHALLENGE CLASSES

Entry Fee \$75

- Class 151.** CDS JR/YR Dressage Seat Equitation Challenge — *13 and Under*
- Class 152.** CDS JR/YR Dressage Seat Equitation Challenge — *14 thru 17*
- Class 153.** CDS JR/YR Dressage Seat Equitation Challenge — *18 thru 21*

In all classes the rider's position, seat, and use and effect of the aids will be judged. Only snaffle bits may be used in Dressage Seat Equitation. All riders will be judged at the walk, working trot, (sitting and rising) and working canter both directions. The top three (3) riders in each group will be asked to execute certain movements individually. All instructions will be publicly announced. Awards to 1st Ribbons 1st - 6th place. Riders may qualify for the CDS Equitation Challenge Classes by earning a 70% in an equitation class at a previous show and by being qualified and entered in a current year CDS Jr/YR Championship Class.

See Also, USDF Region 7 Equitation Semi-Finals Classes 551 & 552 on Page 17

California Dressage Society Championship SPECIAL AWARDS

SPECIAL PERPETUAL TROPHIES & BREED AWARD

To be eligible for the following awards, class numbers must be designated on entry form. **For breed awards, breed papers or jockey club number must be provided with entries.** **No CLASS FEE**

CLASS 600. *Tambu Perpetual Trophy:* Awarded to the highest scoring stallion in a CDS Horse of the Year Class

CLASS 601. *Cantata Memorial Perpetual Trophy:* Awarded to the highest scoring mare in a CDS Horse of the Year Class

CLASS 603. *Robert Walker Trophy:* Awarded to the Thoroughbred with the highest score for a single ride in a CDS Horse of the Year Class.

CLASS 607. *NAWPN—Dutch Warmblood Award:* Awarded to the highest score for a single ride in a CDS Horse of the Year Class. One award will be given to the Highest score in an Open Class and one for the highest score in an Adult Amateur Class. **Ribbons as provided by the individual breed associations**

The Sue Curry Memorial Trophy

The Sue Curry Memorial Trophy will be presented annually to the Adult Amateur competitor with the highest score in any CDS HOY Championship Class except Freestyle, and Equitation at the CDS

PAM NELSON MEMORIAL TROPHY

The Pam Nelson Memorial Trophy will be presented annually to the competitor with the highest score in a CDS HOY FEI Freestyle Championship Class at the CDS State Championships.

TACK ROOM AWARD

To be eligible for the following awards, class numbers must be designated on entry form. **No CLASS FEE.**

CLASS 620: TACK ROOM AWARD: Presented to the barn with the best designed and maintained tackroom and shed row. Judging will be held Saturday at the noon break. Award will be presented later that day.

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CALIFORNIA DRESSAGE SOCIETY HORSE OF THE YEAR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Entries close & must be received by - Monday, September 2, 2024
Last Day to Qualify - Sunday, September 1, 2024
US Equestrian Federation rules will be followed.

At no time during the USDF/CDS CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW may any horse entered in that Championship be ridden by anyone other than the rider entered in the championship competition on the horse - one horse/one rider (exception: grooms riding on loose rein). This is in effect from the time the horse arrives at the showgrounds.

Tests may not be called. Whips may not be carried. Riders must be prepared to ride in any class scheduled on any day.

Horse/rider combinations that have competed in the Horse of the Year competition at Training through First Level who have placed Champion or Reserve will no longer be eligible for CDS awards at that level. Freestyles are exempt from this restriction.

CDS HOY classes are offered in three divisions for Training Level through Prix St. Georges, Open and Adult Amateur and JR/YR and two divisions for Intermediaire I through Grand Prix, Open and Adult Amateur. No cross-entries between divisions will be allowed. Adult Amateurs are defined as riders who are 22 years and over and hold a USEF Amateur Card.

A horse/rider combination must achieve the following scores for CDS qualifying: When two (2) or more judges score a single ride, the combination of judges counts as ONE judge and the average of their scores counts as ONE score. Horses must be at least 4 years old. Scores can be earned at any test of the level.

QUALIFYING REQUIREMENTS FOR 2024

Training Level Open	5 scores of 65% or better	4 different judges
Training Level Amateur	5 scores of 63% or better	4 different judges
Training Level Jr/YR	5 scores of 63% or better	4 different judges
First Level Open	5 scores of 64% or better	4 different judges
First Level Amateur	5 scores of 62% or better	4 different judges
First Level Jr/YR	5 scores of 62% or better	4 different judges
Second Level Open	5 scores of 63% or better	4 different judges
Second Level Amateur	5 scores of 61% or better	4 different judges
Second Level Jr/YR	5 scores of 61% or better	4 different judges
Third Level Open	5 scores of 62% or better	4 different judges
Third Level Amateur	5 scores of 60% or better	4 different judges
Third Level Jr/YR	5 scores of 60% or better	4 different judges
Fourth Level Open	5 scores of 62% or better	4 different judges
Fourth Level Amateur	5 scores of 60% or better	4 different judges
Fourth Level Jr/YR	5 scores of 60% or better	4 different judges
PSG Open	3 scores of 62% or better	2 different judges
PSG Amateur	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
PSG Jr/YR	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
Int. I Open	3 scores of 62% or better	2 different judges
Int. I Amateur	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
Int. II Open	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
Int. II Amateur	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
GP Open	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
GP Amateur	3 scores of 60% or better	2 different judges
Freestyles (1st-4th)	2 scores of 64% or better	2 different judges
Freestyles (FEI)	2 scores of 62% or better	2 different judges



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USDF DRESSAGE SEAT MEDAL SEMI-FINALS

Ribbons will be awarded to the top eight riders in the USDF DSM Semifinal classes.
Champion and Reserve Champions will also be given special awards

These classes will be held on Saturday

ENTRY FEE \$75

551. USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Final Class for Riders 13 and Under

552. USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Final Class for Riders 14 through 18

USDF DRESSAGE SEAT MEDAL SEMI-FINALS

Qualification Requirements

USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Finals: Competitors can qualify by earning a qualifying score of 70% or higher in any open Dressage Seat Equitation class, between January 1 through the end of the qualifying period of the respective regional championship the rider plans to attend. Note: DSE classes such as USDF DSM Semi-Finals classes and USEF DSM Finals classes, which are restricted by criteria other than normal dressage rider categories of open, junior or junior/young rider, do not count for qualifying purposes.

Competitors may also participate in the USDF DSM Semi-Finals based on the fact that they are qualified for Regional Championships. Competitors who earn the necessary qualifying scores to participate in the Regional Championships at any level (excluding freestyles) are automatically qualified to participate in the USDF DSM Semi-Finals. Riders can elect to compete in any one of the 9 USDF DSM Semi-Finals, but may only compete in one semi-final competition per calendar year.

Protective headgear as described in the USEF Rule Book GR801 and DR 120.5 will be required for participation in these classes. For information on the Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Finals, please visit the USDF website at www.usdf.org

Class Specifications

Two Semi-finals classes will be offered: one for riders 13 and under, and one for riders 14 through 18. The top two riders from each age division in each of the 2024 USDF Semi-finals will be invited to the 2025 USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals the following year, in their respective age groups.

In all classes the rider's position, seat, and use and effect of the aids will be judged as outlined in DR 133. Competitors must wear protective headgear as described in GR801 is required in all semifinal and final classes. Competitors shall perform movements simultaneously, however, judges may ask for independent execution of certain movements. All instructions will be publicly announced. Riders must be judged at the medium walk, working trot (sitting and rising), and working canter both directions. They may also be asked to execute a free walk, transitions from one gait to the next in both directions, transition from the walk to halt and vice versa, and a change of direction. In small groups or independently they may be asked to show shallow loop serpentine in canter, maintaining leead, transitions, leg yield, changes of lead through trot, serpentine at the trot, show a shallow loop serpentine with counter canter, as well as trot or canter lengthening.

For more information contact Krystina Wright at USDF - 859.271.7895

UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION

USDF Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final *Presented by Big Dee's Tack & Supply*

USDF will award neck sashes to the top eight riders; trophies for Champion & Reserve.;

Gift Certificates (\$100-Ch, \$75-Reserve-\$50-3rd, \$25-4th).

Please see USDF Regional Adult Amateur Equitation Program information below.

This class will be held on Saturday

Entry Fee \$75

550. USDF Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final Class *presented by Big Dee's Tack and Vet Supply*



UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™

Regional Adult Amateur Equitation Program

The USDF Regional Adult Amateur Equitation Program recognizes adult amateurs competing in equitation and promotes correct seat, position, and use of the aids in dressage. An Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final class presented by Big Dee's Tack and Vet Supply will be held in conjunction with each of the nine USDF Regional Dressage Championship competitions, providing adult amateurs with additional opportunity for recognition. Ribbons awarded through 8th Place and gift certificates awarded to top four riders.

Adult amateurs wishing to qualify to compete in an Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final may do so by meeting the following requirements.

Qualifying Requirements

To be eligible for the USDF Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final class, rider must have

- a) Earned a score of 70% or higher in any dressage seat equitation class (except walk/trot) at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized Dressage competition within the qualifying period of the applicable regional championship.
- OR**
- b) Qualified to compete in any regional dressage championship class (excluding freestyles).

Membership Requirements

- Rider must have a USDF Participating Membership at the time the qualifying score is earned, and at the time of the Regional Final class.
- Rider must be an adult amateur, in accordance with GR1306 of the USEF rules, and be designated with USEF as an adult amateur when the score is earned, and at the time of the Regional Final class.
- Owner must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership when the qualifying score is earned, and at the time of the Regional Final class.
- Horse must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration when the qualifying score is earned, and at the time of the Regional Final class.

The USDF Regional Adult Amateur Equitation Program rules and information can be found on the USDF [website](#).

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Don't forget that declarations for the US Dressage Finals are due by midnight on the day prior to the first day of your regional championship competition.

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Official Prize List available at www.usdf.org

Riders must be prepared to ride any class scheduled on any day.

JR/YR will be scheduled on Saturday or Sunday only. Except for FEI YR Team, FEI Junior Team, Fourth Level Jr/YR Championships on Friday and for Freestyles, consecutive levels will not be held on the same day for the same division.

CLASS LIST

Entry Fee \$125

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| 500. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN TRAINING LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Training Level Test 3) |
| 501. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM TRAINING LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Training Level Test 3) |
| 502. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR TRAINING LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Training Level Test 3) |
| 503. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN FIRST LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (First Level Test 3) |
| 504. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM FIRST LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (First Level Test 3) |
| 505. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR FIRST LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (First Level Test 3) |
| 506. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN SECOND LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Second Level Test 3) |
| 507. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM SECOND LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Second Level Test 3) |
| 508. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR SECOND LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Second Level Test 3) |
| 509. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN THIRD LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Third Level Test 3) |
| 510. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM THIRD LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Third Level Test 3) |
| 511. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR THIRD LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Third Level Test 3) |
| 512. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN FOURTH LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Fourth Level Test 3) |
| 513. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM FOURTH LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Fourth Level Test 3) |
| 514. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR FOURTH LEVEL REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | (Fourth Level Test 3) |
| 515. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN PRIX ST. GEORGES REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | |
| 516. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM PRIX ST. GEORGES REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | |
| 517. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR PRIX ST. GEORGES REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | |
| 518. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN INTERMEDIAIRE I REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP | |
| 519. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FEI JUNIOR RIDER TEAM TEST | |
| 520. GREAT AMERICAN /USDF FEI YOUNG RIDER TEAM TEST | |
| 521. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FEI JUNIOR RIDER INDIVIDUAL TEST | |
| 522. GREAT AMERICAN /USDF FEI YOUNG RIDER INDIVIDUAL TEST | |
| 523. GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FEI JUNIOR RIDER FREESTYLE TEST | |
| 524. GREAT AMERICAN /USDF FEI YOUNG RIDER FREESTYLE TEST | |

GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE GROUP/ USDF REGION 7 DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

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Official Prize List available at www.usdf.org Riders must be prepared to ride any class scheduled on any day

JR/YR will be scheduled on Saturday or Sunday only with exception of FEI YR Team on Friday
Except for Freestyles, consecutive levels will not be held on the same day for the same division.

CLASS LIST CONT.

Entry Fee \$125

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| 519. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM INTERMEDIAIRE I REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 520. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR INTERMEDIAIRE I REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 521. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN INTERMEDIAIRE II REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 522. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM INTERMEDIAIRE II REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 523. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR INTERMEDIAIRE II REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 524. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF OPEN GRAND PRIX REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 525. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF AD/AM GRAND PRIX REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 526. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF JR/YR GRAND PRIX REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 527. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FEI YOUNG RIDER TEAM TEST CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 528. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FEI JUNIOR TEAM TEST CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 529. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FIRST LEVEL OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 530. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF SECOND LEVEL OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 531. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF THIRD LEVEL OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 532. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FOURTH LEVEL OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 533. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FIRST LEVEL A/A FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 534. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF SECOND LEVEL A/A FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 535. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF THIRD LEVEL A/A FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 536. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF FOURTH LEVEL A/A FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 537. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF INTERMEDIAIRE OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 538. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF GRAND PRIX OPEN-JR/YR FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
| 539. | GREAT AMERICAN/USDF INTERMEDIAIRE A/A FREESTYLE REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP |
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UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™

USDF US Dressage Finals Eligibility

The US Dressage Finals is an Invitational competition using the USEF/USDF Regional Championship program to qualify. Qualifying takes place at each of the nine Great American/USDF Regional Dressage Championships, based on either 1) Ranking in a Regional Championship Class or 2) Wild Card Eligibility. Either must be achieved at a Regional Championship in a class and eligible division offered at the US Dressage Finals.

I. Qualification Based on Ranking in a Regional Championship Class:

Champion and Reserve Champion horse/rider combinations for each level and eligible division from each of the nine Regional Championships will be automatically invited, provided the following three requirements are met: US Citizenship; Declaration of Intent completed by the deadline; and earning an eligible ranking in a Regional Championship class.

Note: Beginning in 2023, Freestyle classes at Regional Championships will have two different classes per level, Open/Junior/Young Rider and Adult Amateur. The top two declared horse/rider combinations from the Open/Jr/YR Freestyle class and the top two declared Adult Amateur horse/rider combinations from the AA Freestyle class for each level from each of the nine Regional Championships will be automatically invited.

To be eligible for the Adult Amateur division in the Freestyles at the US Dressage Finals, competitors must check the AA box on the Regional Championship entry form and must provide proof of Adult Amateur status prior to competing in their Regional Championship classes.

New for 2024: The US Dressage Finals will offer a Prix St. Georges Jr/YR Final class as well as an Intermediate I Jr/YR Final class.

- 1) United States Citizenship Requirement: To compete in any US Dressage Finals class, the rider must be a US citizen.
- 2) Declaration Requirement: The horse/rider combination must declare their intention to participate by completing the Declaration of Intent form by midnight on the day prior to the first day of their Regional Championship competition (including any open class day before the start of championship classes). **There is no fee to declare, but horse/rider combinations must declare at the level(s) and eligible division(s) they intend to compete in at the US Dressage Finals. Go to www.usdressagefinals.com to declare.**
- 3) Ranking in a Regional Championship Class: Eligibility to enter US Dressage Finals classes is based on a horse/rider combination's ranking in a Regional Championship class. Champions and Reserve Champions in eligible classes will be automatically invited, as long as they have declared by the deadline. *Note: In order to be named Champion and Reserve Champion in a Regional Championship class, a horse/rider combination must have achieved a score of 57% or higher.*

In the event that the Champion and/or Reserve Champion declines the invitation, or are ineligible to compete in the US Dressage Finals, the horse/rider combination that has the next highest ranking in the class will be eligible, providing they:

1. Are a US citizen.
2. Completed the Declaration of Intent for that particular level and division by the deadline.
3. Achieved the pre-requisite score of 57% or higher.

If that combination declines, the same process will be followed down through the fifth ranked declared horse/rider combination for that Finals level and division.

No notifications will be issued beyond the fifth ranked, of declared horse/rider combination except as may be eligible through the Wild Card invitations described below.

II. Qualification Based on Wild Card Eligibility:

Horse/rider combinations who are not otherwise qualified to compete in the US Dressage Finals based on their Regional Championship ranking (see above) may be invited to participate in a Finals class by earning a Wild Card score achieved at one of the nine Regional Championships, provided the following two requirements are met: US Citizenship and earning an eligible Wild Card score in a Regional Championship class.

- 1) United States Citizenship Requirement: To compete in any US Dressage Finals class, the rider must be a US citizen.
- 2) Eligible Wild Card Score: Eligibility to enter US Dressage Finals classes is based on a Wild Card score earned in a Regional Championship class. For all levels and divisions from Training through Grand Prix, a horse/rider combination that competes in a Regional Championship class and achieves a score at or above the score listed below for that level and division may compete in the same level and division at the US Dressage Finals.

Note: Horse/rider combinations are not required to have filed a "Declaration of Intent" in order to receive a Wild Card invitation.

	OPEN:	AA:	JR/YR:
Training:	72%	68%	68%
First:	72%	68%	68%
Second:	69%	65%	65%
Third:	69%	65%	65%
Fourth:	69%	65%	65%
Prix St. Georges:	68%	65%	65%
Intermediate I:	68%	64%	64%
Intermediate II:	66%	64%	
Grand Prix:	66%	64%	
<u>Freestyles</u>			
First:	70%	70%	
Second:	70%	70%	
Third:	70%	70%	
Fourth:	70%	70%	
Intermediate I:	68%	68%	
Grand Prix:	68%	68%	

III. Invitations:

Invitations and notifications will be emailed to eligible/qualified horse/rider combinations immediately after each Regional Championship. There will be three categories of emails:

- 1) Invitation emails will be sent to the top two of the top five declared horse/rider combinations.
- 2) Invitation emails will be sent to combinations eligible for a Wild Card.
- 3) Notification emails will be sent to the third to fifth declared horse/rider combinations, notifying them that they are on the reserve/alternate list and reminding them to check the website for any status changes that would make them eligible for an invitation.

In the event that an invited horse/rider combination scratches, invitations may be issued up to the start of the competition.

Note: Competitors do not need to receive an actual invitation to nominate themselves for the US Dressage Finals. The entry system will have their eligibility status and they can nominate prior to receiving an email invitation.

IV. Nomination Requirement:

Nomination, including payment of the nomination fee, is required for participation in US Dressage Finals classes, whether qualifying through ranking in a Regional Championship class or by Wild Card Eligibility. The nomination deadline is midnight, 96 hours after the last championship day in the regional championship show in which the horse/rider combination competed. Each US Dressage Finals horse/rider combination is required to complete the nomination (preliminary entry) process including the



Don't forget that declarations for the US Dressage Finals are due by midnight on the day prior to the first day of your regional championship competition.

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horse/rider combinations on the reserve/alternate list. The Nomination fee paid will be applied to the total amount due at Closing Date.

V. Entry Requirements

Completed entries for the US Dressage Finals *must be received* by the closing date, Saturday, October 19th midnight Eastern Time. Priority for all stabling requests (including stabling in Alltech Barns and for double stalls) will be based on the date of receipt of the COMPLETE online entry. Each online entry must include the following: full payment, fully signed 2024 US Dressage Finals entry form and signed USEF Waiver, current negative Coggins test and current Flu/Rhino Vaccine Record. All documents must be uploaded when you receive your online entry confirmation from Horseshowoffice.com, that is emailed immediately to you after you enter online. The last factor in determining stabling priority will be the allotted number of Alltech stalls available per region.

US Dressage Finals Deadlines		
Regional Championship	Declaration	Nomination
1	Wednesday, October 9, 2024	Thursday, October 17, 2024
2	Wednesday, September 11, 2024	Thursday, September 19, 2024
3	Wednesday, September 18, 2024	Thursday, September 26, 2024
4	Wednesday, October 9, 2024	Thursday, October 17, 2024
5	Wednesday, September 18, 2024	Thursday, September 26, 2024
6	Wednesday, October 2, 2024	Thursday, October 10, 2024
7	Wednesday, September 25, 2024	Thursday, October 3, 2024
8	Wednesday, September 18, 2024	Thursday, September 26, 2024
9	Wednesday, October 2, 2024	Thursday, October 10, 2024
<p><i>Above deadlines are midnight in the time zone of the specific Regional Championship</i></p> <p>Entry Closing Date is Saturday, October 19th midnight Eastern Time</p> <p>See Official Prize List for more information.</p>		

For evolving event and competitor information, usdressagefinals.com will be your source.

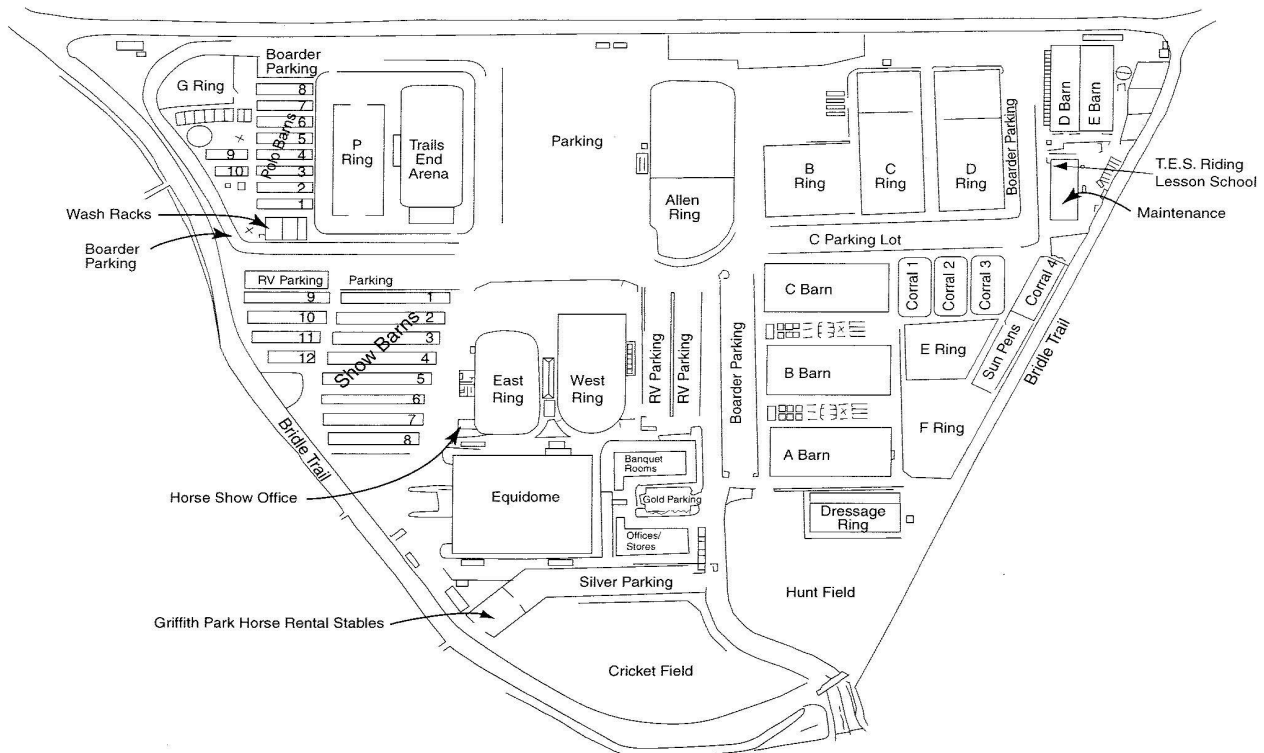


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Name of Horse				Breed	Sex	Height	Color
Sire	Dam	Dam's Sire	Country of Birth	Date of Birth	Breeder	Passport #	
Horse		Rider/Handler		Owner	Trainer		Coach
USEF #		USEF #		USEF #	USEF #		USEF #
USDF #		USDF #		USDF #	Please enclose copies of all membership & registration cards.		
CDS #		CDS #		CDS #	ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY September 2, 2024		
Class No.	Class No.	Class No.	Class Description		Division	Qualifying Y/N	Fees

Only one horse and rider per entry

Remember everyone over 18 must comply with SAFE SPORT

SAFE SPORT APPROVED _____ YES _____ NO

SIGNATURES MANDATORY.....for Rider, Owner and Trainer even if the same individual - SIGN all three places!

OWNER _____	Subtotal Class Fees	
Address _____	Early Bird Office Fee through August 18	\$95.00
City/St/Zip _____	Office Fee Aug. 19-27 See Rule 6-B	\$135.00
Phone _____ Cell Phone _____	USEF Horse Fees	\$23.00
Email Address _____	CA Drug Fee	\$14.00
Owner Citizenship (IF NOT USA) _____	EMT Fee	\$10.00
RIDER/HANDLER _____	Late Entry \$100	
Address _____	Stalls before 8/18__ @ \$225 ea. (A)	
City/St/Zip _____	Stalls 8/19—9/2__ @ \$275 ea. (B)	
Cell Phone _____	Tack Rooms before 8/18__ @ \$225 ea. (A)	
Email Address _____	Tack Rooms 8/19—9/2__ @ \$275 ea. (B)	
Rider's CDS Chapter _____ Rider Citizenship (IF NOT USA) _____	LATE Stalls/Tack Rooms \$295	
A/A or JR/YR Birthday _____ Willing to Volunteer? _____	Enter For TACK ROOM AWARD	Yes No
Rider Status (circle one): Jr/Yr AA Open	RV Parkin at \$85 per day	
TRAINER _____ Cell Phone _____	USDF Non-Member Fee @\$35	
Address _____	Internet Membership search \$25	
City/St/Zip _____	Changes after Closing \$20	
COACH _____ Cell Phone _____		
Address _____	Credit Card Fee 5%	
City/St/Zip _____		
	TOTAL FEES DUE	

PLEASE FILL OUT BOTH SIDES OF THIS FORM. SEE OTHER SIDE FOR STABLING.

ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY : September 2, 2024

Stabling Information :

Number of stalls (horse) needed: _____	Arriving: _____
Number of stalls (tack/grooming) needed: _____	Departing: _____
Stable with: _____	

Please use only one specific name for your stall group. For positioning next to a friend use the notes section



FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultler or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of _____ (Competition). I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable - casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4.

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BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If I am signing and submitting this Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall have the same validity, force and effect as if I affixed my signature by my own hand.

RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR (mandatory)	OWNER/AGENT (mandatory)
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Print Name: _____	Print Name: _____
TRAINER (mandatory)	COACH (if applicable)
Signature: _____	Signature: _____
Print Name: _____	Print Name: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature: (Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/Vaultler/Longeur is a minor) _____	
Print Parent//Guardian Name: _____ Emergency Contact Phone No. _____	
Is Rider/Driver/Vaultler a U.S. Citizen: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

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By signing above I agree I have read the rules and procedures of this show and understand there are no refunds except those due to non-qualification for specific classes. I further hereby agree to release, indemnify, and hold harmless, USDF, CDS its instructors, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from or because of, or in connection with, participation in this competition or related activities. I also agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the competition licensee, show management, show staff, show committee and members, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability, or damage arising from or because of or in conjunction with participation in this competition or related activities.

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WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. dba US Equestrian ("USEF") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any capacity (including as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, official, trainer or volunteer) in a USEF sanctioned, licensed or approved event or activity, including but not limited to equestrian clinics, practices, shows, competitions and related or incidental activities and GAIG/USDF Region 7 & CDS Championships ("USEF Event" or "USEF Events"); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors,, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Agreement (the "Agreement"):

A. RULES AND REGULATIONS: I hereby agree that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time.

B. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK: I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any USEF Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the USEF Event organizers and competition management; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("Risks").

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CAUTION: HORSEBACK RIDING AND EQUINE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DANGEROUS. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK.

Under the laws of most States, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

C. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the USEF Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any USEF Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any USEF Event.

D. WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY: In conjunction with my participation in any USEF Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: USEF, USEF Recognized Affiliate Associations, the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee (USOPC), USEF clubs, members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any USEF Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the USEF Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where a USEF Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (**Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature ("**Liability**") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the USEF Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.

E. COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE: This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND KNOW IT CONTAINS AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER FROM LIABILITY, AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS.

By signing below, I (as the participant or as the Parent/Legal Guardian of the minor identified below) hereby accept and agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in connection with my (or the minor's) participation in any USEF Event. If, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf or the minor's behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities as the result of such claim.

The parties agree that this agreement may be electronically signed. The parties agree that the electronic signatures appearing on this agreement are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility.

RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR OWNER TRAINER OFFICIAL STAFF VOLUNTEER COACH (IF APPLICABLE)

Signature: _____ Date: _____ Print Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: (Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/Vaulter/Longeur is a minor) _____ Date: _____

Print Parent//Guardian Name: _____ Emergency Contact Phone No. _____

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RULES & GENERAL INFORMATION

1. **The Great American/USDF Region 7 and CDS Championships** is covered by the rules and specifications of the current US Equestrian Rule Book and will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

2. **Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides.** A non-member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, or agent at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) headline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes

3. **FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT:** By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulteur or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of Dressage Association of Southern California, United States Dressage Federation, and California Dressage Society. I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4. If not currently a USEF Active Competing member or Subscriber, I acknowledge that I will be enrolled for no cost as a USEF Fan and my USEF Fan Account will continue to annually automatically renew in USEF's sole discretion. Additionally, I acknowledge that the benefits of a USEF Fan are subject to change without notice. USEF may in its sole discretion, at any time, terminate my USEF Fan status.

4. **Amateurs, Juniors & Young Riders:** Amateurs are defined by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book. *All riders entering the Amateur classes must possess or have applied for an USEF Amateur Card prior to riding in the class.* **All riders in Amateur Divisions must present a USEF Amateur Card when picking up their number or they will not be allowed to show in the Amateur Division.** Cards may be applied for at the show office. Jr/ YR rider classes are offered to anyone 21 and under (may compete until the end of the calendar year in which they turn 21) Young Riders are eligible for FEI YR classes from 16-21 years of age; Junior FEI classes from 14-16.

5. **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY:** Every horse entered for competition will be under the control of the Horse Show Management, but Management will, in no case, be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Horse Show and its Directors harmless for any loss or accident to his horse, horses or equipment which may occur from sickness, fire or otherwise.

6. ENTRY PROCEDURES: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY!!

A. **We encourage entries be filled out <https://entry.foxfillage.com>** You may also download the entry form, scan and email to the show secretary mmmdressage@gmail.com. Please submit a completed and signed entry form. Include copies of your membership/horse registration cards, proof of Freestyle score eligibility (if entered in a freestyle) along with all fees. Entries without membership cards will be charged a \$25 internet search fee. Incomplete entries may be charged a Late Fee. **SEND PAYMENT OR CC INFORMATION WITH ENTRY. ENTRIES SENT WITHOUT CREDIT CARD INFORMATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

B. **Entry Acceptance:** Entries will be accepted on a first come-first served basis through closing date or until show is full. Entries received by August 18 will have a \$95 Office Fee. Entries received between August 19 and the closing date, September 2, will incur a \$135 Office Fee. **After closing date, late class entries will be accepted only if schedule permits, with a \$135 Office Fee & \$100 Late Fee and Late Stall Fee.** If classes are full, **competitors with entries received after Closing Date, will be notified and, if desired, put on a waiting list.** Those on a waiting list, not getting into the show, will have all fees refunded. NO PHONE entries will be accepted. All entries must be made **on official entry blanks and filled out completely as to classes, exhibitors names, addresses, phone numbers, association numbers, and signatures.** Parents/guardians must sign the official entry blank of a minor before a number will be released. **You may enter prior to having all qualified scores. If you are not qualified, fees for those classes and related charges will be refunded.** Competitors who are properly qualified, whose complete entries are received by closing date, and who have complied with all championship rules will not be denied entry into classes for which they have qualified.

7. SCRATCHES & REFUNDS:

A. **YOU MUST NOTIFY THE SHOW SECRETARY BY EMAIL OF YOUR DESIRE TO SCRATCH, mmmdressage@gmail.com** INCLUDE YOUR NAME AND NAME OF HORSE All fees, less Office Fee paid at time of entry, will be returned if horse is scratched before Closing Date.

B. **AFTER THE CLOSING DATE THERE ARE NO REFUNDS OF ANY FEES, INCLUDING, OFFICE, CLASS AND STALL/TACK ROOM FEES FOR ANY REASON, INCLUDING MEDICAL AND VETERINARY.** (If you scratch and you wish to keep the tack or grooming stall for your other horses or your barn, it will be charged on your entry. YOU MUST INCLUDE THIS INFORMATION WHEN YOU SEND

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RULES & GENERAL INFORMATION CONTINUED:

THE SECRETARY YOUR SCRATCH. **Stalls are not refundable or transferable** A scratched horse's stall will not be kept if Show Secretary was not notified at the time of the scratch. Please also note, after scratches are received, stalls may be reassigned, moving a showing exhibitor to a different location that was previously unavailable.)

C. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN IN THE EVENT A CLASS, CLASSES, THE EVENT OR ANY PART OF THE EVENT IS CANCELED DUE TO WEATHER, OTHER ACTS OF GOD, OR CATASTROPHE: Including but not limited to, rain, wind, fire, heat, air quality, acts of terrorism, illness, or facility failure..

8. Schedule: Riders must be prepared for any GAIG/USDF Championship or CDS Championship to be scheduled any day Thursday-Sunday with USDF rules. If you wish to restrict the maximum number of rides per day, you must indicate on your entry and which classes you would prefer to drop.

9. Competition Arenas: Four or Five standard 20mx60m arenas of composition and sand footing will be used. Horses are not permitted in or around competition arenas on show days at other than scheduled ride times. *Violation of the above will be cause for elimination from the show.* **Warm-up areas** will be available for each competition ring and also consist of composition and sand footing. Additional warm-up and lunging will be sand footing.

10. Ride Times: Preliminary ride times will be emailed to all exhibitors and posted on the CDS website prior to the show. OFFICIAL TIMES WILL BE POSTED BY NOON THE DAY BEFORE THE COMPETITION (DR126.1.b.3). They will also be available on line. SCHEDULED TIMES MAY NOT BE CHANGED EXCEPT IN COMPLIANCE WITH RULE GR830.5. IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH COMPETITOR TO CHECK THE OFFICIAL RIDE TIMES There may be considerable time between rides, if you enter different levels. Information will be sent in with ride times, and in rider packets, that will contain information on any awards schedules, stabling, other pertinent information.

11. Warm-Up Arenas: Only horses entered in the show and actually warming up for a class will be allowed in the warm-up areas. No one on foot will be allowed in the warm-up areas at any time. Lunging is to be done only in specified areas.

12. TESTS: The Current FEI, USDF and USEF Tests will be used.

13. Musical Freestyles: It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to get their music emailed to the announcer Please include rider/horse and class #. Send directly to the announcer, **Noah Ratner at noah.rattner@devonwoodec.com** and a copy to the show secretary, **Meaghan Mallory at mmdmessage@gmail.com**. Freestyle riders may have a representative at the announcer's stand to tell the announcer when to start and stop the music. **A back-up CD, MP3 or WAV file is required at the show. No cell phones or zip drives.**

14. Horse Numbers must be worn at all times when horses are out of their stalls, mounted or unmounted, while the show is in progress.

15. Stabling: ALL HORSES ENTERED IN THE USDF REGION 7 and/or CDS CHAMPIONSHIPS and FUTURITY MUST HAVE A STALL Permanent wood Barns (12'x 12') with dutch doors. Only horses entered in the show will be assigned stalls. Horses may arrive any time after 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday and must leave by 9:00am on Monday. If you need to arrive earlier or stay longer you must make special arrangements with the management—Additional fees may be required. The **Early-Bird** (prior to 8/19) cost per stall is **\$225 (PACKAGE A)** whether used for horse or tack. **Stalls ordered between 8/19 and closing date are \$250 (PACKAGE B) Stalls requested after the closing date (August 30) are \$295 (PACKAGE C)** Priority Stabling is given to Sponsors first, on a first come first serve basis with consideration of stall group when mapping requests. We try to accommodate special requests; however, we are not always able to give first preference. **THERE IS NO REFUND FOR STALLS.**

16. Feed and Bedding *No straw is allowed for bedding.* Feed and bedding orders are made directly through LAEC . Direct line :818.971.2277; Fax 818.973.1048; Email-**feed@la-equestriancenter.com**. Initial orders must be placed by noon on Monday, September 23 to guarantee they will be at your stall when you arrive. Other orders must be made by noon. There are no deliveries on Sunday.

17. GROUNDS FEE: There are no trailer-ins allowed at this show.

18. RV Parking: May be ordered on your entry at \$85 per day.

19. Food: Will be available on the show grounds.

20. Horse/Washing: Do not wash horses in the barn area. Please use the wash racks. We recommend that you have a garden hose available.

20. Stall Cleaning: Please deposit all manure at the far end of the barn aisles.

21. Awards/Prize Money:

a) "Prize money for the Great American/USDF Championships will be paid directly by the USDF office to the recorded horse owner within thirty (30) days of the last day of each championship. Champions and Reserves who obtain a score of 57% or better will receive prize money. Champions in each region and division will receive \$440 in prize money. Reserve Champion will receive \$292 in prize money. Awards to Champion & Reserve and ribbons to 8th.

b) WELCOME classes, will have awards to 1st place. Ribbons through 8th place.

c) CDS HOY Open and Adult Amateur Championship classes with prize money paid through 5th place (30%-25%-20%-15%-10%); Championship Jacket to 1st, ribbons to 8th. CDS Youth Championship classes have no money, championship Jacket to first and ribbons to 8th. First—Fourth Level CDS Freestyle Classes have prizes to first and ribbons to 6th. Additional information on page 13. Prize money will be sent within 30 days of conclusion of show. Futurity prize information see page 12

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22. Dogs: Dogs or pets must be on a leash AT ALL TIMES. If your pet is a nuisance to others or cannot be controlled, you may be asked to contain your pet or leave the show grounds.

23. Awards Ceremonies: Riders placing in **Great American/USDF Regional Championship** classes must be present, mounted and in full riding attire for awards ceremonies (eight places for all Championship classes). Attendance to award ceremonies is not mandatory, but riders should let show management know if they are not attending. In the case of inclement weather, unmounted ceremonies may be held. Riders placing First or Second in CDS Championship Classes and Futurities must be present, mounted and in full riding attire for awards.

24. USEF COMPLAINT PROCEDURES: See the **USEF By-Laws for complete complaint procedures:** The Hearing Committee has jurisdiction to hear NGB Compliance Complaints as defined above that are properly filed against the Federation by any Life Member, Senior Active Member, or Junior Active Member, so long as the Petitioner agrees to be subject to the applicable Complaint Procedures and to be bound by any decision rendered pursuant to those Complaint Procedures. Section 2. Filing Requirements. a. Manner of Filing. An NGB Compliance Complaint must be filed with the FRD at disputes@usef.org with a copy to the Federation President at president@usef.org and the General Counsel at general-counsel@usef.org, using the form provided by the Federation on the Federation's website.

25. MOTORIZED VEHICLES: Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this Rule VV

26. Medical Waste: In accordance with the rules of USEF Bio-Hazardous Medical Waste (SHARPS) containers are provided in the stable area. All exhibitors, their grooms, and their agents are responsible for the proper disposal of this waste.

27. HELMETS: From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds, including non-competition riders on non-competition, mounted participation in exhibition classes and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para-Equestrian tests, must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR108. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet which meets or exceeds ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials) SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. The harness must be secured and properly fitted.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

USEF Championship rules apply from the time of arrival on the grounds. GAIC/USDF & CDS Championship classes no readers & no whips. This means horses must remain stabled on the grounds once they arrive.

***THE OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST OF THE GREAT AMERICAN/USDF REGION 7 DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS
APPEARS ON THE USDF REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST WEBPAGE***

AND IS AVAILABLE ON

THE USDF WEBSITE AT WWW.USDF.ORG OR BY CALLING 859.271.2277

Reminder:

All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at www.usef.org.

USDF Membership Benefits: USDF is dedicated to education, the recognition of achievement, and promotion of dressage. For details on member benefits, including educational programs, awards, and other opportunities, refer to the *USDF Member Guide* or the USDF website at www.usdf.org.

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Membership Requirements for USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized Competitions: Owners and riders, including foreign riders and owners who are not residents of the US, wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition as a rider or owner/lessee, must have either a USDF Group Membership (GM), Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF Non-Member (NM) fee. (Note: USDF Business Members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF Business Membership.)

Horses competing at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions must have either a USDF Horse Identification (HID) number or a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR). Proper credentials or verification certificates must be presented to the competition secretary.

Riders and owners wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition, and not able to present the competition secretary with verification of a USDF membership or NM identification, and USDF LHR or USDF HID, must complete a USDF Competition Affidavit Form and pay the \$5 affidavit filing fee. A copy of a completed affidavit form from another competition may also be used for verification purposes for up to 60 days. (Exception: Affidavits cannot be used at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships.)

Exceptions:

- Horses competing only in Individual Breed Classes (IBCs) at DSHB competitions, sires and dams of horses in DSHB group classes, where those sires or dams are not actually competing in the same competition, horses competing only in breed restricted dressage or DSHB classes at Regular Competitions (e.g. all Arabian, all Friesian, or all Morgan classes), or in USDF Introductory Level tests, pas de deux or quadrille, are exempt from this requirement. Also exempt are horses ridden in leadline, exhibitions, games and races, classes for 4-H members, walk-trot, academy, and opportunity classes.
- Riders and owners/lessees competing only in classes which are exempt from the USDF HID requirements are also exempt from the USDF NM identification number and NM fee requirements. Also exempt are handlers of horses competing in DSHB In-Hand or Group classes.

Memberships Defined

Participating Membership (PM): A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. The membership year is December 1 through November 30. PMs are available for 1-year (\$90), 5-years (\$360), or life (\$1,800). A USDF Youth Participating Membership (YPM) is available for individuals who have not reached their 21st birthday by December 1 of the current membership year (\$72). A PM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and to participate as a rider and/or owner/lessee for all Adequan[®]/USDF Year-End Awards and the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championship program.

Group Membership (GM): A membership issued to an individual by USDF when the member name and dues are submitted to USDF through an affiliate Group Member Organization (GMO). The GM year begins December 1 and ends November 30. A GM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and participate in the USDF Rider Awards Program and the USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards Program.

Business Membership (BM): A membership that runs December 1 through November 30 and is issued to a business or organization directly by USDF. The USDF BM (\$240) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

Non-Member (NM) Identification Number: For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$35 per competition that must be collected by the show secretary and submitted to USDF, along with the USDF Report of Fees document and the \$5 affidavit fee and Competition Affidavit Form if the person cannot provide a copy of their USDF NM card. Owners/lessees or riders exempt from the NM number requirements are also exempt from paying the USDF NM fee. If there are multiple owners of a horse and all are NMs, only one of the owners must pay the NM fee. If the horse has at least one owner who is a current USDF PM, GM, or BM there is no NM fee assessed. Competition management will be invoiced for all applicable USDF NM fees not received with the USDF post-competition paperwork, along with a report listing all USDF NMs. Competition management is then required to submit the NM fees within 30 days to the USDF. An individual with a USDF NM identification number is not eligible for any USDF membership benefits. Once a USDF NM number has been assigned, a USDF NM card can be obtained from the USDF website.

Horse Identification (HID) Number: A one-time tracking number for horses (\$35). Scores earned by a horse with an HID number will be recorded but will NOT be counted towards Adequan[®]/USDF Year-End Awards. A horse with an HID number is not eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying or championship classes. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$80. If a horse has a USDF LHR it does not need an HID number. An HID number is a one-time fee that does not need to be renewed.

Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR): A horse with an LHR (\$115) is eligible for Adequan[®]/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying and championship classes, assuming requirements for the owner and rider are met. If a horse has an LHR it does not need an HID number. An LHR does not need to be renewed.

How to Join USDF

Applications for USDF Participating Membership (PM), Business Membership (BM), Horse Identification (HID) number, and Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) may be found in the following locations:

- On the USDF website: www.usdf.org. You can submit the application online or download the form.
- In the show office at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions classified by USEF as Dressage Competitions, and Regular Competitions which are open to all breeds.
- By calling or writing the USDF office at (859) 971-2277, 4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511

The effective date of membership is the date the form and correct fees are received in the USDF office or, if applying at a competition, the date accepted by the competition secretary, provided the application is signed and dated by the competition secretary, member, and/or horse owner on that same day.



2025 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), and recognized by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a Group Member Organization (GMO) is received by April 1 of the prior year. The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF website at www.usdf.org. Please refer to the 2025 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

All memberships and registrations/recordings must be correct and current at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

Rider:

- Must have a USDF Participating* Membership (PM).
- Must have a USEF membership (Active or Life).

Horse:

- Must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR).
- Must have a USEF (Annual or Lifetime) Horse Recording.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s).
A horse is not required to have breed registry papers.
- Horses must be entered in qualifying and championship classes under their official recorded names and ownership as specified in USEF GR1102.3, and transfers of ownership or lease registrations must be completed in compliance with USEF rules GR1105 and GR1108 prior to the competition in order for the horse to compete under the name of the new owner or lessee. (USEF DR127.2)

Owner:

- Must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership and a USEF membership (Active or Life Membership or Annual or Life Recorded Farm/Business). If the horse has more than one owner, at least one owner must have both active USEF membership and active USDF Participating or Business Membership and must be the owner of record with USEF and USDF. For a business or farm to be the valid owner under this requirement, it must be listed as an owner of the horse with both USEF and USDF.

* PMs are USDF members who join USDF directly. USDF Group Members (GM) are ineligible.

Minimum Qualifying Scores: One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for Training Level through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur and junior/young rider.

The minimum percentages are as follows:

	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
Training Level (Test 3)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 3)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 3)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Prix St. Georges	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	62%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%
FREESTYLE	OPEN/Jr/YR	AA	
First Level	65%	65%	
Second Level	65%	65%	
Third Level	65%	65%	
Fourth Level	65%	65%	
Intermediate I	65%	65%	
Grand Prix	65%	65%	

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What is the California Dressage Society?

It is an organization whose purpose is to foster an interest among horsemen in Dressage. The program of the Society is educational, designed primarily to offer a framework in which individuals can progress with the schooling of themselves and their horses.

How does one foster an interest among horsemen in dressage? Since dressage is a personal challenge, to initiate a real understanding, a person must start with only a mere inkling of what it might be and must follow with an insatiable desire and definite pursuit to find out what it really is.

CDS is an opportunity - to share, to experience, to learn and to contribute. But the Society is by its very nature, limited, for it is a composite venture into a highly individualized world. The society does open the door. But it is the individual who must take the step.

What does the Society offer?

Educational activities on a statewide basis includes Riding Seminars, Instructor Seminars, National Symposiums and Judges' Forums. The local chapters sponsor clinics, competitions, films, discussion and informal schooling sessions.

Dressage Letters, the monthly publication, offers educational literature ranging from book reviews to commentary by notable horsemen along with a complete calendar of all CDS events.

The CDS Omnibus, yearly publication, offers dressage show premiums and entry forms for your convenience in planning and entering shows for the year.

RAAC. Regional Adult Amateur Competitions for Amateurs to compete in Novice or Elite Divisions within their Region.

South	North	Central
San Diego Chapter	Valley Oaks Chapter	Santa Barbara Chapter
	Starr Vaughn Equestrian	
July 19-21, 2024	August 23-25, 2024	August 17-18, 2024
Del Mar HorsePark	Starr Vaughn Equestrian	Earl Warren Showgrounds
Del Mar, CA	Elk Grove, CA	Santa Barbara, CA



Junior Championships. Juniors & Young Riders can qualify.

North	South
CDS JR/YR	CDS JR/YR
July 26-27, 2024	July 19-21, 2024
Woodside Horse Park	Del Mar HorsePark
Woodside	Del Mar



Horse of the Year Competition. A horse / rider combination can qualify for the CDS Annual Show.

**CDS Championships USDF Region 7 Finals
SEP 26-29, 2024**

LA Equestrian Center, Burbank, CA

What is Dressage?

Dressage (training or schooling) is an equitation term that means the gradual harmonious development of the horse's physical and mental condition with the aim to achieve the improvement of his natural gaits and perfect understanding with his rider.

Membership types

Active membership provides all of the above privileges, as well as voting rights, and eligibility to hold office and to apply for a Qualified Riding Membership.

Family membership is an Active Membership for more than one member in an immediate family, living at the same address.

Life membership is an Active Membership for the life of the member.

A membership card is issued with each membership.



**California Dressage Society
Membership Form**

- Active Membership\$75.00
- Additional Family Member\$65.00
- Life Membership \$1,500.00

Join Online: www.california-dressage.org

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Fax (____) _____

Email Address _____

Chapter Preference _____

Group membership with USDF included. Check any of the following that apply:

- Renewing member New member
- Junior birthdate (/ /) TD EMT Judge
- Amateur Trainer/Instructor Qualified Rider (QRM)
- Regional Adult Amateur Competition (add \$25)

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