Opening Date: September 11 Closing Date: October 3

# Dancing Horse Dressage & CT

Presents

Fall Fun Show
OCTOBER 18, 2020

Wickham Park Equestrian Center 2500 Parkway Drive Melbourne, FL

http://dancinghorsedressage.org/

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# Challenge both you and your horse and try something new!

Class #	Class Name
1	USDF Dressage Sport Horse Prospect In Hand - Open, AA, JR/YR
2	USDF Amateur / Junior / Young Rider Handler - AA, JR/YR
3	USDF Dressage Sport Horse Prospect Under Saddle - Open, AA, JR/YR
4	USEF Dressage Seat Equitation - Open, AA, JR/YR
5	USDF Introductory Test of Choice - Open
6	USDF Introductory Test of Choice – AA, JR/YR
7	USEF Training Level Test of Choice - Open
8	USEF Training Level Test of Choice – AA, JR/YR
9	USEF First Level Test of Choice - Open
10	USEF First Level Test of Choice – AA, JR/YR
11	USEF Second Level Test of Choice – Open
12	USEF Second Level Test of Choice – AA, JR/YR
13	USEF/FEI 3 <sup>rd</sup> Level & Above Test of Choice - Open
14	USEF/FEI 3 <sup>rd</sup> Level & Above Test of Choice – AA, JR/YR
15	USEF/WDAA Western Dressage, Intro & Basic Level, Test of Choice - Open, AA, JR/YR
16	USEF/WDAA Western Dressage, 1 <sup>st</sup> Level & Above, Test of Choice – Open, AA, JR/YR
17	* USDF/FEI Musical Freestyle, Test of Choice – Open, AA, JR/YR
18	* USDF Pas de Deux (Musical) Freestyle, Test of Choice – Open, AA, JR/YR
19	USEA, Test of Choice – Open, AA, JR/YR

# This show is NOT TIP approved and is NOT registered with USDF for the Regional Schooling Show Awards Program.

Classes do not have to and probably will not run in the order listed above.

Test of Choice classes may be entered multiple times for different tests; i.e. 2<sup>nd</sup> Level Test 1; 2<sup>nd</sup> Level Test 2.

# A horse may be exhibited in a maximum of 3 dressage tests where Classes 1 through 4 are each considered a test.

## Rider divisions:

- Open professional rider of any age
- AA Adult Amateur; non-professional rider over the age of 21 (age as of 12/1/2019)
- JR/YR Junior/Young rider; non-professional rider of age 21 or younger (age as of 12/1/2019)

2019 USEF and USDF Tests	https://www.usdf.org/downloads/forms/index.asp?TypePass=Tests
FEI Tests	http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/dressage/tests
2018 USEA Tests	https://useventing.com/events-competitions/resources/dressage-tests
Western Dressage Tests	http://westerndressageassociation.org/wdaa-tests/

<sup>\*</sup> Riders are encouraged to wear a costume to match their musical score.

**ENTRIES:** Entries MUST be mailed, i.e. no hand delivered entries will be accepted. Entries must be postmarked on or between the opening and closing dates of the show to be valid. Complete entries <u>MUST</u> include:

- Fully executed Entry Form including ALL required signatures
- Signed (by all applicable parties) Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement
- Check for Entry Total
- <u>Separate</u> Stall Deposit Check for \$30.00 (if Applicable)
- Copy of current negative Coggins (BLOOD DRAWN ON DATE within past 12 months of show date)

This show will be a ONE RING show. ONLY COMPLETE ENTRIES WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR SCHEDULING. Entries will be prioritized based on the postmark date of the entry. Complete entries which cannot be scheduled due to the capacity limits of the show, will be prioritized (based on postmark date) and placed on a waiting list.

**PAS DE DEUX ENTRY PROCEDURE:** A Pas de Deux is the performance of two horses performing dressage movements together, accompanied by music. Each horse and rider combination will submit a separate entry. Each entry will include the name of the horse and rider completing the pair.

**ENTRY/STABLING FEES:** Office Fee - \$20 per horse and rider combination for Non DHD members; Office Fee is waived for an entry where either the rider or horse owner is a DHD member. Class Fee - \$25 per class except for Pas de Deux class which is \$15; Class Fee applies to all exhibitors regardless of DHD member status.

Horse and Tack stalls are available on a limited basis at \$25 per stall for the day of the show. A separate check in the amount of \$30 per horse stall is required as a refundable stall cleaning check. Stall cleaning checks will be returned/destroyed if stall is cleaned prior to departure or cashed if DHD&CT is required to clean the stall.

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO "DHD & CT" AND MAIL TO: Sonya Reed, 2405 Green Street, West Melbourne, FL 32904.

**NSF CHECKS** are subject to a \$40 recovery fee added to the check amount, plus all Dancing Horse Dressage bank fees. COMPETITORS OWING REVENUES to Dancing Horse Dressage (including stall deposit fees and any other outstanding monies) will be barred from further showing until such debts are paid in full.

**REFUNDS**: Scratches before closing date are given a full refund (entries and stall fees). Once the closing date has been reached, the class fees and office/insurance fee associated with complete entries are nonrefundable. Refund Exception: If a valid, complete entry cannot be scheduled due to the capacity limits of the show, the entry is 100% refundable.

**RIDE TIMES:** Posted on the Dancing Horse Dressage Website, <a href="http://dancinghorsedressage.org/">http://dancinghorsedressage.org/</a>, after noon on Wednesday prior to the show.

**CANCELLATIONS:** If show management cancels the show, for any reason, competitors will be refunded all fees. Any cancellation will be posted on www.dancinghorsedressage.org no later than noon the day preceding the show.

**WEATHER DELAYS**: In the case of severe weather, the Show Manager on site may call for a delay of the show without consulting other committee members. When the show is resumed, it will continue in the order of go as listed in the program. IF A COMPETITOR HAS LEFT THE SHOWGROUND, IT WILL BE CONSIDERED A SCRATCH AND NO REFUND OF ANY KIND WILL BE MADE. If the show cannot be resumed due to unsafe weather conditions, the show committee will determine if the remaining classes can be rescheduled at a later date or if they will be cancelled. Competitors will be refunded the class fees for cancelled classes.

**TACK AND ATTIRE:** The show will follow the USEF, USDF, FEI, or WDAA rules as appropriate, with the exceptions as documented on our website: <a href="http://dancinghorsedressage.org/show-rules/">http://dancinghorsedressage.org/show-rules/</a>. And in the spirit of making this a fun show, we will also allow:

- "Bling" on horse, tack or rider attire
- Colorful saddle pads, breeches, polo shirts or collared shirts

**MUSICAL FREESTYLE:** There are NO prerequisites for riding a Freestyle test at any level. For this show we encourage exhibitors to dress up in costume appropriate for their musical score.

**CLASS PLACING AWARDS:** Ribbons for first through sixth place. A random draw of the first through sixth places in each class will determine the winner of a prize. If not picked up at the show, unclaimed class ribbons/prizes will be returned to the club inventory.

**SHOW HIGH SCORE AWARDS:** A High Score Ribbon and Award will be given for each rider division (Open, AA, JR/YR). Musical Freestyle tests (including Pas de Deux), USEA tests, and Classes 1 through 4 do not count for the high score awards. A minimum of 3 riders in a rider division are required for the high score award to be given for that rider division.

**CHECK SCORES BEFORE LEAVING SHOW GROUNDS.** Corrections gladly made in show office on show day. No corrections will be made after the end of the show.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Dancing Horse Dressage is a volunteer organization and depends on volunteers to support its activities. Contact our Volunteer Coordinator (<a href="http://dancinghorsedressage.org/volunteer/">http://dancinghorsedressage.org/volunteer/</a> for volunteer benefits.

**HEALTH AND SAFETY:** DHD & CT will adhere to all regulations relative to social distancing and PPE requirements set forth by the state of Florida and Brevard County. Additional guidelines regarding the show office and interaction with volunteers (social distancing, mask use) may be in place if conditions warrant. Office staff may be limited to reduce contact and we ask for your consideration and patience as we provide the show opportunity while doing our best to keep volunteers and exhibitors safe. Note that exhibitors will not be required to wear masks while mounted.

#### SOME ADDITIONAL SHOW INFORMATION

# USDF Dressage Sport Horse In Hand

This class is shown in hand. The horse is being judged on conformation and movement. The horse is first profiled in an open stance for the Judge's inspection. The horse is then moved out at a walk around a 15 meter triangle. On completing the walk triangle, the horse is moved out at a trot around a 20 meter triangle (traditionally this larger triangle is 30 meters but our show will use a 20 meter triangle; you are welcome!). At the completion of the trot triangle, the horse is again profiled in an open stance for the Judge's final inspection.

Sport Horse in Hand Education Video: https://youtu.be/Ee1frtel7vc

# USDF Amateur/Junior/Young Rider Handler

This class is shown in hand also. In this class, the handler is being judged on his/her ability to present the best aspects of the horse. The execution of this class follows the same procedure as the Sport Horse In Hand class.

## Sport Horse Prospect Under Saddle

This class is a group rail performance class where all exhibitors enter the arena as a group. The horses are judged at the walk, trot, and canter both directions of the ring. The Judge may ask for a lengthening of stride at any gait or for a rein back while lined up. Keep in mind that the horse is being judged on way of going and manners.

## **Dressage Seat Equitation**

This class is again a group rail performance class where all exhibitors enter the arena as a group. But in this class, the rider is being judged at the walk, trot, and canter both directions of the ring. The rider is being judged on his/her position, seat and effective use of the aids in positively influencing the horse's movement. The Judge may ask for individual work offs to separate closely matched riders.

## Sport Horse Prospect Under Saddle and Dressage Seat Equitation Scoring

A spreadsheet is used to score all the exhibitors in both the Sport Horse Prospect Under Saddle and Dressage Seat Equitation classes. So exhibitors do not receive an individual score sheet. The score spreadsheets will be available in the Show Office for review upon request.

## <u>USDF Pas de Deux Freestyle</u>

Pas De Deux combines the elegance of a musical freestyle with the element of two horses and riders performing together. The pair must execute the movements choreographed to meet the technical requirements of the particular level with music chosen to highlight the pair. A Pas de Deux Freestyle may be executed at Training Level and above.