



**SWFDA Class List & Regulations
2026-2027 Competition Year**

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<u>Class #</u>	<u>Class Name</u>	
1	USDF Introductory Level Test A Jr/YR	
2	USDF Introductory Level Test B Jr/YR	
3	USDF Introductory Level Test C Jr/YR	
4	USDF Introductory Level Test A AA/Open	
5	USDF Introductory Level Test B AA/Open	
6	USDF Introductory Level Test C AA/Open	
7	USEF Training Level Test 1 Jr/YR	
8	USEF Training Level Test 2 Jr/YR	
9	USEF Training Level Test 3 Jr/YR	
10	USEF Training Level Test 1 AA/Open	
11	USEF Training Level Test 2 AA/Open	
12	USEF Training Level Test 3 AA/Open	
13	USEF First Level Test 1	*Jr/Yr/AA pinned together & Open separately for classes #13 - #24
14	USEF First Level Test 2	
15	USEF First Level Test 3	
16	USEF Second Level Test 1	
17	USEF Second Level Test 2	
18	USEF Second Level Test 3	
19	USEF Third Level Test 1	
20	USEF Third Level Test 2	
21	USEF Third Level Test 3	
22	USEF Fourth Level Test 1	
23	USEF Fourth Level Test 2	
24	USEF Fourth Level Test 3	
25	FEI Test of Choice (Must State Test)	
26	USDF/USEF/WDAA Freestyle (Training - 3rd/Intro - Level 2 -Must State Level)	
27	USDF/USEF/WDAA Freestyle (4th - GP/Level 3 - Level 5 -Must State Level)	
28	Pas de Deux (Must State Level)	
29	Quadrille (Must State Level)	
30	ParaEquestrian Independent TOC (must state test, no leadline)	
31	Lead Line Test A (walk) <i>Leadline required.</i>	
32	Lead Line Test B (walk) <i>Leadline required.</i>	
33	Lead Line Test C (walk/trot) <i>Leadline required.</i>	
34	WDAA Intro Level Test 1	
35	WDAA Intro Level Test 2	
36	WDAA Intro Level Test 3	
37	WDAA Intro Level Test 4	
38	WDAA Basic Level Test 1	
39	WDAA Basic Level Test 2	
40	WDAA Basic Level Test 3	
41	WDAA Basic Level Test 4	
42	WDAA Level 1 Test 1	
43	WDAA Level 1 Test 2	
44	WDAA Level 1 Test 3	
45	WDAA Level 1 Test 4	

- 46 WDAA Level 2 Test 1
- 47 WDAA Level 2 Test 2
- 48 WDAA Level 2 Test 3
- 49 WDAA Level 2 Test 4
- 50 WDAA Level 3 Test 1
- 51 WDAA Level 3 Test 2
- 52 WDAA Level 3 Test 3
- 53 WDAA Level 3 Test 4
- 54 WDAA Level 4 Test 1
- 55 WDAA Level 4 Test 2
- 56 WDAA Level 4 Test 3
- 57 WDAA Level 4 Test 4
- 58 WDAA Level 5 Test 1
- 59 WDAA Level 5 Test 2
- 60 WDAA Level 5 Test 3
- 61 WDAA Level 5 Test 4
- 62 WDAA Gaited Introductory Test of Choice (Must State Level and Test)
- 63 WDAA Gaited Basic Test of Choice (Must State Test)
- 64 WDAA Gaited Levels 1 – 4 Test of Choice (Must State Level and Test)

Junior Young Rider Classes: Open to riders 17 years and younger at start of season

Adult Amateur (AA) Classes: Riders 18 years or older who DO NOT accept remuneration (payment) for training or instruction.

Open Rider: Any rider who accepts remuneration for riding, driving, showing, training, schooling or conducting clinics or seminars

Vintage Rider: Any AA that is 55 years or older at start of season

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<u>Show Date</u>	<u>Judge</u>	<u>Closing Date</u>
October 24 2026	Leslie O'Sullivan Ziegler(L)	Oct. 20
November 21 2026	Linda Currie (r)	Nov. 17
January 16 2027	Patti Thompson (R)	Jan. 12
February 20 2027	Kathleen Petersen (L)	Feb. 16
March 20 2027	Amy Bradley (R)	March 16

SWFDA ENTRY FEES:

All Classes	\$35.00 SWFDA Members/ADA Members \$45.00 Non Members
Office Fee	\$25.00 per entry (includes non-competing horses)

ONE TIME SHOW CREDIT: (members only) If you need to cancel your show entry and you do so on or before the Tuesday before the show date you will be issued a show credit (one per person one per season) to use only at the next show. This is only for members that are in good standing. There are no refunds of show entry fees. Non-members will not receive credit or refund of any kind.

Please fill out the show entry completely. One horse & rider per form, Entries sent without full payment (i.e. scanned email entries) will not be scheduled until payment is received.

Non-Competing Horses are welcome, but must fill out an entry form with Coggins and pay a \$50 schooling fee, office fees, plus applicable stall/haul-in fee.

Make checks payable to: SWFDA and ***mail to the Show Secretary:*** Dorian Cox, 8691 Kilkenny Court, Ft Myers, FL 33912 **Checks should be only for show entry fees.**

Venmo has been set up for paying fees: Venmo @swfda with forms emailed to swfdashows@gmail.com
. Last digits for venmo are 0232

DRESS CODE: Riding jackets are optional. Breeches may be light or dark colored. Shirts must have a collar with short or long sleeves. Please no sleeveless shirts, tank tops, or t-shirts. Appropriate footwear is required (ie tall boots, paddock boots, etc)

PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR: ***SWFDA insurance requires protective headgear for ALL levels and ALL disciplines, including Western Dressage.*** Anyone on a horse at any time, including schooling, must wear a helmet.

LUNGING: Lunging in the warmup ring is allowed in the lower corner towards the barn (away from the gate). Please remember the safety of our horses and riders is priority and stop if your horse becomes agitated to the point of being a danger. Lunging is NOT allowed under the covered part of the warmup ring when other riders are present.

RULES: USEF Rules are used as a guideline. Exceptions will be made with approval from the grievance committee prior to competing. Non-USEF equipment in either the warm-up or competition ring will always require prior approval and the necessity of riding H.C.

TRAILER PARKING, LOADING, & UNLOADING: Please park in designated parking areas.

COGGINS TEST: COPY OF CURRENT NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST MUST ACCOMPANY ALL ENTRIES, unless already on file with us. The horse's name must match with show entry. or you will need to submit an authorized letter from your vet verifying the horse is the same as on Coggins. Once Coggins has been submitted, it will be kept on file and you will not need to submit again for the show season.

POST ENTRIES: Will be accepted if the show is not full. These will be on a first come, first serve basis. These must be received by mail (or Venmo) with an additional \$20.00 post entry fee. Fee MUST accompany entry or it will not be accepted.

RIDE TIMES: Notification is by e-mail. ***Please include your legible email address on entry form.***

AWARDS: Ribbons 1st through 6th place. High Point Award to highest single score per declared status. (Must have a minimum of 3 competitors per declared status for High Point) In the spirit of sportsmanship, community & support of fellow riders, a High Point Award will be awarded a maximum of 2 times per rider in the show season. After any rider has been awarded High Point for a total of two times, the High Point for that declared status will be awarded to the next highest score of the day.

FOOTING: The Arena was constructed with 6 inches of white clay as a base and then 4 and 1/2 inches of screenings over the top.

STABLING: Limited, first come basis, and includes inside stalls as well as small turnouts with a covering. Bedding is not provided and riders are responsible for FULLY cleaning the stall before leaving, including any bedding they brought to put in the stall. Water buckets are not provided in barn stalls.

CONCESSION: There is no promise of concessions on site, however, a charity typically offers lunch items for a donation. SWFDA will have water available while supplies last. (bring your own snacks/beverages as needed)

DIRECTIONS: Hidden Haven: 10851 Deal Road, N Ft Myers 33917. Off I-75 take exit 143 on to SR78, Bayshore Road toward Pine Island Rd. Keep Right on Bayshore East. In 2.1 miles turn Left onto Palm Creek Drive. In 1.5 miles turn Left onto Deal Road. In 900 feet turn Right to property.

ABSOLUTELY NO SMOKING OR VAPING ALLOWED NEAR COMPETITION OR WARM UP AREAS. You will be asked to move from the area.

Spectators are allowed, please bring your own chairs and be respectful of riders in the show ring.

NO DOGS ALLOWED. SWFDA insurance prohibits dogs on the competition grounds.