



Alpha Dressage Association Schooling Show  
USDF Regional Schooling Show  
WDAA Recognized Show

**Show Date:** September 27, 2020

**Entries Open:** September 1, 2020

**Entries Close:** September 22, 2020

**Late Entries:** *(subject to availability and payment of a late fee of \$10 per class)*

**Judge:**

Heather Stalker

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WDAA R

**Location:**

Triple J Ranch

861 Sinclair Dr

Sarasota, FL 34240

**Show Manager & Secretary:**

Suzi Jennings

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**Schooling is not available on Saturday**

**Please read all the Rules and Guidelines as many are new this year to fulfill COVID-19 requirements**

**Entries Process:**

Entries will only be accepted by [www.equestrianentries.com](http://www.equestrianentries.com)

**USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards program:**

This show is recognized by the USDF for the new **USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards** program. If you wish to participate *you must submit an on-line nomination form for yourself and your horse with USDF.* For more information see: <https://www.usdf.org/awards/performance/regional-schooling.asp>

If you are interested and need more information contact Danielle Ammeson at (941) 321-2469.

**WDAA Recognized:**

This show is also recognized by the **WDAA** (Western Dressage Association of America). The show number is **20-159**.

Heather Stalker is a USEF-licensed 'R' Western Dressage judge and eligible to judge all test levels and dressage rail classes

# RULES AND GUIDELINES

## NEW FOR FALL 2020 SHOWS

### Online Entries ONLY

Online entries and payment will only be accepted by Equestrian Entries. Follow this link → <https://www.equestrianentries.com/login>. Sign yourself up to be a new member. You must also sign up your horse and your trainer. If you do not have a trainer, sign yourself up as trainer. Then, look for the show dates and select our ADA schooling show.

All entries, including non-compete or schooling horses, require a current Coggins, an ADA release, USEF release, and a Triple J release. NO entry will be accepted without all four required documents uploaded to <http://equestrianentries.com/>.

(Tip: If you don't have a scanner, simply take a photo of the signed document with your phone and upload the photo) Once your key paperwork (Coggins, liability releases, etc.) is uploaded, it is saved in your equestrian entries account and available for each show until it expires.

**Version 1:** We are emphasizing a 'show and go' framework. This means that classes may be run out of sequence and rides from one group scheduled and then another group if this facilitates classes and helps minimize social contact. Use the comments sections of the online entry form for specific scheduling requests or email Suzi at [adaentries@gmail.com](mailto:adaentries@gmail.com).

No refunds for any reason after closing date.

**Fees:** See class list for specific details. Fees are \$30.00 per horse/rider combination, per class, for Alpha Dressage Association and Southwest Florida Dressage Association members. Classes E19-23, M24-29, R76-80 are \$40.00 per horse/rider combination.

Non-members pay an additional \$5.00 per class. Think about joining to save yourself \$\$ at future shows!

There is a \$20.00 office fee per horse/rider combination.

The fee for non-competing (schooling horses) is \$20.00

The late fee is \$10 per class.

Alpha Dressage now accepts Venmo as a method of payment for shows, clinics and membership. Our Venmo User Name is @Alpha-Dressage

**Stabling is available:** Day stalls are available for \$35. Stalls will be assigned as completed entries (entry form, liability release, Coggins and payment) are received. Stall assignments will be posted at the show. You must provide your own feed, hay, shavings, and water buckets.

**Schooling:** At Triple J there is no schooling in the show arena on the day of the show. There will be no schooling the Saturday prior. (Other venues will offer this)

**Footing:** Covered clay arena 20m x 60m for training level and above tests. The arena will be 20m x 40m for all introductory tests if the number of entries warrant the change.

**Protective Headgear Rule:** Anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses and those competing in all classes and tests must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any time must be immediately prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is

defined 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.

**Riders under the age of 18 years must be accompanied by an adult while on the show grounds.**

**Correct tack will be required as defined by USEF** – i.e. smooth snaffle bits – no twisted, wire, roller, or Pelham bits. Martingales, side reins, draw reins, are not allowed. Horse boots and bandages must be removed before entering the competition arena. Dressage whip maximum length is 47.2" (120 cm) including the sash.

**Hot weather show attire is allowed.** This means any color breeches and polo shirts. T-shirts are not allowed. Age appropriate boots are also required.

**Ride times** will be emailed to each entrant and posted on the ADA website on the Thursday prior to the show. Classes will NOT run in order and rides may not be consecutive within the class to assist social distancing.

**Crew App** In order to reduce reliance on the show office for certain tasks, ADA will be using the Crew app to advise everyone of stabling, ride times, and other important announcements. Invites to download the app will be sent as entries are received.

Visit [www.crewapp](http://www.crewapp) Look for this logo  and create your sign in to be ready.

**Awards:** Ribbons through sixth place. A high point award will be presented to the highest scoring rider of the day. Scores will count toward ADA Year-End awards for the current competition year.

Any topics that are not specifically addressed in the above guidelines or any exceptions to the guidelines must be discussed with and approved by the show manager. Any violation of the show rules can result in your exclusion from this and future ADA events.

**DOGS MUST BE LEASHED AT ALL TIMES.**

## ALPHA DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION REOPENING PROCEDURES

As ADA begins the process of welcoming events back for the 2020 event season, the organizers and venues shall implement the standards below to help ensure the safety of all our members. ADA will continue to evaluate the status of the Coronavirus pandemic and update these guidelines as needed. Together, we can keep each other healthy.

### What you can expect ADA to do:

- Ensure that our events, participants and guests comply with all applicable federal, state and local regulations, requirements and orders as they relate to mass gatherings and sporting events.
- Establish social distancing configurations in areas where guests or participants may congregate. Designate with signage, tape, tables, chairs or other means, a six-foot distance for guests and staff. Space seating six feet apart for staff and volunteers.
- Encourage social distancing practices throughout the entire show grounds or event space.
- Provide Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to staff, volunteers, and other team members.
- **Strongly encourage everyone to wear masks at all times unless they are mounted on a horse or calling a test for a competitor.**
- Utilize online forms, apps, or mobile forms of payment when possible to reduce contact with participants and guests attending events.
- Provide additional wash stations or hand sanitizing stations within areas of your layout when possible.
- To not allow staff, volunteers or other individuals involved with an event on the property if they are showing signs of illness, including cough, fever, shortness of breath or loss of taste.
- To not host hospitality functions that encourages a gathering of people.
- Include additional USEF waiver information on show entry forms

### What ADA Asks of Competitors and Attendees:

- All guests must comply with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations, requirements, and orders as they relate to mass gatherings and sporting events.
- Give fellow competitors and event participants their space. Always avoid close contact with others by standing or sitting at least 6 feet apart.
- Do not congregate. Avoid congregating in areas such as the show office, barns, ringside, bleachers, seating, restrooms, or other areas.
- **Masks should be worn at all times unless mounted on a horse or calling a test for a competitor.**
- Frequently wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, especially after going to the bathroom, before eating, and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue and dispose of properly.
- Stay at home if you are sick or experiencing symptoms of illness, including fever, cough, shortness of breath, or loss of taste.
- Stay at home if you have pre-existing health conditions or if you fall into the high-risk category for COVID-19.
- If you have been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks, (14 days) stay at home.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using regular household cleaning spray or wipes.
- Abide by event's rules, regulations, and protocols.
- Practice good personal hygiene habits.
- Avoid using cash when possible for payment. Bring a credit/debit card instead or use mobile forms of payment.

Visit the CDC's website and USEF's website for the latest COVID-19 information and best prevention protocols.  
[www.cdc.gov/COVID19](http://www.cdc.gov/COVID19) or [www.usef.org/media/coronavirus-resources](http://www.usef.org/media/coronavirus-resources)

ADA Class List For 2020 Shows

**ADA Shows are Recognised by the USDF Regional Schooling Show Award Program**

**ADA Shows are Qualified for the WDAFL High Point Awards**

**Please Enter On-line at [equestrianentries.com](http://equestrianentries.com)**

Entries will not be accepted unless complete with payment, coggins and releases!

#	Class	Div	Fee
E 1	USDF Intro Level A	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 2	USDF Intro Level B	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 3	USDF Intro Level C	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 4	USEF Training Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 5	USEF Training Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 6	Buff Betts Memorial USEF Training Level Test 3*	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 7	USEF First Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 8	USEF First Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 9	USEF First Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 10	USEF Second Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 11	USEF Second Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 12	USEF Second Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 13	USEF Third Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 14	USEF Third Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 15	USEF Third Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 16	USEF Fourth Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 17	USEF Fourth Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 18	USEF Fourth Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
E 19	FEI Prix St George	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
E 20	FEI Inter 1	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
E 21	FEI Inter 2	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
E 22	FEI Grand Prix	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
E 23	FEI Grand Prix Special	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 24	USDF Musical Freestyle First Level	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 25	USDF Musical Freestyle Second Level	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 26	USDF Musical Freestyle Third Level	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 27	USDF Musical Freestyle Fourth Level	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 28	FEI Musical Freestyle TOC	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
M 29	USDF Pas De Deux TOC	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 73	USEA TOC RIDE 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
R 74	USEA TOC RIDE 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
R 75	USEA TOC RIDE 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
R 76	USEF Dressage Equitation	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 77	Intro Level Prix Caprilli	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 78	Training Level Prix Caprilli	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 79	USDF Sport Horse In Hand	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 80	Reserved for Future Use	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
R 81	Reserved for Future Use		
R 82	Reserved for Future Use		

#	Class	Div	Fee
W 30	WDAA Intro Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 31	WDAA Intro Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 32	WDAA Intro Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 33	WDAA Intro Level Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 34	WDAA Basic Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 35	WDAA Basic Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 36	WDAA Basic Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 37	WDAA Basic Level Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 38	WDAA Level 1, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 39	WDAA Level 1, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 41	WDAA Level 1, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 41	WDAA Level 1, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 42	WDAA Level 2, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 43	WDAA Level 2, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 44	WDAA Level 2, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 45	WDAA Level 2, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 46	WDAA Level 3, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 47	WDAA Level 3, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 48	WDAA Level 3, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 49	WDAA Level 3, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 50	WDAA Level 4, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 51	WDAA Level 4, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 52	WDAA Level 4, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
W 53	WDAA Level 4, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
M 54	WDAA Musical Freestyle TOC	O-A-J	\$ 40.00
G 55	Gaited Intro Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 56	Gaited Intro Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 57	Gaited Intro Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 58	Gaited Intro Level Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 59	Gaited Basic Level Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 60	Gaited Basic Level Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 61	Gaited Basic Level Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 62	Gaited Basic Level Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 63	Gaited Level 1, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 64	Gaited Level 1, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 65	Gaited Level 1, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 66	Gaited Level 1, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 67	Gaited Level 2, Test 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 68	Gaited Level 2, Test 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 69	Gaited Level 2, Test 3	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 70	Gaited Level 2, Test 4	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 71	Gaited TOC Level 3 or 4 Ride 1	O-A-J	\$ 30.00
G 72	Gaited TOC Level 3 or 4 Ride 2	O-A-J	\$ 30.00

\*The Buff Betts Memorial prize is a certificate for a free class at a future ADA show and will be awarded to the highest scoring rider across all divisions



**RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

**ALPHA DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION**

I, the undersigned, wish to participate in the Alpha Dressage Association events that occur between 9/1/2020 and 11/30/2020.

I understand that during portions of these events I will be in close proximity to one or more horses under circumstances which may expose me to some risk of injury, because of the nature of horses, the facility and the activities in which I will be engaged.

In consideration of the Alpha Dressage Association allowing my participation in this event, I, on behalf of myself and my heirs, administrators, personal representatives, assigns, children and spouse, if any, do hereby agree to hold harmless, release and discharge Alpha Dressage Association, which includes it's officers, directors, members, agents, representatives, affiliates and insurers, of and from all claims, demands, causes of action and legal liability whether known or unknown, anticipated or unanticipated, due to the ordinary negligence of Alpha Dressage Association. I shall not bring any claims, demands, legal actions or causes of action against Alpha Dressage Association for any damage or loss due to bodily injury, death or property damage arising out of my participation in these events.

**The Alpha Dressage Association has put preventive measures in place due to the spread of COVID-19, however attending this event could increase your risk of contracting the coronavirus. By entering the facility, you voluntarily assume all risk and agree that you will not hold the Alpha Dressage Association liable for any resulting illness or injury.**

**WARNING**

**Under Florida law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.**

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Signature of Participant

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Date

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Signature of Parent or Guardian

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Date

(If participant is a minor)