



## Alpha Dressage Association Schooling Show USDF Regional Schooling Show

**Show Date:** October 31, 2021  
**Entries Open:** October 4, 2021  
**Entries Close:** October 26, 2021  
**Late Entries:** *(subject to availability and payment of a late fee of \$10 per class)*

**Judge:**  
Debbie S Hill  
USDF L Graduate with Distinction

**Location:**  
Triple J Ranch  
861 Sinclair Road  
Sarasota, Fl. 34240

**Show Manager & Secretary:**  
Suzi Jennings  
21209 69<sup>th</sup> Avenue East  
Bradenton, FL 34211

**Schooling is available on Saturday at 5pm**

256-651-5950  
ADAentries@gmail.com

*Please Also Note:* We have introduced some rule changes, so be sure to read the rules on the next page

### Entries Process:

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

**Refer to class list on Equestrian Entries for a list of all classes offered at this show.**

### Halloween Classes include:

Mounted and Unmounted Costume Classes  
Freaky Free-for-all Freestyle Class  
Halloween Costumes may be worn during regular tests!!!  
Classes will have separate divisions for Junior and Adult



Come and have fun with the **Freaky Free for all Freestyle!**

This class allows any movement from any level with any combination of movements, and is to be ridden to music and **in costume if you dare!**

The only rule is that tests must be no longer than 5 minutes from initial halt move off to final halt.

Junior riders encouraged, lead lines allowed. Pas de deux, trois and quadrilles or more allowed.

Music is to be emailed in mp3 format to [ADAentries@gmail.com](mailto:ADAentries@gmail.com) by close of entries.

### **USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards program:**

This show is participating in the **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.

### **RULES AND GUIDELINES**

New rules that ADA will be enforcing:

1. JR/AA/Open divisions will be placed separately.
2. All riders must have completed all release forms, whether competing or not. (This also applies to trainers schooling client horses.)
3. Bridle numbers must be on the horse when mounted.
4. Maximum of three rides per horse/rider combination (this does not include the costume class)
5. Maximum of three classes per horse (does include the costume class)

### **Entries:**

Entries for competing and non-competing (schooling horses) must include a current Coggins.

All Riders need to submit an ADA, USEF and Triple J liability releases. If a Trainer will be schooling/warming up your horse, signed releases must be submitted via Equestrian Entries prior to the show.

Forms are found on the [www.alphadressage.org/shows](http://www.alphadressage.org/shows) website. Once your key paperwork (Coggins, liability releases, etc.) is uploaded, it is there for each show until it expires.

No refunds for any reason after closing date.

For all questions related to entries please direct them to [ADAentries@gmail.com](mailto:ADAentries@gmail.com).

**Note: The Buff Betts Memorial** is the USEF Training Level Test 3. The highest score, either Open, AA or Jr will be awarded a certificate for a free class for use at a future ADA show.

### **Online Entries**

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. If you need help, please call Suzi at 256-652-5950.

### **Fees:**

Members of ADA and SWFDA - \$30 per class

Non-members - \$35 per class

FEI, Freestyle, Prix Caprilli, In Hand classes- \$10 surcharge per class

Late Fee - \$10 per class

Office Fee - \$25 per horse/rider combination

Schooling horse - \$20 per horse

Day Stall - \$35

Overnight Stall- \$45

RV Hook-up - \$45

Costume Class - \$10

Alpha Dressage now accepts Venmo as a method of payment for shows, clinics, and membership.

Venmo User Name: @Alpha-Dressage

**Limited Stabling is available:** Stalls will be assigned as completed entries (entry form, liability release, Coggins and payment) are received. Stall assignments will be posted in the crew app. You must provide your own feed, hay, shavings and water buckets. If your horse will be staying overnight, you must make your own provisions for feeding at night and the next morning.

**Schooling:** There is no schooling in the show arena on the day of the show. **There will be schooling Saturday after 5 pm.** Hand walking in main arena is permitted before the start of show and during the lunch break.

**Footing:** Covered clay arena 20m x 60m for training level and above tests. The arena may be set to 20m x 40m for all introductory tests if the number of entries warrant the change. If so, a notification will be sent out in crew.

**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, horse boots and bandages are not allowed. Dressage whip maximum length is 47.2” (120 cm) including the sash.

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

**Ride times** will be emailed and posted on crew to each entrant and posted on the ADA website on Thursday prior to the show. Classes will NOT run in order.

**Awards:** Ribbons through sixth place. Three high point awards will be presented to the highest scoring Junior, Classical Dressage and Western Dressage rider of the day. Scores will count toward ADA Year-End awards for the current competition year.

**Concessions** will be provided at this show.



Crew App: After the closing date you will receive an invite to the group where updates, ride times, and stabling assignments will be posted.

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

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.