USEF/USDF #320886 Level 2 Dressage Competition Prize List (6/7/2023)

September 9th, 2023

VADAF Dressage at Rose Mount Farm I

Rose Mount Farm, Spotsylvania, VA

Secretary: **Competition Management:** Bettina Longaker VADA - Fredericksburg

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Opening Date: July 21, 2023

Technical Delegate:

Veterinarian: On Call

Woodside Equine Clinic

Tamla Nichols, VA

540-423-3100

Farrier: On Call

TBD

Closing Date: August 24, 2023

Night Security/Watch:

Diane Nathan 540-223-2447

CLASSES OFFERED

Class #	
Saturday	Class
10	Intro Test A
11	Intro Test B
12	Intro Test C
13	Training Level Test 1 – Opportunity
14	Training Level Test 2 – Opportunity
16	First Level Test 1 – Opportunity
17	First Level Test 2 – Opportunity
101	Training Level Test 1 – Open
102	Training Level Test 2 - Open & 2023 CBLM Q
103	Training Level Test 3 - Open & 2023 GAIG/USDF Q
104	Training/First Levels TOC – Open & 2023 GAIG & CBLM Q
111	First Level Test 1 – Open
112	First Level Test 2 – Open & 2023 CBLM Q
113	First Level Test 3 – Open & 2023 GAIG/USDF Q
121	Second Level Test 1 – Open
122	Second Level Test 2 – Open & 2023 CBLM Q
123	Second Level Test 3 – Open & 2023 GAIG/USDF Q
131	Third Level Test 1 – Open
132	Third Level Test 2 – Open & 2023 CBLM Q
133	Third Level Test 3 – Open & 2023 GAIG/USDF Q
141	Fourth Level Test 1 – Open
142	Fourth Level Test 2 – Open & 2023 CBLM Q
143	Fourth Level Test 3 – Open & 2023 GAIG/USDF Q
144	Second/Third/Fourth Levels TOC – Open & 2023 GAIG & CBLM Q
151	FEI PSG – Open & 2023 CBLM & GAIG/USDF Q
*^152	FEI Test of Choice – Open & 2023 CBLM & GAIG/USDF Q
++161	USEF/FEI Young Horse TOC (excluding 7 YO Test)
*+171	USDF Musical Freestyle TOC-Open & 2023 CBLM & GAIG/USDF Q
*172	FEI Musical Freestyle TOC – Open & 2023 CBLM & GAIG/USDF Q
*173	USDF Pas de Deux Freestyle TOC – Open & 2023 CBLM
181	Dressage Seat Equitation – Open
191	NDPC Pony Cup TOC (Training – Fourth) – Open & 2023 CBLM & USDF/GAIG Q

*Please state Level and Test on Entry Form

*^ FEI Test of Choice please note only Intermediate I, Intermediate II, Grand Prix, Young Rider Team Test and Junior Team Test may be ridden as qualifying for GAIG's/USDF Regional Championships.

++ USEF/FEI Young Horse Test of Choice Only (excluding 7 YO Test)

*+ USDF Musical Freestyle Test of Choice, please note that the Training Level Freestyle cannot be ridden as Qualifying for the GAIG's/USDF Regional Championships.

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN, WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT USEF RULE BOOK, WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANANCE THEREWITH.

DEFINITIONS/ELIGIBILITY

CBLM – Qualifying class for 2023 CBLMs. Riders must be members of a participating organization at the time of the show to be eligible.

GAIG – Qualifying class for the 2023 GAIG/USDF Championships (declare qualifying ride on entry form) – Entry fee plus additional \$15 fee required, **MUST BE PAID PRIOR TO THE START OF THE CLASS.** Effective for the 2023 regional championships, owners must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership and a USEF membership (Junior Active, Senior Active, Life, or Recorded Farm (with Active Farm Owner)). 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. 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. **Open** – Open to all Horses and Riders. Show management may split into AA's and Junior/Young Rider sections based on class size.

AA - Open to Adult Amateurs only; competitors must compete as adults from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 22 & they must hold a current USEF Amateur Card.

JR/YR – Open to Juniors and Young riders only; Individuals are eligible as JR until the end of the calendar year in which they reach 18 or YR until the end of the calendar year in which they reach 21 (specify on entry form).

MFS – USDF or FEI Musical Freestyle only; no Pas de Deux or Quadrille. Except for FEI Junior or Young Rider Freestyle entries, competitors in freestyle qualifying classes must submit a photocopy of a test verifying eligibility to enter class.

TOC - Test of Choice (specify test level on entry form). May be qualifier if proper test ridden and fees paid. **OPPORTUNITY CLASSES** - No USEF/USDF memberships or Horse ID required for Opportunity classes if entered ONLY in Intro and/or Opportunity classes. Horses entered only in Opportunity classes are exempt from the \$23 USEF fee. However, horses entered in these classes are still subject to and must comply with all D&M rules and are subject to drug testing at the competition. Riders/horses are permitted to cross-enter into other recognized classes at this show.

ENTRIES: ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY. ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION MUST BE UPLOADED AND FULL PAYMENT RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE CLOSING DATE FOR YOUR ENTRY TO BE PROCESSED. Online Entries will be processed through www.horseshowoffice.com. Individuals utilizing the online entry system for this competition do so with the agreement that they have read the OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST and agree to follow all the class specifications, requirements and conditions in the OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST. Payment by PayPal and Check Only. Entries must be received by the closing date. Mail, Telephone and email entries will not be accepted. All entries MUST include the below MANDATORY documentation:

• Current 2023 Entry Forms with current Federation Agreement and USEF Waiver. Entry form must be signed in all three required signature blocks in accordance with USEF rules, as well as signature in COACH block if applicable. Electronic signatures accepted. Competitors are reminded that USEF rules require entry forms to be signed completely in all three signature blocks. JR/YR riders are reminded to include their birth date or their entries will be returned. Junior riders CANNOT sign as Rider or Trainer. Please have your parent or guardian sign. You MUST include an emergency contact and phone # (see stabling).

- a valid negative Coggins test (through 9/11/2023). Entries will not be accepted without a current Coggins. A photocopy is acceptable provided the date, results, horse name, and vet signature are legible.
- You must also include documentation of your horse's Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus
 (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within 6 months of the show. Horses not in compliance with this rule may
 be required to leave the grounds upon request by Competition Management (GR845).
- For Musical Freestyles, please upload your Music in MP3 or WAV format with your entry documents. Please also bring two CD copies with you to the show in case of any technical difficulties.

Show management reserves the right to refuse entries, make changes, deletions or corrections as deemed necessary.

NO REFUNDS AFTER CLOSING DATE for any reason including the cancellation of classes due to Acts of God, acts of terrorism, inclement weather and/or other emergencies. Full refund minus Office Fee if the Entry Secretary is notified by email on or before the closing date.

GAIG/USDF Q FEES refunded if request received before start of class (unless applied to other indebtedness); otherwise, will be paid to USDF.

*POST ENTRIES: (received after the closing date) may be accepted on a space available basis. Must include \$50 Late Fee.

ENTRY CONFIRMATION: Entry confirmation will be EMAILED to each competitor upon processing of entry. Please check this for any errors. If you have any questions or did not receive this confirmation, contact the Secretary immediately. You must provide an emergency contact and Phone # for the RIDER during the show and if stabled, an emergency contact & phone # must be written on the stall card for each stabled horse.

A Rider's **first NO SHOW** will result in the rider being a show scratch and all their remaining rides for the show will be made available to be filled.

EFFECTIVE 12/1/22: To be eligible to compete at Federation Licensed Competitions, coaches, trainers, and legal guardians signing as coaches or trainers on behalf of their minors must be Senior Active Members in good standing, Riders and owners are eligible for one (and ONLY one) Show Pass per year. Trainers and coaches are no longer eligible to participate under a Show Pass.

SHOW OFFICE: The Show Office will be by appointment. Please text 540-222-5850 to request an appointment.

LEVELS: USDF Intro, USEF Training Level through FEI Grand Prix, USDF and FEI Musical Freestyle, including 2023 CBLM and GAIG/USDF Qualifiers.

<u>AWARDS</u>: Trophy and six ribbons in each class to be pinned Open, AA, JR/YR except for NDPC TOC and Young Horse Test. High Score Awards may be presented (if entries warrant) in the following categories: Overall High Score Open, Adult Amateur and JR/YR; High Score Level Awards for each level (Intro through Fourth); FEI High Score. Other awards may be presented at management's discretion. Management reserves the right to split/combine classes if entries warrant. Ribbons and awards not picked up at show will not be mailed. Scores below 55% not eligible for HS Awards.

National Dressage Pony Cup Championship and High Point Awards: An NDPC High Score Ribbon and Reserve High Score Ribbon will be presented to the highest (and second highest) scoring pony from class #191 on Saturday and #291 on Sunday. Only ponies with valid USEF measurement certificate to

be presented to the show secretary will be eligible. Ponies not in possession of a pony measurement card must notify show management with entry submittal that they will require an official measurement. Rider/Owner will be notified prior to the show when/where to bring Pony for measurements. All measurements will take place on the show grounds either Friday afternoon or Saturday morning (depending on TD and Veterinarian's schedule). Owner will be responsible for paying all associated costs for measurements directly to the vet plus a \$10.00 fee payable to VADAF.

Thoroughbred Incentive Program (TIPS): TIPS Awards will be presented in the following categories: Intro Level High Point Thoroughbred, Training Level High Point Thoroughbred, First Level High Point Thoroughbred, Second/Third/Fourth Level (combined) High Point Thoroughbred, FEI High Point Thoroughbred, Freestyle High Score Thoroughbred, High Score (Overall) Thoroughbred, and Young Dressage High Point Thoroughbred. It is the rider's responsibility to provide the horse's TIPS number to the show secretary with their entry. For more information on the TIPS program, please visit: https://tjctip.com.

FEES

Open Classes

\$50.00	USEF Training Through Fourth Levels, USDF Musical Freestyle
\$45.00	USDF Pas de Deux Freestyle (fee per team member)
\$60.00	FEI Levels, FEI Musical Freestyle
\$40.00	Opportunity Classes
\$30.00	USDF Introductory Classes
\$40.00	Dressage Seat Equitation
\$60.00	USEF/FEI Young Horse TOC

Other Fee	<u>s</u>
\$15.00	Change fee, once the show is scheduled.
\$15.00	GAIG/USDF Q Division Fee (must be paid before the class for score to count)
\$30.00	Non-refundable Office Fee, per entry, per day (includes number-fee)
\$23.00	USEF Fee, per horse (includes \$15 D&M and \$8 USEF fee, pursuant USEF GR 208)
	(excluding only opportunity class entrants)
\$35.00	USDF non-member fee
\$50.00	Post Entry Fee for entries received after the closing date
\$50.00	Return check fee
\$50.00	Early Arrival Fee
\$100.00	Stabling per horse or tack stall for weekend (see below) – no bedding included
\$50.00	Daily stable rate – no bedding included
\$30.00	Haul-in fee (for non-stabled horses)
\$50.00	Non-competing Horse
\$10.00	Pony Measurement VADAF Fee (competitor must pay vet directly for measurement at the
	show)
\$115.00	Campers for the weekend (10 spaces available with 30 amp electric and water)
\$10.00	Bedding per bag (available for pre-order through closing date; after closing date must order after arrival)

USEF Show Pass must pay on USEF website if eligible.

During the show, acceptable payment is cash, check or PayPal. Make checks payable to: VADAF

RETURN CHECK POLICY: Entry will be removed from the schedule, charged the return check fee and placed on the Wait List until a money order or certified check is received by the Secretary.

HEADGEAR REQUIREMENTS: 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-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, 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 USEF DR120.6. NO EXCEPTIONS. 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.

<u>USEF SAFE SPORT TRAINING REQUIREMENT</u>: If you are a USEF Competing Member 18 years of age or older you are required to complete the core Safe Sport Training within 7 days of activating your membership. If you do not complete the training, you are ineligible to participate in all USEF activities including competitions. TAKE the SAFE SPORT TRAINING at USEF.org by logging into your member dashboard.

<u>COVID-19</u>: This show will be run in accordance with the USEF COVID-19 Action plan and the current state of Virginia regulations, whichever is more protective of all participants. The show office will be by appointment only and masks must be worn while inside the show office during your appointment.

NON-COMPETING HORSES: must fill out a current entry blank & sign rider, owner, trainer, submit a current Coggins test and vaccination record, pay the \$25 non-refundable Office Fee and \$30.00 non-compete horse fee; Grounds/stabling fees are additional. Non-competing horses do NOT pay the USEF D/M fees and there are no membership requirements.

MODIFIED DRESS CODE FOR RIDERS IN OPPORTUNITY CLASSES: Riders in classes and test at all levels in Level 1Competitions, and riders in Opportunity classes in Level 2 and Level 3 Competitions, may compete wearing breeches and shirts of any color as permitted in DR12O.8. Jackets or vests of any type are allowed but not required and neckwear may be worn only if the rider chooses to compete in a riding jacket. Boots and protective headgear are required as specified in DR12O.1-6. USEF DR12O.5.

<u>FLY HOODS (EAR COVERS)</u> are permitted for all classes in order to protect horses from insects. The fly hoods should be discreet and should not cover the horse's eyes. After completion of the test, the rider or his representative is responsive for removing the fly hood to present to the designated ring steward for inspection. USEF DR121.7

FREESTYLES: The sound system will be available for testing (times to be announced at the show). You should upload your MP3 or WAV file with your online entry. Please bring two CDs with your freestyle music to the sound check in case they are needed.

ARENAS: Arena 1, 2 and 3 are outdoor rings with sand/blue stone footing (each will have a competition arena measuring, 20m x 60m). There will be one outdoor warm-up ring measuring 215' x 145' and one outdoor lunging ring measuring 100' x 200'. Both have sand/bluestone footing. Rings may be watered periodically should the weather conditions warrant.

DOGS: All dogs MUST be kept on a leash while on the show grounds. Any dog off leash is subject to a \$50 fine per USEF rules.

TIMES: Official Times will be posted on Horse Show Office www.horseshowoffice.com.

EARLY ARRIVAL/LATE DEPARTURE: Arrival time is **Noon on Friday 9/8/2023** Management reserves the right to charge an Early Arrival Fee. If you require a late departure or overnight stay on Sunday, you MUST notify the show secretary prior to the closing date. Overnight stays will incur additional stabling charges at the daily stable rate.

STABLING: \$100.00 for the weekend, arriving on Friday **noon** through Sunday. Daily rate \$50.00. NO initial bedding. Bedding available for purchase. Permanent Stalls with small half doors and stall mats. Stallions may need additional stall guards for doors. If you have a stallion you are required to also get a tack stall. Stall dimensions are 10' x 10'. It is kindly requested that if you will be leaving the show early to please let the Night Watch person know by texting 540-223-2447.

NIGHT SECURITY/NIGHT WATCH SERVICES: Night Security and Night Watch Services will be provided by Diane Nathan 540-223-2447

MEDICAL-WASTE/SHARPS CONTAINERS: In accordance with GR1210.4 sharps containers are provided in the stabling area and shall be used for disposal of ALL needles and other sharp instruments. They MUST NOT be discarded in stalls, manure pits, garbage cans or on the competition grounds. Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100 for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments.

HOSPITALITY: Food will be available on-site during show hours.

<u>DIRECTIONS</u>: directions from I-95: Take the Spotsylvania exit 126 - Rt. 1/Rt. 17 South. Turn right onto Spotsylvania Parkway. At Route 208, turn left onto 208 (Courthouse Road). Rose Mount will be on the left. Horse show entrance is the SECOND Rose Mount Farm entrance (marked – please follow signs). Physical address of show grounds: 9601 Courthouse Road, Spotsylvania, VA 22553.

HOTELS: ALL WITHIN 6 MILES OF SHOW @ Exit 126 off of I-95

Hampton Inn 540-786-5530 **Holiday Inn Express** 540-898-5500 **Candlewood Suites** 540-376-7244

AREA HOSPITALS:

Mary Washington Hospital: 1001 Sam Perry Blvd, Fredericksburg, VA 22401 (@ 9 miles from show grounds) 540-741-1100

Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center: 4600 Spotsylvania Parkway, Fredericksburg, VA 22408 (@6 miles from show grounds) 540-498-4000

Under Virginia 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 exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. CODE OF VIRIGNIA TITLE 3.1. AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE ANDFOOD, CHAPTER 27.5 EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT, VA. Code Ann. 3.1-796.130 (1994).

HOLD HARMLESS CLAUSE:

The Equine Activity Liability laws of the State of Virginia, VA Code Ann. Sec 3.2-6200-6203 state among its statutory provisions that, "NOTICE: Intrinsic dangers in equine activity, include (i) the propensity of equines to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm or death to persons on or around them; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons, or other animals; (iii) certain hazards such as surface and

subsurface conditions; (iv) collisions with other animals or objects; and (v) the potential of a participant acting in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability." No Participant nor any participant's parent, guardian, or representative shall have or make any claim against or recover from any equine activity sponsor, equine professional, or any other person for injury, loss, damage, or death of the participant resulting from any of the intrinsic dangers of equine activities. It is further understood that each owner, rider, spectator, and other participants assume any and all risks of loss or injury and agrees to hold harmless, regardless of negligent acts or omissions VADA Inc, Rose Mount Farm, USDF, USEF, its instructors, officers, directors, agents, show management, show committee, and all other horse show personnel.

VIRGINIA STATMENT OF INHERENT RISKS: Inherent risks of equine activities include, but are not limited to, the following: (i) the propensity of an equine to behave in dangerous ways which may result in injury to the participant; (ii) the inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons, or animals; and (iii) hazards of surface or subsurface conditions.

MOTORIZED VEHICLE STATEMENT: In accordance with GR9O1.29: 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(s), legal guardian(s), 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.

<u>USEF MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT</u> (GR901.9) Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above, Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage Competitions, Endurance Rides and Vaulting Competitions: (See GR828.4 of the Federation rules). 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) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR231) 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) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

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, Vaulter 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 _USEF Events (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.

ATTENTION COMPETITORS

Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct applicable numbers (USDF and USEF) for horse, owner, rider, and trainer, before the day(s) of the competition.

The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward national awards.



<u>USDF Regional Championships</u> – For the most up-to-date and complete Program Rules, please visit: https://www.usdf.org/competitions/competitions-championships/regionals/competitors.asp

<u>CBLM Championships</u> – For the most up-to-date and complete requirements please visit <u>www.cblm.org</u>

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<u>USDF Membership Benefits:</u> 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.

This competition is recognized by USDF for 2023

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.



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 three 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

 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.

USDF Statement on Animal Welfare

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of individual members and over 100 independent organizations throughout the United States, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

Dressage is a classical method of training horses, based upon the horse's natural responses, as carried out in a gradual, planned program during which the horse's athletic abilities are improved in a systematic manner. As a result, the horse becomes capable, comfortable, and responsive in partnership with the rider without the use of force. Dressage competition at various levels of achievement is the ultimate test of the training program to determine whether the desired harmony between horse and rider has been achieved.

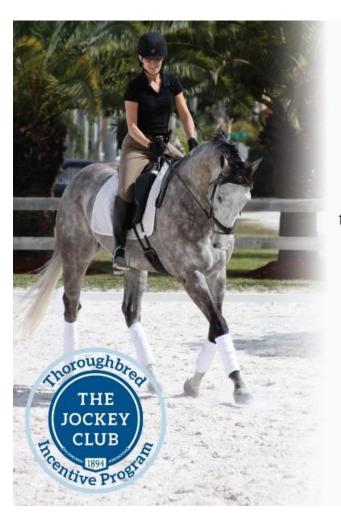
The rules pertaining to dressage competition prohibit the use of artificial appliances, training aids, and drugs, which would force the horse to submit. Instead, the emphasis is upon training and a cooperative partnership with the rider. Major competitions are carefully monitored to assure that there is no unnecessary force or harshness displayed.

Unlike other horse sports in which horses enter training at a relatively immature state, dressage training is usually not seriously begun until the horse is three or four. The top levels of achievement require five or more years of progressive training and it is not unusual to see horses in international competition in their late teens. This, in itself, places a premium on good care and soundness throughout the horse's life.

While supporting the concept of animal welfare in its broadest form, the United States Dressage Federation, Inc., also recognizes that it is unrealistic to ascribe human emotions and responses to the horse which in its wild state is a creature of flight, living a hard and precarious existence. Under domestication, the horse is assured of ample food, water, and shelter, as well as protection against infectious diseases and damaging parasites, thus leading a longer and healthier life with a high rate of survival.

As an educational organization, USDF has numerous programs, which teach people how to pursue the accepted, humane training methods. A program of certifying instructors also emphasizes protecting the horse's welfare in pursuit of dressage training.

United States Dressage Federation 4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511 Phone: 859-971-2277, Fax: 859-971-7722, usdressage@usdf.org, www.usdf.org



Ride a Thoroughbred?

Provide T.I.P. Numbers with your entries.

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Show us what your Thoroughbred can do at facebook.com/tjctip

Good luck to the Thoroughbreds and riders!



USEF SHOW PASS FAQS – EFFECTIVE 12/1/2022

Q. Currently riders competing in Academy, Walk-Trot, and Opportunity classes are exempt from USEF membership. Will these exemptions remain in place in 2023?

A. Yes, any classes or sections that are currently exempt from membership will continue to be exempt.

Q. Will the online show pass system at USEF communicate with show management software systems?

A. Yes, the USEF Show Pass information will be available live, in real time through the USEF API to show management software.

Q. Will the USEF API indicate whether someone is ineligible for a Show Pass if they have already paid for one for that year?

A. Yes, the USEF API will return information that the person is ineligible.

Q. Are riders, owners, and trainers all eligible for one Show Pass per competition year?

A. No. While riders and owners are eligible for one Show Pass, trainers and coaches are no longer eligible to participate under a Show Pass and must be an Active USEF member.

Q. Are parents that sign as the trainer or coach for their minor child exempt from membership and/or show pass?

A. No, anyone that signs an entry blank or acts as a trainer or coach must be an Active USEF member and is not eligible for a Show Pass.

Q. Are foreign competitors (citizens of other nations) with proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation required to pay a Show Pass?

A. No, non-US citizens who are members in good standing of their National Federations with proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation are exempt from payment of the Federation Show Pass fee.

Q. Can a competition accept payment from an exhibitor for a Show Pass fee?

A. No, Show Pass purchases can only be made online by exhibitors.

Q. If I purchase one Show Pass, is it good for the whole competition year?

A. No, a Show Pass is only valid for <u>one competition</u> and non-member participants (riders, drivers, handlers, vaulters, longeurs, owners, lessees, and agents) are limited to obtaining no more than one (1) Show Pass per competition year.



DRESSAGE ENTRY FORM

Show Name: VADAF at Rose Mount I & II **Show Dates:** 9/9/23 & 9/10/23

Emergency Contact Number (for horse)

Official Use Only Rev BMCI.2011.www.2

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Emergency Contact Number (for rider)											

Show Name: Competition #320886 & 327135 Show Dates: 9/9/23 & 9/10/23 (hereafter "Competition)

I acknowledge that due to the unique combination of dangerous factors associated with performing in the Competition; the stabling, exercising, and training of a large number of horses; and the presence of other competitors, trainers, owners, tradespeople, and other personnel in the area, there are inherent dangers which VADAF, Inc., the Competition management, and the Competition host facility cannot eliminate after exercising reasonable care.

In acknowledgement of the inherent risks associated with equestrian activities and with my voluntary participation associated with or in this competition, I hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless VADAF, Inc., the Competition management and the competition host facility, their owners, directors, officers, members, employees, 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 understand that entering the Competition, coming on to the grounds, and participating in the Competition constitute equine activities under the *The Equine Activity Liability laws of the State of Virginia, VA Code Ann. Sec 3.2-6200-6203.*

I acknowledge receipt of the official Competition prize list and all prize list updates.

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 agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the United States Equestrian Federation and of the Competition.

USDF Hold-Harmless Clause

I hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless USDF, 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 hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the competition management, 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 connection with, participation in this competition or related activities.



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, Vaulter 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 the 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.

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/Handler (mandatory)		
Signature	Print Name	
Owner/Agent (mandatory)		
Signature	Print Name	
Trainer (mandatory)		
Signature	Print Name	
Coach (if applicable)		
Signature	Print Name	
Parent/Guardian (required if rider/handler is a minor)		
Signature	Print Name	

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

("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").

EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT WARNING:

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.

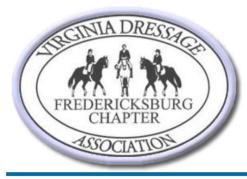
The parties agree that this agreement may be electronically signed. The parties agree that the electronic signatures appearing on this agreement are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility.

☐ 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.



Owner Name:
Horse Name:
This form may be used to for documenting Equine Influenza and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations as defined in USEF GR845.

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2023 Membership Form

VADAF is a Chapter of the Virginia Dressage Association (VADA). VADA is a U.S. Dressage Federation (USDF) Group Membership Organization (GMO); all VADA members automatically become USDF Group Members. The 2023 membership year runs from December 1, 2022 through November 30, 2023.

Name:					
Mailing address:					
Best phone number: (circle one: Work Cell Home					
Email address: USDF #					
Membership Category: Individual (Over 21 years old)					
Junior/Young Rider (21 years old or less)					
Affiliate (Member of another VADA chapter)					
If you are a member of another VADA Chapter, which Chapter is your Primary Membership?					
Family (Primary Family Member name)\$60					
Additional Family Member (name, email, USDF#)\$30					
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Friend (Eligible for educational programs/clinics and Newsletter)\$25					
Total \$					
Permission to use any photos taken at VADAF-sponsored events in newsletter: circle one: Y N Permission to publish contact information in VADAF materials (newsletter, handbook, etc): circle one: Y N Permission to release your contact information to our sponsors: vicincle one: Y N					
To be eligible for year-end awards, you must volunteer a minimum of 8 hours to VADAF. Please see handbook or contact the volunteer coordinator for more information on volunteering.					
How can you volunteer? Circle your interest: runner scorer show set up/take down scribe ring steward officer other (please specify)					