

# WORLD EQUESTRIAN CENTER APRIL DRESSAGE CDI 1\*- CDI 2\*- CDI 3\* - CDI J - CDI Y - CDI P - CDI U25 - CDI AM - CDI YH - CDI Ch Offering \$40,000 in Prize Money for CDI Classes

Opening Date: March 1, 2023 Competition Dates: April 13-16, 2023 Closing Date: April 5, 2023

USEF/USDF #342986 Level 5 Competition

Competition Address: World Equestrian Center – Ocala, 1390 NW 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Ocala, FL 34482

OFFICIAL QUALIFYING COMPETITION FOR:

2023 FEI North American Youth Championships

2023 USEF Children Dressage National Championship

2023 USEF Pony Rider Dressage National Championship

2023 Adequan/USEF Jounior Dressage National Championships

2023 Horseware Ireland/USEF Young Rider Dressage National Championships

2023 Adequan/USEF Young Adult 'Brentina' Cup National Championships

2023 Markel/USEF Young and Developing Horse Dressage Championships

2023 World Breeding Championships for Young Horses in Dressage (Five, Six, and Seven Year Olds)

2023 USEF/Para Dressage National Championships

2023 Intermediaire I National Championships

2023 Grand Prix National Championships

#### **SHOW OFFICIALS:**

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#### **CDI JUDGES**

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#### **TD and FEI STEWARDS**

USEF TD – Beth Davidson

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FEI Steward – Victoria Powers, USA

FEI Steward – Megan McGee, USA

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Online entries: www.equestrianentries.com

Mail Entries to: Teresa Uddo, 1082 Berkshire Lane, Aiken, SC 29805 Make Checks to: Arena Horse Shows of Ocala

**AWARDS:** 

CDI Classes: Six Ribbons will be awarded and a trophy for 1<sup>st</sup> place winner. A mandatory mounted award ceremony for the top three places. National Classes: Six ribbons for each class. If three or more AA or JR/YR, if three or more AA or JR/YR, divisions will be pinned separate.





#### ENTRY INFORMATION:

All entries MUST submit applicable USEF and USDF documents for rider, owner, trainer and horse, proof of EIV and EHV vaccinations dates within six months of the show, negative EIA within 12 months of the show, 14-day health certificate, a drug fee, and non-refundable office fee. Please include USEF Show Pass and/or USDF non-member fee if applicable. All entries must have three signatures including emergency information. Checks payable to Arena Horse Shows of Ocala or fill out credit card information on the entry form. All major credit cards are accepted with a 3% convenience fee. Entries can be mailed, emailed or made online at Equestrianentries.com. Emailed or online entries are only accepted with credit card as payment. Post entries will be accepted to fill scratches with a \$50 post entry fee. Completed entries will be processed in the order they are received. Refunds will be given for cancellations received in writing or email on or before closing date, less office fee. All FEI entries must submit a filled out and signed W-9 or W-8BEN tax form WITH your entry. Forms not used for prize money will be destroyed.

Unconditionally, no refunds after closing date or for 'acts of God' which require management to cancel classes or day(s) of competition. Any unused USEF or USDF fees will be refunded after any indebtedness is settled.

#### FEI HORSE APP - NEW

ALL FEI Horses must use the FEI Horse App! Riders have a lot of responsibilities to register their horses within the app and then take horses temperatures for 3 days prior to arrival at the show grounds. Horses who arrive without having done this will go straight to isolation stalls with the extra cost going to the rider and/or owner.

#### TIMES:

Times will be on the website, www.foxvillagedressage.com the Tuesday prior to the competition and posted at the show by noon on Thursday. Please email or upload music. Music must be in MP3 or WAV formats at no more than 256Kbps. Once music is received, sound check times will be given.

#### STABLING:

Permanent stalls (12' X 12') with full doors, rubber mats, fan and electrical receptacle are \$275 for duration of show. CDI (12' X 12') stabling fees are \$325 for duration of show. No initial bedding. Please note your stabling group on your entry. No refunds on stabling after closing date. CDI horses may arrive Wednesday, from 12:00 noon to 5:00 pm. National horses can arrive starting Thursday Earlier arrival and later departures must get permission from management and cost \$35/night.

#### **ACCOMMODATIONS:**

Find at www.worldeguestriancenter.com/ocala-fl/visit/stay/

Camper Hookups are available includes full hookup, ie water, sewer, electric. To reserve, contact the General Store at WEC (352) 414-7871.

#### DIRECTIONS:

World Equestrian Center – Ocala, 1390 NW 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Ocala, FL 34482

From I-75: Take Exit 352, to FL-40W for 5.4 miles. Turn right onto NW 80<sup>th</sup> Avenue. WEC will be 1.2 miles on your left.

#### FOOTING:

All classes are scheduled in large (20m X 60m) sand mixture arenas with large warmups. Separate Lunging area. All competition rings will outdoors.

#### **ENTERTAINMENT:**

There are six restaurants on grounds. Food is available on the grounds beginning 7am each day.

#### OTHER:

Farrier and Veterinarian on grounds, and contact info will be posted. All dogs must be leashed. Management reserves the right to combine, divide, or cancel classes.

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT USEF RULEBOOK WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH.

Reminder: All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement, to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at <a href="https://www.usef.org">www.usef.org</a>.

#### ENTRY FEES:

Office Charge Per Entry: \$ 50 per horse/rider combination

USEF Fee (D&M \$15, USEF \$8): \$ 23 per horse CDI Drug Fee (for CDI Horses Only): \$ 33 per horse IHP (for CDI Entries Only): \$ 35 per horse

GAIG/USDF Qualifying Fee: \$ 15 per eligible class Incomplete Entry Fee (ANY DOCUMENTS MISSING) \$ 20 per entry Non-competing Horse Fee: \$ 100 for weekend

Late Entry Fee (Entries received after closing date): \$ 25

USDF Non-Member Fee: \$ 35 for each NM Owner, Rider

USDF Affidavit: \$ 5 USDF HID: \$ 35 Return Check and/or Disputed Credit Card Fee: \$ 50

Class change, if granted by show Secretary \$ 20 per class Non-online Entry Fee (Mailed, faxed or emailed): \$ 20 per entry

National Horse Stall: \$ 275 - Thursday - Sunday
National Tack Stall: \$ 275 - Thursday - Sunday
CDI Horse Stall: \$ 325 - Wednesday - Sunday
CDI Tack Stall: \$ 325 - Wednesday - Sunday

Daily Horse Stall: (2 days or less) \$ 100 per day
Daily Tack Stall: (2 days or less) \$ 100 per day
Ship-in Fee: \$ 35 per day

FEED AND BEDDING CAN BE PURCHASED ONLINE AFTER STALLS ARE ASSIGNED. STALL ASSIGNMENTS WILL GO OUT NO LATER THEN TWO DAYS BEFORE SHOW STARTS. A LINK TO THE FEED/BEDDING ORDER WILL BE SENT OUT WITH STALL ASSIGNMENTS

#### ENTRY INFORMATION:

All entries MUST submit applicable USEF and USDF documents for rider, owner, trainer and horse, proof of EIV and EHV vaccinations dates within six months of the show, negative EIA within 12 months of the show, 14-day health certificate, a drug fee, and non-refundable office fee. Please include USDF non-member fee if applicable. All entries must have three signatures including emergency information.

Checks payable to Arena Horse Shows of Ocala or fill out credit card information on the entry form. All major credit cards are accepted with a 3% convenience fee. Entries can be mailed, emailed or made online at Equestrianentries.com. Emailed or online entries are only accepted with credit card as payment. Post entries will be accepted to fill scratches with a \$50 post entry fee. Completed entries will be processed in the order they are received. Refunds will be given for cancellations received in writing or email on or before closing date, less office fee. All FEI entries must submit a filled out and signed W-9 or W-8BEN tax form WITH your entry. Forms not used for prize money will be destroyed.

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All competition rings will be outdoors.

### 2023 CDI Class Schedule

Thu #	Fri #	Sat #	Sun #	Class Name * indicates a GAIG/USDF Regional Qualifying class Classes placed by division listed	Class Fee	With Q Fee
500				FEI Grand Prix* (CDI3*) (Qualify for GPF)	\$280	\$295
	501			FEI Grand Prix Freestyle* (CDI3*)	\$280	\$295
	502			FEI Grand Prix* (CDI3*) (Qualify for GPS)	\$280	\$295
			503	FEI Grand Prix Special (CDI3*)	\$280	
		504		FEI Intermediate A (CDI2*)	\$280	
			505	FEI Intermediate II* (CDI2*)	\$280	\$295
506				FEI Prix St. Georges* (CDI1*)	\$190	\$205
	507			FEI Intermediate I * (CDI1*)	\$215	\$230
			508	FEI Intermediate I Freestyle* (CDI1*)	\$290	\$305
	509			FEI Junior Rider Team* (CDIJ)	\$115	\$130
		510		FEI Junior Rider Individual (CDIJ)	\$115	
			511	FEI Junior Rider Freestyle (CDIJ)	\$115	
	512			FEI Young Rider Team (PSG)* (CDIY)	\$115	\$130
		513		FEI Young Rider Individual (CDIY)	\$115	
			514	FEI Young Rider Freestyle (CDIY)	\$115	
	515			FEI Intermediate II 16-25* (CDIU25)	\$115	\$130
		516		FEI Grand Prix 16-25 (CDIU25)	\$115	
			517	FEI Grand Prix 16-25 Freestyle (CDIU25)	\$115	\$130
	518			FEI Pony Rider Team (CDIP)	\$115	
		519		FEI Pony Rider Individual (CDIP)	\$115	
			520	FEI Pony Rider Freestyle (CDIP)	\$115	
		521		FEI Children Team (CDICh)	\$115	
			522	FEI Children Individual (CDICh)	\$115	
	523			FEI Prix St. Georges for Amateur* (CDIAm) Bronze Tour	\$150	\$165
		524		FEI Intermediate I for Amateur*(CDIAm) Bronze Tour	\$150	\$165
			525	FEI Intermediate 1 Freestyle for Amateur* (CDIAm) Bronze Tout	\$150	\$165
		526		FEI Intermediate A for Amateur (CDIAm) Silver Tour	\$150	
			527	FEI Intermediate II* for Amateur (CDIAm) Silver Tour	\$150	\$165
		528		FEI Grand Prix* for Adult Amateur (CDIAm) Gold Tour	\$150	\$165
			529	FEI Grand Prix Freestyle* for Adult Amateur (CDIAm) Gold Tour	\$150	\$165
		530		FEI Preliminary YH Test for 5 Year Olds (CDIYH)	\$115	
			531	FEI YH Test for 5 Year Olds – Final (CDIYH)	\$115	
		532		FEI Preliminary YH test for 6 Year Olds (CDIYH)	\$115	
			533	FEI YH Test for 6 Year Olds – Final (CDIYH)	\$115	
		534		FEI Preliminary Test for 7 Year Olds (CDIYH)	\$115	
			535	FEI YH Test for 7 Year Olds – Final (CDIYH)	\$115	

## 2023 DRESSAGE NATIONAL CLASSES

			Class Name			
Fri #	Sat #	Sun #	* indicates a GAIG/USDF Regional Qualifying class	Divisions	Class	WithQ
			Classes placed by division listed	Offered	Fee	Fee
101	201	301	USDF Intro A		\$55	
102	202	302	USDF Intro B		\$55	
103	203	303	USDF Intro C		\$55	
104	204	304	USEF Training Level Test One	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
105	205	305	USEF Training Level Test Two	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
106	206	306	USEF Training Level Test Three *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	\$70
107	207	307	USEF First Level Test One	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	4.0
108	208	308	USEF First Level Test Two	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
109	209	309	USEF First Level Test Three *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	\$70
110	210	310	USEF Second Level Test One	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	Ψ. σ
111	211	311	USEF Second Level Test Two	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
112	212	312	USEF Second Level Test Three *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	\$70
113	213	313	USEF Third Level Test One	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
114	214	314	USEF Third Level Test Two	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
115	215	315	USEF Third Level Test Three *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	\$70
116	216	316	USEF Fourth Level Test One	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
117	217	317	USEF Fourth Level Test Two	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	
118	218	318	USEF Fourth Level Test Three *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$55	\$70
119	219	319	FEI Prix St George *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$65	\$80
120	220	320	FEI Intermediare I *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$65	\$80
121	221	321	FEI Intermediare II *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$65	\$80
122	222	322	FEI Grand Prix *	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$65	\$80
123	223	323	FEI Grand Prix Special	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$65	
124	224	324	USDF Freestyle * (specify test – USDF TR to 4th) Training is not		¢55	¢70
			eligible for qualifying.		\$55	\$70
125	225	325	FEI Freestyle * (specify test)		\$65	\$80
126	226	326	FEI or Equivalent TOC * (state test – no Freestyles, Young Horse or		\$65	\$80
			Para)			
127	227	327	USEF TOC * (state test - no Freestyles, Young Horse)		\$55	\$70
128	228	328	Equitation – Dressage Seat		\$40	
129	229	329	Para Dressage TOC		\$65	
130	230	330	Para Dressage Freestyle TOC		\$65	
			Young Horse/ Developing Classes			
131	231		USEF 4-Year-Old Horse Test (Practice)		\$65	
132	232	332	FEI 5-Year-Old YH Preliminary (Practice)		\$65	
133	233		FEI 5-Year-Old Young Horse Final (Practice)		\$65	
134	234	334	FEI 6-Year-Old YH Preliminary (Practice)		\$65	
135	235		FEI 6-Year-Old Young Horse Final (Practice)		\$65	
136	236	336	FEI 7-Year-Old YH Preliminary (Practice)		\$65	
137	237		FEI 7-Year-Old YH Final (Practice)		\$65	
138	238		USEF Developing Prix St George (Practice)		\$65	
139	239		USEF Developing Grand Prix (Practice)		\$65	

			USEF Qualifiers		
145			FEI Para Grand Prix Test A TOC (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
	246		FEI Para Grand Prix Test B TOC (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		347	FEI Para Grand Prix Freestyle TOC (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		331	USEF 4-Year-Old Horse Test I (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		333	FEI 5-Year-Old Young Horse Final (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		335	FEI 6-Year-Old Young Horse Final (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		337	FEI 7-Year-Old YH Final (Markel/USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		338	USEF Developing Prix St George (USEF Qualify)	\$85	
		339	USEF Developing Grand Prix (USEF Qualify)	\$85	

#### Motorized Vehicle - GR1301.7 & GR 1301.8

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/legal guardian 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.

#### Membership Statement - 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.

#### Protective headgear -DR120.1.1

Protective Headgear. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet, which meets or exceeds current ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. 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, mounted participants in exhibition classes, and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para Dressage tests, must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. The harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until the headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear may be the same as or a coordinating color with the coat, and may include contrast coloring, accent, and crystal decoration. See DR136 for dress code rules for exhibitions.

#### Sharps Container – GR1210.4

Competition management shall place a minimum of one sharps container per each competition, whether or not stabling is provided. Additionally, at least one sharps container per fifty occupied stalls for the disposal of needles and other disposable sharp instruments in convenient locations in barns housing competition horses. It is competition management's responsibility to replace such containers when full and dispose of them properly. 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. Competition management will place a notice of this requirement either in its prize list or on a specific handout given to trainers on check in at the competition. If local law has different requirements, local law will prevail. Competitions failing to comply with placing the required number of containers on the show grounds will be considered in violation of the rules and may be subject to penalty as determined by the CEO or his designee and/or the Hearing Committee.

#### Safe Sport Reminder:

All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at <a href="https://www.usef.org">www.usef.org</a>.

#### **Equine Vaccination Rule: GR844**

At Federation licensed competitions horses, more than 7 months of age, entering the grounds must be accompanied by documentation of Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within six months prior to entering the stables. Horses not in compliance with this rule may be required to leave the competition grounds upon request by Competition Management

<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 filling 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.

Competition Division(s) and Rating(s):

Level 5



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#### 2023 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), and recognized by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a Group Member Organization (GMO) is received by April 1 of the prior year. The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF website at <a href="https://www.usdf.org">www.usdf.org</a>. Please refer to the 2023 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

#### Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

All memberships and registrations/recordings must be correct and current at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

#### Rider:

- Must have a USDF Participating\* Membership (PM).
- Must have a USEF membership (Active or Life).

#### Horse:

- Must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR).
- Must have a USEF (Annual or Lifetime) Horse Recording.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s). A horse is not required to have breed registry papers.

#### Owner:

- Must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership and a USEF membership (Active or Life Membership or Annual or Life Recorded Farm/Business). 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 and must be the owner of record with USEF and USDF.
   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.
- \* PMs are USDF members who join USDF directly. USDF Group Members (GM) are ineligible.

**Minimum Qualifying Scores:** One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for Training Level through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur and junior/young rider. FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division.

New for 2023! Combined Open/Jr/YR Freestyle and AA Freestyle classes.

The minimum percentages are as follows:

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Training Level (Test 3)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 3)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 3)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior (Team Test)	_	_	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	_	_	60%
Prix St. Georges	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	62%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%
FREESTYLE	OPEN/Jr/YR	AA	
First Level	65%	65%	
Second Level	65%	65%	
Third Level	65%	65%	
Fourth Level	65%	65%	
Intermediate I	65%	65%	
Grand Prix	65%	65%	

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# FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

Vaulter or Longeur and on behalf or of The United States Equestrian bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the under the Rules, and agree to release the Rules. I represent that I am eliging a condition of and in consideration of casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new or benefit of the competition, sport to jeopardize amateur status. I here tion, invasion of privacy, right of pulling the pulling states and the states are the the stat	f myself and my principals, represent Federation, Inc. (the "Federation e Federation and of the competition. The end hold harmless the competition, ble to enter and/or participate under of acceptance of entry, the Federation with media or other likenesses of me and or the Federation. Those likenesses suby expressly and irrevocably waive an	atives, employees and agents, I aments, I agents, I aments, I agents, I aments, I agents, I aments, I agents, I agen	the Hearing Committee on any question arising ectors and employees for any action taken under tering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable of the competition for the promotion, coverage duct and they may not be used in such a way as with such use, including any claim to compensation rules are governed by the laws of the State
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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:
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