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Happy Labor Day



Melissa Evelyn and Angelina GF Had A Big Weekend at Made in the Shade, Raeford NC

Saturday

Training Level MFS - 69.800% 3rd place

Training Level Test 2 - 72.931% 1st place

Sunday

Training Level MFS - 66.133% 4th place



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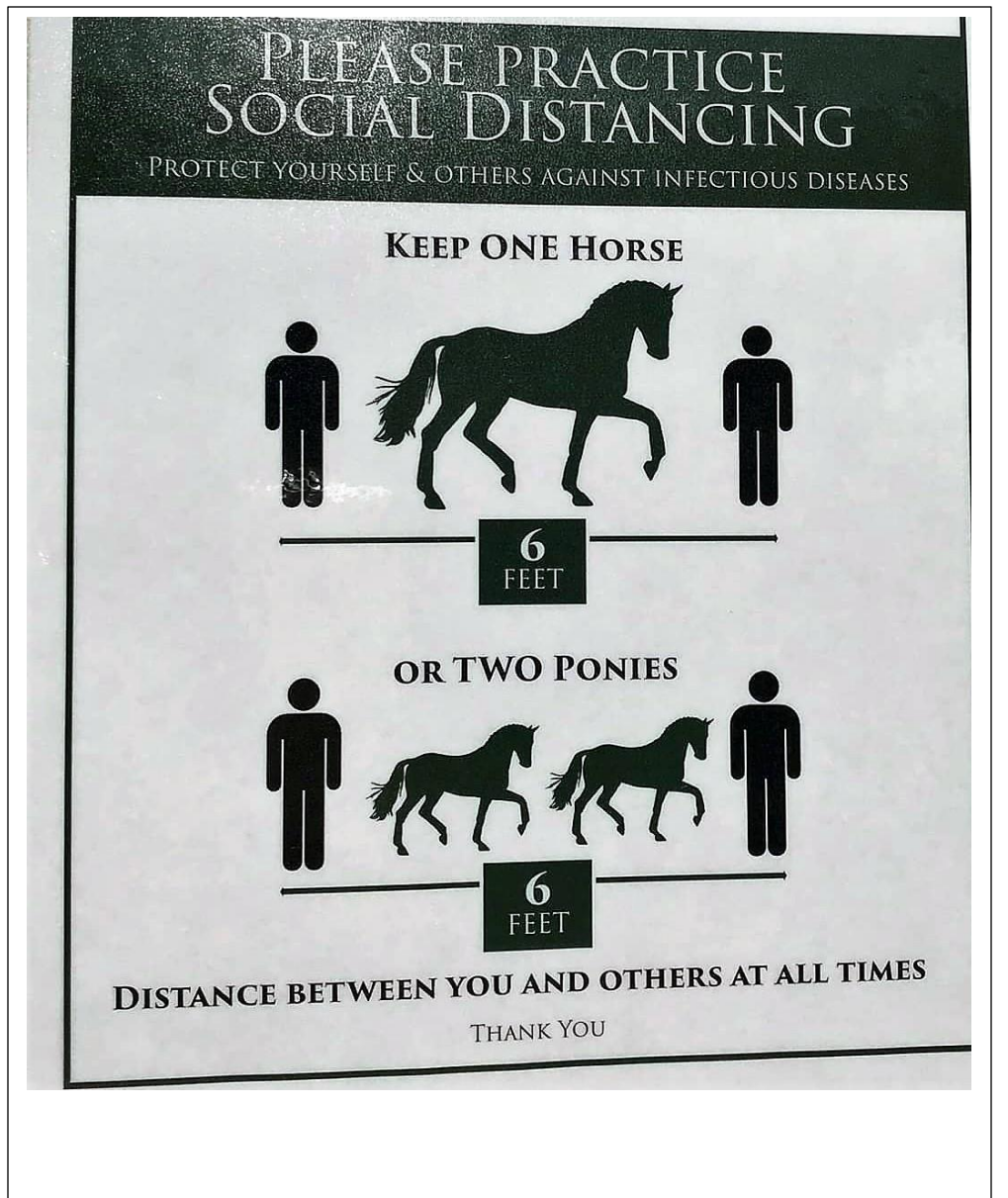
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Please be aware that for all schooling shows and clinics sponsored by SVDA - a CURRENT negative coggins must be received or you will not be allowed to participate. SVDA must submit a report listing all horses, owners and coggins accession numbers to the Va Dept of Agriculture for every sponsored event. We can not make exceptions. So please get your coggins drawn early to allow processing time so that we don't have to refuse your participation on the day of a show or clinic.



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SVDA 2021 Calendar

Schooling Show Schedule

Date	Location	Judge	Open	Close
09/26/21	* River Birch Farm – Courtland	Annmari Ingersoll, L	08/30/21	09/13/21
10/31/21	*SVDA Championship Show Wakefield 4H Center	Margaret Little "r" Beckie Mitchell 'L'	10/04/20	10/18/21

*USDF Recognized Schooling Shows

Sanctioned schooling shows

Wakefield Airfield 4-H Center

09/4-5/21

10/30/21

Crescent Bay Pony club held at Northwest River park

09/19/21

10/03/21

Deep Creek Stables

Licensed Show 2021

September

04/05 NCDCTA Labor of Love I & II

Wakefield Airfield 4-H Center

11/12 VADAF Dressage at Rosemont I & II – Spotsylvania, VA

17/18/19 Tryon Fall Dressage 1 & 2 – Mill Spring, NC

25/26

Old Mill Dressage



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- 1.2 Coats and Jackets.** A short riding jacket or cutaway coat (modified tailcoat) with short tails is permitted at any level of competition. A tailcoat is permitted in all classes above Fourth level. Any single color jacket or tailcoat is permitted and may have subtle pin striping, checks or tweeds. Striped or multi-colored jackets or coats are not permitted. Tasteful and discreet accents, such as a collar of a different hue, modest piping, or crystal decorations, are acceptable. Riders competing in Level 1 dressage competitions or in Opportunity classes are not required to wear a riding jacket or coat.
- 1.3 Vests.** Vests of any type are permitted but not required. Vests, including cooling vests, may be worn underneath a riding jacket or when jackets are waived.
- 1.3.1.** Per GR801, a body protecting or inflatable vest, specifically designed for use in equestrian sport, may be worn in any division or class without penalty from the judge.
- 1.3.2.** When the only warm-up available is open to all horses and riders, riders with safety concerns are encouraged to wear an orange vest.
- 1.4 Breeches and Jodhpurs.** White, light, or dark colored breeches or jodhpurs are permitted in competition. Bright colors or patterns are not permitted. Contrast piping is allowed.
- 1.5 Shirts and Neckwear.** Shirts with tie, choker, stock tie, or integrated stand-up collar are required. Ties, chokers, or stock ties may be any color. If jackets or coats are not worn per DR120.1.2 and DR120.2.1, shirts must be without bold pattern.

Exciting New Format Announced for 2021 Adequan®/USDF Annual Convention

For Immediate Release

Wednesday, August 04, 2021

Lexington, KY (August 4, 2021) - The United States Dressage Federation™ (USDF) has announced the new format for the upcoming 2021 Adequan®/USDF Annual Convention in Houston, TX. After the overwhelming success and positive feedback from the membership regarding the virtual convention held in 2020, USDF has revamped the live event!

The first regional meetings will be held prior to the convention, via Zoom. Holding these meetings prior to the convention allows more people to provide input, and for delegates and Regional Directors to take regional member input with them to the onsite event and meetings.

At the onsite convention in Houston, attendees will have the opportunity to take part in the USDF Council Forums that were so successful in 2020, which are being incorporated going forward. By replacing individual open committee meetings with these forum discussions, it allows attendees to not only hear about topics that are interrelated but also provides an opportunity to gain insight and provide input into the overall USDF picture and trajectory. Other highlights of this year's live event are the Friday night Salute Gala, where Lifetime Achievement, Volunteers of the Year, Rider, and Breeder of Distinction Award recipients and the Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic teams will be recognized, the ever-popular Group Member Organization Committee's Roundtable Discussions, and the can't-miss Team USA – Olympic and Paralympic Forum.

Another change for 2021 is with Annual Awards Banquet. Going forward, this annual event will be separated into two virtual events (the Adequan®/USDF Annual Awards Ceremony and Adequan®/USDF All-Breeds Awards Presentation) that will be held after the first of the year. By doing this, USDF will be able to provide more expansive and meaningful recognition to award winners, while also providing a unique opportunity and platform for its Participating Organizations to not only highlight their award recipients, but also their registry, breed, and members to a wide USDF audience. This standalone awards presentation will also provide an opportunity for 'all breeds' to get their time in the spotlight in front of the full dressage community.

USDF President Lisa Gorretta enthused, "I'm so happy that we have found a way to incorporate some of the well-received parts of the 2020 virtual convention into this and future conventions. By streamlining our structure and incorporating the virtual aspects, we have also been able to provide a conflict free experience for our convention attendees. I look forward to seeing everyone in Houston; we will have much to discuss and some big decisions that will guide our future and keep us moving on a forward track!"

To access a draft convention agenda and registration/hotel information, or to learn more about what the 2021 event has to offer, visit the USDF website at www.usdf.org/convention. For any questions related to the convention, please contact the USDF office at eventregistration@usdf.org or by phone at (859) 971-2277.

Volunteer Hours

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	Total
Barczak	Mary	4
Barnard	Karen	13
Behrns	Erin	2
Behrns	Kylie	2
Bingham	Sydney Leigh	9
Bliefernich	Kim	45
Bliefernich	Randy	6
Bouvier	Kate	11
Bowden	Debbie	4
Butterfield	Aimee	6
Celia	Laura	8
Corrice	Wendy	16
Craney	Linda	14
Darden	Eileen	20
DeCant	Sharon Dukes	11
Dennis	Sydney Leigh	8
DeWilde	Ellie	4
Diehl	Catherine	6
Edmundson	Reeta	8
Enoch	Elise	6
Evelyn	Melissa	12
Felton	Barbara	21
Gardner	Katherine	16
Gibson	Lora	37
Gladden	Laura	3
Gonyo	Carol	8
Grimes	Evelyn	16
Groszek	Rachel	7
Hall	Harriett	21
Harper	Amanda	15

Hayden	Stacy	8
Hehl	Alexis	5
Henkle	Addison	4
Henkle	Alyssa	4
Hipp	Pinky	8
Holbrook	Darla	10
Hughes	Ben	8
Hughes	Aiden	8
Hughes	Hope	6
James	Tammy	12
Jamison	Melissa	10
Jensen	Charlene	28
Jensen	Dahlia	11
Jensen	Emma	6
Jensen	Lynn	2
Kane	Ken	4
Kelso	Whitney	24
Knick	Kate	30
Lantiegne	Kari	8
Larson	Bethany	1
Leslie	Rachel	5
Lovejoy	Michael	12
Martin	Ingrid	20
Meeks	Holly	6
Meranda	Toni	16
Metz	Christine	10
Miller	Sarah	21
Miller	Katie	13
Miller	Ava	6
Mumford	Janice	14
Mumford	Janice	3
Needham	Caroline	12

Nunnally	Robyn	19
Ortiz	Victoria	3
Owens	Chris	11
Owens	Katherine	14
Parsons	Cookie	62
Payton	Mary	8
Penland	Ray	8
Petroski	Amanda	16
Pettet	Nancy	18
Pluim	Roberta	4
Pope	Eliana	8
Potter	Andrea	4
Potter	Chloe	1
Ripple	Beth	8
Rouse	Kathy	8
Shannon	Randie	8
Simon	Janai	10
Smith	Joanne	8
Stewart Alison		4
Stokke-Nelson	Cathy	16
Sweetman	Debbie	17
Toby	Sandy	24
Walker	Stephanie	9
Walters	Hannah	24

Show schedule for 2022

As of Sept. 9, 2021

March

05/06 Raleigh Winter Dressage – Raleigh, NC
12/13
19/20
26/27 March Magic Dressage – Williamston, NC

April

02/03 Springtime Dressage – Raeford, NC
09/10
16/17
23/24 Prime Time Dressage – Raeford, NC
30/30 Dressage at the Meadows I – Doswell, VA

May

01/01 Dressage at the Meadows II – Doswell, VA
07/09
14/15 Raleigh Spring Dressage – Raleigh, NC
21/22 Lexington Spring Dressage – Lexington, VA
28/29

June

04/05
11/12 Summertime Blues – Pinehurst, NC
VADA/NOVA Summer – Leesburg, VA
18/19
25/26 Dressage at the Park I & II – Raeford, NC

July

02/03
09/10
15/16/17 Dressage at Lexington – Lexington, VA
23/24
30/31 Raleigh Summer Dressage I & II

August

06/07
13/14 Made in the shade I & II – Raeford, NC
20/21
27/28

September

03/04 NCDCTA Labor of Love I & II
10/11 VADAF Dressage at Rosemont I & II – Spotsylvania, VA
17/18 Tryon Fall Dressage 1 & 2 – Mill Spring, NC
24/25

October

01/02
08/09
15/16
23/24
29/30

November

05/06
12/13
19/20
26/27

