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## A NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT



As show season is slowly coming to an end, I am proud that SVDA has had many successes through the Covid-19 pandemic and continues to conquer the challenges we have faced. I would like to continue as SVDA President and I want to thank all the members for their faith in me, leading the way. It has been quite a learning experience and there have been many uphill battles that we have been able to overcome. I had some goals when I took office, and we exceeded all expectations. Our membership is up, we have excellent sportsmanship and comradery, along with 17 juniors being interested in the junior championship this year which ended up being virtual due to Covid.

We have made some great upgrades also!! We have a new Website which is more user friendly, we have online show entries and PayPal. We had virtual shows which helped a lot of riders throughout this show year. We also have our membership roster posted on our website, so

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those that join multiple clubs and must pay for more than one membership can check to see if their membership with SVDA is current.

We are working hard to make the Championship show even better than last year!! Neck ribbons, awesome prizes, and great fun for everyone. Do not forget Marie Taylor has a sanctioned show the day before championship, so it is a great time to get those practice rides in!! I look forward to seeing everyone at the show.

Thank you all for the opportunity and honor of serving as SVDA President. I strive for nothing less than excellence for our membership.

Cookie

## **Subject: Great American Insurance Group/USDF Region 1 Dressage Championship and Virginia Dressage Fall Competition**

### **Virginia Dressage Association (VADA) Sponsorship Team**

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The Virginia Dressage Association (VADA) will be hosting the "Great American Insurance Group/USDF Region 1 Dressage Championships and VADA Fall competition" on 8-11 October 2020, at the Virginia Horse Center, Lexington, VA. It will be under vastly different circumstances from the previous years. It will be the ultimate goal by the competition management to provide a safe environment for competitors, judges, volunteers, and staff by complying with COVID-19 protocols. VADA has made modifications aligned with USEF/USDF, State, and Virginia Horse Center guidelines for the October 2020 show format. There will be a limited number of vendors inside/outside with proper social distancing, an online show program, no spectators, wearing masks are required, and a limited hospitality venue. To review/print the GAIG/VADA Fall Competition 2020 Sponsorship Opportunities brochure, please [Click Here](#).

In July, VADA hosted "Dressage at Lexington" with tremendous success. We had over 200 competitors thrilled to be back showing. The Virginia Horse Center did an extraordinary job ensuring a safe environment. Everyone entering the horse park was required to complete a COVID-19 waiver, daily temperature check at the front gate, and grounds cleaning. There were a total of 6 vendors present, that commented how well the show was orchestrated under the new guidelines, felt extremely safe, observed competitors taking everything in stride in the new normal and wearing masks, and sales were profitable. It is our hope those vendors who were reluctant to participate in July will reconsider attending in October. The online show program was well received and readily available to all competitors with a click on their phone. Take a look at the [DAL Show Program](#). The ads were very vibrant and advertiser's/sponsors website links embedded in the show program.

**The deadline to submit the GAIG 2020 Sponsorship Agreement is 14 September.** If you are interested in becoming a sponsor, please reply to your intent to Nancy Doody ([ndoody15@gmail.com](mailto:ndoody15@gmail.com)). Sponsorship Agreement forwarded to Nancy Lowey, 10062 Barnetts Ford Road, Orange, VA 22960, with a check payable to Virginia Dressage Association by the deadline.

To discuss sponsorship and ideas not outlined, please do not hesitate to contact the VADA Sponsorship Team. Stay safe and healthy. Hope to see you in October!

Warmest Regards

Nancy Doody and Nancy Lowey

# SVDA 2020 Calendar

## Schooling Show Schedule

Date	Location	Judge	Open	Close
09/27/20	SVDA Schooling Show Make up show			
10/18/20	<b>SVDA Championship Show</b> Wakefield 4H Center	Carol Bishop @'C' Robyn nunnally@'B'	09/21/20	10/05/20

### Sanctioned schooling shows

#### Wakefield Airfield 4-H Center

Oct. 17, 2020

#### Crescent Bay Pony club held at Northwest River park

Oct. 4, 2020

### Licensed Show 2020

10/8.9.10.11	GAIGs Lexington, VA
10/18	<b>SVDA Championship Show</b> Wakefield 4H Center
10/24.25	CBLM Williamston, NC

### Scholarship Report

By Robyn Nunnally

I recently was awarded \$400 for an SVDA scholarship. I used those funds to get some lessons from our fabulous local "S" judge, Kathy Rowse, and fabulous "R" judge, Carol Bishop, who comes monthly to our area from her home in Gastonia, NC.

It has been quite a while since I have ridden with Kathy. Kathy always has many fun and helpful exercises for your position, of which I was in dire need. Thanks to old age and just plain old bad habits, I don't sit evenly so we did some seat work to get things more balanced and moving freely. Then we worked on getting Siam's shoulders and hips to move left and right while maintaining a steady balance. We also worked on keeping her shoulders straight while changing bend and flexion; it's so easy to overbend the neck and let the balance fall down to the outside. Of course one crucial element is to keep your reins shorter. I think I have heard that before once or twice!

Kathy also helped me with my understanding of the walks. In third level and above, the extended walk is demonstrated. Fortunately, my horse has a clear and adjustable walk so we were able to go back and forth between the free and extended walks so that Kathy could explain and I could feel what was correct vs. incorrect for both. It doesn't really matter which walk you are doing – in any level, you should ride it every step: maintain good activity and stretch – and never just consider it "break time". This was an excellent educational opportunity for me to not only improve my riding, but also improve my judging.

In previous lessons with Carol, Siam was starting to offer a few half steps, which for me is something new and very exciting. We have been working on making her go really sideways and always stepping under rather than just pushing over. As she became more generous with her hind leg activity, we started adding some quarter turns while still insisting that she step well under. As these got stronger and more balanced (and the rider got braver), we progressed to a 8 – 10 meter half turn and were rewarded with a couple of "passage-y" steps. It was really fun to feel a horse come up through their shoulders like that! Carol also constantly reminds me to do my transitions on a small circle which helps me keep my big horse better balanced instead of going splat and on the forehand.

I am grateful for the vast dressage expertise we have at our fingertips. I have had a lot of excellent and productive lessons from a large amount of clinicians but the lessons that I take from judges such as Kathy, Carol, and Janice Mumford are the ones that challenge me the most and keep me moving forward.

Many thanks to SVDA for this opportunity to take some extra lessons. If you would like to be the next recipient of this scholarship, contact me to volunteer at a schooling show and get started on your hours!

## GEORGE WILLIAMS CLINIC

### (Patience on a Trampoline)

By Kimberly Bliefernich

To meet George Williams is quite an opportunity! To ride with him is an honor! As he is the US Equestrian Dressage Youth Coach and member of the FEI Dressage Committee, I was a little intimidated to say the least. I mean, I'm a 50 something year old lady with my 22 year old spicy and smart purebred black Arabian and we are just starting our 1<sup>st</sup> level year. But as soon as I started watching him instruct other riders, I immediately relaxed. And that was a big part of what we worked on, relaxation.

Relaxation is one of the foundations for training in dressage and I found out immediately how helpful it can be. George was definitely the person to teach it. He was very kind and patient. We started out by suppling and bending at the walk and trot to get Rodeo rhythmic and through his back while pushing underneath with his hind leg. George had us do some slight inside flexion with inside leg aid while on a 20 meter circle encouraging Rodeo to step with his hind leg underneath while also softening his ribcage, neck, and over his back. Once Rodeo was soft, we worked on pieces of the test from 1<sup>st</sup> level test 3.

My favorite exercise/tool and take away was for the canter to trot transition. In 1<sup>st</sup>-3 within the test there is movement that asks for that specific transition (FXH canter with a change of lead through the trot over X). George had us ride it a couple times. Rodeo would get strong at the canter at the beginning of the movement and each time we would go for the transition to trot, I had to struggle, wrestle, and really pull on the reins (which I hate doing) and he would throw his head up because he just insisted that when you go across the diagonal at the canter it's supposed to be a lengthening...NOT a canter transition to trot. Uggghh! But George would reassuringly say, "That's alright, that's ok" and patiently help me adjust myself and my overly smart and spicy Arabian.

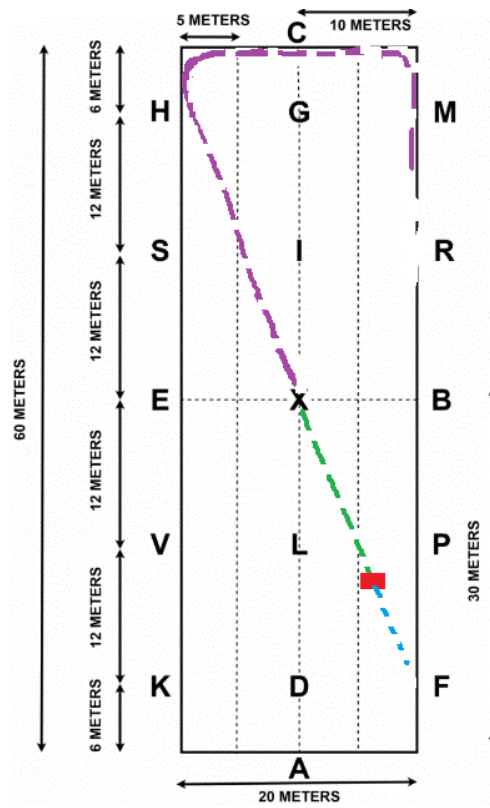
So to fix this we did this exercise. We cantered the short side and down the diagonal as usual. But before we got to the transition we prepared with several half-halts, slowing my seat down, then down to the trot and IMMEDIATELY halt. No matter how ugly it looked or felt, no matter how much Rodeo flipped his head up and insisted, George said, "its ok. It's alright". We halted immediately. We did this several times repetitiously. Then walked off down the other short side of the arena, picked up our trot, then canter, and down the diagonal again in Canter, trot, and halt fashion. After several times of this, we got softer and softer and easier and easier. By the end of the exercise we were able to put it together and Canter trot canter with no head tossing and complete relaxation. It was wonderful.

So wrapping this up, I bet you are all wondering about my title. Well, if anybody knows my Rodeo, they know he has one of the springiest trots around. And well, George decided I needed to start sitting Rodeo's trot because in 1<sup>st</sup> level it's an option to sit the trot and 2<sup>nd</sup> level you MUST sit the trot... Let's just say that my first attempt for sitting Rodeo's trot during most of the clinic was...well...like being a bobble-head on a trampoline with uncontrollable seizures throughout my body! George watched me, smiled and with kind patience, carried on his instruction saying, "Its ok! It's alright". I went away from the clinic feeling inspired! George Williams is a true horseman and I can't wait to go to his next clinic!

**Canter Trot Halt Exercise** (Can be done on any diagonal and straight line)



Canter short side, then diagonal HXF. Trot at X. Then Halt after a few strides of trot. Halt should be maintained for a few seconds. After Halt. Be sure horse is supple and round then walk off straight for a few strides.



Kim and Rodeo at George Williams Clinic



## Dressage at Rose mount

Sandy Johnson Toby and Absolute Charm  
Training Level test 2 65.690% 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
Training Level test 3 61.724% 5<sup>th</sup> place

Lorna Parsons and Absolute Charm  
Training Level test 2 59.828% 4<sup>th</sup> place

Kathryn Bouvier and So Very Valentino  
First Level test 2 58.714% 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
First Level test 1 62.414% 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
First Level test 2 59.429% 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
First Level test 1 65.517% 3<sup>rd</sup> place

Kate Knick and Laughlin  
Training Level test 3 70.345% 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
Training Level test 3 65.690% 1<sup>st</sup> place  
First Level test 1 67.414% 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
First Level test 1 66.379% 2<sup>nd</sup> place

Kate Knick and Seabra  
Training Level test 1 67.500% 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
Training Level test 2 66.379% 1<sup>st</sup> place  
Training Level test 1 65.000% 1<sup>st</sup> place  
Training Level test 2 66.379% 4<sup>th</sup> place

Kate Knick and Violets 'R Blue  
USDF MFS 64.700%  
USDF MFS 60.267%

Joanne Smith and YZE K  
Fourth Level test 2 59.342% 3<sup>rd</sup> place  
Fourth Level test 1 59.359% 4<sup>th</sup> place  
Fourth Level test 1 63.974% 2<sup>nd</sup> place  
Fourth Level test 2 55.789% 2<sup>nd</sup> place



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## Fall Clinic, General Membership Meeting and Discussion with Lehua Custer, L Graduate with Distinction

We are very pleased and happy to announce that our Fall Clinic will take place on Friday-Sunday, October 2-4, 2020, followed by our General Membership Meeting on Sunday, October 4, 2020 at 1 p.m.

This is a great time for our clinic as weather will be cooler and we will be preparing for Championships and fall shows.

Our Clinician and Guest Speaker for our General Membership Meeting will be Lehua Custer, L Graduate with Distinction. The topic of our meeting will be: Overcoming Fears and Obstacles in Riding! This discussion will include active participation from the audience. Please be prepared to ask questions or share experiences if you so desire.

### About Lehua:

Lehua worked and trained with the legendary Olympian, breeder, Judge and Trainer Hilda Gurney at Keenridge for 10 years, after being offered a job at her first lesson. During that time Lehua started countless horses, trained many up to FEI and she earned all of her USDF medals. Her incredible journey with FJ Ramzes began before he turned one and she has solely developed him. For the last two years, the talented pair trained with US Team Coach, Debbie McDonald, for preparation for international Grand Prix competition. She is currently riding with Ali Brock with hopes to represent the US in the very near future. This team is certainly one to watch and even Carl Hester mentioned he'd want to have FJ Ramzes in his barn!

Lehua teaches students of all levels and ages with a special interest in helping riders ride their own horse up the levels and push past any mental barriers. She truly has a "you can do it!" optimism. Her students have enjoyed many successes to include Regional Championship victories! Lehua particularly enjoys the experience of training non-traditional breeds to FEI. Lehua competed at National competitions in both Dressage and in Arabian breed divisions. A horse she purchased one day after birth, is now a licensed stallion and won the 2019 3-year old Colts and Geldings class at Dressage at Devon. The pair was invited to the USDF Young Horse Prospect Forum in 2020 and were extremely well received. This exciting duo is set to take the Young Horse classes by storm!

This is an exciting opportunity to ride with a USDF Certified Instructor who also holds a B.S. in Psychology.

### Other accolades:

- USEF Developing Riders List
- 2x Carol Lavell Advance Dressage Prize Winner (\$25,000 Grant from The Dressage Foundation)
- USDF Finals 3rd Level Champion

Clinic will be held Friday and Saturday, from 8 a.m.-5p.m., Sunday from 8 a.m.-11 a.m. with General Membership Meeting on Sunday, October 2, from 1 p.m.-3 p.m.

As always, rides are scheduled on a first come, first served basis. Please submit all entries no later than Friday, September 11, 2020 for the clinic. Please also RSVP for the General Membership Meeting no later than Friday, September 18. Please do not wait to RSVP as early responses really help in the planning process.

If you wish to enter, please follow this link for clinic entry form: [https://storage.googleapis.com/wzukusers/user-34964955/documents/62afaeb8d28847f48e142d4d5e37907d/SVDA%202020%20Clinic%20Entry%20Form%20-%20Custer.pdf?fbclid=IwAR22L59eXcw34-SIXaC2YshSjAAxEZeCTJnjCiLCS\\_YncoCSZGN82tg2eMc](https://storage.googleapis.com/wzukusers/user-34964955/documents/62afaeb8d28847f48e142d4d5e37907d/SVDA%202020%20Clinic%20Entry%20Form%20-%20Custer.pdf?fbclid=IwAR22L59eXcw34-SIXaC2YshSjAAxEZeCTJnjCiLCS_YncoCSZGN82tg2eMc)

Event has been created on the SVDA Facebook page. The link to the entry form is also posted in the body of the Facebook invitation as well as on the SVDA website.

The event will be hosted by Laura Gladden at Seahorse Run, 2733 Whaleyville Blvd, Suffolk, VA 23434.

This is a lovely location with a large covered arena, outdoor arena and plenty of space to warm-up prior to your ride time.

Thank you Laura Gladden for hosting this event for us again this year!

We will also need volunteers to assist with this clinic. This is a great way to get some hours toward year end awards!! Please email me if you wish to volunteer for this event [lorahowgib@gmail.com](mailto:lorahowgib@gmail.com).

At this time of COVID-19 we still expect to be following social distancing and all guidelines that apply to any SVDA event/show. General Membership Meeting is expected to be in the covered arena (weather permitting). Please bring a chair. Lunch arrangements will be made based on COVID-19 status at that time, more information to follow as we get closer to the event.

We look forward to seeing you all!

Lora Gibson  
Clinic Chair

## VADA MINUTES – CONFERENCE CALL MEETING 09-23-2020

Members present: Bettina Longaker, President (C'ville), Sheli King, Vice-President (NOVA), Jessie Ginsburg, Treasurer (NOVA), Alison Douglas, Secretary (Central), Sherri Booye (C'ville), Sandy Tobey (SVDA), Anne Draine (NEVADA), Robyn Nunally (SVDA), Angie Stanaway (NEVADA), Laura Nelson (SWVADA), Beth Rippel (SVDA), Dianne Boyd (NOVA), Diane Nathan (NEVADA), Eleszabeth McNeel (C'ville), Joanne Collins (F'burg), Denise Lennon (SWVADA), Nancy Lowey (C'ville), Nancy Doody (C'ville), Rachel Rice (NOVA)

The meeting was called to order at 8:03.

Anne Draine made the motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting. Sandy Toby seconded, and the Board approved unanimously.

**Treasurer's Report** – Jessie reported that the balance is around 200K but that's without a lot of show expenses and includes show income.

**GAIG Show:** October 8-11- Tina reported that there are no USDF finals so we want to make this show special. Dianne reported that there are number of new COVID requirements- two people will act as compliance officers monitoring social distancing and the mask requirements. We will have several more volunteers for eyes on the ground. There are more specific requirements on who can attend- it's essential personnel only. No extra family members and this will be monitored in the barn area. It is a full seven ring show with four rings of championship rings which is a first. This becomes a challenge with judges and scribes, especially on the hill. We will stage 10x10 commercial tents as needed with partitions and weather protection sides. VHC has more permanent food trucks and the café in the coliseum will be open. Alison Campbell will do volunteer lunches with online ordering. We are changing protocol for the awards ceremonies which will involve competitors dressing their own horses with the ribbons and then come ready for the ceremony. There will be no dog costume contest. Rachel is still looking for a lot of volunteers. Each person will have their own hotel room. She needs a few more scribes and runners but especially stewards. There are also spots for helping volunteer check in, food service and awards. Sheli reported that participation in the awards ceremonies is encouraged but not mandatory and riders must wear masks. There will be more specific times to limit the amount of people will be in the area. We will announce when and where people can pick up the ribbons and awards. When competitors pick up their ribbons, they will be asked if they want to attend the awards ceremonies. Nancy Lowey and Nancy Doody are winding up their sponsorships. They raised almost \$8K with 15 vendors as of now. Tina reported that we have 1017 rides as of now with four rings on Thursday, and seven rings starting on Friday with three championship rings. Saturday will have the night class championships and four championship rings. Sunday will be six rings with four rings being championship classes.

**2020 USDF Annual Virtual Convention:** If you are a paid VADA member, you can attend all the meetings. Visit the USDF website for more information.

**Chapter Updates:** C'ville is planning another schooling show before year end. Fredericksburg had a successful licensed show. NOVA also had a successful licensed show in August and is having their championship schooling show on October 31<sup>st</sup>. SE is having a clinic this fall and is also planning to have their annual membership banquet in person. SW is having an eventing combined schooling show Oct 18<sup>th</sup> and a cavelleti schooling show the 24<sup>th</sup>. They are going to have a trail ride as part of their awards meeting.

**2021 VADA Banquet:** Joanne Collins is working on ideas for awards.

**Shel Gafford Award:** Sheli is the coordinator. She only wants email submissions. She'll then consolidate and send to each chapter. Each chapter is then responsible for submitting the chapter result back to Sheli.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 8:54pm

Next meeting will be held via teleconference on Oct 21<sup>st</sup> at 8 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Alison Douglas



# REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP'S AWARDS CEREMONY PROTOCOL

- A mounted awards ceremony will be held for each Championship class.
- The times for each awards ceremony will be posted on [www.horseshowoffice.com](http://www.horseshowoffice.com) no later than Wednesday noon as well as throughout the barns.
- Participation in the awards ceremony is strongly encouraged, especially for class champions and reserve champions, but is not mandatory.
- Riders not intending to participate in their awards ceremony must notify the VADA representative at the time they pick up their ribbon/award.
- Riders placing in a championship class **must** pick up their ribbon and if applicable, other awards **PRIOR** to their designated awards ceremony. Awards pick-up will be in the Show Office. Note that all tests are picked up at the Awards Table on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Anderson Coliseum.
- Riders not intending to participate in their awards ceremony must notify the VADA representative at the time they pick up their ribbon/award.
- Riders participating in their awards ceremony must arrive in the small warmup area adjacent to the Anderson Coliseum 5 minutes prior to their designated award ceremony time.
- Riders/horses must be in proper show attire, with ribbons affixed to the right side of the bridle. Instructions for securing ribbons will be provided. Leg wraps are permitted.
- Riders may choose to participate in the ceremony on any horse, but horse and rider must be in proper show attire as described above.
- **An unmounted rider is permitted with prior permission from the Awards Coordinator. No unmounted horses allowed. Rider must be in proper show attire.**
- **All persons participating in the awards ceremony, INCLUDING RIDERS, must wear masks.**
- All riders participating in an awards ceremony will have their photo taken and will then have the opportunity to participate in a victory lap should they so choose or may exit the coliseum prior to the victory lap.
- **Questions regarding these procedures? Contact Sheli King, Awards Coordinator at 703-868-9062**





## Virginia Dressage Association (VADA)

VADA Rules, Guidelines, and Best Practices for its competitions at the Virginia Horse Center under current social distancing and other Federal, State, and Local Requirements.

*Updated September 20, 2020*

This is a working-document for VADA-Specific protocol to ensure the safest environment possible for our competitions. We will continue to update this protocol as we receive updates and information from USEF, USDF, and local authorities.

### VADA 2020 COVID-19 Rules, Guidelines, and Best Practices

VADA has prepared the following list of Rules, Guidelines, and Best Practices in preparation for VADA hosted 2020 competitions. The objective of this document is to familiarize competitors of COVID-19 protocol that must be adhered to at all VADA hosted competitions. Failure to follow the guidelines may result in expulsion from the show grounds.

The VADA competition management has taken into consideration the size of Virginia Horse Center, and the number of attendees, but have concentrated our efforts and protocol requirements in the areas that will cause the greatest challenges for social distancing - Show Office, Stabling Area, and Warm-up areas.

We believe these guidelines are well within our scope to institute and enforce during our competitions. We will update these guidelines as needed based on State and Local Government requirements and/or recommendations from other local environmental health and public health agencies. Updates will be posted at VADA website [virginiadressage.org/](http://virginiadressage.org/).

#### Resources:

Visit [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov) or [www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/](http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/coronavirus/) to learn ways to prevent and avoid exposure to COVID-19.

The USEF has provided extensive guidelines for competitions. These resources are located at <https://www.usef.org/media/covid19-toolkit>.

The Virginia Horse Center Foundation COVID-19 Guidelines as well as the VHC COVID-19 Response Plan can be found at <http://vahorsecenter.org/>.

#### VIRGINIA HORSE CENTER ACCESS – COVID-19 WELLNESS

1. Any person with known or suspected symptoms of COVID-19 or who has been exposed to a person with symptoms of COVID-19 (cough, shortness of breath, or fever) should follow self-quarantine protocol or will be barred from or removed from the grounds.
2. All Individuals should monitor their temperature daily and should not enter the premises if presenting with a temperature of 100.4 or higher.
3. All individuals, including participants, VADA competition staff, officials, and volunteers, **must** wear a mask or face covering while on the show grounds. The only exception is when mounted on a horse. Handlers in DSHB classes are not required to wear mask or face covering when inside the competition area. If you have a medical/ADA issue, refer to the USEF Action Plan for the procedure to document your issue and receive USEF dispensation.
4. Upon entry into the horse center, the VHC staff will request everyone to complete a health check questionnaire, sign a VHC waiver, and have temperature taken by a VHC staff member. Please allow yourself ample time for this process.
5. All individuals should monitor their temperature daily and should not enter the premises if presenting with a temperature of 100.4 or higher.

6. All competitors and support personnel are responsible for monitoring their own personal and family health prior too, during, and after attending a competition. If anyone who was present on the competition grounds test positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of the conclusion of the competition must notify VADA Safety Coordinator (Dianne Boyd, 703-850-9704) immediately.
7. The competition is only open to competitors, essential support personnel (e.g., owner, trainer, coach, parent, one groom/assistant), completion staff, officials, service providers, and volunteers. All support personnel associated with a horse must be listed on the entry form and sign the USEF waiver. NO other family members, relatives, friends are allowed on the show grounds.
8. Barn access is restricted to essential personnel associated with a horse, vets, braiders, night watch, Show Staff/Officials.
9. **NO SPECTATORS** will be allowed on the show grounds.

#### **ARRIVAL AND CHECK-IN**

1. Following VHC health assessment at the front gate, proceed directly to the VHC Stable Office to obtain a stall assignment(s) and to complete the emergency contact form. Along with receiving stall assignment, a VADA representative will be present in the Stable Office Lobby to issue a competitor package. In the event an entry is not complete, contact Bettina Longaker (text/phone 540-222-5850) to set up an appointment to finalize entry. Please note the show office will not be open to competitors. *Appointment only.*
2. Ride times will be posted on the HorseShowOffice.com [horseshowoffice.com/](https://horseshowoffice.com/)
3. Class results are available on HorseShowOffice.com [horseshowoffice.com/](https://horseshowoffice.com/) and via text messaging. Note: To receive text messaging feature contact Bettina Longaker (text/phone 540-222-5850) for set-up assistance.

#### **SHOW GROUNDS FACILITY**

1. Practice social distancing (6' feet between individuals) at all times. Do not congregate.
2. Immediate Household Groups must be identified by filling out the Immediate Household Identification Form and receiving an identifying wristband. This will permit those individuals to be closer than 6 feet. Masks **MUST** still be worn.
3. All individuals should frequently wash hands or use hand sanitizer with 60% alcohol. Hand washing and disinfection stations are available throughout the show grounds.
4. Restrooms, touchpoints, and common areas will be cleaned by VHC personnel and sanitized throughout each day of the competition.

#### **STABLING**

1. VADA will arrange stabling so there is the appropriate social distance between trainer groups. Use only your entrance to your aisle to access your stalls. Do not enter aisles/stabling areas of other trainer groups.
2. All individuals must wear mask or face covering, maintain social distancing, and limit group size to ten (10).
3. Encourage handwashing or hand sanitization before entering the stabling area. Sanitization stations will be located throughout each barn.
4. VHC personnel will regularly clean and disinfect high contact areas in each barn throughout the day. Do your part to keep the barns clean and dispose of trash in receptacles.
5. Trainers are responsible for the conduct and adherence to the protocols for their clients and staff.
6. Groom and tack your horse in the stall. Not in the barn aisle. Mount and dismount outside the barn.

#### **SCHOOLING AND WARM-UP RINGS**

1. Competitors must check in with the ring steward and adhere to show protocols.
2. Schooling and warm-up rings will be monitored by a ring steward to ensure rings do not become overcrowded and social distancing practiced.
3. During competition hours, rings will be limited only to riders warming up for the upcoming class.
4. Trainer and/or support personnel coaching a rider in the competition area must be mindful of practicing social distancing and other groups.
5. All individuals must wear a mask and/or face covering at all times on the show grounds unless mounted.

#### **COMPETITION AND EQUIPMENT CHECKS**

1. Show braiding is optional.
2. Readers must wear his/her mask to read the test to the competitor.

3. A Ring Steward will make a visual equipment check for a prescribed number of class competitors. NOTE: ALL competitors in a Championship class will be checked. There will be a designated whip measuring area located on the fence with tape defining the allowed whip length. If any questions arise regarding equipment checks, a TD will accompany the competitor back to the barn and/or a selected area to discuss the issue.

#### **OPEN CLASS AWARDS**

1. Open Class Awards are located on the concourse near the Show Office end of the coliseum.
2. ALL tests (both Open and Championship) will be picked up with the Open Class Awards.
3. All individuals **MUST** have Class Number to pick-up test(s) to minimize competitor/volunteer interaction and expedite the process.
4. Social distancing will be practiced with signs located at the entry to the awards area outlining social distancing requirements and test pick-up procedures. There will be social distance floor decals/tape defining the 6' separation as well as direct guidance for "IN and OUT" of the Awards Area.
5. A maximum of 10 individuals in line at one time practicing social distancing. If the number exceeds, individuals will be kindly asked to return at a later time.
6. Designated Awards area hours are 9:00 a.m. – TBA (1 ½ - 2 hours) after the last class for the day. Tests not picked up for that day will be scanned/mailed to competitors.
7. Ribbons will not be mailed.
8. All individuals must wear a mask and/or face covering to pick up test, prize, and ribbon.
9. Gloves are available to wear for picking up test, award, and ribbon.
10. Awards tables will be regularly sanitized throughout the show.

#### **GREAT AMERICAN/USDF CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS**

1. Great American/USDF Championship Awards and Ribbons (but not tests) Pick-Up will be in the Show Office.
2. Awards Ceremonies will be held but are not mandatory. Please let the Awards Coordinator know if you will be attending.
3. Riders are responsible for picking up their ribbons and awards prior to their awards ceremony so they can dress their horses.



## **VADA COVID-19 Emergency Response Plan**

Updated 9/20/2020

The VADA COVID-19 Emergency Response Plan outlines the responses to a COVID-19 situation during the competition. Included in this plan are preparation actions taken, planned protocols to COVID-19 situations and contact information. This plan is based on the requirements of the USEF (<https://www.usef.org/media/covid19-toolkit>).

This plan utilizes the Virginia Horse Center Foundation Pandemic Preparedness and Response Plan (<http://vahorsecenter.org/>) as the basis for the protocols in this document and that plan is incorporated by reference into this document.

### **Emergency Facilities, Personnel and Contact Numbers**

Event Name: Dressage at Lexington

Event Location: Virginia Horse Center, Lexington, VA

Show Manager: Dianne Boyd, 703-850-9704



Safety/COVID-19 Response Coordinator: Dianne Boyd, 703-850-9704

On Site EMT: Contact through Show Secretary or call 540-464-2971

VHC Security: 540-784-0156

USEF Contact: Katlyn Sacco, ksacco@usef.org

Local Health Authorities: Rockbridge -Lexington Health Department, 300 White St. Lexington Va. 24450, 540-463-185

Local Health Facilities:

Carilion Stonewall Jackson Hospital  
1 Health Circle Lexington, VA 24450  
540-458-3300

Velocity Care  
110 Houston St. Suite D Lexington, VA 24450  
540-462-3950

Rockbridge Area Health Center  
25 Northridge Ln. Lexington, VA 24450  
540-464-8700

Velocity Care  
735 Steeles Tavern Rd. Raphine, VA 24472  
540-887-3100

## COVID-19 Situation Protocols

### Arrival at Virginia Horse Center

- Virginia Horse Center personnel will check temperature and ask health check questions of all participants arriving at the facility each day
- If a participant has a temperature of 100.4° or above, exhibits symptoms of COVID-19 or has been exposed to someone with COVID-19 or symptoms, they will be asked to leave the facility immediately and not be allowed beyond the front gate.
- If participant requests additional evaluation, the EMT will be called to evaluate the participant further, including verbal questions and additional temperature evaluation. EMT shall determine if participant had a temporary situation and will be allowed to come on the show grounds.
- If a participant is turned away, competition management will immediately inform the USEF TD and USEF office.
- Each participant permitted to come on the grounds must sign a facility waiver and complete a health check questionnaire.

### During the Competition

- If a participant is notified of potential contact to someone with a positive COVID test, they should immediately contact Show Management or the EMT.
- If a participant experiences signs of illness or injury, they should immediately contact Show Management or the EMT.

- If the EMT determines that the symptoms are potentially COVID-19 related, the patient will be moved to the VHCF Isolation bus for further evaluation.
- If transportation to nearest medical facility is needed for evaluation and testing, EMT will arrange for local EMS transport.
- Safety/COVID-19 Resource Officer will coordinate with the affected participant's Emergency Contact/Trainer (if Rider) to determine actions needed to facilitate the participant's departure from the show grounds.
- Safety/COVID-19 Resource Officer will coordinate with VHC personnel to determine needed disinfection of areas where the patient was on the show grounds.

### **After Competition**

- Any participant, including staff, officials, and volunteers, who experiences potential COVID-19 symptoms or is tested positive for COVID-19 within 14 days of leaving the competition must immediately notify the Show Manager, Dianne Boyd,

### **Communication Protocols**

- Show Management will maintain current and emergency contact phone numbers and emails for all show participants.
- Communication will be via text, email, Show website to all participants. Separate communication will be made to the facility, USEF and local health officials
- In the event of an incident:
  - Safety/COVID-19 Resource Officer will notify any other participants that have been in contact with the affected individual and recommend that they self-quarantine for the next 14 days.
  - All other participants that have been at the facility will be notified by email that a participant has exhibited COVID-19 related symptoms or tested positive for COVID-19, keeping the person's identity protected. The communication will include what steps the show management is taking to protect the health of the other participants.
  - Communication of the incident will be provided to the USEF.
- For any incident, the Show Manager is the key contact for situation analysis and decision making.
- The Show Manager in collaboration with the VADA President will lead media activities and all external communication as well as respond to rumors on social media.

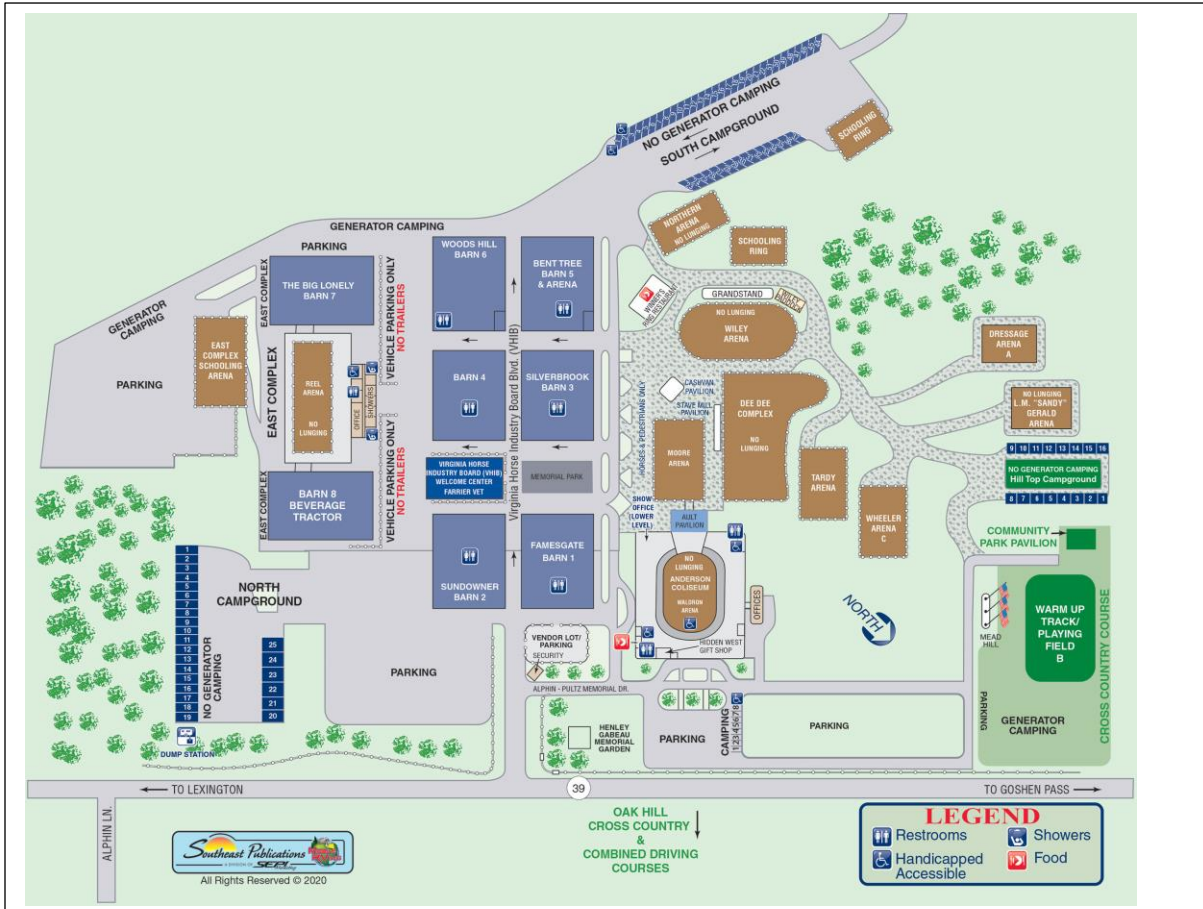
### **Training**

- Training will be provided prior to the start of the show.
- Training material consists of web-based documents for the VADA COVID-19 Guidelines and Rules, the VADA COVID-19 Emergency Response Plan, the VHCF COVID-19 Rules and Guidelines and the VHCF COVID-19 Response Plan.
- Zoom calls will be held with each participant group to go over all the required materials and answer any questions.

### **Enforcement Authority**

- Show Management, the USEF Technical Delegate and VHCF staff have the authority to deny access to participants who are showing COVID-19 Symptoms and to remove anyone from the grounds who does not adhere to all rules and regulations.

- The Show Manager, in consultation with the USEF Technical Delegate has the authority to disqualify any participant for not following USEF rules and to ask VHC Security to remove them from the grounds.



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 USDF "S" Judge  
 USDF "L" Faculty Member  
 USDF Bronze, Silver & Gold Medalist  
 Grand Prix Rider, Instructor &  
 Trainer  
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**SCHOOLING SHOW VOLUNTEER POSITIONS – 2020**

**Date:** October 18, 2020

**Entries Open:** 09/21/2020

**Entries Close:** 10/05/2020

**Location:** Airfield 4-H Center, Wakefield, VA

**Entry Secretary:** Wendy Corrice, 5709 Holy Neck Road, Suffolk, VA 23437; [wendylanem@gmail.com](mailto:wendylanem@gmail.com); 757.779.2882 **ONLINE ENTRIES PREFERRED**

**Lunch & snacks for C Judge:**

**Lunch & snacks for B Judge:** Robyn Nunnally

**Show Secretary AM:** Toni Meranda

**Show Secretary AM Assistant:**

**Show Secretary PM:**

**Scoring AM:**

**Scoring PM:**

**Scribe AM for C Judge:** Cristin Bertolino

**Scribe PM for C Judge:** Cristin Bertolino

**Scribe AM for B Judge:** Christine Metz

**Scribe PM for B Judge:** Toni Meranda

**Scribe AM for Ring 2 Judge:** Evelyn Eidem

**Ring Steward AM:**

**Ring Steward PM:**

**Ring Steward Ring 2:**

**Runner AM:** Mary Barczak

**Runner PM:**

**Ring Steward Ring 2:**

**SVDA Rep AM:**

**SVDA Rep PM:** (transport boxes back to Kathy Rowse's):

<b>2020 Volunteers</b>	
	<b>Totals</b>
Jamee Albright	3
Beth Anderson	10
Mary Barczak	4
Karen Barnard	21
Kylie Berhns	8
Cristin Bertolino	6
Kim Bliefertich	6
Paul Bliefertich	2
Debbie Bowden	8
Krista Bryant	8
Linda Cannon	5
Laura Celia	13
Jen Cobb	5
Nicole Connolly	8
G2 Corrice	3
Wendy Corrice	27
Laurie Curtis	10
Eileen Darland	14
Reeta Edmondson	16
Evelyn Eidem	15
Elise Enoch	4
Emily Esposito	5
Kaylee Esposito	5
Lesley Esposito	10
Melissa Evelyn	30
Barbara Felton	11
Jamie Fenley	5
Demity Ford	7
Mr. Demity Ford	7
Susan Forester	7
Beth Galbraith	5
Katherine Gardner	10
Cheryl Gaylord	3
Lora Gibson	13
Carol Gongo	8
Ed Hipp	3
Pinky Hipp	21
Aiden Hughes	4

Ben Hughes	9
Hope Hughes	4
Melissa Jamison	20
Charlene Jensen	23
Dahlia Jensen	12
Emma Jensen	1
Whitney Kelso	22
Maureen Lawrence	2
Michael Lovejoy	9
Pam McGeough	4
Holly Meeks	7
Christine Metz	11
Toni Meranda	20
Ava Miller	7
Katie Miller	7
Sarah Miller	20
Tammy Moore	23
Janice Mumford	23
Carolina Needham	12
Robyn Nunnally	24
Maria Oshea	2
Chris Owens	12
Katy Owens	8
Lorna Parsons	17
Ray Penland	8
Amanda Petroski	8
Nancy Pettet	14
Beth Rippel	16
Kathy Rowse	21
Randie Shannon	6
Shannon Schell	2
Nancy Slack	4
Kaitlin Slimak	4
Joanne Smith	38
Jessica Stallings	16
Deb Sweetman	12
Sandy Toby	27
Stephanie Walker	11
Haley Wyles	2



# Airfield Classical & Western Dressage Series

Open to all Breeds

2020

Dates: \*\* August 8 – Sandy Johnson-Toby

\*\*August 9 – Annmari Ingersol

\*\*September 19 – Annmari Ingersoll September 20 – April Rivers

\*\*October 17 – Jane Kelly

Show Manager/Secretary

Marie Taylor

23034 Dabney Mill Rd.

N. Dinwiddie, VA 23803

804 314 5216

dabneymill@aol.com

Entry Fees

Tests \$25

PreIntro \$15

Six Feet \$15

\*\*\*Triangle \$15

\*\*\*Must wear approved Helmet

**Checks Payable to: Airfield 4-H Conf Center**

**Stall/Tack Stall Fee:**

\$25 Fri-Sat

\$25 Sunday (Payable to SVDA)

Bedding available \$6.00 per bag (Pellets/Easy Bedding)

**Lodging/Camper Spaces:**

Available on site by contacting Airfield 4-H Conf Center All

shows are sanctioned by: Ne-VADA

\*\* shows are sanctioned by: SVDA

**No refunds after Tuesday before show unless space can be filled.**

# Airfield Classical & Western Dressage Entry Form/2020

Date of Show: \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed \_\_\_\_\_ Color \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Sex \_\_\_\_\_

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_ Rider \_\_\_\_\_ Division O, A, J, G

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Stall(s) \$25 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Bedding @ \$6 per bag \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Tests \$25, \$15 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Total \_\_\_\_\_

Mail Entry To: Marie Taylor

23034 Dabney Mill Rd., N Dinwiddie, VA 23803

NOTE: No refunds after Tuesday before show



# UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™

USDF

## Regional Schooling Show Awards Program Rules

### General Information:

1. Program year is December 1 through November 30.
2. Scores may be earned in any USDF region.
3. Late nominations, applications and results submissions will not be accepted.

### Rider Eligibility & Requirements:

1. Rider must have a USDF Group Membership that is recorded by the Group Member Organization (GMO) at the time the scores are earned.
2. Riders affiliated with an International GMO must declare a USDF region.
3. Owner must have at least a USDF non-member number at the time the scores are earned.
4. Horse must have at least a USDF Horse Identification Number at the time the scores are earned.
5. Rider must submit a one-time yearly online nomination and \$35 nomination fee for each horse/rider combination no later than 14 days after the last day of the first competition. The nomination fee must be paid annually.
6. Riders may change their division status during the program year. A rider's status will be determined at the end of the program year.
7. Rider must submit scores to USDF online no later than 21 days after the last day of the competition.
8. Only USDF members in good standing are eligible to compete in the USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards Program and receive awards.

### Award Divisions & Levels:

1. Four award divisions will be recognized per region:
  - a. Open: from the beginning of the calendar year the rider reaches age 22, not a USEF Adult Amateur (AA), not a non-professional.
  - b. Junior/Young Rider (Jr/YR): up until the end of the calendar year the rider reaches age 21.
  - c. AA: from the beginning of the calendar year the rider reaches age 22 and possess a current USEF AA card.
  - d. Non-Professional: from the beginning of the calendar year the rider reaches age 22, not a current USEF AA, not a professional.
2. Seven levels (freestyle, pas de deux and quadrille not included) will be recognized per division. Exception: only 6 levels are recognized in the open division:
  - a. Introductory (only in Jr/YR, AA and non-professional divisions)
  - b. Training
  - c. First
  - d. Second
  - e. Third
  - f. Fourth
  - g. FEI – combination of Prix St. Georges, Intermediate I, Intermediate II and Grand Prix scores.



3. Equivalencies listed in the current *USDF Member Guide* are eligible. Tests not listed as equivalencies will not be eligible.
4. Preliminary standings will be ranked using a median of all eligible scores and will be available on the USDF website.
5. Final awards standings will be based on the rider's region of primary residence in the USDF database as of November 30.

**Score requirements:**

1. Introductory Level:
  - a. Must have a minimum of five scores
  - b. From three different judges
  - c. From three different competitions
2. Training through Fourth Levels (levels may not be combined to meet requirements):
  - a. Must have a minimum of five scores
  - b. From three different judges
  - c. From three different competitions
  - d. At least one score must be earned from the highest test of the level
3. FEI Level (levels may be combined to meet requirements):
  - a. Must have a minimum of four scores
  - b. From three different judges
  - c. From three different competitions

**Prizes:**

1. Up to ten placings per division/level will be recognized.
2. Ribbons will be mailed to the rider.
3. Certificates will be available online.

**Competition Management Requirements:**

1. Any non-USEF-licensed/non-USDF-recognized competition may participate.
2. To participate, competition management must submit online application and \$25 participation fee to USDF at least 30 days prior to the start date of the competition.
3. The prize list must be submitted to USDF no later than 14 days prior to the competition.
4. Competition judges must be one of the following:
  - a. Current USDF L Graduate, with or without distinction (highly recommend USDF L Graduates with distinction), which has met USDF continuing education requirements and Safe Sport training. USDF L Graduates with distinction are eligible to judge FEI classes.
  - b. USEF or FEI-licensed or retired dressage judge.
5. FEI classes must be judged by USEF or FEI-licensed or retired dressage judges or USDF L Graduates with distinction.
6. Competition arenas must be in compliance with US Equestrian DR 126 for level 1 competitions.
7. Competition results must be submitted to USDF via the USDF Electronic Results Submission Standard (ERSS) format (using the USEF Universal Spreadsheet Template) no later than 21 days from the end date of the competition.



## Airfield Conference Center Equine AGREEMENT

Airfield Conference Center (Airfield) ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION This document waives very important legal rights. Read it carefully before signing.

In consideration for Airfield Conference Center permitting me to participate in this Competition, and by signing the entry blank, I agree as follows:  
**I AGREE** that I choose to participate voluntarily in this Competition, as a rider, driver, handler, lessee, owner, agent, coach, trainer, junior exhibitor, or as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor. **I AM FULLY AWARE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HORSE SPORTS AND PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION INVOLVE SERIOUS RISK OF HARM INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, RISKS OF ACCIDENT, SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, BROKEN BONES, HEAD INJURIES, TRAUMA, PAIN, AND SUFFERING, AND PROPERTY DAMAGE. I ASSUME ALL RISKS OF HARM TO ME, MY HORSE OR MY PROPERTY.**

**I AGREE** for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to release Airfield Conference Center(Airfield), Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech), the Competition, the facilities leased by the Competition and the owner(s) of the facilities, and all of their respective officers, officials, directors, employees, agents, personnel, volunteers, affiliated organizations and insurers (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any and all claims for damage, loss, or injury to myself, other persons, horses or other property belonging to me to the fullest extent permitted by law that arises out of or relates in any way to the Competition and my participation in the Competition INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DAMAGES, LOSS, OR INJURY RESULTING FROM ANY ACTS, FAILURE TO ACT, NEGLIGENCE OR NEGLECT OF OTHER ENTRANTS, THE RELEASED PARTIES, THEIR CONTRACTORS OR INVITEES, as well as for theft, vandalism, fire, other casualty damage, or damage arising out of any defects in the premises.

**I AGREE** to indemnify and hold harmless (that is pay all losses, damages, attorneys fees and costs of) the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, demands, penalties, actions, losses, costs, damages, injuries, liabilities and obligations (including attorneys fees) of whatsoever kind and nature, which may be asserted against or incurred by any of them as a result of (1) my participation in the Competition or (2) any act, failure to act, or neglect (a) by me, my agents, employees, riders, handlers, trainers, coaches, drivers, contractors or invitees, or (b) by any animal owned or exhibited by me or in my custody or control.

**I AGREE** that Airfield has the sole right to control, sell, supervise or give away (or assign to others the right to do so) the exclusive rights to broadcast, televise, reproduce, transmit and disseminate all or part of this event, and I agree that Airfield may use or assign, in any way Airfield sees fit, photographs, films, videos, audios, cablecasts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the Competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the Competition or Airfield. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way which implies endorsement of any company, product, product category or service. 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.

By signing below as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and agree to all of the above provisions, and further agree to assume all of the obligations of this Airfield Assumption of Risk, Release and Indemnification personally and on behalf of the child. This Airfield Assumption of Risk, Release and Indemnification is governed by the Laws of the State of Virginia and is intended to be interpreted as broadly as possible. I agree that exclusive jurisdiction and venue (place) for any legal action against Airfield, Virginia Tech, its officers, directors, employees, volunteers or agents shall be in the local district courts or the federal court of the State of Virginia. If any part of this agreement is determined to be unenforceable, all other parts shall remain effect. .

**I AGREE** in consideration for my participation in this Competition to the following: I AGREE that the "Federation" and "Competition" as used herein includes the Licensee and Competition Management, as well as all of their officials, officers, directors, employees, agents, personnel, volunteers and Federation affiliates.

**I AGREE** that I choose to participate voluntarily in the Competition with my horse, as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, trainer, or as parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor. I am fully aware and acknowledge that horse sports and the Competition involve inherent dangerous risks of accident, loss, and serious bodily injury including broken bones, head injuries, trauma, pain, suffering, or death. ("Harm").

**I AGREE** to hold harmless and release Airfield, Virginia Tech, and the Competition from all claims for money damages or otherwise for any Harm to me or my horse and for any Harm of any nature caused by me or my horse to others, even if the Harm arises or results, directly or indirectly, from the negligence of the Competition.

**I AGREE** to expressly assume all risks of Harm to me or my horse, including Harm resulting from the negligence the Competition. I AGREE to indemnify (that is, to pay any losses, damages, or costs incurred by)the Competition and to hold them harmless with respect to claims for Harm to me or my horse, and for claims made by others for any Harm caused by me or my horse while at the Competition. I am entitled to wear protective equipment without penalty, and I acknowledge that Airfield strongly encourages me to do so while WARNING that no protective equipment can guard against all injuries. All junior exhibitors 18 & under must wear a protective helmet. If I am a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and AGREE to all of the above provisions and AGREE to assume all of the obligations of this Release on the child's behalf I represent that I have the requisite training, coaching and abilities to safely compete in this competition.

**BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE** to be bound by all applicable Airfield Rules and all terms and provisions of this entry blank and 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.

Owner <b>** Mandatory</b>	Print Name	Signature
Rider 1 <b>** Mandatory</b>	Print Name	Signature
Rider 2	Print Name	Signature
Rider 3	Print Name	Signature
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	Signature
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	Signature

**\*\*\*\*\* EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER FOR EXHIBITOR**

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SVDA Schooling Show, 27 Sep 2020, Sterling Meadows

Judge: Janice Mumford, L Grad

3755 Indian River Road, VA Beach, VA 23456

Time	Test	Number	Rider	Div	Horse	Points	Score	Placing
<b>LEGAL</b>								
<b>FIRST</b>								
	Test 1							
8:00	189	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Ferro	190.00	65.517	2	
8:07	179	Holy Meeks	AA	Romantic Reelfeed (Bentley)	178.00	61.379	3	
8:14	11	Jenna Kalbenaki	AA	Provenance	178.00	68.226	1	
8:21	813	Elise DeWise	JR	Full of A's	202.00	69.965	1	
(1124)	198	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Carlotta	170.00	65.517	2	
(1131)	869	Amanda Petroski	AA	Catalina of Deer Haven	170.00	65.517	2	
(1138)	298	Michael Lovejoy	AA	Pinchazo	170.50	60.362	4	
<b>TRAINING</b>								
8:28	3	189	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Ferro	ROO	ROO	ROO
<b>TRAINING</b>								
8:35	1	944	Brooke DeCant	AA	Rock the Sea	162.00	62.307	1
<b>FOURTH</b>								
8:42	1	181	Joanne Smith	AA	YZE K	238.00	61.026	1
<b>INTRO</b>								
8:50	128	Caroline Needham	O	Angry Bird	94.00	58.750	3	
8:56	342	Mackenzie Smith	JR	Moe (Risky Business)	99.00	61.875	6	
9:02	188	Jennifer Cobb	O	Our Boy KC	101.50	65.312	2	
9:08	108	Kellani Roberts	JR	Snickers	100.50	62.813	5	
9:14	162	Haley Wyles	JR	Cat Fifty-five	103.50	64.187	3	
9:20	312	McKinley Smith	JR	Hamilton	102.00	65.750	4	
9:26	303	Addison Henkle	JR	Midnight Flyer	109.50	68.437	1	
9:32	228	Aiden Hughes	JR	Daniel Boone	101.50	67.188	2	
9:38	191	Caroline Needham	O	Free Willy	106.50	66.562	1	
<b>AM Break</b> 15 min								
44-9:59								
<b>FOURTH</b>								
10:00	2	181	Joanne Smith	AA	YZE K	235.00	61.842	1
<b>FIRST</b>								
10:08	2	179	Holy Meeks	AA	Romantic Reelfeed (Bentley)	228.50	65.285	3
10:15	180	Katherine Gardner	AA	Home Run	233.50	66.714	1	
10:22	173	Jennifer Cobb	O	Little Sorrow	221.50	66.143	2	

Time	Test	Number	Rider	Div	Horse	Points	Score	Placing
<b>TRAINING</b>								
10:29	3	191	Caroline Needham	O	Free Willy	178.50	61.552	4
10:36	198	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Carlotta	205.00	70.440	1	
10:42	207	Alyssa Henkle	JR	Wiley Coyote	191.50	64.834	1	
10:49	11	Jenna Kalbenaki	AA	Provenance	201.50	69.433	1	
10:56	182	Haley Economy	JR	Ryker's Reign	155.00	63.448	4	
11:03	848	Caroline Needham	O	Sky's the Limit	132.50	62.821	3	
11:10	813	Elise DeWise	JR	Full of A's	170.00	69.655	3	
11:17	193	Kaylee Esposito	JR	Mare Blu	179.00	61.724	2	
(1228)	189	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Ferro	202	64.655	2	
<b>FIRST</b>								
11:24	1	196	Chelsea Lynn Tracy	O	Carlotta	ROO	ROO	ROO
11:31	869	Amanda Petroski	AA	Catalina of Deer Haven	ROO	ROO	ROO	
11:38	298	Michael Lovejoy	AA	Pinchazo	ROO	ROO	ROO	
<b>INTRO</b>								
<b>A</b>								
11:45	188	Jennifer Cobb	O	Our Boy KC	103.50	64.187	2	
11:51	162	Haley Wyles	JR	Cat Fifty-five	102.50	64.062	1	
11:58	108	Kellani Roberts	JR	Snickers	101.00	65.135	2	
12:04	312	McKinley Smith	JR	Hamilton	98.50	61.563	3	
12:10	178	Mary Barczak	AA	Spicy	104.50	66.563	1	
12:16	183	Roberta Plum	AA	Free Willy	102.50	64.063	3	
<b>FIRST</b>								
<b>3</b>								
12:22	180	Katherine Gardner	AA	Home Run	221.00	61.167	4	
12:29	111	Kaitlin Simak	O	Deep in de Nile	228.50	65.472	2	
12:36	869	Amanda Petroski	AA	Catalina of Deer Haven	229.50	63.750	1	
12:42	173	Jennifer Cobb	O	Little Sorrow	223.00	61.944	3	
<b>40-110 Lunch</b> 30 min								
<b>INTRO</b>								
<b>C</b>								
1:10	128	Caroline Needham	O	Angry Bird	115.00	57.500	2	
1:16	303	Addison Henkle	JR	Midnight Flyer	121.50	65.750	2	
1:22	194	Leah Covington	JR	BOLD TO IMPRESS	124.00	65.000	1	
1:28	108	Kellani Roberts	JR	Snickers	83.00	57.500	1	
1:34	162	Haley Wyles	JR	Cat Fifty-five	83.00	57.500	2	
1:40	342	Mackenzie Smith	JR	Moe (Risky Business)	121.00	65.500	1	
1:46	228	Aiden Hughes	JR	Daniel Boone	124.00	67.000	1	
1:52	948	Caroline Needham	O	Sky's the Limit	137.50	68.750	1	
<b>SECOND</b>								
<b>1</b>								
1:58	61	Madisyn DeCant	AA	Arrested GatorGirl	211.00	57.027	1	
<b>TRAINING</b>								
<b>2</b>								
2:05	207	Alyssa Henkle	JR	Wiley Coyote	192.50	66.379	2	
2:12	944	Brooke DeCant	AA	Rock the Sea	179.00	61.724	3	

Time	Test	Number	Rider	Div	Horse	Points	Score	Placing
2:19		298	Michael Lovejoy	AA	Pinchazo	194.00	66.896	1
<b>MSF Training</b>								
2:26		193	Kaylee Esposito	JR	Mare Blu	202.00	67.333	1
<b>WDAA Basic Test 1</b>								
2:36		105	Barbara Felton	O	Smoke	156.50	65.208	
2:44		836	Hope Hughes	JR	Sensational Smoke	152.50	63.542	
<b>WDAA Intro Test 1</b>								
2:52		192	Cama Jackson	O	Starlight Sugs	147.50	67.045	
<b>WDAA Basic Test 3</b>								
3:00		105	Barbara Felton	O	Smoke	128.50	64.230	
<b>WDAA Basic Test 4</b>								
3:08		836	Hope Hughes	JR	Sensational Smoke	160.50	64.200	
<b>INTERMEDIA</b>								
<b>I</b>								
3:16		177	Elise Enoch	O	Coronado	221.00	65.000	
<b>INTERMEDIA</b>								
<b>II</b>								
3:26		115	Sandy Toby	O	Karisma	204.00	60.000	
<b>3:35 PM Break</b>								
<b>3:51 SPORT HORSE IN HAND</b>								
		206	Nicole Connolly	O	Vishnu	72.750		
		115	Sandy Toby	O	Olympus OMD	76.125		



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