

# Wellington Dressage CDI-W and National Show

**\$50,000 prize money**

*Qualifying Competition for the 2012 Collecting Gaits Farm/USEF Dressage Festival of Champions and USEF Dressage Selection Trial for the 2012 Olympic Games, Qualifier for the Great American/USDF Regional Championships, USDF Dover Medal AA, USEF Brentina Cup Championships, USEF National Developing Horse Championship (Sponsored by the Dutta Corp. and PSI), Qualifying Competition for the FEI North American Junior and Young Rider Championships, Qualifying Competition for the Markel/USEF Young Horse Dressage Program*

**February 2 - February 5, 2012**

**Warm-Up Classes available on February 2, 2012 for CDI Horses**

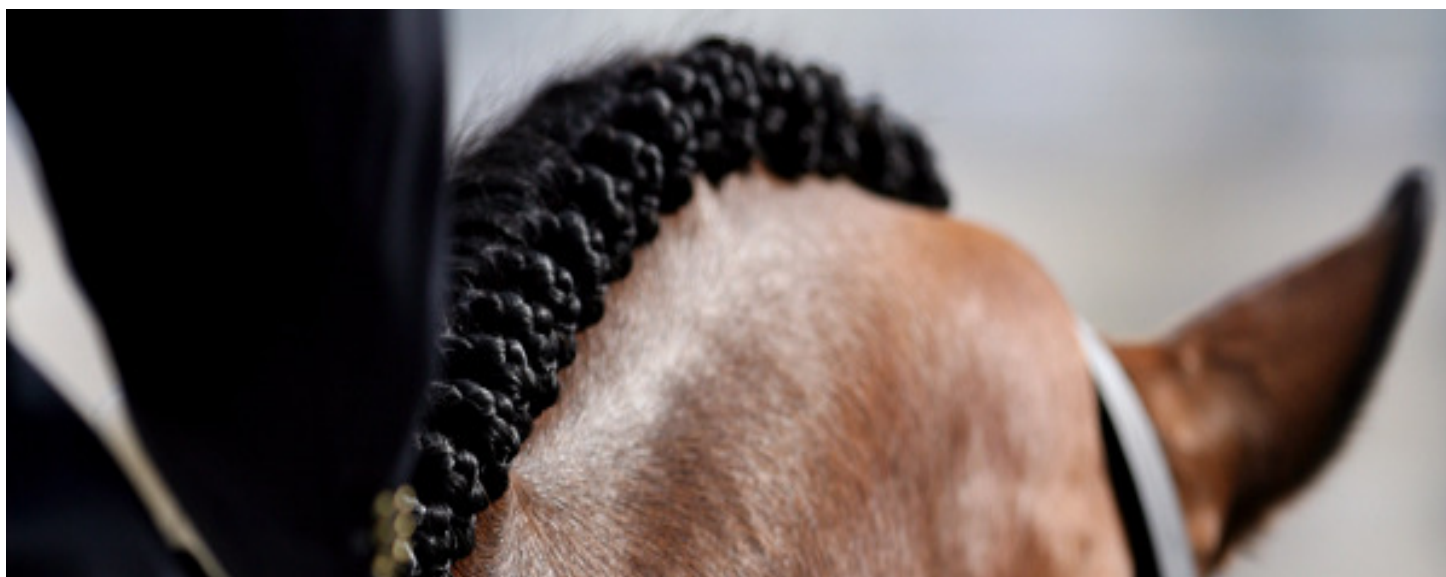
**Horse Inspection February 2 at 4:00 PM**

## **Officials**

Leif Torblad "5\* DEN" - CDI and National  
Gustaf Svalling "5\* SWE" - CDI and National  
Stephen Clarke "5\* GBR" - CDI and National  
Gary Rockwell "5\* USA" - CDI and National  
Janet Foy "4\* USA" - CDI and National  
Charlotte Bredahl "S" - National  
Paula Lacy "S" - National  
Elisabeth Williams - FEI Steward  
Jean Kraus - TD



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# CDI W Information

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**Manager/Entry Secretary:** Lloyd Landkamer *phone:* 612-290-8523 *Fax:* 866-832-8610

**Secretary:** Margaret Warren/Angela Goodwin-Volpert

**Assistant Manager/Secretary:** John Hoppman

**E-mail:** DressageFestival@aol.com **Website:** EquestrianSport.com

Tentative class schedule will be posted at EquestrianSport.com

**Important:** please see the “General Regulations and Entry Specification Section” for additional policies that this show subscribes to and follows.

**On-line entries at** EquestrianSport.com beginning opening date.

**Opening Date 12/15/2011**

**Definite Entries by 1/23/2012**

**Last date of substitution: 12:00 PM date of horse inspection**

**For mailed entries:** draw checks in US Funds and mail entries to:

**Palm Beach International Equestrian Center**

**Attn: Global Dressage Festival**

**14440 Pierson Road**

**Wellington, FL 33414**

**Office Charge for Online entries:** \$40 per horse/rider combination per show

**Additional Charge for Mailed entries:** \$5 per horse/rider combination per show

**Entry Information Requirement:** Competitors are responsible to include a copy of all memberships for horse, owner, rider, and trainer listed on entry form. A current negative coggins or interstate health papers must also be submitted with entry. If in freestyle class - a copy of the qualifying test must also be included in the entry.

**Faxed Entries:** \$5 per entry fee. Fax Number - 866-832-8610

**Rider/Handler/Horse Change:** \$50 for either rider or horse change after entries submitted.

**Non-competing horses:** \$50 per show plus stall.

Must fill out entry form for number and pay office fee.

**Stabling/Tack Stall Fees:** \$300 per Stall per show. Temporary stabling with doors.

**Bedding:** Ordered from Gold Coast at 561-793-4607 (see attached form)

**Entry Cancellation/Refunds and Event Limitation:** Cancellations only in writing either by mail, e-mail or fax prior to or on closing date. **Cancellation prior to or on definite entry date - entire entry minus office fees and charges. No Refunds for any reason after definite entry date.** All fees collected on behalf of USEF to be submitted to the Federation provided all outstanding fees are paid in full; else it will be applied to those fees.

The Event will be limited to approximately 40 rides per day.

Entries received by the closing of the definite entries will be prioritized in the following manner:

- 1) Priority will be given to the entries in the Grand Prix Tour followed by
- 2) Riders within the Small Tour until the approximate number of rides per day is reached. The remaining rides will be placed on the wait list and riders will be notified of their acceptance.

### Class Schedule

Date	Class Number and Name *Great American/USDF Qualifying	Class Fee	Prize Money
2/3/2012	#1 FEI Prix St Georges*	\$175	\$900 - \$3,000.00
2/3/2012	#2 FEI Grand Prix*	\$225	\$1,800 - \$6,000.00
2/4/2012	#3 FEI Intermediare I*	\$175	\$1,500 - \$5,000.00
2/4/2012	#4 FEI Grand Prix Freestyle*	\$300	\$6,000 - \$20,000.00
2/5/2012	#5 FEI Intermediare Freestyle*	\$225	\$1,800 - \$6,000.00
2/5/2012	#6 FEI Olympic Grand Prix Special	\$225	\$3,800 - \$10,000.00

### Riders in the Grand Prix – Opting for the Freestyle or Grand Prix Special

**Grand Prix:** Athletes (Riders) must give a 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> choice in the order of the following two competitions they wish enter, (i.e. opt for the Grand Prix Freestyle as 1<sup>st</sup> choice and the Grand Prix Special as 2<sup>nd</sup> choice. Following the conclusion of the Grand Prix, if based on final scores, the Freestyle is over-subscribed; the Athlete (Rider) may start in the Grand Prix Special instead). Participation is possible in only one (1) of the competitions on the same horse, and the order of their original competition choices cannot be changed. **Grand Prix Special:** If there are fewer than fifteen (15) Athlete/Horse combinations entered and starting in the qualifying Grand Prix, Athletes with two (2) horses may go forward to the Grand Prix Special.

**Taxes:** U.S. Athletes must report winnings to IRS Form W9. Prize Money Won by Foreign Competitors: Be advised that the U.S. Internal Revenue Service requires sporting events to withhold 30% of prize money won in the United States. Foreign competitors should apply for a U.S. Social Security number and will be asked to complete form 8283 or complete a W-8 Certificate of Foreign Status form.

**Great American/USDF Qualifying Classes:** Please indicate that the class is to count for qualifying by placing a **Q** after the class number. Qualifying will not require a separate ride. An exhibitor riding in the Open, AA, or JR/Young rider classes will pay an additional \$10 USDF fee to have this score entered in the Great American/USDF qualifying division at that level.

### Schedule:

Stable opens 2/1/2012 at 12 PM

2/1/2012 Schooling available in all arenas

2/2/2012 Warm up classes for CDI available in National Show Prize List

2/2/2012 Horse Inspection at 4:00 PM

### Veterinary Services (Also Nearest Surgery Center):

Palm Beach Equine Clinic **Phone: 561-793-1599**

**Farrier:** Information will be posted at the show office.

**Photographer:** Susan Stickle at [www.dressagephotos.com](http://www.dressagephotos.com) or [susanjstickle.com](http://susanjstickle.com)

**Concessions & Vendor Services:** Matt Morrissey 941-915-3457

**Accommodations:** Hampton Inn - West Palm Beach, 561/ 682-9990, Holiday Inn- Turnpike Lake Worth Blvd. 561/ 968-5000; Fairfield Inn by Marriot, Okeechobee Blvd. 561/ 697-3388; The Royal Inn 561/ 793-3000; Homestead Inn - Airport 561/ 640-3335; Days Inn West Palm Turnpike 561/ 687-0415; Radisson Suite 561/ 689-6888; Southern Palm Bed & Breakfast 561/ 790-1413; Best Western Palm Beach Lakes Inn 800/ 528-1234; Boardwalk Realty Robbie Johnson 561/ 790-0500.

**Camping/RV Reservations:** Camper parking is not available on the show grounds. Lion Country Safari KOA 561-793-1084 (approximately 3-4 miles from the show grounds)

**Arenas:** Standard size arenas with sand/fiber footing. Warm-up and lunging areas of same footing.

**Directions:**

*From the Florida Turnpike:* Take Exit 93 – Lake Worth Road. Make a right onto Lake Worth Road and proceed west until the road ends (about 5 miles). Make a right onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a left at onto Pierson Road. The showgrounds Main Entrance is clearly marked.

*From I-95: Take Exit 66:* Forest Hill Boulevard. Proceed West on Forest Hill Blvd. for about 11 miles. Make a left onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a right onto Pierson Road. The show grounds Main Entrance is clearly marked.

*From Palm Beach:* Go over the Southern Boulevard Bridge and proceed west on Southern Boulevard for about 14 miles. Make a left on to Route 441/SR 7. Make a right onto Forest Hill Boulevard. Make a left onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a right onto Pierson Road. The show grounds Main Entrance is clearly marked.

GPS Address: 14440 PIERSON ROAD, WELLINGTON, FL 33414

**Liability:**

a) Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC, Gold Coast Feed, Grand Prix Village at the Equestrian Club, Wellington Equestrian Partners, LLC., Littlewood Fences, Inc., Palm Beach International Equestrian Center, the Global Dressage Festival, and their officials, sponsors and employees will not be responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to any exhibitor, spectators, guest, rider, groom, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at any of the competition.

b) FLORIDA SENATE BILL 1658 EQUINE ZERO LIABILITY STATUTE: Warning-Under Florida Law an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risk of equine activities. Also see Florida Equine Activity Statute - Florida Statutes Title XLV TORTS Chapter 773 Equine Activities

c) "All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third persons caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date."

**Prize money (if offered):**

a) Prize money will be credited to the entry's show account after the results of the class winnings are posted or a check will be mailed to the owner at the address on the entry blank within thirty days after the show, thereby ending the show's responsibility as long as all criteria has been met. **You must provide a social security number or Federal TIN for the Prize Money recipient. If one is not provided then prize money will be withheld until one is provided.** If you do not denote a prize money recipient the prize money will automatically go to the owner. FEI Prize money will be distributed to the Chefs d'Equipe or to the winning Owners, lessees or competitors not later than

immediately after the last Competition of the Event provided they have met all their financial and other obligations to the Horse Show. Any excess prize money will be mailed to the prize money participant.

b) Prize Money Won by Foreign Competitors: Be advised that the U.S. Internal Revenue Service requires sporting events to withhold 30% of prize money won in the United States. Foreign competitors should apply for a U.S. Social Security number and will be asked to complete form 8283 or complete a W-8 Certificate of Foreign Status form.

c) Lost or stolen prize money checks will be reissued only after a 180 day waiting period from the original check date has passed. In the event of unauthorized redeeming of a check, Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC will provide check copies to exhibitors and will be held harmless from the collection process.

**Health Certificates:** Florida regulations require that all equines be covered by official interstate health certificates, issued by a licensed veterinarian, showing that the animals are free from any symptoms of any infectious or communicable disease. The certificate shall include the name of the owner and address, destination in Florida, number of horses examined, the name, registration number(s), if any, tattoo, if any, sex, age, rectal temperature, color, and markings of each animal listed. Health certificates will become void after 30 days from issue. Health certificates must show animals to be negative to an equine infectious anemia test within the past 12 months. Date of test and approved laboratory must be shown on health certificate.

**Animal Welfare Policy:** Upholding the welfare of the horses exhibited at the Global Dressage Festival is of primary concern to Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC. We require that all horses be treated with kindness, respect and compassion and never be subject to mistreatment. Owners, trainers, riders and grooms, or their agents, must use reasonable care in the handling and treatment of their horses, whether owned or placed in their care for competition or for any other purpose. At all times for horses competing at the Global Dressage Festival we will provide for the continuous well-being of the horse by vigorously enforcing the rules of the U.S. Equestrian, Inc. and the U.S. Dressage policy which pertain to the welfare of the horse. Exhibitors are cautioned that GR839 (which defines the Federation policy on abuse), and GR803 (which pertains to the Use of Whips), will be strictly enforced. Any handling and veterinary treatment should ensure the health and welfare of the horse. High standards of nutrition, health, sanitation and safety shall be encouraged and maintained at all times. Adequate provision will be made for ventilation, feeding and watering and maintaining a healthy environment. Any method of riding and training should take into account the horse as a living entity, and must not include any technique considered to be abusive. The well-being of the horse must be considered above the demands of the breeders, trainers, riders, owners, dealers, organizers, sponsors or officials. Violators are subject, under the above rules, to elimination from competition and to protest or charge with resulting formal proceedings which may result in severe fines, suspensions or other penalties.

## **VETERINARY EXAMINATIONS, INSPECTIONS AND PASSPORT CONTROLS**

Veterinary Regulations, 10th Edition, effective 1st June 2006

A horse inspection will be scheduled for each week in which FEI competitions are held. Rider's will be notified and notice will be posted in the competition office 24 hours before.

These will be carried out in accordance with the "Veterinary Regulations", Art. 1011 & the discipline rules. "General Regulations", 22nd Edition, effective 1st June 2007 will apply: Art. 139.1 Every horse entered for any competition at CNs or CIMs (see Appendix D) in a foreign country (see GRs 141.2), and all horses entered for other CIs, CIOs, Championships, Regional and Olympic Games, whether at home or in foreign countries (see GRs 141.2), must have an official, valid FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI and accompanied by an FEI Recognition Card and, when applicable, an FEI registration number, as a means of identification and to establish ownership. Art. 139.2 Horses taking part in CNs and CIMs (see Appendix D) in their country of residence are not required to have such a passport as is mentioned in paragraph 1.

All such horses must be properly registered and identifiable and, unless there is no national requirement for equine influenza vaccination in the host country and in the country of origin all horses must have a valid vaccination certificate.

#### EQUINE INFLUENZA VACCINATION, VET. REGS. ANNEX VII (except events taking place in NZL & AUS)

All horses and ponies for which an FEI Passport, or a National Passport approved by the FEI has been issued, must have the vaccination section endorsed by a veterinarian, stating that it has received two injections for primary vaccination against equine influenza, given between 1 and 3 months apart. In addition, a booster injection must be recorded as having been given within each succeeding 6 months, subsequent to the second injection of the primary vaccination.

None of these injections must have been given within the preceding 7 days including the day of the competition or of entry into the competition stables.

The above are the minimum requirements for influenza vaccination. Both primary and first and subsequent booster injections should be given according to the manufacturer's instructions which will fall within the stipulation of the FEI ruling.

#### SAMPLING FOR PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES (Vet. Regs. Chapter V & VI and Annex IV)

Regular sampling is carried out in CCI3\*/4\*, CSIs (3\*, 4\*, 5\*), CIOs, World Cup Qualifiers and Finals, Championships and Games, whereas at other CIs sampling is recommended. When testing takes place, the number of horses tested is at the discretion of the Testing Veterinarian/Veterinary Delegate; however, a minimum of three is recommended (Vet. Regs. Art. 1016)

#### HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ENTRY OF HORSES/PONIES

A) Florida regulations require that all equines be covered by official interstate health certificates, issued by a licensed veterinarian, showing that the animals are free from any symptoms of any infectious or communicable disease. The certificate shall include the name of the owner and address, destination in Florida, number of horses examined, the name, registration number(s), if any, tattoo, if any, sex, age, rectal temperature, color, and markings of each animal listed. Health certificates will become void after 30 days from issue. Health certificates must show animals to be negative to an equine infectious anemia test within the past 12 months. Date of test and approved laboratory must be shown on health certificate. Equine Rhinopneumonitis vaccination is not required; however, if any animal is vaccinated, it is ineligible for entry within 21 days of vaccination. Vehicles transporting animals must have certificates showing that it was cleaned and disinfected under veterinary supervision prior to loading. This information can be written on the health certificate.

B) To reserve space at a USDA-operated quarantine facility the importer or agent should contact the port veterinarian at one of the following locations:

**Miami Animal Import Center** P.O. Box 660657 Miami Springs, FL 33266 (305) 526-2926 USDA, APHIS, VS, 7022 NW 10th Place, Gainesville, FL 32605-3147(352) 333-3120, Fax (352) 333-6849

**New York Animal Import Center, New York** USDA-APHIS-VS, 200 Drury Lane, Rock Tavern, NY 12575 (845) 564-2950 Office & (845) 564-1075 Fax

**Los Angeles Animal Import Center, California** USDA-APHIS-VS, 11850 S. La Cienega Blvd, Hawthorne, CA 90250 (310) 725-1970 Office & (310) 725-9119 Fax

**Importing a Horse into the United States** call to find out current rates and whether or not you are required to do a 3-Day, 7-Day or 60 Day Quarantine. Go to <http://www.aphis.usda.gov/vs/ncie>. It may be prudent to check with the State of destination as to any additional State Health requirements that must be met. Some States have health requirements that are in addition to those required by the Federal Government.

#### c) CUSTOMS' FORMALITIES

Contact the USDA (850) 410-0910 or [www.usda.gov](http://www.usda.gov) for current criteria on shipping across US borders.

# National Information

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**Late Entries:** \$25 per show if postmarked and received after the received by date (contact secretary first).

**Post Entries:** Will be taken as scheduling permits - Class fee plus \$10.00 – requests must be made by 3PM the day prior to the requested ride.

**Faxed Entries:** \$5 per entry fee. Fax Number - 866-832-8610

**Rider/Handler/Horse Change:** \$25 for either rider or horse change after entries submitted.

**Time Change within a class:** \$10 per change if possible (request by 3 PM the day prior)

**Non-competing horses:** \$50 per show. Must fill out entry form for number and pay office fee and per day grounds fee.

**Non-Stabled Horses:** \$35 per day grounds fee.

**Stabling/Tack Stall Fees:** \$75 per Stall per show day. Temporary stabling with doors.

**Bedding:** Ordered from Gold Coast at 561-793-4607 (see attached form)

Thu 2/2 #	Fri 2/3 #	Sat 2/4 #	Sun 2/5 #	Class Name Any class (*) GAIG/USDF regional qualifying if test is eligible.	Divisions Offered	Class Fee	Q Fee
1	101	201	301	USDF Intro A	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$60	
2	102	202	302	USDF Intro B	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$60	
3	103	203	303	USDF Intro C	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$60	
4	104	204	304	USEF Training Level Test One - Open	Open	\$60	
4A	104A	204A	304A	USEF Training Level Test One - AA	AA	\$60	
4J	104J	204J	204J	USEF Training Level Test One – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
5	105	205	305	USEF Training Level Test Two - Open	Open	\$60	
5A	105A	205A	305A	USEF Training Level Test Two - AA	AA	\$60	
5J	105J	205J	305J	USEF Training Level Test Two – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
6	106	206	306	USEF Training Level Test Three* - Open	Open	\$60	\$70
6A	106A	206A	306A	USEF Training Level Test Three* - AA	AA	\$60	\$70
6J	106J	206J	306J	USEF Training Level Test Three* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	\$70
7	107	207	307	USEF First Level Test One - Open	Open	\$60	
7A	107A	207A	307A	USEF First Level Test One - AA	AA	\$60	
7J	107J	207J	207J	USEF First Level Test One – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
8	108	208	308	USEF First Level Test Two - Open	Open	\$60	
8A	108A	208A	308A	USEF First Level Test Two - AA	AA	\$60	
8J	108J	208J	308J	USEF First Level Test Two – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
9	109	209	309	USEF First Level Test Three* - Open	Open	\$60	\$70
9A	109A	209A	309A	USEF First Level Test Three* - AA	AA	\$60	\$70
9J	109J	209J	309J	USEF First Level Test Three* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	\$70
10	110J	210	310	USEF Second Level Test One - Open	Open	\$60	
10A	110A	210A	310A	USEF Second Level Test One - AA	AA	\$60	
10J	110J	210J	310J	USEF Second Level Test One – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
11	111	211	311	USEF Second Level Test Two - Open	Open	\$60	
11A	111A	211A	311A	USEF Second Level Test Two - AA	AA	\$60	
11J	111J	211J	311J	USEF Second Level Test Two – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
12	112	212	312	USEF Second Level Test Three* - Open	Open	\$60	\$70
12A	112A	<b>212A</b>	312A	USEF Second Level Test Three* - AA (Dover Medal Saturday)	AA	\$60	\$70
12J	112J	212J	312J	USEF Second Level Test Three* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	\$70
13	113	213	313	USEF Third Level Test One - Open	Open	\$60	
13A	113A	213A	313A	USEF Third Level Test One - AA	AA	\$60	
13J	113J	213J	313J	USEF Third Level Test One – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
14	114	214	314	USEF Third Level Test Two -Open	Open	\$60	
14A	114A	214A	314A	USEF Third Level Test Two - AA	AA	\$60	
14J	114J	214J	314J	USEF Third Level Test Two – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
15	115	215	315	USEF Third Level Test Three* -Open	Open	\$60	\$70
15A	115A	215A	315A	USEF Third Level Test Three* - AA	AA	\$60	\$70
15J	115J	215J	315J	USEF Third Level Test Three*- JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	\$70
16	116	216	316	USEF Fourth Level Test One - Open	Open	\$60	
16A	116A	216A	316A	USEF Fourth Level Test One - AA	AA	\$60	
16J	116J	216J	316J	USEF Fourth Level Test One- JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
17	117	217	317	USEF Fourth Level Test Two - Open	Open	\$60	



17A	117A	217A	317A	USEF Fourth Level Test Two - AA	AA	\$60	
17J	117J	217J	317J	USEF Fourth Level Test Two – JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	
18	118	218	318	USEF Fourth Level Test Three* - Open	Open	\$60	\$70
18A	118A	218A	318A	USEF Fourth Level Test Three*- AA	AA	\$60	\$70
18J	118J	218J	318J	USEF Fourth Level Test Three* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$60	\$70
19	119	219	319	FEI Prix St George* - Open	Open	\$75	\$85
19A	119A	219A	319A	FEI Prix St George* - AA	AA	\$75	\$85
19J	119J	219J	319J	FEI Prix St George* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$75	\$85
20	120	220	320	FEI Intermediare I* - Open	Open	\$75	\$85
20A	120A	220A	320A	FEI Intermediare I* - AA	AA	\$75	\$85
20J	120J	220J	320J	FEI Intermediare I* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$75	\$85
21	121	221	321	FEI Intermediare II* - Open	Open	\$75	\$85
21A	121A	221A	321A	FEI Intermediare II* - AA	AA	\$75	\$85
21J	121J	221J	321J	FEI Intermediare II* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$75	\$85
22	122	222	322	FEI Grand Prix* - Open	Open	\$75	\$85
22A	122A	222A	322A	FEI Grand Prix* - AA	AA	\$75	\$85
22J	122J	222J	322J	FEI Grand Prix* - JR/YR	JR/YR	\$75	\$85
		223		USDF Freestyle* (specify test – USDF 1st-4th)	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$60	\$70
		224		FEI Freestyle* (specify test – Intermediare or GP)	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$75	\$85
25	125	225	325	FEI TOC* (state test – no freestyles, Young Horse or Para)	JR-YR / AA / Open	\$75	\$85
26	126	226	326	Equitation		\$35	
27	127	227	327	FEI Para TOC (any grade Team or Individual only)		\$60	
		228		FEI Para Freestyle TOC – state tests		\$60	
				<b>USEF and NAJAYRC Qualifying Classes</b>			
		229		Young Horse TOC – State test (Markel/USEF)		\$85	
	130			FEI YR Team* (NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	\$95
		231		FEI YR Individual (NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			332	FEI YR Freestyle(NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
	133			FEI JR Team* (NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	\$95
		234		FEI JR Individual (NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			335	FEI JR Freestyle (NAJYRC/USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
	136			FEI Pony Team – 2012 (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
		236		FEI Pony Individual – 2012 (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			344	FEI Pony Freestyle – 2012 (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			337	USEF Brentina Cup (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			338	USEF Developing PSG (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
			339	USEF Developing GP (USEF Qualifying)		\$85	
				<b>Materiale Division</b>			
	140	240	340	Three Year Old Fillies		\$40	
	141	241	341	Three Year Old Colts/Geldings		\$40	
	142	242	342	Four and Five Year Old Mares		\$40	
	143	243	343	Four/Five Year Old Stallions/Geldings		\$40	
				<b>Special Classes</b>			
	150			Prix Caprilli - Preliminary	JR-YR	\$60	
	151			Prix Caprilli - Intermediate	JR-YR	\$60	
	152			Prix Caprilli - Advanced	JR-YR	\$60	

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**Awards for USEF Classes:** Divisions will be pinned separately. Riders must clearly specify division choice. When no designation is made, riders will automatically be entered as open Trophy and ribbons to sixth for each class. No awards for Qualifying classes.

**Veterinary Services (Also Nearest Surgery Center):**

Palm Beach Equine Clinic **Phone: 561-793-1599**

**Farrier:** Information will be posted at the show office.

**Photographer:** Susan Stickle at [www.dressagephotos.com](http://www.dressagephotos.com) or [susanjstickle.com](http://susanjstickle.com)

**Concessions & Vendor Services:** Matt Morrissey 941-915-3457

**Accommodations:** Hampton Inn - West Palm Beach, 561/ 682-9990, Holiday Inn- Turnpike Lake Worth Blvd. 561/ 968-5000; Fairfield Inn by Marriot, Okeechobee Blvd. 561/ 697-3388; The Royal Inn 561/ 793-3000; Homestead Inn - Airport 561/ 640-3335; Days Inn West Palm Turnpike 561/ 687-0415; Radisson Suite 561/ 689-6888; Southern Palm Bed & Breakfast 561/ 790-1413; Best Western Palm Beach Lakes Inn 800/ 528-1234; Boardwalk Realty Robbie Johnson 561/ 790-0500.

**Camping/RV Reservations:** Camper parking is not available on the show grounds. Lion Country Safari KOA 561-793-1084 (approximately 3-4 miles from the show grounds)

**Arenas:** Standard size arenas with sand/fiber footing. Warm-up and lunging areas of same footing.

**Directions:**

*From the Florida Turnpike:* Take Exit 93 – Lake Worth Road. Make a right onto Lake Worth Road and proceed west until the road ends (about 5 miles). Make a right onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a left at onto Pierson Road. The show grounds Main Entrance is clearly marked. *From I-95:* Take Exit 66: Forest Hill Boulevard. Proceed West on Forest Hill Blvd. for about 11 miles. Make a left onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a right onto Pierson Road. The show grounds Main Entrance is clearly marked. *From Palm Beach:* Go over the Southern Boulevard Bridge and proceed west on Southern Boulevard for about 14 miles. Make a left on to Route 441/SR 7. Make a right onto Forest Hill Boulevard. Make a left onto South Shore Boulevard. Make a right onto Pierson Road. The show grounds Main Entrance is clearly marked. GPS Address: 14440 PIERSON ROAD, WELLINGTON, FL 33414

### **Liability:**

- a) Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC, Gold Coast Feed, Grand Prix Village at the Equestrian Club, Wellington Equestrian Partners, LLC., Littlewood Fences, Inc., Palm Beach International Equestrian Center, the Global Dressage Festival, and their officials, sponsors and employees will not be responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to any exhibitor, spectators, guest, rider, groom, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at any of the competition.
- b) FLORIDA SENATE BILL 1658 EQUINE ZERO LIABILITY STATUTE: Warning-Under Florida Law an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risk of equine activities. Also see Florida Equine Activity Statute - Florida Statutes Title XLV TORTS Chapter 773 Equine Activities
- c) "All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third persons caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date."

**Health Certificates:** Florida regulations require that all equines be covered by official interstate health certificates, issued by a licensed veterinarian, showing that the animals are free from any symptoms of any infectious or communicable disease. The certificate shall include the name of the owner and address, destination in Florida, number of horses examined, the name, registration number(s), if any, tattoo, if any, sex, age, rectal temperature, color, and markings of each animal listed. Health certificates will become void after 30 days from issue. Health certificates must show animals to be negative to an equine infectious anemia test within the past 12 months. Date of test and approved laboratory must be shown on health certificate.

**Animal Welfare Policy:** Upholding the welfare of the horses exhibited at the Global Dressage Festival is of primary concern to Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC. We require that all horses be treated with kindness, respect and compassion and never be subject to mistreatment. Owners, trainers, riders and grooms, or their agents, must use reasonable care in the handling and treatment of their horses, whether owned or placed in their care for competition or for any other purpose. At all times for horses competing at the Global Dressage Festival we will provide for the continuous well-being of the horse by vigorously enforcing the rules of the U.S. Equestrian, Inc. and the U.S. Dressage policy which pertain to the welfare of the horse. Exhibitors are cautioned that GR839 (which defines the Federation policy on abuse), and GR803 (which pertains to the Use of Whips), will be strictly enforced. Any handling and veterinary treatment should ensure the health and welfare of the horse. High standards of nutrition, health, sanitation and safety shall be encouraged and maintained at all times. Adequate provision will be made for ventilation, feeding and watering and maintaining a healthy environment. Any method of riding and training should take into account the horse as a living entity, and must not include any technique considered to be abusive. The well-being of the horse must be considered above the demands of the breeders, trainers, riders, owners, dealers, organizers, sponsors or officials. Violators are subject, under the above rules, to elimination from competition and to protest or charge with resulting formal proceedings which may result in severe fines, suspensions or other penalties.

## General regulations, policies and entry specifications

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT FEDERATION RULE BOOK WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH.”

US EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION rules are in force from the moment show management allows access to the showgrounds. This includes conduct, correct saddlery and equipment, and attire.

**Liability** – Horses by their inherent nature present a risk. This show, the management, the USEF Licensee, and the facility will not be responsible for any loss or damage or injury to horses exhibited, or for any article of any kind or nature that may be lost or destroyed, or in any way injured. Each exhibitor will be responsible for any injury that may be occasioned to any person, whomsoever, by any horse owned or exhibited by said exhibitor and shall indemnify the show, the management, the show committee and volunteers, the USEF Licensee, the USEF and USDF, or any member thereof, against all claims and demands, of any nature or kind, that may grow out of any injury occasioned by any horses owned or exhibited by them, or arise from the negligence of the person in charge of any such horse. All horses exhibited in this show participate entirely at the owner's risk. **Neither the Organizing Committee, show volunteers and staff, the facility or its owners, any host GMO, USEF or USDF or their members will be responsible for any damage, injury, or loss to persons, horses, or property of exhibitors or spectators. All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.**

**Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 nonmember registration 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 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.**

Exhibitors should exercise extreme caution before medicating their horses and should be aware of the US EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION rules governing drugs and medications. Any questions about the use of certain medications and regarding Rule IV should be directed to the **USEF drugs and medication program, 3780 Ridge Mill Drive, Hilliard, Ohio 43026-9231 – Phone: (800) 633-2472**

A trainer is defined as any adult who has responsibility for the horse on the competition grounds and must sign the entry form.

**Hazardous Weather/Accident/Acts of God, and Emergency Policy:** Management reserves the right to cancel any classes due to hazardous weather, Acts of God, accident, or emergency. Every effort will be made to reschedule with priority given to any Championship or qualifying classes being offered. No refunds for cancellations due to hazardous weather, Acts of God, accidents, or emergencies. Please see specific shows if there are any additional conditions to this policy.

**Food and concessions** will be available on the show grounds during normal show hours. Any changes to this policy will be posted.

**Numbers must be worn at all times when a horse is being exercised or ridden.**

**Warning: Under the Equine Activity Liability Act, each participant who participates in an equine activity expressly assumes the risks of engaging in and legal responsibility for injury, loss, or damage to person or property resulting from the risk of equine activities. Please be aware of the laws specific to the show location.**

**Show Management reserves the right to vary or add officials and refuse any entry for a cause; to disqualify any exhibitor and/or his or her horse for cause; to cause an exhibitor to forfeit his or her ribbons and winnings for cause; to return any entry and/or stall fee before or during the show for cause; all without being liable for damage or compensation. Show management reserves the right to make any changes deemed necessary for the safe and efficient conduct of this competition.**

**Important notice to all affected parties:** Third parties may come upon the property or enter the facilities where any herein described or listed event will occur; provided, that this is a license to enter the premises, for the purpose of observing or participating in the event, but not otherwise, and such license to any individual is subject to revocation by the owner, lessee or organizer, and entry for any purpose other than granted herein, shall be deemed criminal trespass and subject to appropriate legal proceedings.

**Attention Competitors:** Each competitor is responsible for supplying the show management with the correct and required association numbers of USDF and/or USEF for the horse, owner, rider, coaches, and trainer, before the day(s) of the competition. The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not count towards national awards. The proof of these numbers must be in the form of either their actual membership/registration cards or a facsimile of them. Proof of membership must be included with entry form. Please provide the USEF/USDF Master Verification ([www.eqverification.org](http://www.eqverification.org)) although membership cards or photocopies of cards are still acceptable. Failure to provide proof of USEF and/or USDF membership will result in competitor being charged non-member fees. Members that are unable to produce the USDF memberships cards/registrations or a facsimile will be asked to sign an affidavit and pay an affidavit fee. All entries are taken on a first come, first served basis. Some shows return late arriving entries after the show is filled, and some shows place entries on a wait list on a as-received basis. Please check each show for any additional policies. Send in the entries as soon as possible to assure entry to the show. **Only one horse-rider combination per entry form per show.**

In accordance with GR1301.7: Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent(s), legal guardian(s), or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Chapter 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

**Non-U.S. Citizens** and Foreign Competitors must provide proof, in English, of current membership in good standing in their respective National Federation, or hold current membership in good standing with the USEF.

No exhibitor may withdraw horses from a licensed show after it has commenced, or remove them from the show grounds without permission of the show secretary.

**Health Papers:** Riders should be aware that Interstate Health Papers are required to be in your vehicle when attending shows not within their home state. Some states also require health papers when transporting between facilities within the same state. Please contact your state veterinarian office for further information.

**No Shows:** All "No Shows" that have not contacted the show office will be considered a scratch for the rest of the show and time slots may be filled. Exhibitors enter with this understanding and agreement.

**Sharps Disposal:** 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. Containers are located at the end of each barn aisle and within center aisles when center aisles are present within the barns.

**Freestyle Entry:** In order to enter a freestyle class at any level, a horse/rider combination must have received a minimum score of 60% in the highest test of the declared freestyle level or any test of a higher level at a USEF Recognized Competition. A photocopy of the test verifying eligibility must be submitted with the entry for a freestyle class. Does not apply to competitors in NAJYRC qualifiers.

**DOGS MUST BE ON LEASHES AT ALL TIMES WHILE ON SHOW GROUNDS** (including in stable areas). Owner may be fined. All pets must be leashed. Non-compliance may result in USEF penalties.

**FEI Ponies:** If ponies are entered in FEI Pony Test(s) and in need of a USEF measurement card, an appointment for measuring MUST be made with show management prior to the show.

#### **MEMBERSHIP/REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR GAIG/USDF QUALIFYING CLASSES**

Riders must be current USDF Participating members & USEF members (Junior, Senior or Life) in good standing. Horses must be USDF registered and USEF recorded. Horses with only an HID are not eligible. Owners must be current USDF Participating or Business members & USEF members (Junior, Senior or Life) in good standing.

**For current Great American/USDF Championship requirements, go to [www.usdf.org/competitions/competitions-championships/regionals/index.asp](http://www.usdf.org/competitions/competitions-championships/regionals/index.asp).**

#### **USEF and USDF Fees for all shows**

<b>USDF Affidavit</b>	<b>\$5.00</b>
<b>USDF Horse ID</b>	<b>\$25.00</b>
<b>USDF Non Member</b>	<b>\$25.00 (for each NM rider &amp; owner)</b>
<b>USEF Non Member</b>	<b>\$30.00 (for each NM rider, owner, trainer, coach)</b>
<b>USEF Fee for National:</b>	<b>\$16.00 (D &amp; M \$8.00, USEF \$8.00) per USEF Horse</b>
<b>USEF Fee for CDI:</b>	<b>\$28.00 ( D &amp; M \$20.00, USEF \$8.00) per CDI Horse</b>

**GAIG/USDF QUAL** - Qualifying class for GAIG/USDF Regional Dressage Championships. Declare qualifying ride on entry form. Class fee plus additional \$10 fee must be paid prior to start of the class.

**Markel/USEF QUAL** – Qualifying class for Markel/USEF Young Horse Dressage Program

**NAJYRC and USEF QUAL** - Qualifying class for FEI NAJYRC and USEF National Junior and Young Rider Championships

**USEF QUAL** – Qualifying class for USEF National Championships

**Classes** may not necessarily be run in the order listed in the prize lists.

**Show Schedule and Ride Time Conflicts:** It is the responsibility of the rider to inform the management of any time conflicts as soon as possible after receiving the schedule.

**Opportunity Classes:** Any Opportunity Classes offered must include "Opportunity" in the class name. These classes must follow all USEF Dressage Division rules and applicable USEF General Rules, including dress and saddlery.

- Opportunity Classes are for entry level riders and these classes must be judged by USEF licensed judges or FEI Dressage judges.
- If entered in opportunity classes restricted to amateurs, riders are required to have an amateur status with USEF or pay the \$30 non-member amateur card fee.
- The prize list must state whether or not horses and/or riders/drivers/handlers entered in Opportunity Classes can cross enter into the rated/recognized classes at the same competition. If cross entry is allowed, all applicable fees and membership requirements will apply.
- Opportunity Classes cannot be used as qualifying classes for the Great American/USDF Regional Championships.
- Freestyles or Test of choice classes may not be offered as Opportunity classes.
- Riders and Owners entered only in these classes are exempt from both USDF and USEF membership requirements and are not required to pay a non-member fee but are required to list the Federation membership number if the participant is a member.
- Horses entered only in these classes:
  - **Are** exempt from the Federation fee, including the Equine Drugs and Medication fee.
  - **Are not** required to have either a USEF or USDF Horse Identification (HID) or Recording Number but are to list the HID or Recording number if the horse has been assigned this number.
- Horses entered only in these classes are still subject to and must comply with the Drugs and Medication rules and are subject to drug testing.

**Adult Amateur Classes** - Participants must possess a current USEF Amateur Card and qualify under the USEF Amateur rules. Any non-member that wishes to participate in the Adult Amateur designated classes must purchase a USEF non-member amateur card for \$30 from USEF. Open to Adult Amateurs only; riders must compete as adults from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 22.

**JR/YR** - Open to Juniors and Young Riders only; any rider is eligible until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 21. Only riders ages 14-18 may ride FEI JR Tests. Only riders age 16-21 may ride FEI YR Tests. Only riders ages 12-16 may ride FEI Pony Tests. Must include birth date on entry form.

**Announcements:** Class announcements and ride time announcements are a courtesy to the exhibitor and not all shows provide the capability of public address announcements. Exhibitors are responsible for presenting themselves to the ring at their designated time and accept the full responsibility for doing so. Competitions offering public announcements will make every effort to maintain a working PA system, but it is stressed that it is still the exhibitors responsibility to be on time. No protest will be upheld, nor any ride time changed, on the basis of a PA breakdown or missed announcement. Ring stewards will also make every effort to keep people informed and entering the ring in a timely fashion. Exhibitors are responsible for knowing the correct show time and their scheduled performance time irregardless of PA announcements or ring stewards. No protest will be upheld, nor ride time changed due to failure of the exhibitor to meeting their responsibilities.

**Arena Sizes:** Standard arena is 20m x 60m. Small arena is 20m x 40m.

### **U.S. Equestrian Federation, Inc. Entry Agreement**

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of the competition.

I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules.

I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered.

I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable -casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation.

The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4.

### **USDF/Dover Saddlery Adult Amateur Medal Program**

The USDF/Dover Saddlery Adult Amateur Medal Program is designed to specifically recognize and encourage adult amateurs riding at Second Level.

#### **Awards**

##### **1. USDF/Dover Saddlery Medal Recipient**

The eligible rider with the highest score of 60 percent or better in the designated Second Level Test Three class or applicable test of choice USDF/Dover Saddlery Adult Amateur Medal class at a participating competition will receive a handcrafted USDF/Dover Saddlery pewter medal and neck ribbon. Winners will receive a \$20 Dover Saddlery gift certificate for the first three USDF/Dover Saddlery Medals they win during the competition season.

##### **2. USDF/Dover Saddlery National Merit Award**

A USDF/Dover Saddlery National Merit Award will be awarded to riders winning three USDF/Dover Saddlery Medals in the same competition year.

##### **3. Year-End Awards**

The USDF/Dover Saddlery Medal National Champion and Reserve Champion are determined from the average of the top three winning ride scores during the competition year. The champion receives a \$1000 Dover Saddlery gift certificate and the reserve champion receives a \$500 Dover Saddlery gift certificate.

#### **Rider Eligibility**

To be eligible, a rider must meet the following criteria:

1. Rider must be a current USDF Participating Member or Group Member at the time of the competition.
2. Rider must be an adult amateur in accordance with Article GR1306 of the USEF rules and be designated with USEF as an adult amateur as of the competition date.

#### **Additional Information**

For additional information and an updated list of competitions offering the USDF/Dover Saddlery Adult Amateur Medal Program, please visit <http://www.usdf.org/awards/performance/adultmedalprogram.asp>.





## 2012 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 [www.usdf.org](http://www.usdf.org). Please refer to the 2012 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

### Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

#### Rider:

- Must be a USDF Participating\* Member (PM) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

#### Horse:

- Must be USDF Lifetime Registered (LTR) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be USEF (Annual or Lifetime) recorded at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse/recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s) of record.
- A horse is not required to have breed registry papers.

#### Owner:

- Must be a USDF member (PM\* or Business Member (BM)) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

\* 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 levels 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. Freestyles have only open divisions.

The minimum percentages are as follows:

	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
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	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	60%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%

FREESTYLE	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
First Level	63%	—	—
Second Level	63%	—	—
Third Level	63%	—	—
Fourth Level	63%	—	—
Intermediate I	63%	—	—
Grand Prix	63%	—	—

### ***USDF Statement on Animal Welfare***

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of over 125 independent organizations throughout the United States with a membership in excess of 33,000 members, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

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

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

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

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

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

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**USDF Membership Benefits:** 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 Competitor & Member Guide* or the USDF website at [www.usdf.org](http://www.usdf.org).



**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, Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF NM fee. (Note: USDF business members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF BM.) Individuals cannot compete at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition with a USDF Education Membership.

Horses competing at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions must have either a USDF Horse Identification (HID) number or a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR). Proper credentials or verification certificates must be presented to the competition secretary.

Riders and owners wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition, and not able to present the competition secretary with verification of a USDF membership or NM identification, and USDF LHR or USDF HID, must complete a USDF Competition Affidavit Form and pay the \$5 affidavit filing fee. A copy of a completed affidavit form from another competition may also be used for verification purposes for up to 60 days. (Exception: Affidavits cannot be used at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships.)

**Exceptions:**

- Horses competing only in Individual Breed Classes (IBCs) at DSHB competitions, sires and dams of horses in DSHB group classes, where those sires or dams are not actually competing in the same competition, horses competing only in breed restricted dressage or DSHB classes at Regular Competitions (e.g. all Arabian, all Friesian, or all Morgan classes), or in USDF Introductory Level tests, Pas de Deux, Quadrille, FEI ParaEquestrian classes, 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 (\$75), 5-years (\$300), or life (\$1,500). A USDF Youth Participating Membership (YPM) is available for individuals who have not reached their 21<sup>st</sup> birthday by December 1 of the current membership year (\$60). 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, Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals 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.

**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 (\$200) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

**Education Membership (EM):** A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. This online education only membership expires 12 months after the date joined. This membership type does NOT allow an individual to compete at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition.

**Non-Member (NM) Identification Number:** For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$25 and a USDF NM form 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 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 member 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 (\$25). 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 or Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$70. 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 (\$95) is eligible for Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals and 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](http://www.usdf.org). You can submit the application online or download the form and fax or mail it to the USDF office.
- 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.



USEF Competition Name: **Wellington Dressage CDI W**  
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): **Level 5**



USEF#: **2642**



# USEF Member To Do List:

Mow the fields.  Haul the hay.  Paint the barn — and the  
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we're covered  on the road and in the ring.  Get ready

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COMPETITION NAME \_\_\_\_\_ COMPETITION DATES \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF HORSE				PREVIOUS NAME (IF ANY)		USEF#	USDF#	FOR SALE
BREED	SEX	HEIGHT	COLOR	COGGINS DATE (ENCLOSED COPY)		SIRE	DAM	
DAM'S SIRE		COUNTRY OF BIRTH	YEAR OF BIRTH	BREEDER	FEI/PASSPORT #		GROOM	

**OWNER** \_\_\_\_\_  
 USEF# \_\_\_\_\_ USDF# \_\_\_\_\_ LOCAL# \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY/ST/ZIP/CTRY \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 OWNER CITIZENSHIP (IF NOT USA) \_\_\_\_\_  
 TIN/SSN (REQUIRED FOR PRIZE MONEY) \_\_\_\_\_

**RIDER/HANDLER** \_\_\_\_\_  
 USEF# \_\_\_\_\_ USDF# \_\_\_\_\_ FEI/LOCAL# \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY/ST/ZIP/CTRY \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 RIDER CITIZENSHIP (IF NOT USA) \_\_\_\_\_  
 JR/YOUNG RIDER BIRTHDAY \_\_\_\_\_ WILLING TO VOLUNTEER? \_\_\_\_\_  
 RIDER STATUS (CIRCLE ONE): JR/YG      AA      OPEN

**TRAINER** \_\_\_\_\_  
 USEF# \_\_\_\_\_ USDF# \_\_\_\_\_ LOCAL# \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY/ST/ZIP/CTRY \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
 EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

**COACH** \_\_\_\_\_  
 USEF# \_\_\_\_\_ USDF# \_\_\_\_\_ LOCAL# \_\_\_\_\_

Please Fill Out Both Sides of This Form. Reverse side MUST be SIGNED.

CLASS No.	DIVISION	CLASS DESCRIPTION	QUAL Y/N	FEES

SUBTOTAL CLASS FEES AND QUALIFYING FEES		
USEF NON-MEMBER FEES	\$30 PER NON-MEMBER	
USDF NON MEMBER FEE	\$25 PER NON-MEMBER	
USDF AFFIDAVIT FEE (\$5 IF REQUIRED)		
USEF HORSE FEES		
\$8 USEF FEE + \$8 DRUG FEE = \$16.00		
CDI HORSE FEES		
\$8 USEF FEE + \$ 20 DRUG FEE = \$28.00		
IHP DISCIPLINE FEE (\$35 IF REQUIRED)		
OFFICE FEE AND/OR BRIDLE # FEE		
STABLING FEES	___ STALL @ \$___/STALL	
TACK STALLS	___ STALL @ \$___/STALL	
BEDDING	___ BALES @ \$___/BALE	
LATE/CHANGE/BANK CHARGES FOR CC		
NON COMPETING HORSE FEE		
GROUNDS FEE OR OTHER FEES _____		
OTHER _____		
<b>TOTAL FEES</b>		

Stabling Information & Special Requests: Please list only ONE name (either individual or barn) for entire group (so we can get everyone together)

Group/Self	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon
Stalls							
Tack Stalls							

Stable Group: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless USDF, its instructors, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from or because of, or in connection with, participation in this competition or related activities. I also hereby agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless the competition licensee, show management, competition staff, show committee and members, officers, directors, agents, and volunteers from and against any and all loss, liability or damage arising from or because of, or in connection with, participation in this competition or related activities.

**Federation Entry Agreement Effective**

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of the Competition. I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the Competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable-casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the Competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the Competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4.

**Federation Release, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Indemnification**

This document waives important legal rights. Read it carefully before signing.

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, vaultor, 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 the Federation 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 resulted, directly or indirectly, from the negligence of the Federation or the Competition.

I AGREE to expressly assume all risks of Harm to me or my horse, including Harm resulting from the negligence of the Federation or the Competition.

I AGREE to indemnify (that is, to pay any losses, damages, or costs incurred by) the Federation and 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 have read the Federation Rules about protective equipment, including GR801 and if applicable, EV114, and I understand that I am entitled to wear protective equipment without penalty, and I acknowledge that the Federation strongly encourages me to do so while WARNING that no protective equipment can guard against all injuries. 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.

I AGREE that if I am injured at this competition, the medical personnel treating my injuries may provide information on my injury and treatment to the Federation on the official USEF accident/injury report form.

BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE to be bound by all applicable Federation 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'S/AGENT'S SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	RIDER/HANDLER SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	TRAINER'S SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	COACH'S SIGNATURE (IF APPLICABLE)
PRINT NAME	PRINT NAME	PRINT NAME	PRINT NAME

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IF RIDER/DRIVER/TRAINER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR IS UNDER 18	PRINT PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME

RIDER EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION	
NAME OF CONTACT/RELATIONSHIP:	PHONE:

FILL OUT ONLY IF THE COMPETITION YOU ENTER ON THIS ENTRY FORM OFFERS CERTAIN USE OF CHARGE CARDS!! (Check in the prize list or individual competition requirements)	
<input type="checkbox"/> VISA	<input type="checkbox"/> AMEX
CARD NO. _____	EXP DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
NAME ON CARD: _____	3 Digit _____
BILLING ADDRESS _____	ZIP CODE _____

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Thank you for choosing Gold Coast Feed & Supply to serve all of your shavings, hay and feed needs. In order to set up your account, we will need the following information.

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

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Delivery Location:**

Barn(s)/ Tent(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Stall Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

To complete the setup of your account we will also need the following information for our records.

Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Card \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bedding**

Elite Large Flake \$5.75 # of bags \_\_\_\_\_

Elite Med. Flake \$5.75 # of bags \_\_\_\_\_

Elite Sm. Flake \$5.75 # of bags \_\_\_\_\_

**Hay**

Timothy \$17.95 # of bales \_\_\_\_\_

Canadian T/A \$14.95 # of bales \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Items:**

Name Of Item \_\_\_\_\_ # needed \_\_\_\_\_

Name Of Item \_\_\_\_\_ # needed \_\_\_\_\_

Name Of Item \_\_\_\_\_ # needed \_\_\_\_\_

Name Of Item \_\_\_\_\_ # needed \_\_\_\_\_

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