



Harmony in the Park Spring Dressage I & II

Hoosier Horse Park, Edinburgh, IN

Friday & Saturday, May 20-21, 2022 (#323376)

Sunday, May 22, 2022 (#323377)

2 Shows in 1 Weekend

Opening date: March 20 Closing date: April 20

USDF Level 3 Competition Licensee: PANTOS, LLC

Official Qualifying Competition for:

2022 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Championships
2022 FEI North American Youth Championships
2022 USEF Pony and Children Rider Dressage National Championships
2022 USEF Junior and Young Rider Dressage National Championships
2022 USEF Young Adult Brentina Cup Dressage National Championship
2022 USEF Young Horse Dressage Championships (4, 5, 6 and 7-year-olds)
2022 USEF Developing Horse Dressage Championships (Prix St. Georges and Grand Prix)
2022 USEF Intermediaire I and Grand Prix National Championships
2022 USEF Para Dressage National Championship
2022 FEI World Breeding Championships

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Fees: Funds need to be drawn only on US Banks in US Funds. See class list for class fees.

\$185 Stabling/Tack fee (Thursday to Sunday)	\$40 Office fee (per show, non-refundable)
\$145 Stabling/Tack fee (2 day showing/2 nights)	\$5 COVID fee (per weekend, only put on one entry)
\$105 Stabling/Tack fee (1 day showing/1 night)	\$15 Great American/USDF qualifying fee
Tack stalls may be limited	\$5 Internet Search Fee
\$35 Haul-in fee per day for non-stabled horses	\$50 Returned check fee
\$30 Stall additional day (before or after show)	\$10 Change Fee plus regular class fee
\$30 Non-competing horse fee (plus stall or haul-in	\$20 Late Fee (per show, postmarked or
fee & office fees per show)	\$30 Camping per night (see instructions page 2 and 6,
\$8 Shavings per bag	must be pre-paid with your entry)

ENTRIES: Entries must be legible. **Entries will be accepted on a first come basis based on postmark date. When the competition is filled, a waiting list will be established.** Entries MUST include copies of all memberships for horse, owner, rider and trainer listed on entry form. Entry Forms and additional information may be downloaded from: www.HarmonyInTheParkDressageShow.com **Entries are not considered complete and will not be processed unless a check payable to Harmony in the Park is included.** Checks will be cashed as they are received with your mailed entry. Credit cards accepted with on-line entries only at EquestrianEntries.com starting on opening date of show.

******This is considered two shows. Please fill out an entry for each show. ******

Draw checks and mail entries to: *Harmony in the Park*
c/o Show Secretary, 13046 West Road, Zionsville, IN 46077

CONFIRMATION/TIMES: Confirmation of entry will be e-mailed. All e-mail addresses must be clearly printed. Ride times and show updates will be posted at www.HarmonyInTheParkDressageShow.com and Foxvillage.com. It is the responsibility of the rider to inform show management of any time conflicts as soon as possible after receiving ride times. Classes may not be run in the order listed below.

LATE ENTRIES: Entries postmarked after closing date, include \$20 late fee per show. Entry is considered late if incomplete after closing date.

COGGINS/VACCINATIONS/HEALTH CERTIFICATES: Include a current Coggins copy within 12 months of show date. All horses must have proof of Equine Influenza and Equine Herpes Vaccinations within 6 months of show date (GR845). Health certificate required for out of state horses. These documents must list the same horse name and description as is listed on the entry blank and on the USEF horse identification or recording documents (GR907.4)

ENTRY CHANGES: May be accepted if scheduling permits with a \$10 change fee plus regular class fee and must be made by Noon the day prior to start of the class. 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.

REFUNDS: Refunds minus the full office fee(s) on or before closing date with request in writing. **No refunds for any reason after the closing date. Exception: After closing date ½ stall fee and shavings fee will be refunded, if show secretary is contacted before the show. NO SHOWS will not be refunded.** All regional championship qualifying fees paid to show management must be submitted to USDF, including fees from riders that scratched, were eliminated, excused or did not show up for the class. Competition entry fees in the event of cancellation of classes due to severe weather or other emergencies WILL NOT be refunded. GR 901.11

ARENAS/FOOTING: Three 20m x 60m sand and fiber competition arenas. Large sand & fiber warm-up ring. Show may elect to run Introductory through Training 2 classes in 20m x 40m arena. Para Equestrian Grade I-III and Grade I-III freestyles will be held in 20m x 40 m arena. Separate sand lunge area.

AWARDS: Divisions (Jr/YR, AA, Open) may be run concurrently as one class. Divisions will be pinned separately. Riders must clearly specify division choice. When no designation is made, riders will automatically be entered as open. Riders may enter only one division per class. 1st place award and ribbons to sixth place for each class. No ribbons for Qualifying classes. Championships and reserves awarded for the highest percentage at each USDF/USEF/FEI level in each division for Harmony I only. Overall High Percentage for each division will be awarded Show I only. High Percentage Musical Freestyle will be awarded on Saturday. Highest Percentage of Weekend will be awarded on Sunday. Entries that contain all correct information and payment for both shows will be entered into a drawing for the **Perfect Entry Award** donated by the show secretary. **Awards will not be mailed....competitor must pick up before leaving the show.**

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, Adult Amateur, or Junior/Young rider classes will pay an additional \$15 qualifying fee to have this score entered in the Great American/USDF qualifying class at that level.

STABLING: 10x10 permanent stalls with full doors. Special requests will be considered but not guaranteed. Bedding available on grounds and may be pre-purchased on entry form. Initial bedding not included. Stalls available Thursday 1pm through Sunday 7pm. Stabling assignments will be posted on www.HarmonyInTheParkDressageShow.com. **Smoking is not permitted in barn area**

HOTELS: Edinburgh hotels (6 miles) Comfort Inn 812-526-9899; Hampton Inn 812-526-5100; Hilton Garden Inn 812-526-8600; Best Western 812-526-9883; Holiday Inn Express 812-654-0232... Franklin hotels (13 miles): Super 8 317-738-0888; Howard Johnson Express 317-738-4448; Quality Inn 317-346-6444.

CAMPING: Campsites must pre-paid with show secretary with your entry. \$30 per night on a separate check payable to Harmony in the Park. Include camping form (page 7) with your entry. No reservations! First come – first served!

DIRECTIONS: From Indianapolis, take I-65 south to exit 76B (US-31). Take US-31 north 3 miles to 800S, turn left (west) towards Camp Atterbury. 4 miles to Schoolhouse road. Turn right and go 1/2 mile to Hoosier Horse Park, 7105 S. Kerns St., Edinburgh, IN 46124

PARKING: Parking will be in designated areas only both for trailers and vehicles. Non compliant vehicles will be towed at owner's expense.

IMPORTANT

GROUND CLEAN-UP: Before departure, please clean up the area around your stalls. In other words, PICK UP AFTER YOURSELVES!

MOTORIZED VEHICLES: Four wheelers, three wheelers, mopeds, small motor bikes or other motorized vehicles ARE NOT ALLOWED AT ANY TIME ON HOOSIER HORSE PARK GROUNDS.

FOOD SERVICE: Per USEF COVID -19 Rule Modifications, food service WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE. Bottled water will be available at the awards desk.

SAFE SPORT REMINDER: All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants MUST adhere to the U. S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies.

TIME SCHEDULE AND RIDE TIMES: MUST be posted by noon day before the competition either in electronic format and/or in an area where social distancing can be adhered to.

FREESTYLES AND MUSIC: Music must be on CD only. It must be clearly labeled with entry name, number and music directions and delivered to the announcer at least 3 hours prior to the start of the class and picked up following the class. Unclaimed music will not be returned. Sound check will be at the lunch break on Friday, May 20, 2022. DR129.9

EQUINE DRUGS AND MEDICATION REPORT FORMS: All USEF Medication Report Forms MUST be submitted electronically, unless online submission is absolutely impossible.

PONY MEASUREMENT: Only one handler is permitted to bring the horse or pony to the measurement area. If more than one person arrives with the horse or pony to be measured, the measuring official has the authority to ask the excess individuals to leave the measurement area. Handlers should stand on the off side of the horse or pony with as much distance between themselves and the withers as possible, while continuing to handle the horse or pony safely. Horse or pony in need of a USEF pony measurement card, an appointment MUST be made with the show secretary prior to the show. Ponies will be measured on Thursday May 14, 2021 at 4PM. Location will be available from office.

TACK INSPECTIONS: Visual tack inspections will be done for 1/3 of the horses in the class. The Technical Delegate may follow the competitor to a designated area if necessary.

Harmony in the Park Covid-19 Plan

- Competitors are asked to self- monitor their temperature daily.
- Anyone who exhibits Covid-19 symptoms, has tested positive for Covid-19 within the last two weeks, has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for Covid-19 within the last two weeks, cannot stay on the show grounds. If a person starts running a temperature or begins to feel ill, they MUST leave the grounds.
- Hand washing and sanitizer use MUST to be done frequently. Sanitizers will be positioned throughout show grounds.
- The office will be closed to all but officials and staff. All transactions will be handled thru the window.
- Every person will sign the NEW USEF Waiver and Release of Liability Form upon arriving on show grounds.
- Covid-19 signage will be posted on the grounds.
- Judges booth may have a Plexiglas divider between judge and scribe.
- Announcements will be issued regularly though out the day. Reminding of social distancing and hand washing.
- A warning card will be issued to those who will not comply with rules. If repeatedly in non-compliance will be asked to leave the grounds. Report name to manager.
- Golf Carts: Capacity may not exceed the number of seats. Congregating around a parked golf cart is prohibited.

ATTENTION FREESTYLE COMPETITORS



UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™
Freestyle Competitor Reminders

- Submit two CDs of your music clearly labeled with your name, horse's name, bridle number, and freestyle level.
- Be present for your sound check.
- Know the rules for the level you are riding. This includes forbidden and allowed movements for your level.

Questions?
Contact freestyle@usdf.org

4051 IRON WORKS PARKWAY, LEXINGTON, KY 40511

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Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Cost	Class Name	Divisions
	200	300	\$20	Lead Line Class for children 6 years old and younger	
101	201	301	\$35	Intro A	Open
102	202	302	\$35	Intro B	Open
103	203	303	\$35	Intro C	Open
104	204	304	\$45	Training 1	JR-YG/AA/Open
105	205	305	\$45	Training 2	JR-YG/AA/Open
106*	206*	306*	\$45	Training 3	JR-YG/AA/Open
107	207	307	\$45	First 1	JR-YG/AA/Open
108	208	308	\$45	First 2	JR-YG/AA/Open
109*	209*	309*	\$45	First 3	JR-YG/AA/Open
110	210	310	\$45	Second 1	JR-YG/AA/Open
111	211	311	\$45	Second 2	JR-YG/AA/Open
112*	212*	312*	\$45	Second 3	JR-YG/AA/Open
113	213	313	\$45	Third 1	JR-YG/AA/Open
114	214	314	\$45	Third 2	JR-YG/AA/Open
115*	215*	315*	\$45	Third 3	JR-YG/AA/Open
116	216	316	\$45	Fourth 1	JR-YG/AA/Open
117	217	317	\$45	Fourth 2	JR-YG/AA/Open
118*	218*	318*	\$45	Fourth 3	JR-YG/AA/Open
119*	219*	319*	\$45	Test of Choice Tr-3, 1 st -3, 2 nd -3, 3 rd -3, 4 th -3 (specify test)	Open
120*	220*	320*	\$50	USDF Freestyle Test of Choice (specify test: 1 st -4 th) **	Open
121*	221*	321*	\$55	Prix St Georges (2022)	Open
122*	222*	322*	\$55	Intermediare I (2022)	Open
123	223	323	\$55	Intermediare A (2022)	Open
124	224	324	\$55	Intermediare B (2022)	Open
125*	225*	325*	\$55	Intermediare II (2022)	Open
126*	226*	326*	\$55	Grand Prix (2022)	Open
127*	227*	327*	\$55	FEI Test of Choice (specify test)	Open
128*	228*	328*	\$60	FEI Freestyle Test of Choice (specify test)	Open
129		329	\$45	Dressage Equitation	JR-YG/AA/OPEN
	230	330	\$40	Materiale – Three Year Old Fillies	
	231	331	\$40	Materiale – Four and Five Year Old Mares	
	232	332	\$40	Materiale – Three Year Old Colts and Geldings	
	233	333	\$40	Materiale – Four and Five Year Old Stallions and Geldings	
134*	234*	334*	\$45	Pony Test of Choice (Training-FEI specify level and test)	
	235		\$60	FEI Pony Team (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
		336	\$60	FEI Pony Individual (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	237		\$60	FEI Pony Freestyle (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	238		\$60	FEI Children Team Test (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
		339	\$60	FEI Children Individual Test (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	240*		\$60	FEI Junior Team Test (edition 2022)	NAYC /USEF Qualifying
		341	\$60	FEI Junior Individual Test (edition 2022)	NAYC /USEF Qualifying
	242		\$60	FEI Junior Freestyle Test (edition 2022)	NAYC /USEF Qualifying
	243*		\$60	FEI Young Rider Team Test (edition 2022)	NAYC/USEF Qualifying
		344	\$60	FEI Young Rider Individual Test (edition 2022)	NAYC/USEF Qualifying

Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Cost	Class Name	Divisions
	245		\$60	FEI Young Rider Freestyle Test (edition 2022)	NAYC/USEF Qualifying
	246*		\$60	FEI Intermediare II/Brentina Cup (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
		347	\$60	FEI Grand Prix 16-25 Test/Brentina Cup (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	248*		\$100	FEI Prix St.Georges (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
		349*	\$100	FEI Intermediare I (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	250*		\$100	FEI Grand Prix (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
		351	\$100	FEI Grand Prix Special (edition 2022)	USEF Qualifying
	252		\$60	FEI Para Dressage Team Test or Choice	USEF Qualifying
		353	\$60	FEI Para Dressage Individual Test of Choice	USEF Qualifying
	254		\$60	FEI Para Dressage Freestyle Test of Choice	USEF Qualifying
		355	\$60	USEF Developing Prix St. Georges Test (edition 2022)	Markel/USEF Qualifying
		356	\$60	USEF Developing Grand Prix Test (edition 2022)	Markel/USEF Qualifying
	257		\$60	USEF Four Year Old Test (edition 2022)	Markel/USEF Qualifying
	258		\$60	FEI Five Year Old Prelim Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC Qualifying
		359	\$60	FEI Five Year Old Final Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC & Markel Qualifying
	260		\$60	FEI Six Year Old Prelim Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC Qualifying
		361	\$60	FEI Six Year Old Final Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC & Markel Qualifying
	262		\$60	FEI Seven Year Old Prelim Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC Qualifying
		363	\$60	FEI Seven Year Old Final Test (edition 2022)	FEI WBC Qualifying

***Indicates Great American/USDF Qualifying class. Place a Q after the class number and add \$15.**

**** Training Level Freestyle is not a Great American/USDF Qualifying class.**

Test of Choice – You must specify which level/test you will ride. For Great American/USEF qualifying, must be highest test of the level.

USDF Statement on Animal Welfare

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

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

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

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

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

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

United States Dressage Federation
4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511
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Hoosier Horse Park Camper Reservation Form

Name _____

Address _____

Phone # _____

E-Mail _____

Arrival Date _____ Time _____

Departure Date _____ Time _____

Number of nights _____ X \$30 each = _____

Arrival Time _____

Campsites are locked. Office closes at 6pm.

Must be pre-paid.

**Mail this form and payment for camping with your entry
Payable to Harmony in the Park**

Spots are First Come – First Serve.

You must notify management if arriving after 6pm.

Office Use:

Site Number: _____ Unlocked by: _____

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 Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A non-member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR218) 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 Equine Drugs and Medications Program, 956 King Ave, Columbus, Ohio 46212 Phone: (800) 633-2472**

Trainer: 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.**

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

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) 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.**

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 exhibitor's 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 regardless 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.

Adult Amateur Classes - Only active Federation members may obtain amateur status. Every person who has reached his/her 18th birthday and competes in classes for amateurs under Federation rules must possess current amateur status issued by the Federation. Any person who has not reached his/her 18th birthday is an amateur and does not require amateur status.

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.

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.

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: Except for USEF/USDF Championship classes and for FEI Pony Riders, FEI Junior, FEI Young Rider and FEI Para-Equestrian Freestyles, in order to enter a freestyle class at any level, a horse/rider combination must have received a minimum score of 63% for Training through Fourth levels and 60% for FEI levels in the highest test of the declared freestyle level or any test of a higher level at a USEF/USDF licensed Dressage Competition or FEI recognized Dressage Competition or "open" Dressage class (i.e. open to all breeds) at a Federation Licensed Competition held prior to the competition where the horse/rider combination is entered to ride a freestyle class. A photocopy of the test verifying eligibility, or copy of the USDF score verification, must be submitted with the entry for a freestyle class.

Please note: A 60% or higher earned by a horse/rider combination at the FEI levels may be applied for a freestyle ridden at a lower level. Example: a 60% or higher earned by a horse/rider combination at the FEI Prix St. Georges level will allow a rider/horse combination to compete in a Fourth level freestyle (or any lower level freestyle). Additionally, as a reminder, a 60% or higher earned in the FEI Grand Prix 16-25 test will also qualify a rider/horse combination to ride the FEI Grand Prix Freestyle.

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. Official Ride Times Schedule will be posted on the score board by noon the day before the competition.

ALL RIDERS MUST WEAR HELMETS DR120.6 From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds including non - competing riders, riders on non -competing horses and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para Equestrian **MUST** wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR 801.

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/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

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 FEE GR 208.1 For any horse participating in any competition licensed by the Federation, a \$23 Federation fee will be collected (\$15 shall be an Equine Drugs and Medication fee to provide for research, inspection and enforcement of rules regarding use of medications and drugs: see GR 407.1-3)

DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH NO LONGER THAN 6' AT ALL TIMES WHILE ON SHOW GROUNDS (including in stable areas). GR1301.6 - Dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be held on a leash or otherwise restrained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from their dogs' behaviors. **DOG OWNERS FAILING TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE WILL BE ISSUED A YELLOW WARNING CARD MAY BE SUBJECT TO PENALTY UNDER CHAPTERS 6 AND 7.**

ATTENTION COMPETITORS—It is the responsibility of all riders to know the rules applying to showing in the Dressage Discipline. THE RULES MAY HAVE CHANGED FROM THE CURRENT RULE BOOK. IT IS THE COMPETITORS' RESPONSIBILITY TO CHECK THE CURRENT USEF RULE BOOK FOR ANY CHANGES. The listed rules are only general and are subject to change at the discretion of the Board of Directors of USEF. Current rules can be found on www.usef.org

All questions not covered in these rules and regulations shall be decided by the show management whose decision shall be final.

Every horse entered for competition will comply with the rules of the horse show management, but management will, in no case, be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it shall be condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold this horse show and the officials and employees of the show blameless for any loss or accident to his horse, employees, equipment, which may occur from sickness, fire or otherwise.

Exhibitors are notified that any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the judges or officials, on the part of the owner, manager, rider, or groom shall disqualify the horse, and the owner shall forfeit his entry fee and other fees.

Show management reserves to itself the power to prohibit any person from attending or showing a horse in the ring and to remove any groom or horse from the show without being liable for compensation.

No person will be allowed in the show ring during the time of judging except the exhibitor and those having official or requested duties to perform.

It is the tradition of the show that riders be correctly attired for the class in question, that attendants be neatly dressed and the horses properly presented. Management may in its discretion bar any person from entering the ring if not suitably presented before an audience.

MEMBERSHIP/REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR GAIG/USDF QUALIFYING CLASSES

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

USEF and USDF Fees for all shows

USDF Affidavit	\$5.00
USDF Horse ID	\$35.00
USDF Non-Member	\$35.00 (for each NM rider & owner)
USEF Show Pass Fee:	\$45.00 (for each Non-member rider, owner, trainer, coach)
USEF Fee	\$23.00 (D & M \$15.00, USEF \$8.00) per USEF Horse

GAIG/USDF QUAL - Qualifying class for GAIG/USDF Regional Dressage Championships. Declare qualifying ride on entry form. Class fee plus additional \$15 fee must be paid prior to start of the class.

Markel/USEF QUAL — Qualifying class for Markel/USEF Young Horse Dressage Program

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

USEF QUAL — Qualifying class for USEF National Championships

ATTENTION COMPETITORS

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

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



NDPC PARTNER SHOW

This is an official Partner Show with The National Dressage Pony Cup, with Pony-Only classes offered!

NDPC Awards: A NDPC Ribbon will be awarded to the Champion and Reserve Champion of the Pony TOC classes. This only applies to Pony Divisions/Pony TOC classes.

NDPC Awards for Partner Shows will be awarded at the conclusion of the show.

The National Dressage Pony Cup showcases the exceptional talent, training, and commitment of ponies, their owners, breeders, trainers, and riders in the art and sport of dressage. NDPC encourages competition at every level, for riders of any ability of age, and ponies of any breed or mix of breeds to compete and enjoy their experience.

The NDPC partners with USDF shows around the country to offer our Partner Show Program. These shows will offer at least one 'pony only' class, but possibly more, and an opportunity to receive your USEF Pony Measurement card. You do not need to be a member to compete in a Partner Show.

Learn more at www.DressagePonyCup.com

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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 Member Guide* or the USDF website at www.usdf.org.

**This
competition
is recognized
by USDF
for 2022**

Membership Requirements for USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized Competitions: Owners and riders, including foreign riders and owners who are not residents of the US, wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition as a rider or owner/lessee, must have either a USDF Group Membership (GM), Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF Non-Member (NM) fee. (Note: USDF Business Members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF Business Membership.)

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

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

Exceptions:

- Horses competing only in Individual Breed Classes (IBCs) at DSHB competitions, sires and dams of horses in DSHB group classes, where those sires or dams are not actually competing in the same competition, horses competing only in breed restricted dressage or DSHB classes at Regular Competitions (e.g. all Arabian, all Friesian, or all Morgan classes), or in USDF Introductory Level tests, pas de deux or quadrille, are exempt from this requirement. Also exempt are horses ridden in leadline, exhibitions, games and races, classes for 4-H members, walk-trot, academy, and opportunity classes.
- Riders and owners/lessees competing only in classes which are exempt from the USDF HID requirements are also exempt from the USDF NM identification number and NM fee requirements. Also exempt are handlers of horses competing in DSHB In-Hand or Group classes.

Memberships Defined

Participating Membership (PM): A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. The membership year is December 1 through November 30. PMs are available for 1-year (\$90), 5-years (\$360), or life (\$1,800). A USDF Youth Participating Membership (YPM) is available for individuals who have not reached their 21st birthday by December 1 of the current membership year (\$72). A PM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and to participate as a rider and/or owner/lessee for all Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards and the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championship program.

Group Membership (GM): A membership issued to an individual by USDF when the member name and dues are submitted to USDF through an affiliate Group Member Organization (GMO). The GM year begins December 1 and ends November 30. A GM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and participate in the USDF Rider Awards Program and the USDF Regional Schooling Show Awards Program.

Business Membership (BM): A membership that runs December 1 through November 30 and is issued to a business or organization directly by USDF. The USDF BM (\$240) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

Non-Member (NM) Identification Number: For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$35 per competition that must be collected by the show secretary and submitted to USDF, along with the USDF Report of Fees document and the \$5 affidavit fee and Competition Affidavit Form if the person cannot provide a copy of their USDF NM card. Owners/lessees or riders exempt from the NM number requirements are also exempt from paying the USDF NM fee. If there are multiple owners of a horse and all are NMs, only one of the owners must pay the NM fee. If the horse has at least one owner who is a current USDF PM, GM, or BM there is no NM fee assessed. Competition management will be invoiced for all applicable USDF NM fees not received with the USDF post-competition paperwork, along with a report listing all USDF NMs. Competition management is then required to submit the NM fees within 30 days to the USDF. An individual with a USDF NM identification number is not eligible for any USDF membership benefits. Once a USDF NM number has been assigned, a USDF NM card can be obtained from the USDF website.

Horse Identification (HID) Number: A one-time tracking number for horses (\$35). Scores earned by a horse with an HID number will be recorded, but will NOT be counted towards Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards. A horse with an HID number is not eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying or championship classes. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$80. If a horse has a USDF LHR it does not need an HID number. An HID number is a one-time fee that does not need to be renewed.

Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR): A horse with an LHR (\$115) is eligible for Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying and championship classes, assuming requirements for the owner and rider are met. If a horse has an LHR it does not need an HID number. An LHR does not need to be renewed.

How to Join USDF

Applications for USDF Participating Membership (PM), Business Membership (BM), Horse Identification (HID) number, and Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) may be found in the following locations:

- On the USDF website: www.usdf.org. You can submit the application online or download the form 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.



2022 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. Please refer to the 2022 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

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

Rider:

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

Horse:

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

Owner:

- Must have a USDF Participating or Business Membership and a USEF membership (Junior Active, Senior Active, Life, or Recorded Farm (with Active Farm Owner)). If the horse has more than one owner, at least one owner must have both active USEF membership and active USDF Participating or Business Membership and must be the owner of record with USEF and USDF. For a business or farm to be the valid owner under this requirement, it must be listed as an owner of the horse with both USEF and USDF.

* PMs are USDF members who join USDF directly. USDF Group Members (GM) are ineligible.

Minimum Qualifying Scores: One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for Training Level through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur and junior/young rider. FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. 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	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	62%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%
FREESTYLE	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
First Level	65%	—	—
Second Level	65%	—	—
Third Level	65%	—	—
Fourth Level	65%	—	—
Intermediate I	65%	—	—
Grand Prix	65%	—	—

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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	

RIDER/HANDLER _____

USEF# _____ USDF# _____ FEI/LOCAL# _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/ST/ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____ JR/YOUNG RIDER BIRTHDAY _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

RIDER CITIZENSHIP (IF NOT USA) _____

RIDER STATUS (CIRCLE ONE): JR/YG AA OPEN

OWNER _____

USEF# _____ USDF# _____ LOCAL# _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/ST/ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

OWNER CITIZENSHIP (IF NOT USA) _____

TRAINER _____

USEF# _____ USDF# _____ LOCAL# _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/ST/ZIP _____

CELL PHONE _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

COACH _____

USEF# _____ USDF# _____ LOCAL# _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/ST/ZIP _____

Please complete all three pages. Reverse MUST be SIGNED.

CLASS NO.	DIVISION	CLASS DESCRIPTION	QUAL Y/N	FEES

SUBTOTAL CLASS FEES AND QUALIFYING FEES	
USEF Show Pass Fees \$45 PER NON-MEMBER	
USDF NON MEMBER FEE \$35 PER NON-MEMBER	
OFFICE FEE AND/OR BRIDLE # FEE	
USEF HORSE FEES \$8 USEF FEE + \$15 DRUG FEE = \$23.00	
CDI HORSE FEES \$8 USEF FEE + \$25 DRUG FEE = \$33.00	
IHP DISCIPLINE FEE (\$35 IF REQUIRED)	
STABLING FEES _____ STALL @ \$ _____ /STALL	
TACK STALLS _____ STALL @ \$ _____ /STALL	
BEDDING _____ BALES @ \$ _____ /BALE	
NON COMPETING HORSE FEE	
SPONSORSHIP	
GROUNDS FEE OR OTHER FEES _____	
OTHER _____	
LATE/CHANGE/BANK CHARGES FOR CC	
TOTAL FEES	

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.

<input type="checkbox"/> VISA	<input type="checkbox"/> AMEX	CARD NO. _____ - _____ - _____	EXP DATE _____
<input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	NAME ON CARD: _____	CVV # _____
BILLING ADDRESS _____		ZIP CODE _____	



FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

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BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If I am signing and submitting this Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall have the same validity, force and effect as if I affixed my signature by my own hand.

RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTOR/LONGEUR (mandatory)

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

TRAINER (mandatory)

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

OWNER/AGENT (mandatory)

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

COACH (if applicable)

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: (Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/Vaultor/Longeur is a minor) _____

Print Parent//Guardian Name: _____ Emergency Contact Phone No. _____

Is Rider/Driver/Vaultor a U.S. Citizen: ___ Yes ___ No



WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. dba US Equestrian ("USEF") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any capacity (including as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, official, trainer or volunteer) in a USEF sanctioned, licensed or approved event or activity, including but not limited to equestrian clinics, practices, shows, competitions and related or incidental activities and ("USEF Event" or "USEF Events"); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors,, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Agreement (the "Agreement"):

A. RULES AND REGULATIONS: I hereby agree to be bound and abide by the rules, regulations, and policies of USEF as published in the USEF Rule Book and on the website at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time.

B. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK: I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any USEF Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the USEF Event organizers and competition management; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers ("Risks").

EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT WARNING:

CAUTION: HORSEBACK RIDING AND EQUINE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DANGEROUS. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK.

Under the laws of most States, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

C. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the USEF Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any USEF Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any USEF Event.

D. WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY: In conjunction with my participation in any USEF Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: USEF, USEF Recognized Affiliate Associations, the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee (USOPC), USEF clubs, members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any USEF Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the USEF Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where a USEF Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (**Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature ("**Liability**") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the USEF Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.

E. COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE: This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND KNOW IT CONTAINS AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER FROM LIABILITY, AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS.

By signing below, I (as the participant or as the Parent/Legal Guardian of the minor identified below) hereby accept and agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in connection with my (or the minor's) participation in any USEF Event. If, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf or the minor's behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities as the result of such claim.

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

☐ RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR ☐ OWNER ☐ TRAINER ☐ OFFICIAL ☐ STAFF ☐ VOLUNTEER ☐ COACH (IF APPLICABLE)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Print Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: (Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/Vaulter/Longeur is a minor) _____ Date: _____

Print Parent//Guardian Name: _____ Emergency Contact Phone No. _____

6.17.20