

# **2018 AHAM SUMMER DRESSAGE SHOW**

# For Arabians & Half-Arabians

Two Days – Saturday, July 28th<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, July 29<sup>th</sup>

Judged By: Cheryl Connell-Marsh, East Lansing, Michigan

Entries must be postmarked by July 16th

USEF Regular Member Rated "N" Arabian, Half/Anglo Arabian, Jr. Exhibitor AHA & USDF Approved

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MSU Pavilion for Agriculture and Livestock Education (PALE)

Lansing, MI

Dressage Judge: Cheryl Connell-Marsh

Show Manager: Ron Gekiere, 586.484.8790, <a href="mailto:rongeki@gmail.com">rongeki@gmail.com</a>

Show Committee: Linda Corich; Ron Gekiere; Ann Knoop; Betty Horst

Barn Manager: Ron Gekiere, 586.484.8790; rongeki@gmail.com

Show Secretary: Sara Ressler; 248.922.0148; saressler@aol.com

**Show Office Phone:** 517.676.1025

USEF Steward: Kandy LaZarrus

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Farrier: Chris DeMarco
Medical: Toni Martinez
Ribbons: Ann Knoop

Dressage Coordinator: Betty Horst, 734.878.5935; bettyhorst@sbcglobal.net

# **Show Approvals:**

USEF & USDF Rated Class "N" #3378 for Arabian, Half/Anglo Arabian, Junior Exhibitor Arabian Horse Association #181314305, #181314306 AHAM, HAAM, WMAHA, MHSA

# **Important Exhibitor Information**

#### Rule Book

The rulebook of the USEF will prevail for the show. Any changes or corrections of rules will automatically become part of this prize list. Each class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith. The Show Committee shall decide questions not covered by USEF rules and its decisions will be final. Show Management will be charged with the responsibility of enforcing all USEF and AHA Rules. Violation of any USEF or AHA rule will be cause for immediate removal from the show grounds and all moneys, ribbons, and trophies will be forfeited.

### AHA MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT

EACH COMPETITOR (THIS INCLUDES AT LEAST ONE RECORDED OWNER AND ALL TRAINERS, DRIVERS, RIDERS, HALTER HANDLERS, COACHES AND THE PERSON(S) SIGNING THE ENTRY BLANK) IN AN ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZED ARABIAN DIVISION, AT THE TIME OF ENTRY INTO A COMPETITION, MUST SUBMIT A COPY OF A VALID AHA MEMBERSHIP/COMPETITION CARD, JOIN AHA OR PAY AN AHA SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP FEE PER COMPETITOR. WHEN AN AGENT SIGNS FOR THE OWNER AT AN AHA RECOGNIZED COMPETITION, BOTH THE OWNER AND AGENT MUST BE MEMBERS OF AHA OR PAY THE AHA SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP. SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP IS NOT ACCEPTABLE AT AHA REGIONAL OR NATIONAL COMPETITIONS. EXHIBITORS IN WALK-TROT CLASSES ARE EXEMPT FROM AHA MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS AT QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS, BUT MUST HAVE AN AHA MEMBERSHIP WITH COMPETITION CARD AT AHA REGIONAL AND NATIONAL COMPETITIONS. EXHIBITORS IN LEAD LINE CLASSES OR PARENTS/GUARDIANS SIGNING FOR MINORS ARE EXEMPT FROM AHA MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS. (BOD 5/12)

# **Drugs and Medications**

This show will follow the Rules and Regulations of the Drugs and Medications Rule of the USEF. The USEF Drug Test fee for all horses entered in the show is \$16.00 per horse (\$8 drugs & medication and \$8 administration USEF fee). It is the Responsibility of the Owner to know the rules on drugs and medications.

# Dogs/All Pets

All pets must be on a leash at all times on the grounds and in buildings. USEF has warned competitions to strictly in force this rule. Pet owners are required to supply an official rabies certification showing the date & serum used. Proof of service status is required and must be promptly shown if asked to do so.

# **Sharps Containers**

Sharps containers for used needles are attached to the walls in convenient locations throughout the stalling area.

# **USEF Competition Eligibility 901.9**

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 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 \$30 non-member 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 handler in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

#### Arena

All warm up rings have a mixture of sand and dirt footing. The Dressage arena is not covered or enclosed.

# **Judges**

In the event of unforeseen circumstances, the Show Committee reserves the right to substitute judges or show officials per USEF rules. GR1211.2 (b) No contact shall be made with the judges during the period of the show unless accompanied by a member of the Show Committee designated by the Committee for such purpose. Further, no exhibitor shall approach a Judge regarding a decision without first obtaining permission from the Show Committee or USEF Steward, who shall arrange an appointment with the Judge at a proper time and place. All classes will use the Single Judging System and those placings shall prevail.

# **Registration Requirements**

All purebred Arabian and Half Arabian/Anglo Arabian horses to be shown must have been issued a certificate of registration from the AHA Registry and/or the Canadian Arabian Horse Registry (CAHR) or the Canadian Part bred Arabian Register (CPAR), or if under one year of age, be eligible for registry, and registration applied for and must be entered under their full registered name.

# **Smoking**Smoking is prohibited in the Arena and all barns

# **Protective Headgear**

Effective March 1, 2011, for dressage: Anyone mounted on a horse must wear protective headgear except those riders age 18 and over while on horses that are competing only in FEI levels and tests at the Prix St. Georges level and above (including FEI Young Rider Tests, the USEF Developing Prix St. Georges Test and the USEF Brentina Cup Test).

# Discipline

Exhibitors are warned that any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the officials on the part of an owner, groom, rider, driver or member of the family of the person participating in the show will disqualify the horse from adjudication. The management reserves to itself the right to remove a groom, horse, rider, or driver from the show without being liable for compensation or damages.

# **USEF Liability – Entry Agreement**

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulter 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, cablecasts or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, 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. GR906.4

# **Health Requirements**

A negative Coggins test is required for all horses exhibited at this show and must be dated within the current calendar year. For horses entering Michigan: (Michigan Statute) all equines require a pre-approved official interstate health certificate or certificate of veterinary inspection prepared by an accredited veterinarian from the <u>State of Origin</u>. An entry permit is not required.

USEF rules also require that effective December 1, 2015, all horses entering the grounds of a Federation-licensed competition must be accompanied by documentation of Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within six months prior to entering the stables.

#### Amateurs Take Note: USEF GR106 Rule

As a competitor in an amateur class at a USEF licensed competition under GR106 Amateur Classes, every contestant must hold amateur status. There are no ShowPasses allowed for these classes.

That means: All Amateurs must be a member of USEF.

#### **Driver's License Statement**

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.

## **Campers**

The camping fee is \$25 per night during the show. All camper units/tents that are occupied overnight must display a valid permit that can be purchased at the Show Office. Permits must be visibly displayed. Running of generators after midnight is prohibited. Camping is allowed in designated areas only. No horse trailers except those with living quarters may park in camping areas.

### **Refund Policy and Class Cancellations**

If a horse is withdrawn from the show for any reason by July 16, 2018 all fees shall be refunded. After July 16, 2018, requests for refunds will be considered on an individual basis. Refund requests should be given to the Show Secretary prior to the end of the show. Requests for refunds must be in writing with a Veterinarian's statement as to reason for cancellation of classes. Refund checks will be mailed after the Show Committee's decision.

# **Public Address System**

The public address system in the barns is used to call classes. **This is a courtesy only**. It is up to each exhibitor to be aware of the class schedule and to arrive at the gate at the proper time. Exhibitors are responsible for knowing when their class is being judged.

# **Submit Complete Entries**

- 1. Include the complete name and address of owners, trainers, riders, handlers, drivers and walk-trot riders.
- **2**. The horse owner's name must be exactly as it appears on the registration papers. Leased horses need a copy of the lease agreement. No leased horses may exhibit in an Amateur Owner class.
- 3. AHA non-members may pay a \$35 single event fee. USEF non-member fees are \$30. Walk-trot 10 & Under, Lead line exhibitors, and parents who sign as trainers for their children are not required to be members of either organization.
- **4**. The back of the entry form must have all necessary signatures including owner, trainer, rider, handler, and driver. A parent/guardian signature for all exhibitors less than 18 years of age is required. A professional trainer, parent or child may sign as the trainer. *Trainer in this case means the person responsible for the care and wellbeing of the horse*. Failure to complete all of the signatures on the back may result in a \$250 USEF fine should the entry need to be sent to USEF for any reason.
- 5. Include a photocopy of the horse's Coggins Test. The original copy will be verified at check-in.
- **6**. Enclose your check or other payment instrument. Check for full payment or open check must be made out to **AHAM**, signed, and dated.
- 7. Enclose the stall request sheet located within this booklet. People requesting stalling together must have each other's names listed on the "stall with" section and must get their entries in by July 16, 2018. <u>If a tack stall is being shared by two or more people, the cost of the stall must be paid in full by one person.</u>

- 8. No fee will be charged to change a class if a class is added <u>at the same time</u> a class is scratched. Scratched classes with no added class will not be refunded. The scratch and add must be completed in the Show Office prior to the classes scratched and added. Any difference in fees from the scratched class and the added class will be paid by the exhibitor.
- 9. Settlements will be calculated and paid <u>in their entirety</u> by either the trainer or the owner. Settlement of fees and closing out open checks should be done no less than one hour after the last class ends. <u>You may check out earlier when you have</u> entered the last class **but make sure it is the last class.**
- 10. And most important—if you have questions, call Show Secretary, Sara Ressler, 248.922.0148; saressler@aol.com

### Stalls/Shavings/Time of Arrival

For Advance Stall Reservations, you may call **Ron Gekiere**, 586-484-8790 or email him at <a href="mailto:rongeki@gmail.com">rongeki@gmail.com</a>. Advance reservation will be accepted followed by a signed open check, <a href="mailto:sent-to-Ron Gekiere">sent to Ron Gekiere</a> to confirm the reservation. No stalls may be resold except by Show Management. All stalls have cement floors and doors. Please note: the MSU Pavilion will assess a \$150 fine per stall to anyone who takes a stall apart and does not replace or straighten all items EXACTLY. Please note any problem with a stall before use and report any broken or misaligned item to the Show Office or MSU Pavilion Management. A stall assignment map will be posted outside of the show office. The Show Management reserves the right to reassign tack stalls for use as additional horse stalls if needed. No changes in stabling will be permitted without Show Management's permission. No first bedding will be provided.

<u>Arrival</u>: Admission to the show grounds will not be allowed before Friday, July 27, 2018 at 8:00 am. All parking will be in designated areas only. Stallion owners: We have no control regarding the gender of the horses in the adjoining stalls. It is the responsibility of the Stallion Owners to provide equipment or barriers to protect their horses as well as the neighboring horses. <u>Shavings</u>: No first bedding will be provided. Shavings may be purchased from MSU by contacting either Ron Gekiere at 586-484-8790 or Scott Rancour of MSU at 517-432-5566. Note that MSU requires that AHAM have an open check on file from you in order for shavings to be delivered.. The sale or delivery of shavings by any other vendor is not allowed. No grain or hay will be available for sale at this show.

# 2018 AHAM SUMMER DRESSAGE SHOW FEE SCHEDULE

#### Cancel stalls prior to July 16, 2018 to obtain a full refund

	Pre En	<u>itered</u>	Post Entered (After July 15th, 2018)
Stalls – Horse/Tack	<b>\$60</b>	A stall is required for each horse	\$60
Office Fee	<b>\$18</b>	Required for each horse	\$38
USEF \$8 Drug & Admin.	\$8	Required for each horse	\$ 8
AHA Resolution 9-90	\$ 7	Required for each horse	\$ 7
AHA Recognition Fee	\$8	Required for each horse	\$ 8
Dressage Tests	\$30		\$35
(post-entries only allowed if time permits)			
Dressage Bridle Tag fees	\$2		\$2
Camper Permit*	\$25 pe	r night	\$25 per night

<sup>\*</sup>Camping not paid for at the time of entry will be charged a \$40 assessment.

#### USEF & AHA Fees/ Membership/ Show Passes Non-member Fees

USEF Non-Member Fee Show Pass\$45USEF Membership when joined at show\$55

AHA Membership when joined at show with competition level \$85 Adult-- \$60 Youth

AHA Non-Member Single Event Fee \$35

AHAM Membership when joined at show \$15 Adult-- \$10 Youth

# Please Make Checks Payable to AHAM

# **2018 AHAM SUMMER DRESSAGE SHOW**

#### Dressage classes are recognized by AHA, USEF and USDF

All dressage tests will be scheduled for Saturday, July 28th, and Sunday, July 29th 2018. Every effort will be made to send riders ride times via email after entries close. Efforts will be made to arrange the classes so that each exhibitor will be able to enter all the classes they request. Dressage tests will be scheduled by Betty Horst; 734.878.5935; bettyhorst@sbcglobal.net. Please email or call Betty directly for individual requests or needs for Dressage classes. Your cooperation in sending your entries in early will assist in getting ride times out. Be sure to include your email address with your entries. The email address must be readable, so please print.

Dressage will be held outside
\*\* Classes may not run in order for that day \*\*

### POST ENTRIES ARE PERMITTED PROVIDED TIME ALLOWS

		SATUI	RDAY RIDES (8:00am Start)		SUNDA	Y RIDES (8:00am Start)
	200	9990	Intro A	224	9990	Intro A
	201	792	Training Test 1 ATR	225	792	Training Test 1 ATR
	202	790	Training Test 1 Open	226	790	Training Test 1 Open
	203	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 1 ATR	227	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 1 ATR
	204	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 1 Open	228	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 1 Open
	205	792	Training Test 2 ATR	229	792	Training Test 2 ATR
	206	790	Training Test 2 Open	230	790	Training Test 2 Open
	207	792	Training Test 3 ATR	231	792	Training Test 3 ATR
	208	790	Training Test 3 Open	232	790	Training Test 3 Open
	209	9990	Intro B	233	9990	Intro B
	210	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 2 ATR	234	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 2 ATR
	211	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 2 Open	235	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 2 Open
	212	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 3 ATR	236	801	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 3 ATR
	213	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 3 Open	237	797	1 <sup>st</sup> Level Test 3 Open
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	217	815	3 <sup>rd</sup> Level Test 1	241	815	3 <sup>rd</sup> Level Test 1
	218	815	3 <sup>rd</sup> Level Test 2	242	815	3 <sup>rd</sup> Level Test 2
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	221	823	4 <sup>th</sup> Level Test 2	245	823	4 <sup>th</sup> Level Test 2
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	223	434	AHA Dressage Seat Equitation			
	Medal	JTR**				

\*\* Medal class offered on Saturday only

**COMPETITOR's RESPONSIBILITY:** 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.

# AHAM SUMMER DRESSAGE SHOW STALL REQUEST FORM (include this page with your entry form)

Name:	
Address:	
City, State & Zip:	
Phone:	
Email:	
Please Stable With:	
Barn Preference	
Trainer's Name:	_
Trainer's Phone Number	_
Total Number of Stalls @ \$60	

If you are reserving stalls for clients who will be paying for those stalls, please indicate the number (all horses require a stall) of stalls reserved and the name of the clients. An Open check must accompany stall requests. Stall management reserves the right to limit tack stalls if necessary. **No first bedding will be provided**.

Name of Client	Number of Stalls	Number of Tack Stalls	Circle who will pay for stalls?
			Trainer / Client

Please continue list of clients who will be paying for stalls on additional sheet of paper.

Make checks payable to AHAM and send to Sara Ressler with your entry form

**CALL or EMAIL Ron Gekiere** 

at rongeki@gmail.com or 586.484.8790 to reserve stalls.

### AHAM SUMMER DRESSAGE SHOW ENTRY FORM

Include a copy of horse registration papers & copy of owner/trainer/exhibitor AHA Competition Membership cards if applicable

SEND TO: SARA RESSLER 5985 Cuthbert Rd White Lake, MI 48386 248-922-0148 Saressler@aol.com

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### Please read and complete release

#### ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I agree as follows by signing this entry: I choose for myself (or as parent or guardian to permit a junior exhibitor) to participate voluntarily in this competition. I AM FULLY AWARE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION INVOLVES SERIOUS RISKS OF HARM, INCLUDING PERSONAL INJURIES, DEATH AND DAMAGES TO PROPERTY. I ASSUME ALL RISKS OF HARM AND DAMAGES TO ME, MY HORSE AND PROPERTY.

I hereby RELEASE, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS (including from damages, costs and attorney fees) Arabian Horse Association, the Competition, the facilities, and all of their respective Agents, Servants, Employees and Volunteers (Collectively the "Released Parties") from any claims, relating to the competition and my participation in the competition, belonging to me, or legally caused by me or my Horse, for any kind of damages, losses, or injuries to myself, other persons, horses or property to the fullest extent permitted by law. I further agree to adhere to the rules set forth in the Arabian Horse Association One Day Show Rules & Guidelines and understand all decisions made by the judge are deemed final and cannot be protested.

Owner -** Mandatory	No Junior Signatures	Signature X
Trainer or Custodian of hor Signatures Adult Owner must si	se @ show - ** Mandatory No Junior ign if no trainer	Signature X
Rider 1 - ** Mandatory	No Junior Signatures	Signature X
Rider 2 - ** Mandatory	No Junior Signatures	Signature X
Rider 3 -** Mandatory	No Junior Signatures	Signature <b>X</b>

# Arabian Horse Association Show Recognition

Competition Sponsor: Arabian Horse Association of Michigan

AHA Recognition Show/Recording Number: 181314305

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# Join AHA through your local club for the following great member benefits:

- Subscription to Arabian Horse Life magazine
- Reduced rate for competition privileges across a variety of disciplines for local, regional and national AHA-approved shows and rides
- Peace of mind with 1 million in personal liability insurance through Equisure
- Preferred rates on horse registrations and transfers
- Preferred rates on ArabDataSource, the world's largest online Arabian horse resource
- No annual fee, low interest rate Bank of America affinity credit card
- Numerous opportunities to participate in award recognition and prize money programs
- · Show circuits for AHA members at local, regional and national levels

#### **Contact your local club:**











The Judges & Stewards Commissioner is responsible for handling written and signed complaints relating to judges and stewards' conduct when filed by exhibitors, show officials, AHA members or others, and when accompanied by a ten-dollar (\$10.00) filing fee [Resolution 5-90]. Other comments, compliments, questions, inquiries are encouraged when appropriate (no filing fee required). Write: Judges & Stewards Commissioner, PO Box 440949, Aurora, CO 80044-0949; (303) 696-4537.

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AHA Recognition Show/Recording Number: 181314306

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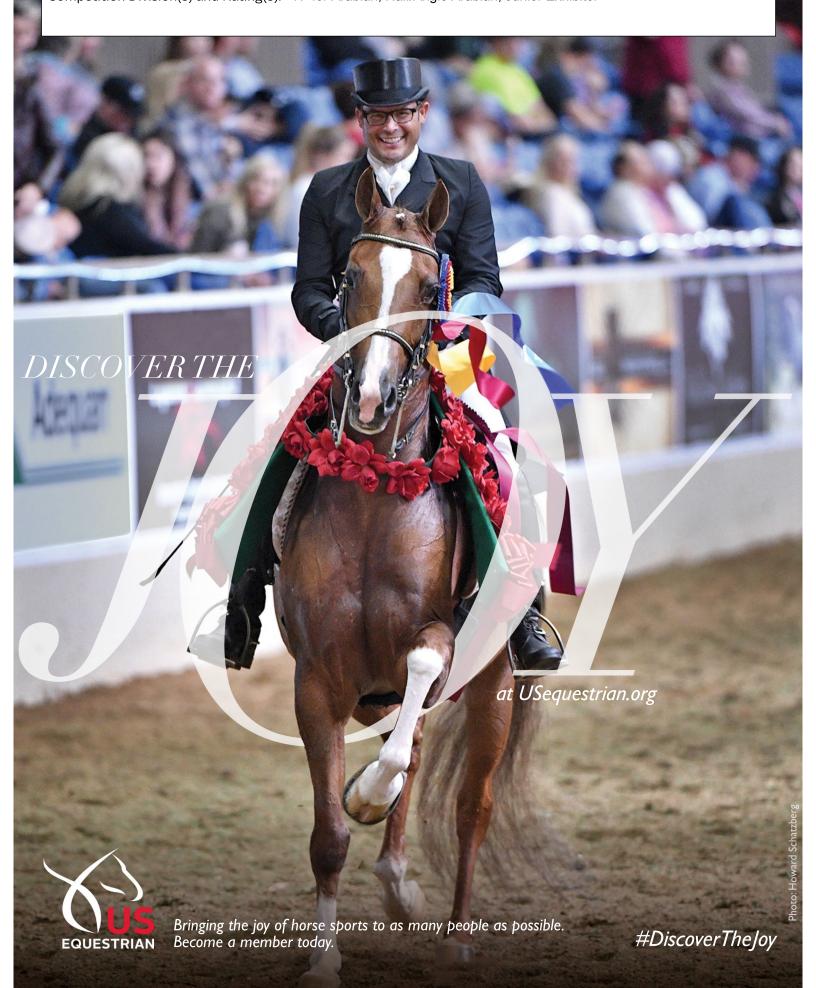






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USEF Competition Name: AHAM Summer Dressage Show
USEF#: 3378
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): "N" for Arabian, Half/Anglo Arabian, Junior Exhibitor



<u>USDF Membership Benefits:</u> USDF is dedicated to education, the recognition of achievement, and promotion of dressage. For details on member benefits, including educational programs, awards, and other opportunities, refer to the *USDF Member Guide* or the USDF website at www.usdf.org.

This competition is recognized by USDF for 2018

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.)
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 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, 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 (\$240) 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 \$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 or USDF Breeders Championship Series Finals. 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 at 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. 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.

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#### **Directions from points North**

Follow US 27 South to US 127 South. Follow US 127 South to Trowbridge Road (exit 106). Follow Trowbridge Road east to Harrison Road (Trowbridge ends at Harrison). Turn south (right) onto Harrison Road. Follow Harrison Road south approximately 1½ miles to it's end at Forest Road. Turn east (left) on Forest Road. Follow Forest Road approximately 3/4 mile to the entrance off College Road. Turn left. The Pavilion is on the northeast corner of Forest and College Roads.

#### **Directions from Grand Rapids and points West**

Follow I-96 to Business I-496 East (exit 95). Follow I-496 East to Trowbridge Road (exit 106). Follow Trowbridge Road east to Harrison Road (Trowbridge ends at Harrison). Turn south (right) onto Harrison Road. Follow Harrison Road South approximately 1½ miles to it's end at Forest Road. Turn east (left) on Forest Road. Follow Forest Road approximately 3/4 mile to the entrance off College Road. Turn left. The Pavilion is on the northeast corner of Forest and College Roads.

#### **Directions from Detroit and points Southeast**

Follow I-96 to the Okemos Road (exit 110). Go north on Okemos road approximately 1/2 mile to Jolly Road. Turn west (left) on Jolly Road. Follow Jolly Road west to College Road. Turn north (right) on College Road. Follow College Road north to Forest Road. Proceed north across Forest Road into the entrance off College Road. The Pavilion is on the northeast corner of Forest and College Roads.

#### **Directions from Flint and points Northeast**

Follow I-69 to the Business I-69/ East Lansing exit. Follow Business I-69 (also called Saginaw and Old M-78) west to Hagadorn Road. Turn south (left) on Hagadorn Road. Follow Hagadorn south to Bennett Road. Turn west (right) on Bennett Road. Follow Bennett west to College Road. Turn north (right) on College Road. Follow College Road. Follow College Road. The Pavilion is on the northeast corner of Forest and College Roads.

Directions from Jackson and points South Follow US 127 North to Trowbridge Road (exit 106). Follow Trowbridge Road east to Harrison Road (Trowbridge ends at Harrison). Turn south (right) onto Harrison Road. Follow Harrison Road south approximately 1½ miles till it end at Forest Road. Turn east (left) on Forest Road. Follow Forest Road approximately 3/4 mile to the entrance off College Road. Turn left. The Pavilion is on the northeast corner of Forest and College Roads.

