



## **KCDS Dressage at Longview I and II**

### **Kansas City, MO**

KCDS Dressage at Longview I #1011 Level 3 competition May 4, 2024

KCDS Dressage at Longview II # 302418 Level 3 competition May 5, 2024

Presented by Hulsebos Saddles

Opening Date: Monday, March 25, 2024 ~ Received by Date: Friday April 26, 2024

#### ***Official Qualifying Competition for the ...***

- 2024 FEI North American Youth Championships
- 2024 USEF Children Dressage National Championship
- 2024 USEF Pony Rider Dressage National Championship
- 2024 Adequan® /USEF Junior Dressage National Championship
- 2024 Horseware Ireland/USEF Young Rider Dressage National Championship
- 2024 Adequan®/USEF Young Adult Brentina Cup Dressage National Championship
- 2024 Markel/USEF Young and Developing Horse Dressage National Championships
  - 2024 USEF Intermediare I Dressage National Championship
  - 2024 USEF Grand Prix Dressage National Championship
  - 2024 Adequan®/USEF Para Dressage National Championship
- 2024 FEI World Breeding Championships for Young Horses in Dressage (5, 6, and 7 YO)  
MHS Point Recognized Show

#### **Entries:**

- One entry per horse/rider combination per show number
- Must be received on or before the closing date
- Online entries accepted at <http://horseshowoffice.com/> beginning on opening date of show.

#### **ALL FEES OUTLINED ON PAGE 9**

#### **Required with entry:**

- Coggins (last 12 months & must list USEF recorded name - no barn names).
- Verification of membership and horse recording/registration for USEF and USDF.
- Electronic check and PayPal via Horse Show Office.
- **Any entry missing these items will be considered incomplete and the incomplete fee applies.**

**Camping/RV Hookup:** Camping is at the Longview Campground <https://www.makeyourdayhere.com>.

**Lunging-** Arena lunging- **YOU MUST SIGN UP AT THE OFFICE AS ARENA LUNGING IS LIMITED Available Friday PM, Saturday AM PM and Sunday AM.**

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**Important:** Each day is a separate show. Use current entry form. Competitors showing both days must complete two separate entry forms and pay two separate office fees and USEF Horse/Drug fees. Stabling fees need only be paid once. Entries are taken based on the order in which they are received and may close early if shows are full. Remaining entries received will be placed on a wait list based on postmark. Confirmation of entry will be emailed to the competitor. Please be sure email addresses are correct and legible.

**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 enforced from the moment show management allows access to the showgrounds. This includes conduct, correct saddlery and equipment, and attire.**

**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 a 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.

**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, 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 damage 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.

KCDS, their officials, sponsors, and employees will not be responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to any exhibitor, spectators, guest, rider, groom, attendant or other employee, animal, or equipment at the competition.

**Motorized Vehicles:** 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 if 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 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.

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**Due to the current Co-vid 19 environment, items in the prize list are subject to change. Please refer to the prize list or Facebook page for any updates.**

More information is available at <https://www.usef.org/forms-pubs/XhKGVYiiwTA/usef-covid-19-action-plan-for-operating>

**\*\*The Covid plan outlined below is that required by the USEF/USDF as per their document: <https://www.usef.org/forms-pubs/XhKGVYiiwTA/usef-covid-19-action-plan-for-operating>. There may be more extensive requirements levied by the State of Missouri or the local governments, and the most restrictive guidelines will prevail and supersede the less restrictive guidelines\*\***

- Anyone who exhibits COVID-19 symptoms, has tested positive for COVID-19 within last two weeks, or \*has been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19 within the last two weeks are encouraged not to enter the competition grounds.
- All persons entering the competition grounds are encouraged to self-monitor their temperature once daily prior to entering.
- All participants, including licensed officials and volunteers, must provide emergency contact information and execute an updated Waiver and Release of Liability, Assumption of Risk and Indemnity Agreement required by USEF, as a condition of participation
- Face Masks: This competition will follow recommendations of the CDC and comply with state and local requirements regarding the use of face masks.
- Spectators and guests (general public and individuals not directly involved in the competition) are permitted and are subject to the same requirements as all other persons on the competition grounds.
- Social distancing is encouraged, and all state and local requirements will be followed.
- Hand sanitizer and/or disinfectant will be available in high use areas such as the show office and warm-up rings.
- Concessions/food/drink will be available for purchase. Bottled water will be available.
- PLEASE make sure your entry is complete. Show office access will be limited, so any changes may take more time than anticipated.

The Competition Organizer has the authority under GR 702.1 and GR914 to remove from the facility any person who does not comply with the regulations and requirements in effect at the competition.

USEF Competition Name: KCDS Dressage at LVHP I&II, KCDS Summer I&II  
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): [Level 3](#)

USEF#: 1011, 302418  
329906, 330523



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		Note: Enter "Q" after the class number if you intend on entering the class as a Great American/USDF Regional Championship Qualifier.			
Saturday Class	Sunday Class	Class Description	Divisions Offered	\$ Fee	Fee with Qualifying
1UA	2UA	USDF Introductory Level Test A	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
1UB	2UB	USDF Introductory Level Test B	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
1UC	2UC	USDF Introductory Level Test C	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
1T1	2T1	USEF Training Level Test 1	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
1T2	2T2	USEF Training Level Test 2	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
1T3	2T3	USEF Training Level Test 3 USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	50
111	211	USEF First Level Test 1	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
112	212	USEF First Level Test 2	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	
113	213	USEF First Level Test 3 USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	35	50
121	221	USEF Second Level Test 1	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
122	222	USEF Second Level Test 2	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
123	223	USEF Second Level Test 3 USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	60
131	231	USEF Third Level Test 1	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
132	232	USEF Third Level Test 2	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
133	233	USEF Third Level Test 3 USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	60
141	241	USEF Fourth Level Test 1	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
142	242	USEF Fourth Level Test 2	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	
143	243	USEF Fourth Level Test 3 USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	45	65
1PSG	2PSG	FEI Prix St. Georges USDF Q & USEF (Sat) Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1FI1	2FI1	FEI Intermediate I USDF Q & USEF (Sun) Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1FFS		FEI Freestyle Test of Choice** GP/I USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
	2FFS	FEI Freestyle Test of Choice	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1FIA	2FIA	FEI Intermediate A	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	
1FIB	2FIB	FEI Intermediate B	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	
1FI2	2FI2	FEI Intermediate II (Brentina Cup Q on Saturday) <u>USEF/ NAYC Q</u>	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1GPYA	2GPYA	FEI Grand Prix 16-25 (Brentina Cup Q on Sunday) <u>USEF/ NAYC Q</u>	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	
1GP	2GP	FEI Grand Prix USDF Q & USEF (Sunday)	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1GPS		FEI Grand Prix Special U	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	
	2GPS	FEI Grand Prix Special USEF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	
1USF58	2UFS	USDF Freestyle (Tr-4th)** USDF Q	JR-YR/AA/Open	50	65
1EWT	2EWT	Equitation (walk/trot)*	JR-YR/AA	40	
1EWTC86	2EWTC	Equitation (walk/trot/canter)	JR-YR	40	
1EAA88	2EAA	Adult Amateur Equitation	AA	40	
1PDT	2PDT	FEI Para Grand Prix Test A TOC (USEF Qualifying SAT ONLY)	Open	50	
1PE	2PE	FEI Para Grand Prix Test B TOC (USEF Qualifying SAT ONLY)	Open	50	
1PFS	2PFS	FEI Para Grand Prix Test Freestyle TOC (USEF Qualifying SUN ONLY)	Open	50	
1PDDTOC	2PDDTOC	Pas de Deux TOC	JR-YR/AA/Open	40	
		<b><i>The classes below are for additional chances to earn a qualifying score for Great American/USDF Regional Championships.</i></b>			
T4TOC	T4TOC-2	USEF Test of Choice (Tr-4th)	Open	45	60
FEITOC	FEITOC-2	FEI Test of Choice	Open	50	65
		* Walk-Trot Equitation class is limited to riders who have never competed at Training Level or above.			
		** Training Level Freestyle is not qualifying for GAIG.			
		**Indicate Test, FEI A/B Freestyle is not a GAIG qualifying classes.			

Saturday Class	Sunday Class	Class Description	Divisions Offered	Qualifying	\$ Fee	Fee with Qualifying
1FCT		FEI Children Team Test	JR	2024 USEF/NAYC Qualifying	65	
	2FCI	FEI Children Individual Test	JR	2024 USEF/NAYC Qualifying	65	
1FPT		FEI Pony Team Test	JR	2024 USEF	65	
	2FPI	FEI Pony Individual Test	JR	2024 USEF	65	
	2FPFS	FEI Pony Freestyle Test	JR		65	
1FJT		FEI Junior Team Test	JR	2024 USEF/2024 NAYC	65	80
	2FJI	FEI Junior Individual Test	JR	2024 USEF/2024 NAYC	65	
	2FJFS	FEI Junior Freestyle Test	JR	2024 NAYC Qualifying	65	
1FYRT		FEI Young Rider Team Test	YR	2024 USEF/2024 NAYC	65	80
	2FYRI	FEI Young Rider Individual Test	YR	2024 USEF/2024 NAYC	65	
	2FYRFS	FEI Young Rider Freestyle Test	YR	2024 NAYC Qualifying	65	
1DHT		USEF Developing Horse TOC – <b>Not USEF Q</b>			65	
	2DHP	USEF Developing Horse-Developing PSG		2024 Markel/USEF Qualifying	65	
	2DHGP	USEF Developing Horse- Developing Grand Prix		Markel/USEF Qualifying	65	
1YHT		USEF Young Horse TOC- Preliminary/Final Practice Only (morning test)			65	
1F5P		FEI Five-Year-Old Preliminary Test --Afternoon test		WBC/Markel/USEF Qualifying	65	
1F6P		FEI Six-Year-old Preliminary Test -- Afternoon test		WBC/Markel/USEF Qualifying	65	
1F7P		FEI Seven-year-old Preliminary Test -- Afternoon test		WBC/Markel/USEF Qualifying	65	
	2U4	USEF Four-year-old test		2024 Markel/USEF	65	
	2F5	FEI Five-year-old final test		2024 Markel/USEF/WBC Qualifying	65	
	2F6	FEI Six-Year-old final test		2024 Markel/USEF/WBC Qualifying	65	
	2F7	FEI Seven-year-old final test		2024 Markel/USEF/WBC Qualifying	65	

Saturday Class	Sunday Class	Class Description	Divisions Offered	\$ Fee
4OP	4OP-2	USDF Introductory Test A Opportunity	Open	40
6OP	6OP-2	USDF Introductory Test C Opportunity	Open	40
51OP	51-2OP	USEF Training Level Test 1 Opportunity	Open	40
52OP	52-2OP	USEF Training Level Test 2 Opportunity	Open	40
1M3F	2M3F	Materiale—3-year-old fillies	Open	45
1M3C	2M3C	Materiale—3-year-old colts/geldings	Open	45
1M4M	2M4M	Materiale—4 - 5 year old mares	Open	45
1M4C	2M4C	Materiale—4 - 5 year old stallions and geldings	Open	45



## FEE SCHEDULE

**NOTE: All fees are per entry per show day unless noted otherwise.**

<b>Qualifying</b>	Great American/USDF Regional additional per class.	
<b>USEF</b>	<u>Drug/Medication Fee (D/M \$15: USEF \$8)</u>	<u>\$23</u>
<b>USDF</b>	<u>Non-Member</u>	<u>\$35</u>
	<u>No proof of Membership Affidavit</u>	<u>\$5</u>
	<u>HID (Horse Identification Fee)</u>	<u>\$35</u>
<b>Stabling/Grounds</b>	<u>One Day Stall</u>	<u>\$80</u>
	<u>One Day Tack Stall</u>	<u>\$55</u>
	<u>Two Day Stall (Fri noon-Sun)</u>	<u>\$135</u>
	<u>Two Day Tack Stall</u>	<u>\$110</u>
	<u>Shavings</u>	<u>\$12</u>
	<u>Non-stabling horse fee (jump out fee) per show</u>	<u>\$50</u>
<b>Office Fees</b>	<u>Office Fee (per entry per show)</u>	<u>\$35</u>
	<u>Change after Closing Date (per change)</u>	<u>\$25</u>
	<u>Incomplete/Incorrect Entry Fee (per entry)</u>	<u>\$20</u>
	<u>Returned Check Fee</u>	<u>\$35</u>
	<u>Late Entry Fee (per entry per show of available)</u>	<u>\$50</u>
	<u>Emailed or Mailed Entry Fee</u>	<u>\$20</u>
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	<u>Non-Compete Horse Fee (per day)</u>	<u>\$50</u>
<b>Class Sponsor</b>	<u>One Class</u>	<u>\$20</u>
	<u>Two Classes</u>	<u>\$30</u>
	<u>Three Classes</u>	<u>\$50</u>

**Please email the Secretary for class sponsoring- can pay at show.**

**USEF Equine Vaccination Rule & Health Requirements:** All horses entering the show grounds of a USEF licensed competition MUST be accompanied by documentation showing vaccinations for Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) within 6 months as well as have a current negative EIA/Coggins test (within 12 months). **This is mandatory for every horse entry. USEF Rule GR845**

**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 rules listed in this prize list are only general and are subject to change at the discretion of the Board of Directors of USEF. **CHECK THE CURRENT USEF 2021 RULE BOOK FOR ALL CHANGES AT [www.usef.org](http://www.usef.org).**

## ENTRY INFORMATION

**Online Entry** – A 3% online convenience fee will be added to the total entry fee.

**PLEASE VERIFY YOUR ENTRIES INCLUDE ALL REQUIRED SIGNATURES AND SIGNATURE PAGES/RELEASES.**

***Reminder: This prize list covers two shows. You must submit TWO entry forms and pay office fee/USEF horse/drug fees for each show if entering both shows. Stabling fees need only be paid once. Payment required with entry.***

***Each horse/rider combination requires a separate entry form.***

Entry is not complete until payment is received. Checks will be deposited upon receipt. No post-dated checks accepted. Dishonored checks or declined credit cards will require complete repayment prior to the show plus a service charge of \$35. All outstanding fees must be paid before show packets are issued. No bridle number will be issued without full payment and completed entry, including signatures and emergency contact information.

**Complete entries MUST include** USEF and USDF member numbers and signatures of owner/rider/trainer/coach or non-member fee(s) where applicable; USDF and USEF horse Registration/Recording number(s) (where applicable); and a copy of a negative Coggins taken within 12 months of the show dates showing the same horse's name as on the entry (GR907.4) See page 15 for vaccination requirements. A parent or guardian signing on behalf of a junior exhibitor does not need to be a USEF member. Freestyle classes must include copy of qualifying test with entry. Pony classes/divisions must include pony measurement card. If a pony does not have a permanent or current annual measurement card, owners must notify show secretary of needing a measurement for an appointment to be scheduled with the veterinarian. All entries must include the **USEF Waiver and Release of Liability** (page 24).

***Entries missing any of these items will be considered incomplete. Incomplete/incorrect entry fee is \$20.***

Entries are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis based on postmark or online entry date and entries may be limited. Those entries postmarked after closing will be accepted at the discretion of the show secretary, based on a space available basis, and charged a \$30 late fee per show. Management reserves the right to refuse any entry. Entries may close early if time limits for judges are filled. Remaining entries will be placed on a wait list. **Late entries** will be taken as scheduling permits, with \$25 added to the fee per class. Any horse/rider changes after an entry is submitted will incur a fee of \$25. All other changes made after the closing date will incur a charge of \$10/change. The Show Office must be notified by 3:00 pm the day prior to the requested ride change.

**Great American/USDF Regional Championships Qualifying Classes** Indicate the class entered is to count for qualifying by placing a **Q** after the class number on your entry. Qualifying does not require a separate ride. An exhibitor riding in the Open, AA, Young Rider, or Junior classes must pay an additional \$15 USDF qualifying fee to have this score entered in the GAIG/USDF qualifying division at that level. **RIDERS** must have an active USEF Membership and a USDF Participating Membership.

**Membership/registration Requirements for GAIG/USDF Qualifying classes:** Riders must be current USDF Participating members and 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 registration are NOT eligible. Owners must be current USDF Participating or Business members and active USEF members (Junior, Senior, or Life) in good standing. For current Great American/USDF Championship requirements go to [www.usdf.org](http://www.usdf.org).

**Noncompeting Horses** Will be accepted upon payment of stabling or grounds fees, office fee, and non-compete fee. Owners, riders, and trainers must complete the entry form, including signatures, and submit along with a current negative Coggins and vaccination document. Non-competing horses will be issued a bridle number to wear when out of stall on grounds.

**Conditions of entry** Every horse entered for competition will be under the control of the Horse Show Management, but the Horse Show Management will, in no case, be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Horse Show Management, Facility and its Directors harmless for any loss or accident to his horse, horses or equipment which may occur from sickness, fire or otherwise.

**Trainer** as listed on the entry form, is defined as any adult (18 & older) who has responsibility for the care, custody, or performance of the horse while the horse is on the competition grounds. This adult must sign the entry form as trainer. If the rider is considered the trainer, the rider must sign as the trainer. A parent or guardian signing on behalf of a junior exhibitor does not need to be a USEF member.

**Coach** as listed on the entry form, is defined as an adult (18 & older) who gets paid for instructing, teaching, schooling, or advising a rider with their horse on the competition grounds. This adult must sign the entry form as a coach. If there is no coach, the signature for the coach may be left blank.

#### **SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER**

**HLJ will be the KCDS show photographer for the 2024 show year! Please visit <https://www.hlijimagesphoto.com> to sign up!**



## HORSE/RIDER MEMBERSHIPS and SAFE SPORT

**USEF Membership Statement:** 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, or agent at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a 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 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) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

**USEF/USDF Horse ID Requirement** *All horses entered in USEF/USDF recognized shows must have a USDF HID (Horse Identification) number.* If riding in qualifying classes, you must have a USDF Lifetime Registration in addition to a USEF Annual or Lifetime Recording. These horse identification numbers may be obtained from USEF and USDF. Exempt from this requirement are horses showing only in Introductory Level, Pas de Deux, Quadrille, Opportunity Classes, Leadline, and Exhibitions.

**Membership/Non-Member/Proof of Membership fees** All participants (rider, owner, trainer, agent, lessee, or coach) must present to the competition secretary a current **USEF** membership number. All Riders and Owners must present a current **USDF** Participating, Group, or Business (owners only) membership number or pay a \$35 USDF non-membership fee per show. Those who cannot provide proof of their USDF membership may fill out an affidavit form and must pay the \$5 fee. The affidavit may also be used to verify horse registration and/or horse ownership. The USDF Affidavit Form may be found on [www.USDF.org](http://www.USDF.org). Exempt from this requirement are individuals competing only in Introductory Level, Pas de Deux, Quadrille, Opportunity Classes, Leadline, and Exhibitions.

**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. Equine Canada members in possession of current EC membership may sign for USEF Amateur status on a show-by-show basis at no cost.

### **USEF SAFESPORT TRAINING REQUIREMENTS TO COMPETE**

Effective January 1, 2019, every USEF adult member (18 & older) with an active senior competing membership must complete USEF's Safe Sport Training, overseen by the U.S. Center for SafeSport. An adult member may be OWNER, RIDER, TRAINER and/or COACH. Adult members listed on the entry must complete the entire course and be Safe Sport Trained before the first day of competition. Safe Sport Training must be completed by all adult members on upon entry or the rider will not be allowed to compete. You may access the Safe Sport modules from your USEF member dashboard at [www.USEF.org](http://www.USEF.org).  
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. More information about these can be found at [www.usef.org](http://www.usef.org).

## RIDER DIVISIONS

**Junior/Young Rider Classes** Individuals are eligible as **Jr/YR** (Junior/Young Rider) until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 21. Individuals are eligible as **Jr** (Juniors) from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 14 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18 for the FEI Junior Tests.

Individuals are eligible as **YR** (Young Riders) from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 21 for the FEI Young Rider Tests.

**Children classes** Individuals are eligible as **Children** from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 12 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 14 for the FEI Children Tests.

**Pony classes** Individuals are eligible as **Pony Riders** from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 12 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 for the FEI Pony Tests.

**Pony Riders/Pony Measurements Owners of Ponies without a measurement card need to let the secretary know one week prior to the start of the show.** Measurements will be made at 5:00 pm on Friday May 3, 2024 (subject to change; a \$100 fee may be charged). For more info on pony measurements go to [combined-driving-dressage-pony \(usef.org\)](#). The minimum USDF membership requirements for competition state that riders must have a USDF Participating Membership, Group Membership, or Non-Member ID number. Owners must have one of the above listed membership types or a USDF Business Membership.

**Riders Under the Age of 14** No rider under the age of fourteen is permitted to ride a three-year-old colt, or stallion of any age, in any under saddle class including Dressage Sport Horse Prospect Under Saddle, Materiale, and Suitability classes. DR202.13

**Amateurs (AA)** Individuals possessing current amateur certification are only eligible as Adult Amateurs from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach age 22. Only Active USEF members may obtain Amateur status. (Exception: Equine Canada members in possession of current EC membership may sign for USEF Amateur status on a show-by-show basis at no cost). Participants must possess current ASUF Amateur status and qualify under the USEF Amateur rules. If Opportunity classes offer adult amateur division, riders are required to have an amateur status with USEF.

**Open** A class that is open to all. There are no restrictions based on the horse (age, sex, size, residence, or membership of owner) or rider (age, experience, qualifications, sex, residence, etc.)

## REFUNDS, SCRATCHES, and HAZARDOUS WEATHER POLICIES

**Refund Policy** Cancellations accepted only in writing by mail or e-mail. Cancellations prior to or on the closing date will be refunded less office fee and online convenience fee. **No refunds will be issued after closing date (even if closing date is extended)** except for any paid drug and medication fees and qualifying fees (Great American/USDF Regional Championship) provided all outstanding fees are paid in full; else it will be applied to those fees. Refundable fees will be mailed within one month after the end of the competition for entries that were cancelled. Once you are at the show, please notify the show office if you are scratching a class. A no show is defined as a scratch for the entire show. **Please do not be a 'NOSHOW'.**

**Scratches During Show** Competitors have the responsibility to inform the Show Secretary in the Show Office of their intent to scratch a ride prior to the scheduled ride time. Scratches will be accepted at the competition arena or with the Ring Steward, but the competitor or representative must contact the show office to officially scratch their ride. Scratched rides are not refundable.

**Hazardous Weather/Act of God/Accident 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 Great American\USDF Regional Championship qualifying classes being offered. No refund for cancellations due to hazardous weather, Acts of God, accidents, or emergencies. GR305.4

## CLASS LIMITATIONS, OPPORTUNITY CLASSES, and EQUITATION

**Consecutive Levels** Horses may enter no more than two consecutive levels, Freestyle levels included, at any one Competition. Refer to DR119.2 for levels chart.

**Classes per Day** Horses are limited to a maximum of three Dressage rides per day at Fourth Level and below or two Dressage rides per day above Fourth Level. Horses competing at both Fourth Level and Prix St. Georges, or their equivalents, are limited to two Dressage rides per day. Dressage Seat Equitation, Quadrille, Pas de Deux and Materiale classes are excluded from the maximum limit of rides per day and horses in these classes may compete at any level for which they are otherwise eligible during the same competition.

**Opportunity Classes** Riders/horses competing only in “Opportunity” classes are exempt from USEF and USDF membership requirements), HID or USEF drug fees. In addition, owners, trainers, and coaches are exempt from membership requirements for these classes. While membership requirements are waived for riders in these classes all USEF Dressage Division rules apply (including dress & saddlery requirements) in addition to all applicable General and Medication rules. “Opportunity” riders and horses may cross enter non-Opportunity classes, but if this is done all USEF/USDF membership requirements and fees will apply. Scores earned in “Opportunity” classes may not be used toward USEF/USDF awards programs. Refer to DR120.1-6 and USEF GR821 for more information.

**Dressage Seat Medal Program** The USEF/USDF Dressage Seat Medal Program, for riders ages 18 and under, celebrates excellence in equitation and strives to develop a solid foundation for future success in the dressage arena. Riders wishing to qualify for the USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals must compete in the USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Finals held at the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Championships. To qualify for the USDF Dressage Seat Medal Semi-Finals, a competitor must earn a qualifying score of 70% or above in any eligible Dressage Seat Equitation class (except walk/trot) held at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized dressage competition during the qualifying period or by qualifying for the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Championships. The top two placing riders in the Semi-Finals are automatically invited to the Finals. More information can be found [here](#).

**USDF Regional Adult Amateur Equitation Program** Rider must be an Adult Amateur (age 22 and up) and have a USDF participating membership at the time the qualifying score is earned. Horse must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration when the qualifying score is earned. To be eligible for the USDF Adult Amateur Equitation Regional Final class, rider must have earned a score of 70% or higher in any dressage seat equitation class within the qualifying period or qualify to compete in any regional dressage championship class (excluding freestyles.) More information can be found <https://www.usdf.org/competitions/competitions-championships/equitation/aadse.asp>.

## OFFICE/SCHEDULING/CLASS INFORMATION

**Office Hours** The show office and stabling will be staffed at noon on Friday. During the show, the show office will be staffed one hour before the first ride until one hour after the last ride.

**Ride Times** Tentative ride times will be available at [www.horseshowoffice.com](http://www.horseshowoffice.com) and emailed to competitors. Management reserves the right to change the time schedule after tentative times have been posted. It is the responsibility of the rider to inform the management of any time conflicts as soon as possible after receiving the schedule. **Official times** will be available by noon the day before each show. Check online for official ride times. This show follows USEF GR830 regarding rescheduled ride times. Any changes after the closing date initiated by the rider or owner will incur a \$20 per change fee.

**Schedule** Classes may not necessarily be run in the order listed in the class lists. See page 2 for management rights.

**Schooling** will begin Friday at noon. All competitors must have their current issued bridle number before riding. Schooling on Friday will continue until 8 p.m. Saturday schooling will be available **after** the show until 8 p.m.

**Leaving the Competition** 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.

**Bridle numbers** All horses, including non-competing horses, must always wear current issued bridle numbers when outside of stall.

**Protective Headgear Rule** 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 must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any times must be immediately prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet which meets or exceeds ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. The harness must be secured and properly fitted.

**Anyone mounting, getting on, riding, or trying a horse at the facility during the weekend of the show (including warmup days) must sign a show release form in the show office and wear a helmet.**

**Freestyles/Music** Sound checks will be held on Friday evening (check show office for time). Music must be provided in WAV or AIFF format on a CD (USEF DR129) however we encourage you to bring additional backup formats (i.e., MP3). DR 129.9: "Except for USEF/USDF Championship classes and for FEI Pony Riders, FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider 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 Federation /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. To enter an FEI Para Dressage Freestyle class, a horse/rider combination must have received a minimum score of 60% in any FEI Para Dressage test (Para Novice Test, Para Intermediate Test or Para Grand Prix Test) at the rider's classified Grade. This score may be earned 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. All FEI Pony Rider Tests are equivalent to Second Level; all FEI Junior Tests are equivalent to Third Level; all FEI Young Rider Tests are equivalent to PSG; and the USEF Brentina Cup (Young Adult) Test and FEI Young Rider Grand Prix 16-25 Tests are equivalent to Intermediate II. For purposes of freestyle qualification, all are considered equivalent to the highest test of that level and may be used to enter a freestyle at that level or a level below. Young Horse and FEI Children Tests cannot be used for freestyle qualification at any level."

## STABLING and GROUNDS INFORMATION

**Stabling** Stalls are permanent 10' x 10' of wood construction with doors and dirt floor. Stall charts will be posted, and check-in will start at noon on Friday. Cost applies to horse stalls or tack stalls. Stalls must be vacated 1 hour after the show ends on Sunday. A stall fee or trailer-in fee must be paid for every horse on the grounds. Stallion owners need to bring suitable equipment to close off stalls, if necessary, for the safety of horses and those stabled near them. **SMOKING IS PROHIBITED IN THE STABLING AREA**

**Lunging** YOU MUST CHECK WITH THE OFFICE AS ARENA LUNGING IS LIMITED Lunging will be available Friday evening, Saturday AM prior to warm up show start, Saturday PM after show and Sunday AM prior to warm up start.

**Groups** Please note stabling groups with your entry. Your group should decide on a "group name" that all competitors provide on their entry. Stabling requests honored when possible.

**Horse handler/trainer/owner information card on stalls must be filled with completed contact numbers upon arrival at facility grounds.**

**Anyone using (without having paid) an unassigned stall or tack stall, even temporarily, will be charged a one-day stall fee per day.** Anyone who has moved stalls after arrival at the show grounds must clean the stall from which they moved to the satisfaction of show committee/management or will be charged a one-day stall fee. Anyone who places manure in an "empty" or unused stall will be charged a one-day stall fee per day.

**Bedding** Shavings are available for purchase and order should be included with entry. **\*\* Stalls will be stripped, and no shavings will be in stalls prior to event.**

**Manure disposal** is located near the barns in marked areas.

**Medical Waste:** Dispose of needles and syringes in labeled containers. Please use aseptic techniques for safety. ARTICLE 1210.5: Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100.00 for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments. Containers can be found in each barn. Please notify management if one needs to be attended.

**Arenas/Footing/Warmup** All tests and warm-up will be ridden in outdoor arenas (sand footing). Competition arenas are 20m x 60m, except they are allowed to be a 20m x 40m for Introductory or Training level 1 or 2 classes.

All arenas must be vacated while facility equipment is being used. Schedule for schooling will be posted at the show grounds.

**For safety purposes, show management and ring stewards reserve the right to limit number of riders in warm-up arenas. Competitors who are warming up closest to their scheduled ride time will be given priority by ring stewards.**

No one on foot (except leadline handlers, ring stewards, equipment checkers, emergency medical service, and show management) is allowed in designated warmups. ***Coaches, trainers, and other unmounted individuals must stand outside fence or partition of warmup arenas. All horses in the warmup arenas must wear their current issued competition numbers.*** Failure to do so will result in elimination. If tack adjustments or rider changes are needed, personnel must perform them outside of the arena.

**Parking** is allowed in designated areas only. To allow various forms of horse and facility management transportation and emergency personnel to maneuver at the competition facility, please make sure vehicles and/or trailers do not block access.

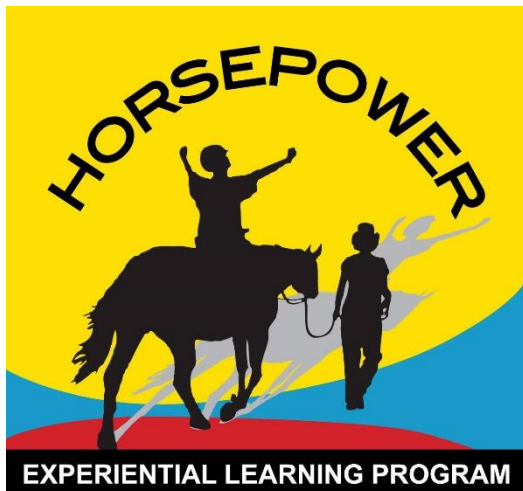
**Jump-Out/non-stabling horse parking** to minimize disruption to stabled horses and to the competition, jump out/non-Stabling horse parking can be on the west side across the entry road from the warm-up competition arenas or on the grass to the east of the lower barns.



**Dogs** are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. 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 may be subject to penalty under Chapters 6 and 7 of the USEF General Rules, as well as issuance of Yellow warning card. Loose dogs will be impounded, and the owner will pay a \$200 fee. No other pets or livestock other than horses and mules are allowed on the grounds.

KCDS and their members proudly support local 501(c)3 charities which use horses to empower people. We proudly support two local organizations as our "pay-it-forward" partners in the equestrian community. In addition to donating a portion of our show proceeds to these two organizations, donation jars and information will be available at both shows.

## KCDS' Pay-it-forward Partners



**HorsePower Experiential Learning Program** ("HELP") offers relational experiences to at-risk youth by developing life-coping skills in an equine-facilitated ranch environment. HorsePower is a registered 501c3, helping children and adolescents since 2001, and is in Lee's Summit, Missouri. It is completely volunteer based.

You can find out more about HorsePower at <https://horsepowerkids.org/> or on their Facebook page by searching "horsepower experiential learning."



**Heartland Therapeutic Riding** is a therapeutic riding center serving children and adults with disabilities in the Kansas City area, since 1978. HTR offers adaptive riding lessons, interactive vaulting, horsemanship classes and occupational therapy through hippotherapy.

You can find out more about HTR at <https://htrkc.org/> and on their Facebook page by searching "Heartland Therapeutic Riding."

## AWARDS

**Scores** It is the responsibility of the competitor to verify the accuracy of all scores. Scoring errors must be reported to the Show Secretary within one hour of the official posting of the scores from the last class of the show day during which the score was earned.


**Ties** In the case of equality of points, the competitor with the highest marks received under General Impressions shall be declared the winner. When the scores for General Impressions are equal after coefficients have been applied, the horses must remain tied. Errors on a test may not be used to break ties. [DR123.3]

**Class Awards** Divisions 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 placed as Open. Riders may enter only one division per class. Rosettes awarded through 6<sup>th</sup> place in Jr/YR, AA, and Open divisions.

**High Score Awards** Awarded for the entire weekend, both shows combined. Champion ribbons will be awarded to the horse/rider combination with the **highest score** at each level, Jr/YR, Adult Amateur and Open. FEI Junior, Young Rider tests will be included based on their equivalency levels. A minimum average score of 60% must be attained to be eligible. Opportunity, Freestyles, Materiale, and Equitation classes are not eligible.

**Special Breed Awards** Some breed organizations sponsor high point awards for the horses registered with their breed registry/organization. One award per weekend per sponsoring organization will be offered. Requirements vary depending on the registry. Contact the show secretary for a listing of available awards and specific eligibility requirements if you wish for your horse to be considered.

**Riders must collect their awards at the show. Awards will not be mailed afterwards.**



# United States Dressage Federation™

<b>OPPORTUNITIES FOR 3-6 YEAR OLD HORSES COMPETING IN MATERIALE AND/OR USEF/FEI YOUNG HORSE TESTS</b>	3 YEAR OLD	4 YEAR OLD	5 YEAR OLD	6 YEAR OLD
<b>ADEQUAN®/YEAR-END AWARDS*</b>				
Materiale Horse of the Year Award <small>(min. 3 scores required)</small>	X	X	X	
USEF Four-Year-Old Award <small>(min. 4 scores required)*</small>		X		
FEI Five-Year-Old Award <small>(min. 4 scores required)*</small>			X	
FEI Six-Year-Old Award <small>(min. 4 scores required)*</small>				X
<b>BREEDERS CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES**</b>				
Materiale Championships <small>(min. 3 score required of 72% or higher)</small>				
Three-Year-Old Championship	X			
Four-Year-Old Championship		X		
Five-Year-Old Championship			X	

**For Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards - at the time scores are earned**

- \* Horse must have a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration Number (LHR)
- \* Owner must have a USDF Participating (PM) or Business Membership (BM)
- \* Rider must have a USDF PM
- \* Competition year starts October 1 and ends September 30

**For USDF Breeders Championship Series - to compete in the championships**

- \*\* Horse must have a USDF Horse Identification Number or LHR
- \*\* Owner must have a USDF PM, BM or non-member number
- \*\* Rider must have a USDF PM
- \*\* Competition year starts January 1 and ends December 30

*^Scores earned in the USEF Four- and FEI Five- & Six-Year-Old tests are also eligible to be used towards a USDF Horse Performance Certificate*

**Complete Award/Championship Requirements Listed in the current USDF Member Guide**

## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES



KCDS membership includes members from the greater Kansas City metro area and beyond! We greatly appreciate our sponsors; without them, we could not exist and support dressage. We offer multiple ways to get involved and sponsorship opportunities. More information can be found on [www.kcdressage.org](http://www.kcdressage.org) or emailing [kcdspresident@gmail.com](mailto:kcdspresident@gmail.com)

### **Title Sponsor- \$2500 Donation**

- Your name will be incorporated in the name of the show that you sponsor in all KCDS printed material.
- You receive prominent vendor location at the show and your name will be announced hourly during the show.
- Prominent advertising on the KCDS Website with a link to your website
- One full page ad in KCDS Directory
- Full page ad in next year's KCDS Printed Extension Newsletters
- Prominent placing of a full-page ad in commemorative Horse Show Program
- Provide a banner and we will display at all KCDS Horse Shows
- Provide brochures or business cards and we will put in horse show packets for all
- Your name displayed at all KCDS Sponsored Educational Events
- Included in monthly email blasts which include direct link to your website

### **Corporate Sponsor - \$1000 Donation**

- Prominent advertising on the KCDS Website with a link to your website
- One full page ad in KCDS Directory
- Full page ad in next year's KCDS Printed Extension Newsletters
- One full page ad in commemorative Horse Show Program
- Provide a banner and we will display at all KCDS Horse Shows
- Your name displayed at all KCDS Sponsored Educational Events
- Included in monthly email blasts which include direct link to your website

### **Gold Level - \$500 Donation**

- Prominent advertising on the KCDS Website with a link to your website
- Half Page ad in the KCDS Directory
- Half page ad in next year's KCDS Printed Extension Newsletters
- Half Page ad in commemorative Horse Show Program
- Provide a Banner and we will display at all KCDS Horse Shows
- Your name displayed at all KCDS Sponsored Educational Events
- Included in the monthly email blasts which include direct link to your website

### **Silver Level - \$350 Donation**

- Advertising on the KCDS Website with a link to your website
- Quarter page ad in the KCDS Directory
- Quarter page ad in next year's Printed Extension Newsletters
- Quarter page ad in KCDS commemorative Horse Show Program
- Included in the monthly email blasts which include direct link to your website

### **Bronze Level - \$250 Donation**

- Advertising on the KCDS Website with a link to your website
- Business Card in the KCDS Directory
- Business Card in KCDS Commemorative Horse Show Program
- Included in the monthly email blasts which include direct link to your website

## DIRECTIONS and MAP

### Directions

The Longview Horse Park is located at 12600 SE Raytown Rd., Kansas City, MO 64149 -Exit I-470 onto Raytown Road south. Follow Raytown Road to Highgrove (four way stop), go east on Highgrove to SE Raytown Road (four way stop). Go north on SE Raytown Road to the park entrance.

Please visit [www.longviewhorsepark.org](http://www.longviewhorsepark.org) for facility information and map.

\*\*\*\*\*Note that map from website has "East" facing to the top of map, while the google map copies have "North" to the top. \*\*\*\*\*



## CONCESSIONS and ACCOMMODATIONS

### Hotel Information

Hotels are numerous within a short drive of Longview Horse Park.

**Accommodations:** \_Marriott Courtyard Kansas City South, 500 E. 105<sup>th</sup> ST, Kansas City, MO 816-941-3333

Hampton Inn 16410 Cornerstone Dr. Belton, MO 816-416-8006

Holiday Inn Express 12801 S. US71 Hwy, Grandview, MO 816-268-5858

**Concessions:** Concessions will be available from 7:30 am through the end of the show each day, Saturday, and Sunday.



UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™

## 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.

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USEF Competition Name: KCDS Dressage at Longview I & II, KCDS & II Summer Dressage  
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): Level 3 shows

USEF#: 1011, 302418, 329906, 330523

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## FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulteur 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 \_\_\_\_\_ (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.

If not currently a USEF Active Competing member or Subscriber, I acknowledge that I will be enrolled for no cost as a USEF Fan and my USEF Fan Account will continue to annually automatically renew in USEF's sole discretion. Additionally, I acknowledge that the benefits of a USEF Fan are subject to change without notice. USEF may in its sole discretion, at any time, terminate my USEF Fan status. I acknowledge that I may opt out at any time by going to My USEF Dashboard or calling (859) 810-8733.

**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](http://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/VAULTER/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/Vaulteur/Longeur is a minor) \_\_\_\_\_

Print Parent//Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

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



**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](http://www.usdf.org).

This  
competition  
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**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 21<sup>st</sup> 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](http://www.usdf.org). You can submit the application online or download the form.
- 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.



## 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 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.

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").

### WARNING:

**Under Missouri law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Missouri.**

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, 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, 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. \_\_\_\_\_

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# KCDS Membership Application 2024

Membership Dues: Please check

- \$63 Individual (1 vote)  
 \$89 Family (2 adults - 2 votes or 1 adult and 1 junior - 1 vote)  
 \$57 Junior (under 21 years on January 1 (Non voting Member))

<i>Individual, Junior or Family Primary Member</i>		<b>(Please print)</b>	
Name: Last, First Mi	Renewal? <input type="checkbox"/>	Junior? <input type="checkbox"/>	USDF member #:
Address:	City:	St/Zip:	
Telephone: Home-	Cell-	Work-	
Email: (please print)			
Birth Date:		-Birth date is required for all Junior members (age 21 and under) and is requested by USDF for all other members.	
<i>Add Family Members (same address)</i>		<b>(Please print)</b>	
Name1: Last, First Mi	Renewal? <input type="checkbox"/>	Junior? <input type="checkbox"/>	Birth Date:
Telephone: Home-	Cell-	Add \$26 for Family Membership	
Email:		USDF member #:	
Name2: Last, First Mi	Renewal? <input type="checkbox"/>	Junior? <input type="checkbox"/>	Birth Date:
Telephone: Home-	Cell-	Add \$17 per additional Family Member	
Email:		USDF member #:	

## Join The Kansas City Dressage Society

KCDS is a USDF Group Member Organization.

Members automatically become USDF Group Members.

KCDS membership year is December 1 through November 30.

Established in 1973, the Kansas City Dressage Society (KCDS) is a non-profit tax exempt regional organization founded for the education of members and the public in the true meaning of dressage training and its practical application in all equestrian endeavors. Club activities include education, schooling and recognized shows, clinics, seminars, camps, instructor programs and an annual awards program. We invite you to join us in supporting the sport of dressage in our area.

### KCDS Membership Benefits Include:

- KCDS Horse show Year-End Awards program.
- All USDF GMO Member Perks.
- KCDS Email Blast and Facebook updates on events and more.
- Free classified ads on the website.
- Member discounts for educational events.
- Opportunity to serve on the KCDS Board of Directors and vote in all elections.

### Has your data changed from previous years?

- Yes  
 No

I want to volunteer:  Board  Clinic  Committee

For shows:  Scorer  Scribe  Gate  Runner  
 Awards  Ring set-up/down

We accept PAYPAL! Go to [www.Paypal.com](http://www.Paypal.com)  
 then use [kcdsinfo@gmail.com](mailto:kcdsinfo@gmail.com) to pay.  
**Add \$2 per Paypal transaction.**

Or make checks payable to: KCDS

Mail form and check to:  
 Barb Patrick  
 7821 SE Delwood Drive  
 St. Joseph, MO 64507

Questions: [bjp802@yahoo.com](mailto:bjp802@yahoo.com)