



FIRST CHANCE @ DRESSAGE, BY CHANCE?

Wednesday, April 29, 2020

By Chance Farm, LLC

9205 Bessie Clemson Road, Union Bridge, Maryland 21791

CBLM, GAIG/USDF Qualifier

Participant in the Jockey Club Thoroughbred Incentive Program (TIP)

National Dressage Pony Cup Partner Show

Please check the By Chance Farm website, <http://www.bychancefarm.com/dressage-first-chance/>, for further information and updates.
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- **CLOSING DATE:** The closing date is Midnight, April 15, 2020. The show is limited to two arenas. If the arenas fill before the closing date, the show will close early.
- **REQUIRED ENTRY DOCUMENTS:** This show requests that all documents be submitted with the entry, as follows:
 1. **Entry Form:** Completed Entry Form.
 2. **Payment:** Full payment (online or check made out to **By Chance Farm**).
 3. **USDF/USEF Release Form:** with all signatures (no same).
 4. **Copy of current Coggins** (within 12 months of the show date). Must have horse name the same as on show entry and USEF/USDF recording/registration.
 5. **Proof of Rider/Owner/Trainer USEF/USDF memberships**, unless exempt (use www.EqVerification.org), or pay USDF and USEF Non-Member Fees
 6. **Proof of Rider/Owner/Trainer Safe Sport Training.** Applies to USEF members age 18 and over. The proof is on the USEF membership verification. If not on the verification, submit certificate of training.
 7. **Proof of horse USEF recording (USEF Lifetime, Annual, USEF HID, or USDF HID) and USDF registration (USDF Lifetime or USDF HID)**, unless exempt (use www.EqVerification.org).
 8. **Proof of current vaccination** IAW USEF GR845. Must have horse name the same as on show entry and USEF/USDF recording/registration.
 9. **Proof of MFS qualification**, if applicable, and any other documents.
- **STALLS:** Stalls will not be available.
- **CLASS DIVISIONS FOR RESULTS PINNING:** To simplify scheduling and the filling of scratches, all classes will be open classes for all riders. ALL classes will be pinned by divisions as follows:
 - **PRO/NM Division:** Professionals (PRO) and USEF non-members (NM).
 - **AJY Division:** Adult Amateurs (AA) and Junior/Young riders (JYR). If the AJY Division has at least 3 AA and 3 JYR, the AJY Division will be split as follows:
 - **AA Division:** Adult Amateurs.
 - **JYR Division:** Junior/Young Riders.
- **USDF/FEI MUSICAL FREESTYLE CLASSES:** To avoid disruption of the adjacent ring, MFS classes (Classes 161 and 162) may be first rides of the show or late in the day.

2. SHOW OFFICIALS

Show Manager:

Michele Wellman
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Show Management:

By Chance Farm, LLC
Michele Wellman, President

Judges:

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Susan Carr-Davis (R, MD)

Show Secretary:

Leslie Raulin
2027 Gapland Road
Jefferson, MD 21755
301-788-0134 (cell)
LeslieRaulin@gmail.com (best method)

Medical Services:

Bobby Follin
Contact through show office

Technical Delegate:

Michelle King (rTD, VA)

Farrier: On Call

Doug Anderson
412-889-2765

Veterinarian: On Call
South Mountain Equine
Justin Sobota, DVM
240-818-5971

3. CLASSES (will be split by PRO and AJY; AJY will be split to AA and JYR if \geq three rides in both categories)

CLASS #	FEE	DESCRIPTION
7	\$35	USDF Introductory Level Test A Open NR
8	\$35	USDF Introductory Level Test B Open NR
9	\$35	USDF Introductory Level Test C Open NR
101	\$40	USEF Training Level Test 1 Open
102	\$40	USEF Training Level Test 2 Open / 2020 CBLM Q
103	\$40	USEF Training Level Test 3 Open / 2020 GAIG Q
111	\$40	USEF First Level Test 1 Open
112	\$40	USEF First Level Test 2 Open / 2020 CBLM Q
113	\$40	USEF First Level Test 3 Open / 2020 GAIG Q
121	\$45	USEF Second Level Test 1 Open
122	\$45	USEF Second Level Test 2 Open / 2020 CBLM Q
123	\$45	USEF Second Level Test 3 Open / 2020 GAIG Q
131	\$45	USEF Third Level Test 1 Open
132	\$45	USEF Third Level Test 2 Open / 2020 CBLM Q
133	\$45	USEF Third Level Test 3 Open / 2020 GAIG Q
141	\$45	USEF Fourth Level Test 1 Open
142	\$45	USEF Fourth Level Test 2 Open / 2020 CBLM Q
143	\$45	USEF Fourth Level Test 3 Open / 2020 GAIG Q
151	\$55	FEI Prix St. Georges Open / 2020 CBLM Q / 2020 GAIG Q (see definitions)
152	\$55	FEI Intermediate TOC Open / 2020 CBLM Q / 2020 GAIG Q (see definitions)
153	\$55	FEI Grand Prix TOC Open / 2020 CBLM Q / 2020 GAIG Q (see definitions)
161	\$50	MFS USDF Training - Fourth TOC Open / 2020 CBLM Q / 2020 GAIG Q (will be early in the show)
162	\$60	MFS FEI Levels TOC Open / 2020 CBLM Q / 2020 GAIG Q (will be early in the show) (see definitions)
170	\$45	Pony Cup TOC Open / 2020 CBLM / 2020 GAIG (see definitions)
171	\$40	USDF Materiale 3-4-5 YO Colts, Stallions & Geldings / USDFBC Q (see definitions)
172	\$40	USDF Materiale 3-4-5 YO Fillies & Mares / USDFBC Q (see definitions)
173	\$50	USEF & FEI YH TOC (not qualifying)

4. MUSICAL FREESTYLE REQUIREMENTS

- NOTE: For USEF guidelines, see DR129 Musical Freestyle Ride at <https://www.usef.org/forms-pubs/F3p8pgrWgAo/dr-dressage-division> and new USDF requirements at <http://www.usdf.org/docs/education/other/FSRGD.pdf>. With their entry, **riders must submit a copy of the highest test of the level entered or a higher level with a minimum score of 63% for USEF/USDF tests and 60% for FEI tests**
- Riders must present music on good quality CDs to the Show Secretary prior to the beginning of the musical freestyle classes.
- Times for sound checks will be announced before the show. Please check with the show office.

5. DEFINITIONS

TERM	DESCRIPTION
OPEN	A class that is Open to all riders - professionals, adult amateurs, junior/young riders and USEF non-members may ride.
PRO	Professional . For USEF definition of professional, see USEF rule GR1306.
AA	Adult Amateur . For USEF definition of adult amateur, see USEF rules GR1306 and GR1307.
JYR	Junior and Young Riders . For the USEF definition of junior and young riders for dressage, see USEF rule DR119.3.
AJY	Adult Amateur and Junior/Young Riders .
NR	Not Recognized . These classes are not recognized by USEF.
CBLM	Qualifying class for 2020 CBLM Championships . Qualifying tests are Training 2, First 2, Second 2, Third 2, Fourth 2, Prix St. Georges, Intermediate I, Intermediate II, Grand Prix, and all MFS. To be eligible, riders must be members of a participating organization at the time of the show. See www.cblm.org for details.
GAIG	Qualifying class for the 2020 GAIG/USDF Championships . Qualifying tests are Training 3, First 3, Second 3, Third 3, Fourth 3, Prix St. Georges, Intermediate I, Intermediate II, Grand Prix, First - Fourth MFS, Intermediate I MFS, and Grand Prix MFS. For USDF information see https://www.usdf.org/competitions/competitions-championships/regionals/competitors.asp . Rider and owner must be USDF participating members and USEF members; trainer must be USEF member or pay the USEF Show Pass fee (USEF non-member fee); horse must be USDF Lifetime Registered and USEF Annual or Lifetime Recorded. Owners may be USDF Business Members. Entry fee plus \$15 required before the start of the class.
TOC	Test of Choice . Rider may ride any test in the category unless stated otherwise. Specify test on entry form. May be CBLM or GAIG qualifier if proper test is ridden and fees paid before the start of the class.
FEI INTERMEDIATE TOC	For this show, limited to FEI Intermediaire I, FEI Intermediaire A, FEI Intermediaire B, and FEI Intermediaire II.
FEI GRAND PRIX TOC	For this show, limited to FEI Grand Prix and FEI Grand Prix Special.
MFS	Musical Freestyle . For USEF guidelines, see USEF rule DR129 Musical Freestyle Ride at https://files.usef.org/assets/Q1HPH8up0hc/08-dr.pdf and USDF information at https://preview.usdf.org/education/other-programs/musical-freestyle/ . Must provide copy of qualifying test . May be CBLM/GAIG qualifier if proper test is ridden and fees paid. For this show, no Pas de Deux or Quadrille classes are offered.
FEI MFS TOC	For this show, Class 162 FEI MFS TOC is for FEI Intermediate I MFS, FEI Intermediate A/B MFS, and FEI Grand Prix MFS tests only.
PONY CUP	Limited to ponies with USEF Pony Measurement Card. Contact the Show Manager if you need a card. See www.dressageponycup.com for rules. 2020 CBLM / 2020 GAIG if appropriate test is ridden.
MATERIALE	Click here for USDF entry requirements. Horses must have either a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) or USDF Horse Identification Number (HID), owners must submit identification information to USDF, and horses registered with a breed organization must have a copy of their registration papers submitted directly to USDF. If a horse is registered with any breed organization, the name of the breed, sire, dam, dam sire and breeder must be given on the entry blank. Owner must be a USDF member (participating, group, or business membership) or pay the USDF non-member fee. Rider must be a USDF Participating Member. Horses will be evaluated according to the criteria listed on the USDF Materiale Class Scoresheet. Horses will be evaluated under saddle at the walk, trot and canter in both directions of the arena. No more than six horses will be asked to canter at one time. Four and five-year old horses may be asked to lengthen the stride at the trot and canter. Horses must be at least 36 months of age to participate in Materiale classes. Materiale classes may not be divided to allow one rider to ride more than one horse.

6. OTHER FEES

FEE	DESCRIPTION
\$30	Office Fee. Required for every entry, including non-compete horses. (No grounds fee!)
\$23	USEF D&M / Horse Fee. \$15 for drugs & meds, \$8 for USEF. Paid for each horse not for each entry for the horse. Horses in <u>only</u> Opportunity Classes are exempt from this fee.
\$15	GAIG/USDF Qualifying Fee. Additional ride fee. Must be paid <u>before</u> the class starts.
\$45	USEF Non-Member Fee (Show Pass Fee). Required for all riders, owners and trainers that are not USEF members. One fee per person per show. The parent trainer of a minor (under 18) is exempt. People <u>only</u> participating in Introductory Level and Opportunity Classes are exempt.
\$35	USDF Non-Member Fee. Required for all riders and owners that are not USDF members. One fee per person per show. People <u>only</u> participating in Introductory Level and Opportunity Classes are exempt.
\$10	Non-Competing Horse. Must also pay \$30 office fee. Horse must wear bridle number when out of the trailer or out of the stall.
\$50	Late Fee. For entries received after the closing date, if accepted. Nonrefundable. Submit late fee with the entry.
\$25	Non-Equestrian Entries Entry. Fee for each entry submitted without using Equestrian Entries online system.
\$10	Change Fee.
\$30	Returned Check Fee.
\$50	Refund Fee. See 7. ENTRY PROCEDURES for details.



7. ENTRY PROCEDURES

- As a courtesy, show secretaries usually enter riders in their shows w/o all the required documentation; however, this can create major issues at show check-in, particularly (1) the chance a rider may not be allowed to ride due to insufficient documents and (2) the additional time it takes to sign-in at the show office due to missing paperwork that can be submitted before the show. This show goes to every effort to get all documentation before the show so we can all have a good show experience.
- **ENTRY SUBMISSION:**
 - Entrants may submit entries by one of three methods:
 - (1) COMPLETELY ONLINE VIA EQUESTRIAN ENTRIES:** Preferred method. See www.EquestrianEntries.com. With this online system, riders and owners agree that they have read the OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST and agree to follow all the class specifications, requirements and conditions therein.
 - (2) PARTIALLY ONLINE VIA EQUESTRIAN ENTRIES:** Complete the entry form in EE, print, then snail mail as below.
 - (3) COMPLETE THE FORM BY HAND THEN SNAIL MAIL WITH OTHER DOCUMENTS:** Print the form at the end of this prize list, complete it by hand (**PLEASE PRINT VERY VERY VERY CLEARLY!**) and snail mail with other required documents (see below). Mail to the Show Secretary, not to By Chance Farm. **\$15 fee for these entries.**
 - Required documents:
 - (1) Entry form**
 - (2) Full payment** (checks payable to **By Chance Farm, LLC**)
 - (3) 2020 USDF/USEF Release, Assumption of Risk, Waiver and Indemnification Form with signatures** (rider, owner, trainer [for USEF] and parent/guardian if applicable) (**NOTE: USEF GR909, this signed form is required with the entry.**)
 - (4) Coggins** current within 12 months on the day of the show. (Coggins horse name must = entry name = USEF registered name)
 - (5) Proof of rider, owner and trainer [for USEF] USEF and USDF Memberships** (or pay non-member fees; people only participating in Intro and Opportunity classes are exempt). Use www.eqverification.org.
 - (6) Proof of Rider/Owner/Trainer Safe Sport Training.** Applies to USEF members age 18 and over. The proof is on the USEF membership verification. If not on the verification, submit certificate of training.
 - (7) Proof of horse USDF Registration and USEF Recordation** (horses only participating in Introductory and/or Opportunity classes are exempt). www.eqverification.org.
 - (8) Proof of vaccination as in USEF GR845** (horse name must = entry name = USEF registered name) (<https://www.usef.org/forms-pubs/ANcxoLX1gNs/equine-vaccination-rule-gr845>).
 - (9) Other Documents:** Any other required documentation (proof of a **qualifying score for MFS classes**, etc.)
 - Required documents (5) and (6) are best submitted via Equestrian Entries or the printed report from www.eqverification.org. Copies of USEF and USDF membership cards and horse USEF Recording and USDF registration documents are accepted.
 - If required documents (3), (4), (5), (6), (7) and (8) are not submitted via EqE, they may NOT be submitted via FAX. They may be submitted via snail mail (do not use a signature required service) sent to the Show Secretary or as an email attachment sent to LeslieRaulin@gmail.com (the email SUBJECT line must be VERY VERY clear that the email is related to the show or it may not be opened).
- **FULL SHOW:** Entries may be limited if numbers exceed capacity of the facility. The **show may fill prior to the closing date.** Entries received after the show is full will be placed on a waiting list and the entrant will be notified.
- **LATE ENTRIES:** Late entries (received by the show secretary after midnight of the closing date) will be accepted on a space available basis. Must include the \$50 late fee.
- **SHOW AND ENTRY CHANGES:** Show management reserves the right to refuse entries, make changes, deletions, or corrections as deemed necessary.
- **COGGINS:** Negative Coggins valid through the show date is required to enter the show grounds for all horses.
- **PROOF OF VACCINATION:** Documentation valid through the show date is required to enter the show grounds for all horses.
- **CORRESPONDENCE:**
 - All entries correspondence will be via email or snail mail. No text, telephone or FAX correspondence.
 - Do not send any entry documentation via registered mail, certified mail, or signature required mail.
- **CHECKS:** Make checks payable to **By Chance Farm, LLC**.
- **REFUNDS.** Entry scratches received BEFORE midnight of the original published closing date or the actual closing date/time, whichever is earlier, will be refunded less the office fee. Overpayments greater than \$50 will be refunded, less a \$50 refund fee, if verified BEFORE this closing date. There will be **NO REFUNDS**, for any reason, AFTER THIS CLOSING DATE, including show cancellation due to Acts of God, acts of terrorism, inclement weather, and/or other emergencies.

8. GENERAL INFORMATION

- Every class offered herein that is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book (<https://www.usef.org/compete/resources/forms/rules-regulations/rulebook>) will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.
- USEF rules are in force from the moment the show management allows access to the show grounds. This includes conduct, correct saddlery and equipment, and attire. Riders in classes and tests at all levels in Level 2 Competitions [this competition], ..., may compete wearing breeches and shirts of any color as permitted in DR120.8. Jackets or vests of any type are allowed but not required and neckwear may be worn only if the rider chooses to compete in a riding jacket. Boots and protective headgear are required as specified in DR120.1-6.
- Management reserves the right to split, combine, delete, or add classes dependent on entries. Management also reserves the right to add or substitute judges or make any changes required by circumstances.
- All “no shows” that have not contacted the show office will be considered a scratch for the remainder of the show and time slots may be filled. Riders and owners enter with this understanding and agreement.
- Dogs must be on leashes or crated at all times while on the show grounds.
- Current editions of all tests and score sheets, as posted on the USDF, USEF, and FEI web sites, will be used.
- This is a one-day two-arena show. To ensure participation by many riders and to facilitate show scheduling, **each rider is limited to no more than three horses and six rides.**

9. USEF HEADGEAR RULE

6. From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds, including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, mounted participants in exhibition classes and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para-Equestrian tests, must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be 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. Unless jackets are waived, while in the competition ring, exhibitors wearing protective headgear must wear a short, dark jacket, dark tailcoat (only permitted for tests above Fourth Level), or Armed Services or police uniform (if eligible), dark hatcovers (where applicable) and must otherwise conform to DR120 (see GR801).

10. RIBBONS AND AWARDS

- Ribbons for first through sixth place. Prize for each first place.
- High score ribbons for Intro, Training, First, Second, Third, Fourth, PSG, and FEI (Int & GP)
- High score ribbons for Pro, AA, JYR.
- Thoroughbred Incentive Program (TIP) Awards (see page 18).
- High score ribbon for Pony Cup class.

11. ENTRY STATUS AND RIDE TIMES NOTIFICATION

- Acknowledgement of entry receipt and its status will be emailed to each rider. The email subject will be FVD Confirmation Mail. Please ensure you include a valid email address with your entry. **When the acknowledgement is received, the rider is responsible for finding errors and notifying the Show Secretary immediately.**
- Ride times will be posted at least four days before the show on the By Chance Farm web site at <http://www.bychancefarm.com/dressage-first-chance> and will be emailed to participants.
- IAW DR126, “The time schedule must be posted in a conspicuous place by noon the day before the competition.” The time schedule will be posted at the show office.

12. BRIDLE NUMBERS

All horses, including non-competing horses, must wear their bridle number any time they are off the horse trailer or out of their stall.

13. NON-COMPETING HORSES

Non-competing horses must accompany a competing horse. For a non-competing horse, enter the show in the usual manner but do not enter any classes. The only fees are the non-compete horse fee of \$10 plus the \$30 office fee. Riders (if applicable), owners and trainers must have USEF / USDF memberships required by the show status of the accompanied competing horse. The USEF D&M horse fee is not paid for non-competing horses but the horse could be tested.

14. STABLING AND WATER

Stabling will not be available.
Water will be available for horses.

15. PONIES

If ponies are entered and need a measurement card, an appointment for measuring must be made with show management at least two weeks prior to the show. The owner will be responsible for all costs associated with performing the measurement.

16. COGGINS AND PROOF OF VACCINATION

- **Coggins:** IAW Maryland Department of Agriculture, Subtitle 11 Animal Health, Chapter 12 Equine Infectious Anemia, .03 Test Requirements, B. For Exhibition (https://asci.uvm.edu/equine/law/eia/md_eia.htm), a copy of the horse's negative Coggins report tested within 12 months from the date of the show must be provided. **For this show it must be provided to the secretary before the show.** A horse not in compliance with this rule is not allowed on the show grounds.
- **Vaccination:** IAW USEF GR845 (<https://www.usef.org/documents/drugsMeds/2016/2016GR08845VaccineRule.pdf>), proof of vaccination for Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus within six months of the date of the show must be provided. **For this show it must be provided to the secretary before the show.** A horse not in compliance with this rule is not allowed on the show grounds. If the horse falls under USEF GR845.4., all steps in the paragraph must be complied with and proof provided to the show secretary before and during the show.

17. WARM-UP AND COMPETITION ARENAS

Warm-up Arena: One 25m x 58m indoor arena with sand and fiber footing.

Lunging Area: Grass pasture.

Competition Arenas: Two 20m x 60m outdoor arenas with sand footing.

18. HOSPITALITY

Snacks and beverages will be available for purchase.

19. ACCOMODATIONS

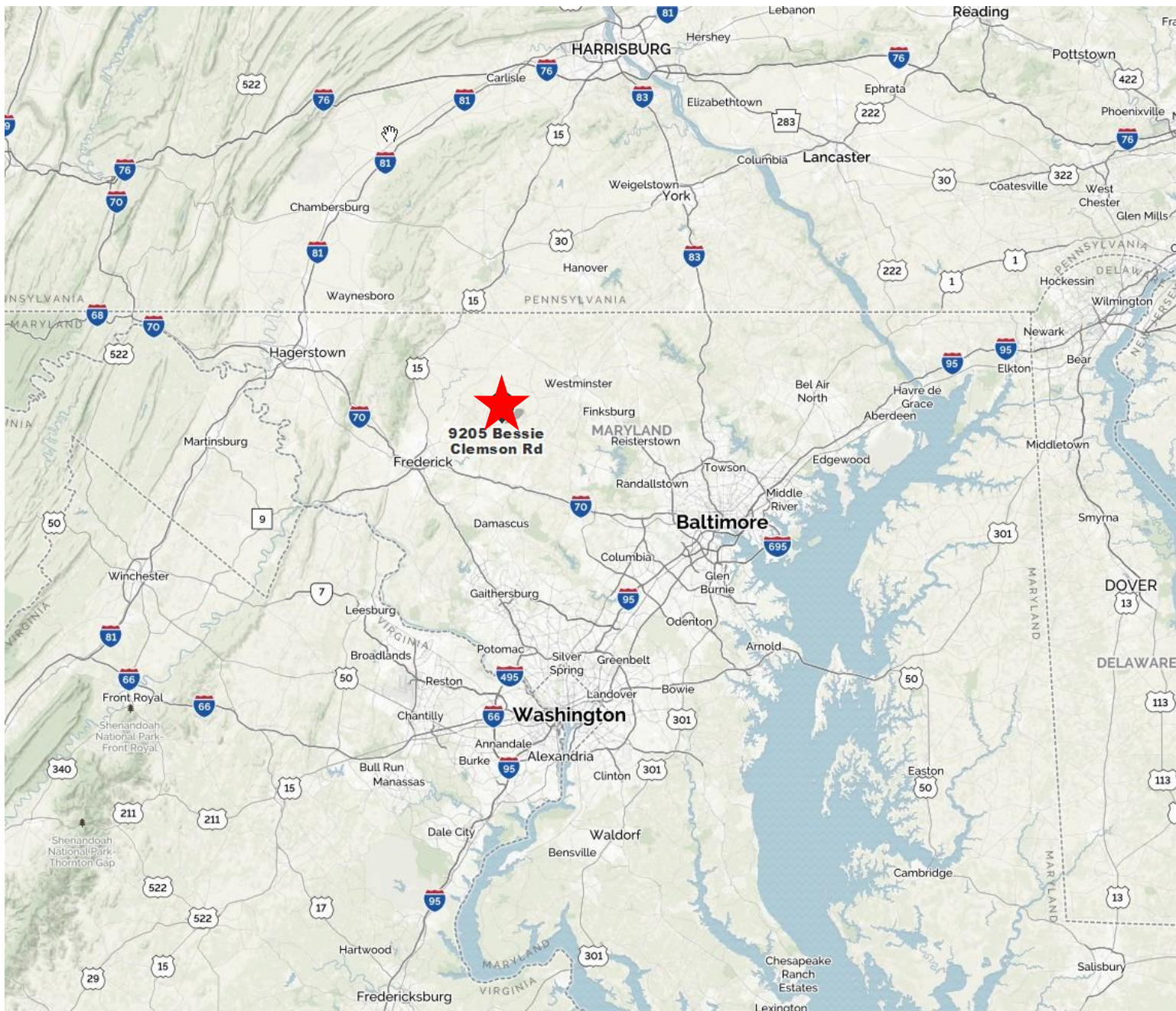
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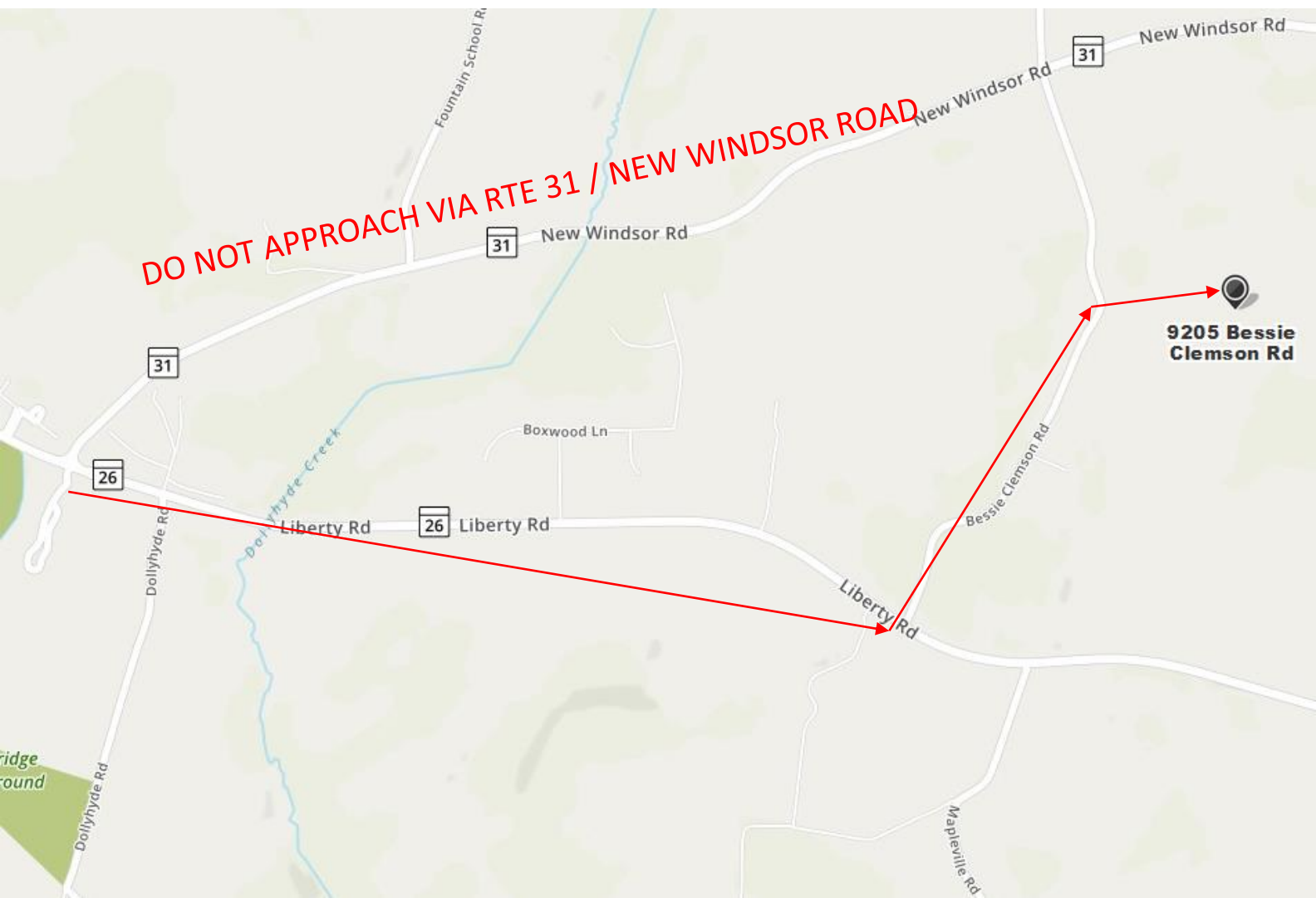
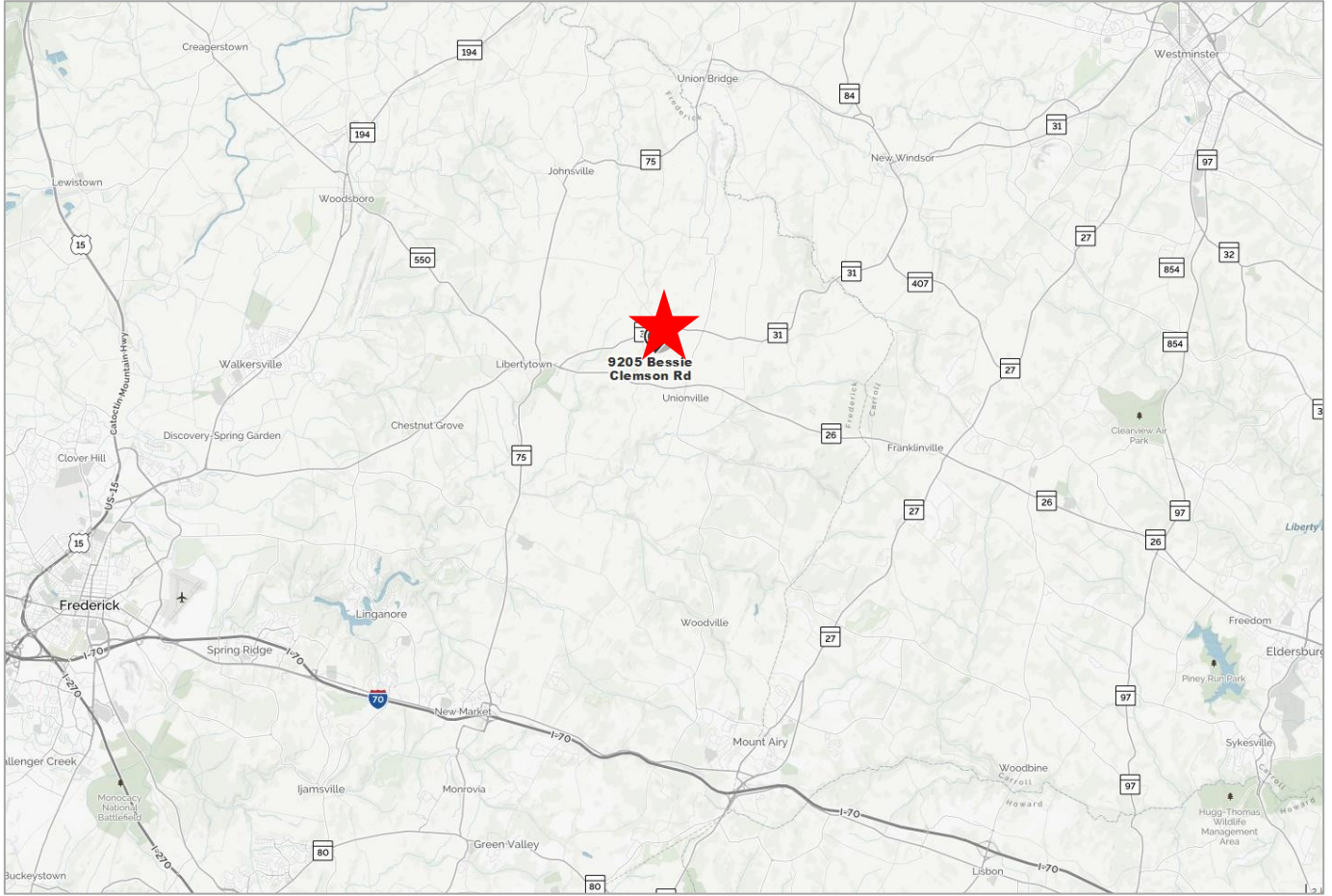
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20. DIRECTIONS AND MAPS

- **From the Washington Beltway:** Take I-270 North for 25.8 miles. Take the MD-109 exit, exit 22, toward Hyattsville/Barnestown, travel 0.2 mi. Keep to the left to take the ramp toward Hyattstown, travel 0.03 mi. Turn left onto Frederick Road / MD-355, travel 0.6 mi. Take first right onto MD-75 / Green Valley Road, travel 4.8 mi. Turn left onto Fingerboard Road / MD-75 / MD-80, travel 0.1 mi. Take the first right onto Green Valley Road / MD-75, travel 2.3 mi. Turn right onto Green Valley Road / MD-75 / MD-877, travel 0.5 mi. Turn left onto Green Valley Road / MD-75, travel 7.8 mi. Turn right onto Liberty Road / MD-26, travel 1.8 mi. Turn left onto Bessie Clemson Road, travel 0.6 mi. By Chance Farm is on the right.
- **From the Baltimore Beltway:** Take I-70 west for 18.7 miles. Take the MD-94 exit, exit 73, toward Woodbine/Lisbon, travel 0.4 mi. Keep right to take the ramp toward Woodbine, travel 0.05 mi. Merge onto Woodbine Road, travel 7.4 mi. Turn left onto W Liberty Road / MD-26, travel 8.6 mi. Turn right onto Bessie Clemson Road, travel 0.6 mi. By Chance Farm is on the right.
- **From I-70 West:** From I-70 traveling east, take the MD-75 / Green Valley Road exit, travel 6.8 mi. . Turn right onto Liberty Road / MD-26, travel 1.8 mi. Turn left onto Bessie Clemson Road, travel 0.6 mi. By Chance Farm is on the right.
- **Do not enter Bessie Clemson Road from Route 31 / New Windsor Road as the turn into show parking is too sharp.**
- See maps on this and the following page.





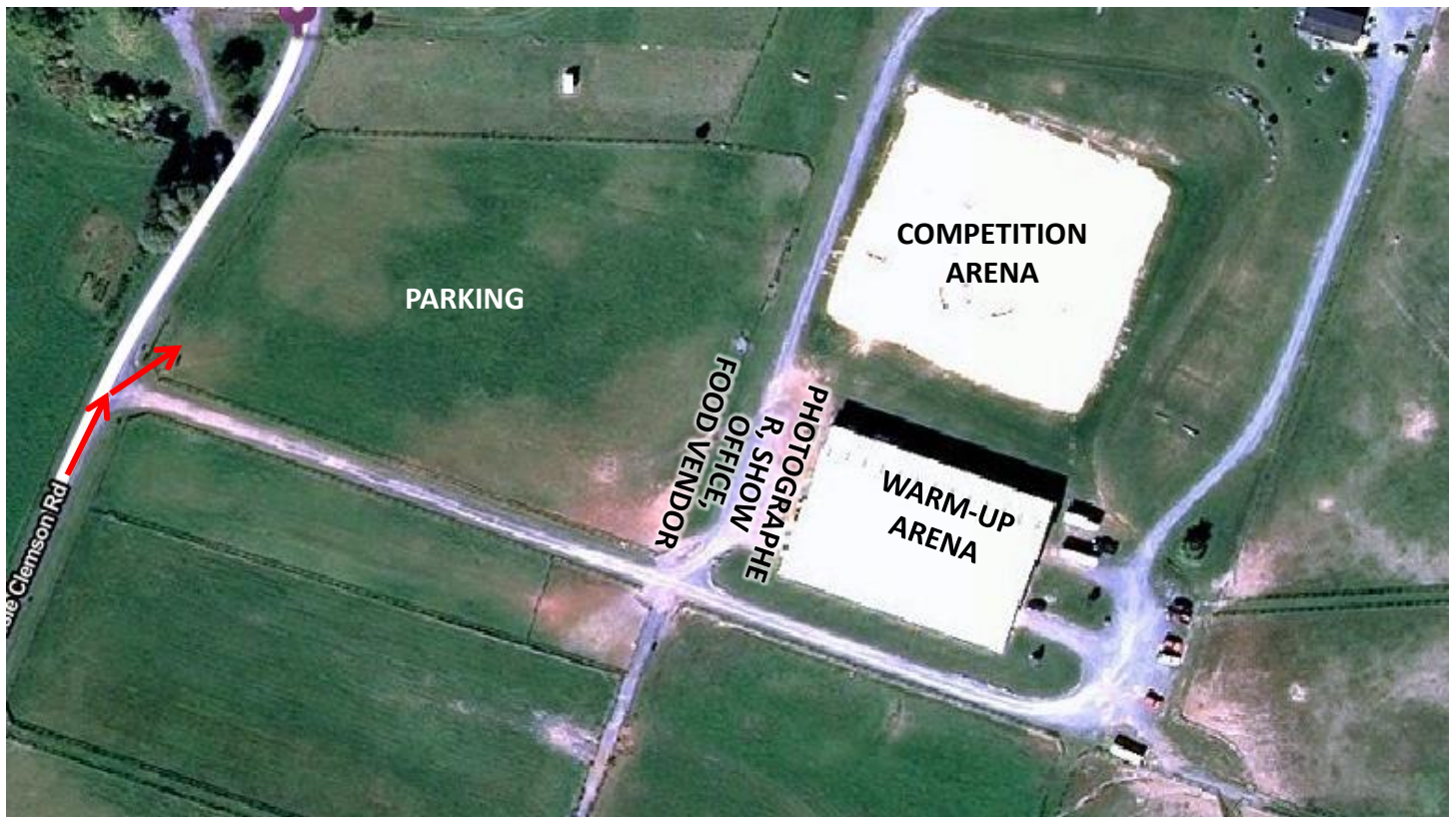
21. RIDER ATTIRE FOR THE SHOW

- See **USEF DR120 Dress** for dressage riding attire requirements for a level 1 dressage show.
- **USEF DR120.8:** In locations with high average heat and humidity on the date of a competition, management can publish in their prize list that jackets will be waived for the duration of the competition. Alternatively, management can announce prior to or during a competition that competitors can show without jackets when extreme heat and/or humidity is forecast. This waiver applies to all classes including FEI classes at National Competitions. However, competitors must wear protective headgear and a shirt with sleeves and collar, without neckwear, and without decoration except as described under .15 below. T-shirts are not permitted. Members of the Armed Services or police units may wear summer uniforms.
- **ACCORDINGLY, since April weather is unpredictable, the decision on jackets will be announced on the day of the show.**

22. HORSE ATTIRE FOR THE SHOW

- See **DR121 Saddlery and Equipment** for complete requirements.
- **DR121.1. [Saddle Pad Logos]** ...While in the competition ring ..., a logo/monogram or name may appear on either or both sides of a saddle cloth in an area not exceeding 200 cm² (26.632 sq. inches). Only the following logos or names are permitted: breed logos (for horses registered with that breed); a national flag (for citizens of that country); USEF or USDF names/logos. Professionals of any age may have a business or product name/logo of their official sponsor. Amateurs may not have a business or product name/logo unless they own the business. Competition award pads and stable name pads are permitted. No other advertisement or publicity is permitted on saddle cloths or horses.
- **DR121.7. Fly hoods** (ear covers) are permitted for all classes in order to protect horses from insects. The fly hoods should be discreet in color and design and should not cover the horse's eyes. Fly hoods may not be attached to the noseband. After completion of the test, the rider or his representative is responsible for removing the fly hood to present to the designated ring steward for inspection to ensure that nothing prohibited has been added (for example, ear plugs). Blinkers and fly masks that cover the horse's eyes are permitted in warmup but are forbidden in the competition arena.

23. PARKING



- **GR1301.7 – Motor Vehicle 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/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

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

- **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 nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR222) and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

- **USEF Rules and Regulations:**

EVERY 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.

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

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

The management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel any entries, disqualify any riders or exhibitors, prohibit entries and cancel award prizes without claims for damages; to cancel or combine unfilled classes, or to reschedule classes after due notice to exhibitors; to change rings or rotate judges.

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

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

In accordance with the 1989 Federal Waste Tracking Act, which restricts the disposal of medical waste, bio-hazardous medical waste containers will be provided in the stable area. All exhibitors and their agents are responsible for the proper disposal of this waste.

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

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

- **USEF Sharps Containers Rule (GR1210.4):**

Competition management shall place a minimum of one sharps container per each competition, whether or not stabling is provided. Additionally, at least one sharps container per fifty occupied stalls for the disposal of needles and other disposable sharp instruments in convenient locations in barns housing competition horses. It is competition management's responsibility to replace such containers when full and dispose of them properly. Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100 for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments. Competition management will place a notice of this requirement either in its prize list or on a specific handout given to trainers on check in at the competition. If local law has different requirements, local law will prevail. Competitions failing to comply with placing the required number of containers on the show grounds will be considered in violation of the rules and may be subject to penalty as determined by the CEO or his designee and/or the Hearing Committee.

YOU ARE NOT ALONE



US Equestrian wants you to know:
If you are a victim of sexual abuse or suspect someone else is, there are resources and people to help.

REPORT

720-524-5640 or safesport.org/report-a-concern

24/7 HELPLINE

866-200-0796 or visit safesporthelpline.org

TRAINING

Free to US Equestrian members at usef.org/safesport.

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ATTENTION COMPETITORS



USEF SAFE SPORT TRAINING REQUIREMENT

Starting January 1, 2019, if you are a USEF Competing Member 18 years of age or older you are required to complete the core Safe Sport Training within 30 days of activating your membership.

If you do not complete the training, you are ineligible to participate in all USEF activities including competitions.

TAKE the SAFE SPORT TRAINING at USEF.org by logging into your member dashboard.

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USEF SAFE SPORT PROGRAM

- As of January 1, 2019 every USEF adult member (18 years of age or older) with a Competing Membership must complete USEF's Safe Sport Training.
- Required SafeSport Training is available free to all USEF members. Information is at <https://www.usef.org/compete/resources-forms/rules-regulations/safe-sport>.
- If you are a victim or a survivor of abuse and believe this training could be an emotional trigger, please contact Teresa Roper at troper@usef.org, Sonja Keating at skeating@usef.org, or the U.S. Center for SafeSport at training@safesport.org, before accessing the Safe Sport Training course.
- A 30 day grace period to complete the SafeSport training will be provided to all members who renew or join on or after December 1, 2018. Members joining prior to December 1, 2018 will have until January 1, 2019 to complete the training. Those who do not complete the training within the grace period will be ineligible to participate in USEF activities, including competitions.
- Parents Training Course for equestrian athletes of all ages helps parents ensure their children have a positive and safe sport experience and is free.
- After the training is completed, it can be verified via www.eqverification.org within 24-48 hours of completing the training.

USEF SAFE SPORT PROGRAM FAQ

- **Does an entry need to be refused if the owner, trainer and/or rider/handler has not done their SafeSport training?**
No, however if any of the individuals listed above have a current, senior competing membership and are listed as ineligible due to Safe Sport Training, they will need to complete the SafeSport training in order to compete. They may go back to their hotel, residence or other location and complete the training and bring copies of their 'SafeSport Trained' certificate for proof of training to be allowed to compete. If they return with the 'SafeSport Trained' certificate on the first day of competition, their points will count.
- **Are non-USEF members required to take Safe Sport training in order to compete?** No.
- **Is the "age of 18" requirement calculated by competition year, riding age, or actual age?**
Actual age.
- **Do riders who turn 18 during the competition year have to take the SafeSport training?**
Yes.
- **If a rider turns 18 during a show, do they need to take the SafeSport training to continue competing?**
No, they have 30 days to complete the training.
- **If the 30 day grace period for someone to take the SafeSport training expires during a competition do we have to ask them to leave?**
No, and their points from the current show would still count; however, they will go on the ineligibility list until they successfully complete the training.
- **Does a Foreign rider have to take SafeSport Training?**
Yes if he/she has a USEF Competing membership and is 18-years-old or older.
- **If a horse is shown and the owner has taken the SafeSport training, but the senior member trainer or rider has not and is overdue, will that horse's points count?**
No.
- **If the senior member owner, rider, or trainer was ineligible at the start of the show, but does the training after the show starts, will the horse's points count?**
If the senior competing member owner, rider, or trainer completes the SafeSport training on the first day of competition, prior to competing and presents the 'SafeSport Trained' certificate to the secretary, then they can compete and their points will count. If the SafeSport training is completed after the first day of competition and the 'SafeSport Trained certificate' is presented to the secretary, they can compete, but their points will not be good.
- **If someone is eligible on the start day of the competition but becomes ineligible during the competition, should the competition allow them to continue to compete?**
Yes, the eligibility for a competition is based on the start date of that competition.
- **If the owner of the horse on the entry blank is a farm and the Active Owners of the farm are ineligible due to Safe Sport Training, is the horse allowed to compete?**
Yes, the farm is not required to take Safe Sport Training and thus the horse is eligible. The Active Owners of the farm are not allowed to compete themselves in the roles of rider, ..., owner (as individual owner of a horse on an entry blank), lessee (as individual lessee of a horse on an entry blank), agent, coach or trainer until they complete Safe Sport Training.
- **If a horse is leased and the lease has been recorded with USEF and the lessee is an active member who has completed their Safe Sport Training, will the horse be allowed to compete and will its points count if the actual owner of the horse has not completed their Safe Sport Training?**
Yes, per USEF rules, the lessee of a horse is considered the owner of the record of the horse during the period of the lease.
- **If a trainer is suspended/ineligible for something other than Safe Sport Training, will a horse's points count?**
No, if a trainer is suspended/ineligible, a horse's points will not count

2020 USDF Recognition Page

**This
competition
is recognized
by USDF
for 2020**

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.

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

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

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

Exceptions:

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

Memberships Defined

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

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

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

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

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

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

How to Join USDF

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

- On the USDF website: www.usdf.org. You can submit the application online or download the form and fax or mail it to the USDF office.
- In the show office at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions classified by USEF as Dressage Competitions, and Regular Competitions which are open to all breeds.
- By calling or writing the USDF office at (859) 971-2277, 4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511

The effective date of membership is the date the form and correct fees are received in the USDF office or, if applying at a competition, the date accepted by the competition secretary, provided the application is signed and dated by the competition secretary, member, and/or horse owner on that same day.

USDF Statement on Animal Welfare

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of over 100 independent organizations throughout the United States with a membership of nearly 30,000 members, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

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

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

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

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

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

United States Dressage Federation
4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511
Phone: 859-971-2277, Fax: 859-971-7722, usdressage@usdf.org, www.usdf.org

ATTENTION COMPETITORS

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

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

ATTENTION FREESTYLE COMPETITORS



UNITED STATES DRESSAGE FEDERATION™ Freestyle Competitor Reminders

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

Questions?
Contact freestyle@usdf.org

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2020 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), and recognized by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a Group Member Organization (GMO) is received by April 1 of the prior year. The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF website at www.usdf.org. Please refer to the 2020 USDF Member Guide for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying and Championships

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

Rider:

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

Horse:

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

Owner:

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

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

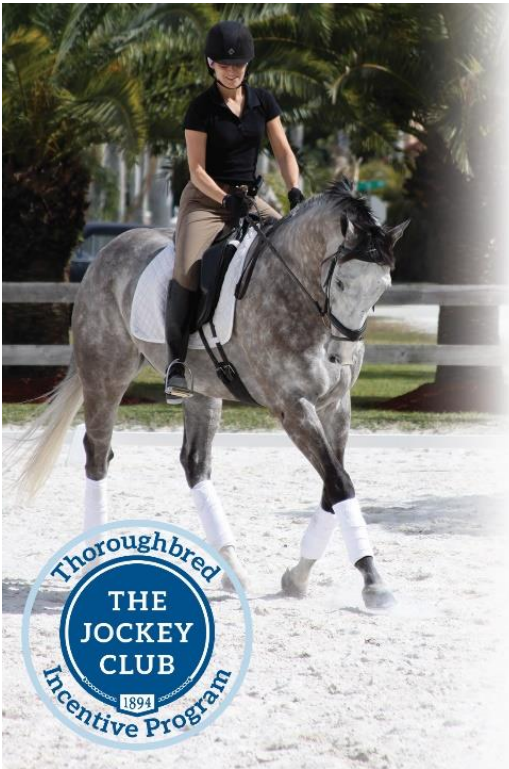
Minimum Qualifying Scores: One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for Training Level through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur and junior/young rider. FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. Freestyles have only open divisions.

The minimum percentages are as follows:

	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
Training Level (Test 3)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 3)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 3)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior (Team Test)	—	—	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	—	—	60%
Prix St. Georges	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	62%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	62%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%

FREESTYLE	OPEN	AA	JR/YR
First Level	65%	—	—
Second Level	65%	—	—
Third Level	65%	—	—
Fourth Level	65%	—	—
Intermediate I	65%	—	—
Grand Prix	65%	—	—

**The rides in this show will be qualifying rides for the 2020 GAIG Championships for ALL regions.
Qualification begins on September 10, 2019.**



Ride a Thoroughbred?

Provide T.I.P. Numbers
with your entries.

For more information and
to see if your Thoroughbred is eligible,
visit tjctip.com.

Show us what your Thoroughbred
can do at facebook.com/tjctip

Good luck to the
Thoroughbreds and riders!

To encourage the retraining of Thoroughbreds into other disciplines upon completion of careers in racing or breeding, The Jockey Club Thoroughbred Incentive Program (T.I.P.) is offering sponsorship for Thoroughbred-only classes and divisions and high point Thoroughbred awards. Riders/owners of eligible horses must provide T.I.P. Numbers to event organizer with entry. For more information, visit www.tjctip.com.

Horse Eligibility

- For purposes of eligibility for all T.I.P. classes and awards, a "Thoroughbred" is defined as any horse that has been registered with The Jockey Club or a foreign Thoroughbred stud book approved by The Jockey Club and the International Stud Book Committee.
- All horse shows must require riders to verify eligibility through pre-entry or on the day of the horse show through one of the following methods:
 - T.I.P. Number Card (click [My Account](#) to apply for a T.I.P. Number); **or**
 - Completed T.I.P. Number request form and one of the following:
 - The Jockey Club Certificate of Foal Registration (or similar document from a foreign stud book) or a copy thereof; **or**
 - The horse's lip tattoo, the horse's 5-cross pedigree and the successful tattoo lookup result from The Jockey Club's Tattoo Identification Services, (located at registry.jockeyclub.com); **or**
 - A letter from The Jockey Club verifying the horse's identity

Awards

The following awards have been approved for this show. The table below contains a listing of all the prizes and/or prize money associated with each show/award. The ribbons & medals associated with each award are described below.

Class/Award
Introductory Dressage OTTB High Point Award
Training Level Dressage OTTB High Point Award
First Level Dressage OTTB High Point Award
Second/Third/Fourth Level Dressage OTTB High Point Award
FEI Levels Dressage OTTB High Point Award
High Score Dressage OTTB (Overall)

How to Compete for the Awards

Submit a copy of the TIP card with the entry packet for the show (via Equestrian Entries or via mail).

27. NATIONAL DRESSAGE PONY CUP

The National Dressage Pony Cup (NDPC) promotes ponies in dressage competition. For details about the program, see <http://www.dressageponycup.com/home.html>.

NDPC Partner Shows are USDF sanctioned shows that give more ponies a place to perform and shine in the dressage arena. Dressage, By Chance? Show 1 is a NDPC Partner Show. Class 170 Pony Cup TOC Open is the NDPC class for this show. In accordance with NDPC rules, points will be added to the final percentage score when calculating the Champion at a Partner Show and used in Year-End Awards:

Level	Test Ridden	Points Added
Introductory Level	Test A	0.0
Introductory Level	Test B	0.0
Introductory Level	Test C	0.5
Training Level	Test 1	1.0
Training Level	Test 2	1.5
Training Level	Test 3	2.0
Training Level	Freestyle	2.0
First Level	Test 1	3.0
First Level	Test 2	3.5
First Level	Test 3	4.0
First Level	Freestyle	4.0
Second Level	Test 1	5.0
Second Level	Test 2	5.5
Second Level	Test 3	6.0
Second Level	Freestyle	6.0
Third Level	Test 1	7.0
Third Level	Test 2	7.5
Third Level	Test 3	8.0
Third Level	Freestyle	8
Fourth Level	Test 1	9.0
Fourth Level	Test 2	9.5
Fourth Level	Test 3	10.0
Fourth Level	Freestyle	10.0
FEI Pony Test	Team/Individual Test	6.0
FEI Pony Test	Freestyle	6.0
Small Tour	Prix St Georges	11.0
Small Tour	Intermediare I	11.5
Small Tour	I1 Freestyle	11.5
Medium Tour	Intermediare A	12.0
Medium Tour	Intermediare B	12.5
Medium Tour	IA/IB Freestyle	12.5
Large Tour	Intermediare II	13.0
Large Tour	Grand Prix/ Grand Prix Special	13.5
Large Tour	I2/GP Freestyle	13.5

DRESSAGE COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

2020 First Chance @ Dressage, by Chance?

April 29, 2020

Bridle Number (office use only)	
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Entries via Equestrian Entries (www.EquestrianEntries.com) are encouraged. See form instructions on next page.

HORSE NAME (same as Coggins)	BREED	GENDER	HEIGHT (HANDS)	COLOR
		<input type="checkbox"/> Stal <input type="checkbox"/> Geld <input type="checkbox"/> Mare		
COGGINS DATE	SIRE NAME	DAM NAME	DAM SIRE NAME	
BIRTH COUNTRY	YEAR OF BIRTH	BREEDER	HORSE FOR SALE? (in program)	
			<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	

HORSE		RIDER		OWNER		TRAINER* (see below)	
USEF #		USEF #		USEF #		USEF #	
USDF #		USDF #		USDF #			

RIDER			
FIRST NAME		LAST NAME	
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE
CELL PHONE		EMAIL ADDRESS	
CITIZENSHIP		JR/YR BIRTHDAY (MM/DD/YYYY)	
RIDER STATUS (check one)		<input type="checkbox"/> PRO <input type="checkbox"/> AA <input type="checkbox"/> JR/YR <input type="checkbox"/> USEF NM	

OWNER			
FIRST NAME		LAST NAME	
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE
CELL PHONE		EMAIL ADDRESS	
CITIZENSHIP			

TRAINER* (see definition to the right)			
FIRST NAME		LAST NAME	
STREET ADDRESS			
CITY		STATE	ZIP CODE
CELL PHONE		EMAIL ADDRESS	
PHONE DURING SHOW			

CLASSES AND FEES				
CLASS #	CLASS DESCRIPTION	TEST	QUAL Y/N	CL FEE + Q Fee
TOTAL CLASS FEES				

OTHER FEES	FEE
Office Fee - \$30 (No grounds fee!)	\$30
USEF D&M/H Fee (each non-exempt horse) - \$23	\$23
Rider USEF Non-member Fee (if not exempt) - \$45	
Owner USEF Non-member Fee (if not exempt) - \$45	
Trainer USEF Non-member Fee (if not exempt) - \$45	
Rider USDF Non-member Fee (if not exempt) - \$35	
Owner USDF Non-member Fee (if not exempt) - \$35	
Non-competing Horse - \$10 (+ Office Fee)	
Late Fee - \$50 (must get approval from show secretary)	
Change Fee - \$10	
Non-Equestrian Entries Entry - \$25	
Returned Check Fee - \$30	
TOTAL OTHER FEES	
TOTAL FEES DUE	

*** USEF GR147 Definition of Trainer:**

1. Any adult, or adults, who has/have the responsibility for the care, training, custody or performance of a horse [at the show].
2. Said person must sign the entry blank of any Licensed Competition whether said person be an owner, rider, agent and/or coach, as well as trainer.
3. Where a minor exhibitor has no trainer, a parent or guardian must sign and assume responsibility of trainer.
4. The name of the trainer must be designated as such on the entry form.

INTERPRETATION: The trainer is not necessarily the at-home horse trainer. The trainer is the **adult** person who is **responsible for the horse at the show**. It can be the rider, owner, parent, actual trainer, etc. The trainer must be present at the show

Not sure how to enter a USEF licensed / USDF registered show?

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HOW TO ENTER: You have three options to enter the show:

- 1. COMPLETELY ONLINE VIA EQUESTRIAN ENTRIES:** Preferred method. See www.EquestrianEntries.com. With this online system, riders and owners agree that they have read the OFFICIAL PRIZE LIST and agree to follow all the class specifications, requirements and conditions therein.
- 2. PARTIALLY ONLINE VIA EQUESTRIAN ENTRIES:** Complete the entry form in EE, print, then snail mail as below.
- 3. COMPLETE THE FORM BY HAND THEN SNAIL MAIL WITH OTHER DOCUMENTS:** Print the form, complete it by hand (PLEASE PRINT VERY CLEARLY!) and snail mail with other required documents (see below). **\$15 fee for this type of entry.**

COMPLETING THE FORM:

- 1. HORSE INFORMATION:** Complete as many of the boxes as possible. If you do not know the information, leave the box blank. Horse Name must be the same name as on Coggins, USEF Recording, and USDF Registration.
- 2. RIDER/OWNER/TRAINER INFORMATION:** Complete all of the boxes.
- 3. USEF AND USDF MEMBERSHIP/RECORDING/REGISTRATION NUMBERS AND TYPES:**

EXEMPT CLASSES (for this show, Rider, Owner, Trainer and Horse only participating in Introductory Level and/or Opportunity Classes): (NOTE: USEF & Drug Fee required for horses in Introductory Level classes; not required for horses only in Opportunity classes.)

 - HORSE:** USEF Recording and USDF Registration not required but must be entered if the horse is recorded/registered. If the horse is USEF recorded and/or USDF registered, enter the number(s). If not, enter None.
 - RIDER/OWNER/TRAINER:** USEF and USDF memberships not required but must be entered if members. If USEF and/or USDF member, enter the number(s). If not, enter None.

NON-EXEMPT CLASSES, NO GAIG QUALIFICATION REQUESTED:

 - HORSE:** Must have, as a minimum, a USDF HID (see <https://www.usdf.org/join/horse-applications/horse-app.asp> to apply online). Enter number(s). If horse only has USDF HID, enter the USDF HID number for both USEF and USDF.
 - RIDER/OWNER/TRAINER:** RIDER and OWNER must be USEF and USDF member(s) or pay non-member fee(s). TRAINER must be USEF member or pay USEF non-member fee. PARENT signing as owner/trainer for a minor is exempt from both memberships. Enter number (or None for parent owner/trainer signing for minor if no #).

NON-EXEMPT CLASSES, GAIG QUALIFICATION REQUESTED:

 - HORSE:** Must have USEF Annual or Lifetime Recording and USDF Lifetime Registration (not USDF HID). Enter both numbers.
 - RIDER/OWNER/TRAINER:** RIDER and OWNER must be USEF and USDF member(s). TRAINER must be USEF member or pay USEF non-member fee. PARENT signing as trainer for a minor is exempt from both memberships. Enter number (or None for parent trainer signing for minor if no #).
- 4. CLASS FEES:** Enter complete Class # (example: 121.2-AJY), Class Description, Test, Qual Y/N, and Class Fee (with any Q fee).
- 5. OTHER FEES:** Enter other fees for the entry.
- 6. TOTAL FEES DUE:** Enter the total of CLASS FEES and OTHER FEES.

ENTRY CHECKLIST - WHAT TO SUBMIT/MAIL:

- 1. Completed **Entry Form**.
- 2. Full **payment** (check payable to **By Chance Farm, LLC**)
- 3. **USDF/USEF Release Form** with all signatures (no "same")
- 4. Copy of current **Coggins** (within 12 months of show date).
- 5. Proof of Rider/Owner/Trainer **USEF/USDF memberships**, unless exempt (use www.EqVerification.org)
- 6. Proof of horse **USEF recording and USDF registration**, unless exempt (use www.EqVerification.org)
- 7. **Proof of current vaccination** IAW USEF GR845
- 8. **Proof of current SafeSport** training.
- 9. **Other documents** (proof of MFS qualification, etc.)

WHERE TO MAIL:

Leslie Raulin (Show Secretary)
2027 Gapland Road
Jefferson, MD 21755

WHEN TO MAIL:

Opening Date: March 18, 2020
Closing Date: April 15, 2020
No registered, certified, or signature required mail.

<https://www.usdf.org/docs/showflash/web/Docsprizelist/DressageEntryFormField.pdf?t=1/18/2020%2010:05:36%20PM>

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

Federation Entry Agreement Effective

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

Federation Release, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Indemnification

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

I AGREE in consideration for my participation in this Competition to the following:

I AGREE that "the Federation" and "Competition" as used herein includes the Licensee and Competition Management, as well as all of their officials, officers, directors, employees, agents, personnel, volunteers and Federation affiliates.

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

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

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

I AGREE to indemnify (that is, to pay any losses, damages, or costs incurred by) the Federation and the Competition and to hold them harmless with respect to claims for Harm to me or my horse, and for claims made by others for any Harm caused by me or my horse while at the Competition. I have read the Federation Rules about protective equipment, including GR801 and if applicable, EV114, and I understand that I am entitled to wear protective equipment without penalty, and I acknowledge that the Federation strongly encourages me to do so while WARNING that no protective equipment can guard against all injuries. If I am a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and AGREE to all of the above provisions and AGREE to assume all of the obligations of this Release on the child's behalf. I represent that I have the requisite training, coaching and abilities to safely compete in this competition.

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

BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE to be bound by all applicable Federation Rules and all terms and provisions of this entry blank and all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If I am signing and submitting this Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall have the same validity, force and effect as if I affixed my signature by my own hand. Copied from USEF website 11/14/2013

OWNER'S/AGENT'S SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	RIDER/HANDLER SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	TRAINER'S SIGNATURE (MANDATORY)	COACH'S SIGNATURE (IF APPLICABLE)
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PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IF RIDER/DRIVER/TRAINER/HANDLER/VAULTOR/LONGEUR IS UNDER 18	PRINT PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME
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RIDER EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION	
NAME OF CONTACT/RELATIONSHIP:	PHONE: