



## **REGION III ARABIAN SPORT HORSE PRE-SHOW**

AHA / USEF / USDF / CDS / WDAA Recognized

A Qualifying Show for AHA Sport Horse Nationals, Youth & Midsummer Nationals, Canadian Nationals, Pacific Slope Championships and Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championships

**June 13 & 14 2024**



## **PACIFIC SLOPE HUNTER / JUMPER OFFSITE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Hunter & Jumpers - AHA & USEF Recognized

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*All 3 shows to be held at Murieta Equestrian Center  
(MEC)*

*Entries Close May 13, 2024*



# REG 3 SPORT HORSE PRE-SHOW & CHAMPS, USEF ID 338038

## Region III Arabian Sport Horse Pre-Show

AHA Show/Recording # 240316102, WDAA # 24-324

Sponsored by the California-Nevada Arabian Sport Horse Association (CNASHA)

A Qualifying Show for: Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship \* Pacific Slope Sport Horse Championship  
\* Sport Horse National Arabian & Half Arabian Championship \* Canadian Nationals \* Midsummer Nationals

### CNASHA Officers / Show Committee

President: Lisa Stapleton, Vice President: Suzy Johnson, Treasurer: Michael Bowling, Secretary: Margo Seabourn, Past President: Linda Walsh, Directors At Large: Rita Edman, Elizabeth LaCroix, Margie Pope

### Region III Arabian Sport Horse Pre-Show Judges

#### Dressage, Western Dressage

Eleanor Stine-Masek (S/Dressage, Young Horse, Freestyle; R, Western Dressage)..... Arizona

#### Sport Horse In-Hand/Under Saddle & Show Hack

Donna Longacre (R/Dressage; R, Western Dressage)..... Washington

#### Hunter, Jumper, Sport Horse In-Hand & Sport Horse Under Saddle

Clint Sawyer (R / Hunter, Hunter Breeding, H/J Seat Equitation; r / Jumper) ..... California

## Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship

AHA Show/Recording # 240316101, WDAA # 24-324

### Show Committee for Region III and Pacific Slope Arabian Sport Horse Championship

Nicole Aronsen, Cheryl Hansen, Suzy Johnson, Dee Dee Kramer, Michelle Mahoney, Sarah McKendry, Charlene Naughton, Rita Edman, Margie Pope, Lisa Stapleton, Elizabeth LaCroix

### Region III Clubs

\* Arabian Reined Cow Horse \* Arabian Trail Riders \* Mother Lode AHA \* Diablo AHA \* AHA No. California \* Golden Gate AHA  
\* Carson Valley AHA \* Comstock AHA \* Cal Norte AHA \* California-Nevada Arabian Sport Horse Assn \* Vintage Arabian Horse Assn  
\* Gold Coast AHA \* Red Bluff AHA \* AHA of Redwoods \* Mendo Lake AHA \* Wine Country Arabian Horse Assn

### Region III Arabian Sport Horse Offsite Championship Judges

#### Dressage & Western Dressage

Renee Johnson (S/Dressage, Young Horse, Equitation, Freestyle; R, Western Dressage; R, DSH Breeding)..California

#### Hunter, Sport Horse In-Hand/Under Saddle & Show Hack

Sandy Aston (R / Hunter, Hunter Breeding, H/J Seat Equitation).....California

#### Sport Horse In-Hand/Under Saddle & Show Hack

Rebecca Armstrong (r/Dressage, Freestyle; r, DSH Breeding ) ..... California

## Pacific Slope Hunter / Jumper Championship

AHA Show/Recording # 240316100

Pacific Slope Association includes Member Clubs from AHA Regions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, and British Columbia

### Pacific Slope Championship Judges

#### Hunters, Hunter Seat Equitation

Sandy Aston (R / Hunter, Hunter Breeding, H/J Seat Equitation) ..... California

#### Jumpers

Clint Sawyer (R / Hunter, Hunter Breeding, H/J Seat Equitation; r / Jumper) ..... California

### Show Officials:

<b>Show Manager, Patron/Sponsor Coordinator, Barn Manager</b>	Rita Edman Suzy Johnson	916-541-1725 <a href="mailto:fadaar@aol.com">fadaar@aol.com</a>
<b>USEF Steward/Technical Delegate</b>	Carol Spangler	
<b>Volunteer Coordinator</b>	Margo Seaborn	530-613-3807 <a href="mailto:margoseab1945@gmail.com">margoseab1945@gmail.com</a>
<b>Announcer</b>	Jolene Swann	
<b>Veterinarian (On-Call)</b>	Loomis Basin Equine Medical Group (Elk Grove)	916-652-7645
<b>Farrier (On-Call)</b>	Listed in show office	
<b>EMT</b>	TBD	
<b>Barn Manager On-Site</b>	Rita Edman Suzy Johnson	
<b>Secretary</b>	Annette Wells	530-409-0701 Serserr@aol.com

### Schedule of Shows and Classes:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Show</b>	<b>Class Number</b>	<b>Classes</b>	<b>Judges</b>
Thursday, June 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Pre-Show</b>	101 - 154 301 - 325	Dressage & Western Dressage	Eleanor Stine- Masek
Thursday, June 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Pre-Show</b>	201 - 249	Hunters & Jumpers	Clint Sawyer

Friday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Pre-Show</b>	423 - 455 467 - 474	SHIH, SHUS & Show Hack	Donna Longacre
Friday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Pre-Show</b>	401 - 422 456 - 466 475 - 478	SHIH, SHUS & Jumpers	Clint Sawyer
Friday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pacific Slope Championships</b>	515 & 516	Jumpers	Clint Sawyer
Friday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	617 & 618	Jumpers	Clint Sawyer

Saturday, June 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	751-761 762 - 764	Dressage Western Dressage	Renee Johnson
Saturday, June 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	602 - 616	Hunters	Sandy Aston
Saturday, June 15 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pacific Slope Championships</b>	502 - 514	Hunters	Sandy Aston

Sunday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Pacific Slope Championships</b>	501	Hunter Seat Equitation Not to Jump	Sandy Aston
Sunday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	601 801 – 808 860 - 868	Hunter Seat Equitation Not to Jump SHIH & SHUS	Sandy Aston
Sunday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	701 - 712 713 - 715 751 - 761 762 - 763 901 - 903	Dressage Western Dressage	Renee Johnson
Sunday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Region III Championships</b>	821 – 828 851 - 859	SHIH, SHUS & Show Hack	Rebecca Armstrong

***Entries Close May 13, 2024***

***Please Mail Entries to Show Secretary, Annette Wells, 4488 Munjar Rd, Chico, CA 95973***

This competition will be run in accordance with USEF's & California Department of Food and Agriculture's (CDFA's) biosecurity recommendations. USEF has not updated its recommendations since the 2022 outbreaks of Equine Herpes Virus (EHV-1) and Equine Herpesvirus Myeloencephalopathy (EVM) in California. Additional quarantines for EVM were reported in California as recently as June & December 2023.

[https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/AHFSS/Animal\\_Health/equine\\_herpes\\_virus.html](https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/AHFSS/Animal_Health/equine_herpes_virus.html) CDFA reminds horse owners traveling with horses to participate in an equine event, that there is always disease risk when horses of unknown health status are commingled for a show or competition. Compliance with basic biosecurity practices is an important factor in reducing risk of exposure to all contagious equine diseases.

For more information, please see

<https://www.usef.org/compete/resources-forms/competition-management/competition-safety-biosecurity> and [https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/Animal\\_Health/Equine\\_Biosecurity.html](https://www.cdfa.ca.gov/ahfss/Animal_Health/Equine_Biosecurity.html)

This event is implementing biosecurity measures to ensure infectious disease agents are not introduced or spread at this event. All horses and livestock that enter the grounds may be subject to examination by event officials/designated representatives and/or State Animal Health official to determine if the animal is or has been infected/exposed, or are likely to be infected with, an infectious or contagious disease. If after such examination, an official believes the health condition of an animal will place other animals at risk, the officials may quarantine the animal(s) and others that may have been infected/exposed, or, if necessary, require movement of the animal(s) from the show grounds.

All participants must agree to fully cooperate with examining officials and abide by their decisions/instructions. Failure to comply with officials shall be grounds for immediate expulsion of the participant from the grounds and potential disciplinary action(s) by the sponsoring organization and local/state or federal officials. In the event of an emergency or infectious disease incident at the event, all participants and horses will remain at the venue until event management provides clearance for departure from the event premises. In the case of infectious disease event, event officials will evaluate individual horse disease exposure risk and provide owner/agents with follow up disease monitoring instructions. In the event movement restrictions are put in place, each owner/agent is responsible for the care and maintenance of their horse(s) on the premises.

- 1) Cleaning and Disinfection Protocol: Brookside Equestrian Center will disinfect all surfaces in every stall prior to the start of this event. Please note: due to dirt floors and porous wooden stall walls, disinfection

cannot eliminate risk of exposure to pathogens.

- 2) **Healthy Horse Policy:** Upon arrival at the show grounds, the owner/agent shall sign a health certification statement (USEF horse event participation health declaration.pdf) attesting that the entered horse(s) arriving at the venue has/have been healthy with no clinical signs of a contagious disease or body temperature(s) above 102°F for the preceding seven (7) days. **If these statements are untrue, then the exhibitor shall leave the horse home and will receive a refund of all entries and fees except for the Office Fee.**
- 3) **No Fever Policy:** **Exhibitors shall check each horse's temperature at least once per day while on the show grounds.** Exhibitors, Owners, Trainers and anyone attending this event shall immediately report any suspicion of illness in horses, including a temperature over 102°F to the Show Secretary or Manager. The Secretary or Manager will then report as soon as possible to the show committee or Manager as appropriate for further action, including but not limited to calling the on-call veterinarian for consultation at the horse owner's expense or sending the horse home.
- 4) Exhibitors shall take all appropriate measures to limit horse-to-horse contact during this event. For multi-horse classes such as Hunter Under Saddle and Sport Horse Under Saddle, exhibitors shall keep at least 1 horse-length distance among horses during the class and shall line-up at least eight feet (8') feet apart.
- 5) Exhibitors shall limit access for Human-to-Horse and Horse-to-Horse contact as much as possible.
- 6) Exhibitors shall provide alcohol wipes or alcohol hand sanitizer products at their stall(s) or trailer(s) for use by people handling multiple horses to maximize biosecurity between horses.

In addition, the following biosecurity measures are recommended:

- All dogs on the event premises must be kept on a leash
- Avoid sharing of equipment, to include tack, water buckets, brushes, etc.
- Avoid use of communal water troughs
- Avoid submerging the end of water hoses into water buckets
- Do not allow horses to drink directly from a water hose
- void tying horses to fences or gates near the competition area
- Cover all feed and hay to prevent access by vermin, birds or other animals
- Thoroughly clean and disinfect all equipment before use at the home premises
- Isolate and monitor all animals upon return to the home premises.

### **ENTRIES:**

Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) rule book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

### **GR845 EQUINE VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS**

Show management **MUST** have a copy of each horse's vaccination records as outlined in GR845 prior to the horse's arrival on the showgrounds. This applies to all horses entered, both trailered-in and stabled

**Directions:** Please see <https://murietaequestriancenter.com/contact/>

Physical Address: 7200 Lone Pine Drive, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683

**FROM STOCKTON:** Head north on CA-99 towards Sacramento for 27 miles. Take Exit 281 for Dillard Rd and turn right on Dillard Rd. In 14 miles, turn right onto Jackson Rd/Hwy 16. At the stoplight, turn right onto Murieta Drive. Take your first right onto Lone Pine Drive.

**FROM SACRAMENTO:** From I-5 S/CA-99 S/CA-16 E, take Exit 518 to merge onto US-50 E. In 6.25 miles take Exit 9 onto Power Inn Rd towards CA-16 E/Howe Ave and keep left. Turn right onto Howe Ave/CA-16. Turn left onto Folsom

Blvd/CA-16 then make a slight right onto Jackson Rd/CA-16. In 17 miles, turn right onto Murieta Drive at the stoplight. Take your first right onto Lone Pine Drive.

**FROM FOLSOM:** From Hwy 50, take Exit 27 for Scott Rd/ E Bidwell St and head south on Scott Rd. At the 3 way stop, turn right onto White Rock Rd. In 1.5 miles, turn left onto Scott Rd (if you reach Prairie City Rd you have gone too far). Stay on Scott Rd for 7.9 miles then make a sharp left onto Latrobe Rd. Take the first right onto Stone House Rd until you reach Jackson Rd/Hwy 16. Turn left onto Jackson Rd and take the 1st right at the stoplight on Murieta Drive. Take your first right onto Lone Pine Drive.

**Nearby Lodging:** Please see: <https://murietaequestriancenter.com/resources/>

<https://www.google.com/maps/search/Hotels/@38.5055606,-121.4194181,10z/data=!4m8!2m7!5m5!5m4!1s2024-06-12!2i4!4m1!1i2!6e3?entry=ttu>

[https://www.airbnb.com/s/Rancho-Murieta--CA/homes?tab\\_id=home\\_tab&refinement\\_paths%5B%5D=%2Fhomes&flexible\\_trip\\_lengths%5B%5D=one\\_week&monthly\\_start\\_date=2024-05-01&monthly\\_length=3&monthly\\_end\\_date=2024-08-01&price\\_filter\\_input\\_type=0&channel=EXPLORE&date\\_picker\\_type=calendar&checkin=2024-06-12&checkout=2024-06-16&adults=2&source=structured\\_search\\_input\\_header&search\\_type=filter\\_change](https://www.airbnb.com/s/Rancho-Murieta--CA/homes?tab_id=home_tab&refinement_paths%5B%5D=%2Fhomes&flexible_trip_lengths%5B%5D=one_week&monthly_start_date=2024-05-01&monthly_length=3&monthly_end_date=2024-08-01&price_filter_input_type=0&channel=EXPLORE&date_picker_type=calendar&checkin=2024-06-12&checkout=2024-06-16&adults=2&source=structured_search_input_header&search_type=filter_change)

Hilton Garden Inn - Sacramento Elk Grove, The Murieta Inn & Spa, Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott - Sacramento, Comfort Inn & Suites – Galt/Lodi North, Best Western Capital City Inn, Super 8 by Wyndham Sacramento/Florin Road, and many more with AirBNB / VRBO.

**Forms and Payment:** Please use the **Entry Form** for the **Pre-Show, off-site Pacific Slope Arabian Sport Horse Championship** and **Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship** (including the exhibition Gambler's Choice Jumping class). Please make checks payable to **Region III AHA or the credit card form**.

**Entries are due by May 13, 2024.** Entries will not be processed unless the entry form is complete, including valid payment and all required information. An Incomplete Entry Fee may be assessed for missing information, including: incomplete entry form, missing registration papers, missing copies of AHA, USEF & CDS cards for owners and riders; missing USEF & MEC waiver signatures; missing payment for entries, etc. The fee will not exceed \$20 per owner. To avoid penalty fees, **ENTRIES MUST BE POSTMARKED BY May 13, 2024.** U.S. postmark date will be used to determine entry date (personal or business postage meter marks will not be accepted for postmark verification).

**Please Mail Entries To:**

Annette Wells, Show Secretary

4488 Munjar Rd

Chico, CA 95973

Phone 530-409-0701 or e-mail [SerSerr@aol.com](mailto:SerSerr@aol.com) for any questions about entries

**Registration Papers Required:** A copy of the front of the current registration papers (plus the back for old style registration papers) showing proof of ownership **MUST** be submitted with the entry form and will be returned in your show packet. Arabian horses must have been issued a certificate of registration from the Arabian Horse Registry of America, Inc. and/or the Canadian Arabian Horse Registry (CAHR). Half Arabian/Anglo Arabian horses must have been issued a certificate of registration from the AHA's Half-Arabian (HA) or Anglo-Arabian (AA) Registry or have been issued an AHA CPAR (Canadian Part-bred Arabian Registry) Permit.

**Post Entries:**

**For the Pre-Show:** Post entries will NOT be accepted for Dressage or Western Dressage. Entries for all other classes postmarked after May 13th will be accepted with a post entry fee of \$10.00 per class.



**For the Region III and off-site Pacific Slope Arabian Sport Horse Championships:** Post entries will NOT be accepted for Dressage or Western Dressage. Between May 13 – June 15, post entries will be accepted with a penalty of double the entry for all other classes. No new horses or new class entries for horses already entered will be accepted for entry to the Region III or off-site Pacific Slope Championship after **noon on Friday, June 15, 2024.**

### **FEES AND PRIZES:**

**AHA Recording/Results fee:** \$14 per horse entered for AHA show results reporting. Note: separate fees apply to the pre-show, Region III and Pacific Slopes Championships as these are three (3) shows for AHA purposes.

**AHA Resolution 9-90 Fee:** \$5 per horse entered in the Pre-show, \$20 per horse entered in the Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship Show and \$20 per horse entered in the Pacific Slopes Championship Show (1 to 3 fees per horse). These mandatory fees are designated for AHA's judges & stewards education programs.

**USEF Show Pass Fee:** Exhibitors must be current USEF members to show in the championship shows. For the pre-show, exhibitors may be USEF members or must purchase a \$45 Show Pass only directly via USEF (<https://www.usef.org/show-pass>). Non-member participants in the above roles are limited to obtaining no more than one (1) Show Pass per competition year. Please note: The Show Pass form cannot be completed until a competition start date is within the next 7 days or if the show is currently in progress.

Participants in the following classes at the pre-show (for USEF purposes) are exempted from the membership requirements: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 5) walk trot; 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; and 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation.

**Competing membership is required for Trainers/Coaches, and this includes parents signing as trainers as well as persons competing as Amateurs.** Points toward USEF Qualifying, Ranking Lists, or Awards Programs can only be accrued by USEF Active or Life members in good standing. In order for points to count toward Federation Horse of the Year Awards, the horse must be owned by an Active Member of the Federation or Recorded Farm/Business. .

**USEF Drugs / Medications Fee:** Total drug fees of \$37 include: \$23 per horse to USEF (\$15 to Drugs and Medications, \$8 to USEF), plus \$14 to the California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA). Note: one fee applies to the pre-show, Region III and Pacific Slopes Championships as this is one show for USEF purposes. (see Article GR407.1, 2. & 3). Horses at a recognized competition are subject to examination which may include physical, urine, blood, or any other test or procedure at the discretion of the official drug-testing agent. No horse may be shown at a USEF recognized competition if it has been administered any forbidden substance in any manner except as provided in USEF Article GR410-412. Exhibitors shall file a Medication Report Form with the Show Steward or Designated Show Office Representative within one hour after administration or one hour after the Steward or Designated Show Office Representative returns to duty if administration is at a time other than during competition hours.

**Refunds:** Horses may be scratched from the show at the owner's option. Requests for refund of entry fees will be considered for any horse suffering from illness or injury upon the presentation of a veterinarian's certificate accompanied with a letter explaining the circumstances to the Show Secretary PRIOR to the start of show. For approved refund requests, ONLY class fees will be refunded with 25% of class fees retained for processing. No refunds will be made for USEF, AHA, CDFA, CDS or office fees. No refunds will be made for stall or tack room fees requested after the closing date of May 13. Approved refunds will be mailed approximately two weeks after the show ends. In the event of a cancellation due to severe weather or other emergency, refunds will be provided within 30 days of the cancellation upon request of the exhibitor.

## **AWARDS**

### **Sport Horse Regional Pre-Show**

Ribbons awarded to 1st - 6th place with Prizes awarded for 1st place

Champion Ribbon & prizes & Reserve Champion ribbons

AHA Dressage Seat Medal, JTR

AHA Hunter Seat Over Obstacles Medal, JTR

Gamblers Choice Jumpers, Ribbons awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place – *Sponsored by Elizabeth LaCroix*

### **Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship**

Region III Championship & Reserve Ribbons and Awards

Region III Championship Top 5 Ribbons

Ann T. Bowling Memorial Trophy awarded to the highest scoring amateur in an Amateur Class for Training Level & above – *Sponsored by CNASHA*

Buckle awarded to awarded to the highest scoring amateur in Western Dressage

– *Sponsored by Sarah McKendry*

Supreme Champion Cooler awarded to the horse receiving the highest in-hand score of the show.

### **Pacific Slope Hunter / Jumper Offsite Championship**

Pacific Slope Championship Top 5 Ribbons and Awards

**Region III & Pacific Slope Championship Awards:** Top Five Awards will be made regardless of the number of entries in a class. However, only awards made to the top 50% of the class (rounded up and not to exceed 5 awards) will receive Arabian Breeders Sweepstakes payout, AHA Horse Achievement Award, Amateur Achievement Awards, High Point Horse, Achievement Award, High Point Amateur Achievement Award and Distance Award Points.

WD classes at these shows earn double points for horses enrolled in the WDAA Horse Lifetime Points & Awards Program (WHL PAP).

## **ASSOCIATIONS, RULES AND REFERENCES:**

**Association Memberships:** Owner, rider/driver/handler, coach and trainer of each horse must be a current member in good standing with the Arabian Horse Association (AHA) and the USEF to enter. Exhibitors in dressage classes must also be members of the United States Dressage Federation (USDF) and CDS. Exhibitors in Western Dressage must be current members of the WDAA or buy a show pass for the same price.

***Exceptions: AHA non-members may enter the pre-show with payment of an AHA Single Event Membership fee. For the Regional Shows, AHA membership is required for all exhibitors except those showing in Leadline only.***

***USEF non-members may enter the pre-show with payment of the USEF Show Pass fee, directly to USEF.org.***

Exhibitors are responsible for supplying management with correct association numbers (AHA, USEF, USDF, CDS, WDAA) for each horse, owner, rider/driver/handler, coach and trainer (or custodian), before the competition along with their entries. Scores and points earned by competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward National awards. Dressage owners/exhibitors are not required to be members of USDF to show at this show. Note: CDS members are automatically enrolled as members of USDF. Owners and riders who are USDF members must list their membership numbers on the entry form. USEF points will only count if SafeSport training is current and certified.



**AHA Membership Statement:** Each competitor (this includes at least one recorded owner, and all trainers, drivers, riders, halter handlers, coaches and the person(s) signing the entry blank) in an AHA Recognized Arabian Division, at the time of entry into a competition, must submit a copy of a valid AHA membership / competition card, join AHA or pay an AHA Single Event Membership Fee per competitor.

When an Agent signs for the owner at an AHA Recognized Competition, both the owner and Agent must be members of AHA or pay the AHA Single Event Membership.

Single Event Membership is not acceptable at AHA Regional or National Competitions.

Exhibitors in Walk-Trot classes are exempt from AHA membership requirements at qualifying competitions, but must have an AHA membership with competition card at AHA Regional and National Competitions.

Exhibitors in Lead Line classes or Parents / Guardians signing for Minors are exempt from AHA membership requirements. (BOD 5/12)

**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)h 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 Safe Sport Statement:** 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).

**USEF Membership Requirements:** Copies of every owner's, trainer's, rider's, driver's, and In-Hand handler's current USEF Membership Cards MUST be included with the horse show entry form at the time of entry. A non-member, who wishes to participate as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longer, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions must pay a Show Pass fee for each competition competing. Lessees are considered owners in connection with this membership requirement. In the event of multiple ownership of a horse, only one owner need be a Member or pay a Show Pass fee. The amount of the Show Pass fee will be established by the Federation. Unless otherwise established, the fee will be \$45 and must be collected by all appropriate competitions and remitted to the Federation. If you do not have a copy of your current USEF membership card, you will have to pay the \$45 non-refundable, non-member fee. If you are NOT a member of USEF, you MUST pay the appropriate non-member fee of \$45. Affidavits are no longer available. USEF Membership for an adult is \$80 (with or without amateur certification). USEF Membership for a junior is \$80.

**WDAA Membership Statement:** To be eligible to participate and/or compete as an exhibitor, owner, lessee, agent, coach, or trainer in any Federation-Licensed Western Dressage class or competition, persons must be

active members of WDAA or pay a non-member fee equal to the price of an annual membership for each competition. Exception: WDAA membership or non-member fee is not required at a Lite Licensed competition. Lessees are considered owners in connection with this membership requirement. In the event of an entry under multiple ownership, only one owner need be a member or pay a non-member fee. The competition is responsible for listing either the active member or the owner that paid the non-member fee in the results. The competitions will be responsible for forwarding a list of the names of individuals who pay non-member fees at the competition to WDAA with the post competition report. Payment of non-member fees for the purpose of competing does not entitle the individual to any privileges of the WDAA membership.

**Scratching or Cancelling Classes:** As a courtesy to Exhibitors and Management, please notify the Gate person and show office when it is necessary to scratch or cancel a class. Your consideration will be greatly appreciated and will enable the Show to run more efficiently.

### **GROUNDS INFORMATION:**

**Arenas:** Dressage & Western Dressage in the large outdoor arena #8 (142' x 246', GGT\*) with warm-up in arena #9 (128' x 233', GGT\*). Sport horse classes in the large outdoor arena #10 (172' x 232', sand) with warm-up in Arena #9 (128' x 233', GGT\*). Hunters & Jumpers in the Murieta Inn & Spa Arena, arena #11 (150' x 300', sand), with warm-up in end of arena #11. \* GGT footing is a mix of sand and fiber.

**Stabling:** Each animal must be assigned to a separate stall (exception: broodmares with suckling foals) unless no stall is requested, in which case a trailer-in fee shall be charged. Stall Fees are a “**one time**” fee for all 3 shows (Region III Sport Horse pre-show, off-site Pacific Slope and off-site Region III Sport Horse Championships), Tuesday June 11 through Sunday June 16. Stalls will be available on Tuesday June 11 after 12pm, stalls must be vacated by Monday June 17 before 8pm. Exhibitors arriving prior, or departing later than these specified dates, should contact the Barn Manager to make special arrangements and will be required to pay an additional daily fee per stall. **Stall assignments will be made on a first come, first served basis, with Patrons and Sponsors having first priority.** If you want to be stabled together with other competitors, please make a note on your entry forms. If you have any special requests or considerations, please submit them with your entry for consideration. Horses must be placed in the assigned stalls. No changes will be permitted without express consent of the Barn Manager. Management will try to stable late entries as close as possible to other entries, but no guarantees can be made. Show Management’s decision is final.

Stall Management reserves the right to refuse a stall or tack room to any exhibitors. People requesting special stall arrangements for handicapped or disabled must have the Blue State Handicap Card. Card number must be listed with stall request.

Trash cans will be placed at convenient locations to ALL barns. Please deposit refuse directly into the trash cans only. Exhibitors are asked to clean stalls daily, to sweep/rake the aisles, and to minimize hosing. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

**Stalls** – MD BARN STALLS are permanent metal stalls with bars on upper front and upper top of stall doors. Locations are as shown on the facility map. PORTABLE STALLS will be used for overflow if necessary. These are canvas stalls with bars on upper front and top of stall door.

**Wash Racks** – Concrete wash racks are located in several locations close to stable areas.

***\*\*IMPORTANT*** – Exhibitors may be charged for any damage to the stalls or other facilities. Absolutely NO nails are allowed in permanent stalls or stall doors. Do not use contact cement or any other permanent adhesive to attach stall signs or drapes to the barns. Do not tie horses to water pipes or electrical conduit. Any exhibitor found in violation will be charged for repairs.

**Shavings:** No bedding will be provided. Exhibitors may pre-order shavings & hay on-line for the show from Murieta Equestrian Center: [https://murietaequestriancenter.com/event/arab\\_sport\\_horse\\_2024/](https://murietaequestriancenter.com/event/arab_sport_horse_2024/) Call (916) 985-7334 for any issues.

**Sharps Containers:** Competition management will place a minimum of one sharps container on the grounds. Additionally, at least one sharps container per fifty occupied stalls for the disposal of needles and other disposable sharp instruments will be placed in convenient locations in barns housing competition horses. Competition management is responsible for replacing such containers when full and disposing 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. (USEF GR1210.4).

**Showing from Trailers:** Exhibitors may show from their trailers and must park in designated parking areas. There will be a **Trailer-In Fee of \$30 per Horse** for the show. Every horse entered in this show must pay either a stall fee or trailer-in fee.

**Dogs:** Dogs are permitted on a leash only (or otherwise contained) on the competition grounds and must not be allowed to run loose. Dog owners are required to clean up after their dog. 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. (USEF Rulebook GR1301.6). Riders must not lead dogs while mounted. Owners of dogs left unattended in the barn area, RV parking area, parking lot, etc., that bark and/or disturb other exhibitors or guests will be requested to remove their dog from the Show grounds. This rule will be strictly enforced.

**RV and Living Quarter Reservations:** Call (916) 985-7334 for reservations. Limited RV and Living Quarter hook-ups are available by reservation only. Any rig plugged into an electrical hook-up will be considered a Trailer and Living Quarter. Please bring your own generator just in case it is needed. <https://murietaequestriancenter.com/rv-reservations/>

**Vendors:** Please contact MEC directly: <https://murietaequestriancenter.com/vendor-reservations/>

**Veterinarian:** A veterinarian will be on-call during the shows (Pre-Show, off-site Pacific Slope Arabian Sport Horse Championship, and Region III Arabian Sport Horse Championship). Show Management reserves the right to refuse entry onto the show grounds to any horse exposed to, or which may be harboring, a communicable disease. No veterinarian other than the official show veterinarian will be permitted to treat, medicate, or attend to a horse on the grounds. Anyone wishing to use another veterinarian other than the official Show Veterinarian on the show grounds must obtain permission from Show Management.

**Farrier:** A farrier will be on-call.

**USEF Motorized 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.

**CLASS INFORMATION: All Classes will be run in accordance with USEF and AHA rules and specifications.**

**Exhibition Class Specifications:**

**Get of Sire & Produce of Dam Classes:** Refer to USEF Chapter AR-12, SUBCHAPTER AR-16 SPORT HORSE SECTION, AR181 Sport Horse Class Specifications (#2 GROUP CLASSES) for further details. Horses will be judged at the walk and trot, but not necessarily on the triangle. Each horse shall stand for conformation judging before and/or after completion of the group’s movement. **Sires & Dams will not be shown in the class and do not need to be present on the show grounds.** Emphasis shall be placed upon reproductive likeness, uniformity, quality of breed characteristics, conformation & similarity. See USEF Rulebook AR119 and AR181 (group classes). The AHA Score Sheet is divided as follows:

- *Movement – 40% (20% for walk and 20% for trot).*
- *Conformation – 40%*
- *Quality and Uniformity of Quality (Reproductive likeness) – 10%.*
- *Overall Quality, Balance, Harmony (Apparent ability of sire or dam to produce or beget Sport Horse performance or breeding stock) – 10%.*

Note: The breed of the sire or dam apply to the correct class for entry (versus the breed of the shown offspring). Minimum of two (2) purebred Arabian, Half-Arabian and/or Anglo-Arabian (A/HA/AA) offspring of the purebred Arabian parent may enter class 415 and/or 416. Minimum of two (2) HA/AA offspring may enter class 435 and/or 436.

**Gambler’s Choice Jumping Class:** Each obstacle will carry a point value according to its difficulty. No fence shall be set below 2’ and no fence set higher than 3’ The competitor will have one opportunity to jump the “Gamblers Choice” fence after initial time has elapsed. A fixed time will be allotted to complete the round. The competitor who has obtained the greatest number of points will be declared the winner. If there is a tie a jump-off between the exhibitors will take place. A course designer will set up 8 to 12 jumps in the ring, each of which can be jumped in either direction. A point value will be assigned to each jump, with higher points (30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100, 120 for example) assigned to more difficult jumps, and lower points assigned to easier jumps. From the starting buzzer, a rider has a time limit such as 60 seconds to jump as many jumps as possible, earning the point value of each fence jumped successfully. Riders have the option to jump each fence no more than twice. A high value Gambler jump can be taken at the end of the time limit. The rider has 20 seconds to jump the Gamblers Choice jump.

**Western Dressage Tests and Information:** For Western Dressage Tests (2022 tests are in effect): <https://www.westerndressageassociation.org/wdaa-tests> Western Dressage classes are qualifying classes for California Western Dressage High point year-end awards. For rules & FAQ, go to <https://www.usef.org/compete/disciplines/western-dressage>

**Dressage Classes:** Competitors in Regional Dressage Championship Classes (Region III) will show only ONE ride at the highest test of the USEF/FEI level. The Top Five will be selected using scores, with ties broken in accordance with USEF and USDF rules. The horse with the highest score shall be named Champion and the horse with the second highest score shall be named Reserve Champion. The remaining Top Five shall be named in a random, undesignated order. In case of a tie, the judge shall determine the winner. A caller, if supplied by the competitor, may be used for Introductory Level through Fourth Level in an AHA Regional Dressage Championship class. **Whips are prohibited in Region III Championship dressage classes.** One whip no longer than 47.2 inches (120 cm), including lash, may be carried in all classes where whips are allowed. No horse may compete in more than two consecutive levels, with the exception of the USDF Introductory Level – 10 & Under class.

**Protective headgear for Riders in Dressage and Hunter/Jumper classes:** Protective headgear MUST be worn by 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, as defined by DR 120, AR 111.2 and otherwise in compliance with GR 801 (Dress). Any rider violating this rule at any time shall 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.

**Ride Times:** Dressage and Western Dressage ride times will be available from Dressage Manager, Annette Wells, via phone (530-409-0701), email ([serserr@aol.com](mailto:serserr@aol.com)) and/or website [www.ArabianHorses3.org](http://www.ArabianHorses3.org) by Wednesday, June 12. Notification of ride times will be made by email and final ride times will be posted at the show office. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to contact the Dressage Manager if times are not received. Failure to enter the ring by the specified time will incur elimination. It is the rider's responsibility to verify ride times on the day of the class to ensure they have not changed, as classes may not follow the schedule in the Prize List.

**Dressage Tests and Scores:** Current tests approved by USEF will be used for scored classes. For all current dressage tests: <https://www.usef.org/compete/disciplines/dressage/dressage-tests>

Test sheets will be available at the show office after completion of scoring for each class. Exhibitors are encouraged to double-check their scores in all scored classes. If an error is discovered on a score sheet, it must be brought to the attention of the show management within one hour after the official posting of scores from the last class of that show day.

### **Hunters & Jumpers:**

**Championship Classes:** Hunters must show in one (1) under-saddle and at least one (1) over-fences rounds to be eligible to compete for Hunter Championships offered at Sport Horse Regional Pre-Show, Region III and Pacific Slope.

**USEF Measurement:** Per USEF Rule GR502 and GR503, entrants in the 14.2 hand and under classes are required by USEF to have a measurement card and Management is required to check for measurement cards when processing entries. Management will not provide an exhibitor number to an animal entered on the entry blank in any 14.2 hands and under classes unless a measurement card is submitted with the entry or at the show office prior to the start of the class. Management is not required to provide this service, but is offering it as a courtesy to our exhibitors. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to present the animal at the appointed time or make other arrangements with the steward and judge. Therefore, if you need to have your horse measured, **PLEASE ADVISE MANAGEMENT PRIOR TO THE SHOW.** If needed, Management will arrange to have the steward and a judge available on **Thursday, June 13, between 7:30 - 8:45 am**, to provide the service of measuring your horse.

**Scoring & Points for Sport Horse Regional Pre-Show Hunter Classes:** See USEF Rulebook AR149. 1st Place, 10 Points; 2nd Place, 6 Points; 3rd Place 4 Points; 4th Place, 2 Points; 5th Place, 1 Point; 6th Place, 1/2 Point.

**Scoring & Points for Region III & Pacific Slope Arabian Sport Horse Championship Hunter Classes:** See USEF Rulebook AR149. 1st Place, 20 Points; 2nd Place, 16 Points; 3rd Place 14 Points; 4th Place, 12 Points; 5th Place, 10 Point; 6th Place, 8 Points; 7<sup>th</sup> Place, 6 Points; 8<sup>th</sup> Place, 5 Points; 9<sup>th</sup> Place, 4 Points; 10<sup>th</sup> Place, 3 Points.







**REGION III CREDIT CARD PAYMENT FORM**

Please complete and return this form with your entries if you are paying by credit card.

Name as it Appears on the Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Billing Address: Street/P.O. Box \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email for receipt: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_ VISA \_\_\_\_\_ Master Card

\*Security code is the three digit number that appears on the back of Visa and Master Card

*By signing below:*

*I hereby authorize Region III Arabian Horse Association to charge the above credit card for the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_*

*I understand an additional 3% processing charge will be added to my total fees for using my credit card for payment of entries (i.e. \$500 X .03 = \$15).*

*I also understand if my credit card is denied, I will be assessed a \$50 fee for each denied credit card attempt.*

**Cardholder Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REGION III SPORT HORSE PRESHOW & CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
**JUNE 13 - 16 2024**

**PATRON PACKAGES & SPONSORSHIPS**

**PLATINUM SHOW PATRON** (\$480 Value) \$350

- > TWO Regional Championship Class Sponsorships
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- > Patron Gift

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**CLASS SPONSORSHIP** – Regional /Pac Slopes Championship Show Class \$75  
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Name of Patron / Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone # \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PATRON PACKAGE/SPONSORSHIP (Please Circle, above) \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS #'s \_\_\_\_\_

Please include check to CNASHA (pre-show) and/or Region III AHA as appropriate & mail by  
MAY 13, 2024 to:

Annette Wells  
4488 Numjar Rd, Chico, CA 95973  
530-409-0701 ~ [Serserr@aol.com](mailto:Serserr@aol.com)

# Arabian Horse Association Show Recognition

Competition Sponsor: Region 3/California-Nevada Arabian Sport Horse Association

AHA Recognition Show/Recording Number: 240316100, 240316101, 240316102

*The Arabian Horse Association is a major equine association serving members in the United States and Canada. It registers and maintains a database of more than one million Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horses and administers more than \$2.5 million in annual prize money. AHA produces championship events, recognizes over 375 Arabian horse shows and distance rides annually and provides activities and programs that promote breeding and ownership. For information about Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horses, call 303-696-4500, e-mail [info@ArabianHorses.org](mailto:info@ArabianHorses.org) or visit [ArabianHorses.org](http://ArabianHorses.org).*

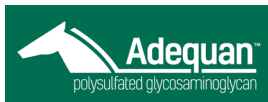


*Join AHA through your local club for the following great member benefits:*

- Reduced rate for competition privileges across a variety of disciplines for local, regional and national AHA-approved shows and rides
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- Numerous opportunities to participate in award recognition and prize money programs
- Show circuits for AHA members at local, regional and national levels

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

**Contact your local club:** \_\_\_\_\_





ARABIAN  
BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES

# ARABIAN BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES

## Join the **GREEN** Movement

### 2024 ALLOCATED REGIONAL PRIZE MONEY CLASSES

#### ARABIAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES

Arabian Yearling Colt/Gelding	\$2,000
Arabian Yearling Filly	\$2,000
Arabian Gelding AOTH	\$1,000
Arabian Mares AOTH	\$1,000
Arabian English Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
Arabian English Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
Arabian Country English Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
Arabian Country English Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
Arabian Hunter Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
Arabian Hunter Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
Arabian Western Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
Arabian Western Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
Arabian Reining Jr Horse	\$1,000
Arabian Reining AAOTR	\$1,000
Arabian Western Trail Jr Horse	\$ 600
Arabian Western Trail AAOTR	\$ 600
Arabian Working Cow Jr Horse	\$ 350
Arabian Working Cow AAOTR	\$ 350
Arabian Cutting Jr Horse	\$ 350
Arabian Cutting Non-Pro	\$ 350
**Arabian SH Under Saddle AOTR	\$ 350
^Arabian Dressage Second Level AOTR	\$ 350
Arabian Regular Working Hunter AOTR	\$ 350

#### HALF- ARABIAN/ANGLO-ARABIAN SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES

HA/AA Yearling Colt/Gelding	\$2,000
HA/AA Yearling Filly	\$2,000
HA/AA Gelding AOTH	\$1,000
HA/AA Mares AOTH	\$1,000
HA/AA English Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
HA/AA English Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
HA/AA Country English Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
HA/AA Country English Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
HA/AA Hunter Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
HA/AA Hunter Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
HA/AA Western Pl Jr Horse	\$1,000
HA/AA Western Pl AAOTR	\$1,000
HA/AA Reining Jr Horse	\$1,000
HA/AA Reining AAOTR	\$1,000
HA/AA Western Trail Jr Horse	\$ 600
HA/AA Western Trail AAOTR	\$ 600
HA/AA Working Cow Jr Horse	\$ 350
HA/AA Working Cow AAOTR	\$ 350
HA/AA Cutting Jr Horse	\$ 350
HA/AA Cutting Non-Pro	\$ 350
**HA/AA SH Under Saddle AOTR	\$ 350
^HA/AA Dressage Second Level AOTR	\$ 350
HA/AA Regular Working Hunter AOTR	\$ 350

If fewer than nine horses are in the class, 50% round up will be eligible for prize money.

Sweepstakes AAOTR classes are eligible to be split into multiple age divisions. Leveling classes will receive prize money when offered. Splitting AAOTR classes is discouraged as this reduces the Sweepstakes payout for each class split.

\*\* Sweepstakes classes eligible to be split into Saddle/Pleasure, Stock/Hunter and/or multiple age divisions (age splits must be all inclusive). Sport Horse Classes may be split by Dressage or Hunter Type.

^At Regional Shows, the highest test will be used. At the Regional Level, these classes can be combined as Arabian/Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian.

	<u>\$2,000 Classes</u>	<u>\$1,000 Classes</u>	<u>\$600 Classes</u>	<u>\$350 Classes</u>
Champion	\$ 750	\$350	\$250	\$125
Reserve Champion	\$ 500	\$200	\$125	\$ 75
Remaining Top Five	\$ 250	\$150	\$ 75	\$ 50

Contact AHA at (303)696-4500, #4 or visit our website at [ArabianHorses.org](http://ArabianHorses.org) for additional information regarding the Sweepstakes Program.

USEF Competition Name:

USEF#:

Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): Arabian, Half-Arabian, Breed Restricted Western Dressage, Breed Restricted Dressage, Hunters, Jumpers



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859-225-6915 or Text Anonymously 855-682-8733



**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  
is recognized  
by USDF  
for 2024**

**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<sup>®</sup>/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<sup>®</sup>/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<sup>®</sup>/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.



# WESTERN DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION®

## OF AMERICA

### MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

General memberships run from January 1<sup>st</sup> – December 31<sup>st</sup>

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ New Member Annual Renewal

#### TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP

\$30 **Junior Membership** (under 18 previous Dec. 1)

\$45 **General Membership** (Yearly renewal)

\$45 **Veteran Membership** (Yearly renewal)\*

\$500 **Veteran Lifetime** (Lifetime membership)\*\*

\$1000 **Founding Pioneer** (Lifetime membership)

Additional Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL \$** \_\_\_\_\_

\*New veteran yearly membership includes a small gift of appreciation from WDAA for your service.

\*\*Veteran Lifetime membership includes a beautiful silver belt buckle engraved with your name and military branch as a gift of appreciation from WDAA for your service to our country.

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION (\*required information for membership profile)

\*First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Last name: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*City: \_\_\_\_\_ \*State: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Email: \_\_\_\_\_ **A unique email is required for each member**

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ **(required only for Junior members who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of previous year)**

\*\*Veterans: Branch of service \_\_\_\_\_

Please send copy of confirmation of military service along with this form and payment

**PAYMENT:** Check or money order (in US funds) Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

***Make checks payable and send to: Western Dressage Association of America (WDAA), PO Box 2349, Parker, CO 80134  
Check must be accompanied by a copy of this form***

The Western Dressage Association® of America (WDAA) is a 501c3 educational non-profit organization focused on providing a model of horsemanship that optimizes the partnership of horse and rider for their mutual benefit. The mission of the WDAA is to honor the horse, to value the relationship between the horse and rider, and to celebrate the legacy of the American West, which it focuses on through its offerings of educational opportunities and events to the equestrian community.

# *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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## CDS Non-Member Form

If you are competing at this show and do not have a current CDS membership, please fill out this non-member form completely for CDS. CDS offers many qualifying opportunities and year end awards and would like you to be eligible for them. ***The Rider and the Owner must both be CDS members for any scores to be counted by CDS.***

Please provide your name and information and answer a few questions about why you are not a CDS member at this time. Return this to the show manager so they may submit it with the show results.



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I am a member but don't have my card or member number

I am not a CDS member at this time as I live out of the area

I am not a CDS member at this time as I only compete at a few shows

I would like to become a CDS member (mail a copy of this form with a check for \$70 to address below)

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