

U.S. DRESSAGE FESTIVAL OF CHAMPIONS



August 22-28, 2022
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featuring the

- Markel/USEF Young & Developing Horse National Championships**
- Adequan®/USEF Young Adult Brentina Cup National Championship**
- Horseware Ireland/USEF Young Rider National Championship**
- Adequan®/USEF Junior National Championship**
- USEF Grand Prix & Intermediaire I National Championships**
- USEF Para Dressage National Championship**
- USEF Pony Rider & Children National Championships**
- USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals**



USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals:
All Other Festival Divisions:

Opening Date: July 11, 2022
Opening Date: July 26, 2022

Closing Date: August 12, 2022
Closing Date: August 12, 2022



USEF/USDF No. 337124 | Level Five Competition in Wayne, IL | Licensee: HITS, Inc.

JUDGES

Christel Carlson FEI Para 4*	Lilo Fore Ret. FEI 5*	Janet Foy FEI 5*	Sarah Geikie FEI 4*	Anne Gibbons FEI 5*
Sandy Hotz FEI 4*	Jodi Lees S	Kari McClain FEI 4*	Bill McMullin S	Michael Osinski FEI 4*
Adrienne Pot FEI Para 3*	Bill Warren FEI 4*	Kristi Wysocki FEI 4* / Para 5*		

TECHNICAL DELEGATE

Jean Kraus 'R' & Marilyn Kulifay 'R'

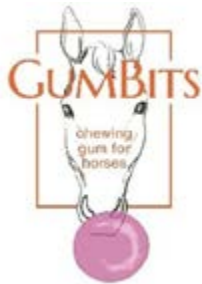
All listed officials have been invited to officiate. The Organizing Committee reserves the right to amend the invitation list.

STAFF

Manager	Ms. Monica Fitzgerald	954.647.7940 mon1206@aol.com
Secretary	Ms. Debbie Landon	507.208.6022 DebbieLandon3@aol.com
Assist. Secretary & Chief Scorer	Ms. Kathy Mucha	
Grounds Manager	Mr. Tom Urban	
Volunteer Coordinator	Fatima Kranz	847.774.5856 FPK2009@yahoo.com
Veterinarian	Dr. Marshall Stevens / Stevens Equine, LLC	616.560.2518 (on grounds during show hours)
Farrier	Mr. Archie Linn	815.378.2766 (on grounds during show hours)
EMT	on grounds during show hours	
Official Prize List Website	HITSShows.com or USEF.org	



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ABOUT THE U.S. DRESSAGE FESTIVAL OF CHAMPIONS

• Entries by Invitation Only •

TO ENTER THE SHOW

On-line entries only at EQEntries.com on opening date.

TENTATIVE JOG SCHEDULE

Sunday, August 21	4:30 pm – Intermediaire I & Para Dressage
Tuesday, August 23	4:30 pm – Grand Prix & Brentina Cup
Wednesday, August 24	4:30 pm – Young Horse, Developing Horse, Young Rider, Junior, Pony Rider, & Children

SOUND CHECKS

Tuesday, August 23 - Para Dressage, Intermediaire I, Grand Prix & Brentina Cup

Following the Jog Inspection. Time TBD

Information on how to submit your music will be provided in the invitation to the Event.

OFFICIAL SHOW PHOTOGRAPHER

Sue Stickle Photography SusanJStickle@gmail.com | SusanJSticklePhotography.pixieset.com

PRESS / PHOTOGRAPHERS

Must supply a letter and contact information from news website or publication you are working for.

For more information, contact **Kathleen Landwehr** at KLandwehr@USEF.org.

MORE INFORMATION

For more information on the U.S. Dressage Festival of Champions, including the selection procedures and forms, see the USEF website (USEF.org) or contact **Kristen Brett**, USEF Director, Dressage Programs (859.225.6919 / KBrett@USEF.org).

ENTRY FEES

Office Charge per Entry:	\$50 per horse/rider combination
Late Entries:	Late Entries Not Accepted Unless Permission is Granted by USEF.
Class Fee:	\$90 per class.
Credit Card Fee:	A fee of 3% will be charged on all credit card transactions for mailed or emailed entries.
USEF Drug Fees:	\$23/horse (D&M \$15, USEF \$8)
Village of Wayne Tax:	\$12.50 local tax per competing horse
Non-competing Horses:	\$100 for week, must fill out entry form for bridle number and pay office and stabling fees.
VIP Tables:	\$3,000 per Table, serving Breakfast and Lunch. CLICK HERE
VIP Parking:	\$300 per Space, limited availability
Golf Car Rental:	Dever, Inc., 859.455.9586 or DeverRentals.com . Competitors must contact Dever directly for rental.



STABLING/TACK STALL

No arrivals before Wednesday, August 17 Unless Permission is Granted.

Note: Arrival for stabling assignments must be between the hours of 8 am - 5 pm daily.
Off-hour arrival allowed only with prior approval of Horse Show Management.

Permanent Stalls: Barn A & B - 10'x12', with doors, dirt floors with mats. Barns C, D, E - 10'x10', with doors, dirt floors with mats. Temporary - 10'x10', with doors, dirt floors. Note: Some Temporary Stalls under tents may have tent support poles in them. If a stall assigned to you cannot be used for its intended purpose due to the location of the pole, please notify the Show Office and an alternate stall(s) will be assigned. Stall Fees are non-refundable after the Closing Date of Entries. Any stall order made by Entry, Fax, Email, Phone, Text or other method will be considered an official stall order and exhibitors will be responsible for payment. Stalls are not transferable or sublettable except within the same trainer group. Any showing horse, that has not purchased a stall from HITS will be assessed the Ship-in (\$100). Exhibitors are responsible for using only those stalls assigned to them; any unassigned stall used for horses, tack, feed, grooming, dogs or storage of any item(s) will be added to the account and billed as a late weekly stall. Exhibitors should notify the show office if any stall part is in need of repair; unless notified, the Horse Show will assume the assigned stall(s) are deemed safe by the exhibitor, which should be satisfactory for USEF. Bedding on straw is prohibited except when the horse's health is at issue. Please obtain prior approval from Stable Office. Clean-up fee may apply. Permanent Stalls available on a limited basis

Stabling/Tack Stall: Stabling from Friday, August 19 to Sunday, August 28.
\$300/tack stall
\$300/stall - State barn preference on entry form: Barn A, B, C, D, E, Tent 1, or Tent 2
Double stalls only available in Tent 1 and Tent 2 for \$700/stall (limited availability).

Early Arrival: Additional \$50/stall/night - For arrivals on Wednesday, August 17 or Thursday, August 18.
Arrivals prior to Friday, August 19, must contact show management before making shipping arrangements and will require an additional \$50/stall/night.

Additional Nights Stabling: Additional \$50/stall/night - Horses needing to stay after the competition concludes on Sunday, August 28 must make prior arrangements (After the show) with show management.

Bedding: \$11/bag. Order on entry form or at show office. No initial bedding will be supplied. Or Pay Disposal fee:
Minimum 4 Bags Required \$45/stall. Competitors not ordering 4 shavings will be charged a disposal fee per stall. Prior to the show office opening on Saturday, August 20, please use the online Feed & Bedding Order Form [HERE](#)

RV Spaces: \$350/space (Please indicate reservation with entry) - On-site RV spaces include water, sewer and 30 AMP electric hook-up. On-site spaces are limited, and preference will be first come first serve. RV Spaces are non-refundable after the closing date of entries. RV Sites ordered after the closing date of entries will be accepted on a space available basis and may be subject to a Late RV fee of \$50. Note: Any RV left parked in the RV area, whether hooked up or not, will incur a weekly fee of \$350 per week or any portion thereof. No exceptions.

ADDRESS

Lamplight Equestrian Center, 6N940 Dunham Rd., Wayne IL, 60184

Parcel Deliveries: Management will not be responsible for mail or parcel deliveries made to exhibitors, vendors or others. Please make arrangements accordingly.

DIRECTIONS

From E, NE, and NW: I-90, exit Hwy 59. From Hwy 59: Stearns Road west, turn south on Dunham Road, and right into Lamplight Trail (show entrance)

From SE and SW: I-88, Exit Fairview N which turns into Dunham Road, Lamplight Trail on the left (show entrance).

SERVICES

Feed Store: Hay, grain and bedding may be purchased on the grounds. For deliveries prior to or upon arrival, use the Feed Order form in the prize list or online. Place orders by noon for same day delivery. No deliveries on Sunday. Questions with regard to feed and bedding charges will not be considered after noon Friday. Discrepancies in deliveries will not be considered unless brought to the attention of the Feed Office within 24 hours of placing the order. No commercial feed or bedding source will be permitted to deliver on the show grounds. ORDER [HERE](#)

Horse Watch: Horses stabled on the grounds will receive Horse Watch provided by HITS Staff. Horse Watch extends from approximately 9 pm until 5 am daily. Horses will be checked approximately six times a night each night of the Show Week. Trainers/owners should provide emergency contact information for Horse Watch personnel. Forms will be available in the Feed Office or in the Prize List on Feed Order form. Cell phone numbers for Horse Watch will be available in the Feed Office for trainers/owners to be able to contact Horse Watch personnel directly.

NON-NEGOTIABLE CHECKS

Returned Checks or Credit Cards, for any reason, will be assessed a penalty of \$50 or 10% of the face value of the check/credit card charge, whichever is greater. Upon notification, exhibitors will have three days to make full payment, including penalty, in certified funds, cashier's check, money order, or credit card. A 3% Retail Adjustment will be applied to all Credit Card transactions. Sanctioning organizations will be notified if exhibitors fail to pay in full within three days. A monthly service fee equal to 18% per annum will begin accruing after 30 days. Note: First time returned checks will automatically be redeposited.

A declined credit card will be resubmitted within several days.

A closed account, Stop Payment, incorrect or incomplete credit card information or a charge-back will be turned over to sanctioning organizations immediately.

Cash Only may be required if you have previously given a non-negotiable check to HITS.

ENTRY CLARIFICATION

Entries are by invitation only.

Classes may only be entered or declared by using a Class Number and for which the athlete/horse combination is invited to compete in.

Current Rules: The rules may have changed from the current USEF Rule Book. It is the competitor's responsibility to check the current USEF Rule Book for any changes. Current rules can be found on USEF.org.

Competitors are responsible to include a copy of all USEF and USDF memberships for horse, owner, rider, trainer, and coach listed on entry form or pay non-member fees to receive their number and to compete at the Event. Only one horse-rider combination per entry form.

Young Horse: Following the closing date to submit an entry to the Championships, the rider/athlete may not change for the Four-, Five-, Six- and Seven-Year-Old divisions.

Dressage Seat Medal Finals: Riders may not be added to the 2022 USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals following the close of the entry date. Additionally, riders who also compete in the National Competition in a Dressage Seat Equitation class with the same horse entered in the USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals are not required to pay the USEF Drug & Medications Fee twice. There is no penalty for the rider to scratch a Medal Finals class from one horse and add it on another horse.

Safe Sport: Beginning January 1, 2019, all Federation members age 18 & over are required to complete an annual Safe Sport training class at USEF.org before competing in a USEF Licensed competition. An exhibitor will not be allowed to compete until this requirement is met.

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 Safe Sport 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 can be found at USEF.org.

Entry Cancellation/Refunds/Scratches: Cancellations accepted only in writing by e-mail prior to or on the closing date. Entire entry refunded minus the office fee. **No refunds of any kind for any reason, including Act of God, will be given after the closing date or throughout the competition.** All fees collected on behalf of USEF and USDF to be submitted to the Federation provided all outstanding fees are paid in full; else it will be applied to those fees. All entries are accepted with this understanding.

No Shows: All "No Shows" that have not contacted the Show Office in writing prior to their division's horse inspection will be considered a scratch for the rest of the show. Failure to contact the Show Office in writing will result in entry fees being charged. Exhibitors enter with this understanding and agreement.

CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION

Hotels: Access this link for competitor discounts to hotels in the St. Charles, IL area - CLICK [HERE](#)

Championship Format: The Championship Format for each division is available on the USEF website: CLICK [HERE](#)

Horse Inspection: All horses must be presented to the treating veterinarian and members of the judging panel for examination. All individuals aged twenty-five (25) and under must wear protective headgear during the Horse Inspection. Please refer to the FEI Veterinary Regulations on [Horse Inspection Procedures](#).

Starting Order/Confirmation/Ride Times/Conflicts: Starting order/Ride times will be posted on BlackHorse-one.com following the horse inspections and at the conclusion of each competition day. It is the responsibility of the rider/athlete to inform the management of any time conflicts as soon as possible after receiving the schedule. Festival ride times take precedent over the National competition.

Bridle Numbers: Bridle numbers must be always worn when a horse is being exercised or ridden.

Awards:

Award Ceremonies: Details TBD

Individual Classes / Tests: Ribbons will be awarded to all athlete/horse combinations who complete their respective test(s).

An athlete/horse combination that does not complete or is eliminated from their respective individual class/test is not eligible for an individual ribbon but remains eligible for an overall award in their respective division.

Overall Championship Awards: Ribbons will be awarded to all athlete/horse combinations. Champion and Reserve Champion will receive an embroidered wool dress sheet, trophy, and picture frame.

Dressage Seat Medal Finals Awards: Ribbons will be awarded to all riders. Champion, Reserve Champion, and Third Place will receive a medal, trophy, and picture frame. Fourth through Tenth place will receive a trophy.

FACILITY INFORMATION

Footing is all weather.

Lungeing will be available in designated areas only.

Food Service will be available during competition hours.

All tests in standard arenas.

SAFETY INFORMATION

Emergency Medical Centers: The nearest Hospital and Trauma 1 Medical Centers to HITS Lamplight Equestrian Center are:

Hospital: AMITA Health Saint Joseph Hospital Elgin, 77 N Airlite St, Elgin, IL 60123
855.692.6482, 8 miles (15 minutes) by car

Trauma 1 Center: AMITA Health Mercy Medical Center Aurora, 1325 N Highland Ave, Aurora, IL 60506
855.692.6482, 15 miles (27 minutes) by car

Accidents Involving Competitors: Accidents Involving Competitors: GR1317. In the event of a head injury due to a fall/accident at a licensed competition, the competitor may be prohibited from further competition until released by medical personnel. In some cases, the competitor may not return to competition without a signed release from a licensed medical professional. The competitor may be placed on suspension by USEF until this criteria is met. Competitors are advised to familiarize themselves with this new rule.

Protective Headgear Rule: From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses and those competing in all classes and tests must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any time must be immediately prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is defined 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.

Golf Cars/Mopeds/other Motorized Vehicles: Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above-described motorized vehicles 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. **See USEF rule GR 1301.7.**

Electric Golf Carts will not be permitted to be plugged into any electrical outlet on the grounds.

Dogs must be restrained on the show grounds. Loose dogs will be picked up and detained and the owner fined \$100. The owner may be barred from showing and expelled from the show grounds for a second offense, or for refusal to pay the fine, and will not be entitled to any refund of entry or stabling fees paid or due. Management reserves the right to call Animal Control to have an animal removed from the premises.

Electrical/Fire Regulations. Electrical installation and connections must meet all state and county codes. Aisles shall be maintained clear for a minimum of six feet wide by eight feet high. No obstructions or projections shall be allowed in these aisles. No Class I Flammable Liquids such as gasoline are allowed inside the buildings. Cooking is not permitted within any stable area. Anyone found in violation shall be subject to dismissal from further participation in the horse show without recourse. Additional appliances are not permitted within any stable area. Anyone found in violation shall be subject to confiscation of the item(s).

Stall Alterations are strictly forbidden. The removal of stall tent side poles, side ropes and/or stakes/anchors is strictly prohibited. Any exhibitor found in violation will be issued a single warning. If violation continues, Management reserves the right to remove from the show grounds all property belonging to or under the control of said violator. Further, Management reserves the right to bar any exhibitor found to be in violation from any further participation in the horse show without recourse to any refund of entry or stabling fees paid or due.

Damage. Owners and exhibitors shall be held responsible for damage caused by them, their agents or employees to stalls, buildings and other properties on the show grounds, and shall be billed accordingly.

Weather/Acts of God/Accidents or Emergency Policy: Management reserves the right to cancel any classes due to hazardous weather, acts of God, accidents or emergencies. Every effort will be made to reschedule with priority given to the USEF Program classes. No refunds for cancellations due to hazardous weather, acts of God, accidents or emergencies. See USEF rule GR311.

HEALTH & VETERINARY

Equine Health Requirements will be enforced. All horses (competing or not) that enter the grounds are required to present the Health Entry Requirements which include Health Certificate, Event Participation Declaration, and Proof of Vaccine. All horses are subject to examination by HITS officials/designated representatives and/or state officials (collectively "officials") for determining whether such animals are, or have been infected/exposed, or are likely to become infected with an infectious or contagious disease. If after such examination, officials have reason to believe that an animal's health condition places other animals at risk, such officials, at their sole discretion, may quarantine such animal (and others that may have been infected/exposed) or, if appropriate, require that such animals be transported off the grounds. All participants agree to fully cooperate with event officials and abide by their decisions and instructions. Failure to comply shall be grounds for immediate expulsion and potential disciplinary action by organization, state/local or federal animal health officials. All exhibitors are encouraged to review the equine health entry/ transport requirements of the destination state prior to entry.

Sharps & Medical Waste must be placed in the proper receptacles. Anyone found in violation shall be subject to a fine or other penalties deemed necessary by Show Management.

Show Veterinarian phone number will be posted at the Show Office.

Alcoholic Beverages in any form may not be brought onto the show grounds.

GENERAL REGULATIONS, POLICIES & ENTRY SPECIFICATIONS

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current federation rule book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

Us Equestrian Federation rules are in force from the moment show management allows access to the showgrounds. This includes conduct, correct saddlery and equipment, and attire.

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A non-member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR218) and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

USEF ENTRY AGREEMENT

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulteur or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of 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, its officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cablecasts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR 908.4.

The Horse Show Committee reserves the right to itself to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to or arising out of, or incident to the show without claims for damages or recourse of any kind. All questions not covered in these Rules and Regulations shall be decided by the Horse Show Management; its decision to be final.

The Horse Show Management reserves to itself the right to limit entries in any class, section or division, to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel any entries, disqualify any riders or exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, and cancel award prizes, without any claim for damages; to change any course, to add a dotted line, to cancel or combine any unfilled classes, or to reschedule classes, after due notice to exhibitors as competition warrants.

Every horse entered herein for competition will be under the control of the Horse Show Management, but the Show Management will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the horse show and the officials, employees, directors, officers, sponsoring entities of the horse show and the facilities at which the horse show is held blameless for any loss or accident to his horse(s), employee(s), or equipment which may occur from sickness, fire or other cause.

Show Management reserves the right to vary or add officials and refuse any entry for a cause; to disqualify any exhibitor and/or his or her horse for cause; to cause an exhibitor to forfeit his or her ribbons and winnings for cause; to return any entry and/or stall fee before or during the show for cause; all without being liable for damage or compensation. Show management reserves the right to make any changes deemed necessary for the safe and efficient conduct of this competition.

Important Notice to all Affected Parties: Third parties may come upon the property or enter the facilities where any herein described or listed event will occur; provided, that this is a license to enter the premises, for the purpose of observing or participating in the event, but not otherwise, and such license to any individual is subject to revocation by the owner, lessee or organizer, and entry for any purpose other than granted herein, shall be deemed criminal trespass and subject to appropriate legal proceedings.

NOTE: For more information on the Championship format, refer to the USEF.org website. Classes may not necessarily run the order listed above.

U.S. Dressage Festival of Champions Class Schedule

Class Name	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.	Class Fee
USEF Intermediaire I Championship								
FEI Prix St. Georges Test	900							\$90
FEI Intermediate I Test		901						\$90
FEI Intermediate I Freestyle Test				902				\$90
Adequan®/USEF Para Dressage Championship								
FEI Para Team Test (Grades I-V)	903							\$90
FEI Para Individual Test (Grades I-V)		904						\$90
FEI Para Freestyle Test (Grades I-V)			905					\$90
USEF Grand Prix Championship								
FEI Grand Prix Test			906					\$90
FEI Grand Prix Special Test				907				\$90
FEI Grand Prix Freestyle Test						908		\$90
Adequan®/USEF Brentina Cup Championship								
FEI Intermediate II Test			909					\$90
FEI Grand Prix 16-25 Test				910				\$90
FEI Grand Prix Freestyle Test						911		\$90
Markel/USEF Young & Developing Horse Championships								
FEI Prix St. Georges Test (Developing PSG)				912				\$90
USEF Developing Prix St. Georges						913		\$90
USEF 4-Year-Old Test				914				\$90
USEF 4-Year-Old Test						915		\$90
FEI 5-Year-Old Preliminary Test				916				\$90
FEI 5-Year-Old Final Test						917		\$90
FEI Intermediate II Test (Developing GP)					918			\$90
USEF Developing Grand Prix							919	\$90
FEI 6-Year-Old Preliminary Test					920			\$90
FEI 6-Year-Old Final Test							921	\$90
FEI 7-Year-Old Preliminary Test					922			\$90
FEI 7-Year-Old Final Test							923	\$90
USEF Dressage Seat Medal Finals								
Medal Finals Class for 13 & Under					924			\$90
Medal Finals Class for 14-18							925	\$90
Adequan®/USEF Junior Championship								
FEI Junior Team Test				926				\$90
FEI Junior Individual Test					927			\$90
Horseware Ireland/USEF Young Rider Championship								
FEI Young Rider Team Test					928			\$90
FEI Young Rider Individual Test							929	\$90
USEF Pony Rider Championship								
FEI Pony Rider Team Test					930			\$90
FEI Pony Rider Individual Test						931		\$90
USEF Children Championship								
FEI Children Team Test						932		\$90
FEI Children Individual Test							933	\$90

PRE-SHOW FEED & BEDDING ORDER, HORSE WATCH

DELIVERY INFORMATION

Trainer's Name _____
(Trainer's Name - Not Farm Name)
Arrival Date _____ Arrival Time _____
Stable With _____
(If different from Trainer above) (Trainer's Name - Not Farm Name)



ORDER INFORMATION

Shavings _____ (45 bags in a pallet)
Hay (Timothy) _____
Omolene 200 - _____ Impact 12% _____
14% Sweetfeed _____ Textured _____
Purina Equine _____ Purina Strategy _____ Purina Strategy _____
Senior Active _____ GX _____ Healthy Edge _____
Bran _____ Beet Pulp _____ Ultium _____
Alfalfa Cubes _____



BILLING INFORMATION - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

1. IF BILLED TO TRAINER: Enter Trainer's Name (DO NOT Use Farm Name) TRAINERS PLEASE NOTE: You may split your charges for feed and bedding among your customers after arrival. This must be done in the show office by Friday of each horse show week. You should advise your customers that these charges will be on their horse show bill and that they should not check out until after you have split your charges. Only the total dollar amount will be split, i.e., we will not split specific quantities of shavings or hay to each customer. However, you may charge different dollar amounts to your customers to account for individual usage.

Bill To: Trainer Name _____
(Trainer's Name - Not Farm Name)

OR

2. IF BILLED TO INDIVIDUAL: Enter Horse Name (of horse entered in show), Owner Name and Trainer Name.

Bill To: Horse Name _____
Owner Name _____
Trainer Name _____
(Trainer's Name - Not Farm Name)

**ALL PRE-SHOW ORDERS MUST BE
ON THIS FORM OR SUBMITTED
ONLINE AT HITSSHOWS.COM**

**PLEASE
DO NOT PHONE IN
FEED ORDERS**

YOU MAY SEND THIS FORM WITH YOUR ENTRIES OR FAX AT A LATER DATE

During the Horse Shows please fax to 708.304.2493 or email LampLightStabling@HITSShows.com. You may also place your order online at HITSShows.com.

ENTRIES MAY NOT BE FAXED

Ordered By _____ Signature _____ Date _____

HITS HORSE WATCH

(Please complete this form. Horse Watch is a mandatory service. See Rules and Regulations.)

Trainer _____ Cell _____

Arrival Date _____ Depart Date _____ Farm Name _____

Hotel Name or
On-site RV description _____ Rm/Lot # _____ Hotel Ph _____

Emergency Contact 1 _____ Cell _____

Hotel Name or
On-site RV description _____ Rm/Lot # _____ Hotel Ph _____

Emergency Contact 2 _____ Cell _____

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On-site RV description _____ Rm /Lot # _____ Hotel Ph _____

EQUINE HEALTH ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Lamplight Equestrian Center | Wayne, Illinois

Protecting the health of your horse and other horses at HITS Chicago is of the utmost importance to HITS. Beginning in 2013, HITS implemented Required Biosecurity Measures to decrease the risk of introduction and/or spread of contagious or infectious disease at its shows.

Horses must arrive only between the hours of 8 am - 5 pm daily. Off-hours arrival must obtain permission from Show Management

UPON ARRIVAL TO HITS CHICAGO DRESSAGE, ALL HORSES MUST HAVE/PROVIDE:

EVENT PARTICIPATION DECLARATION

Required

Signed by the owner/agent/trainer verifying that the horse has been healthy with no sign of infectious disease and has not had a fever above 102°F within 72 hours (3 days) of arrival. The Event Participation form must be on file for each Circuit of shows (Spring Classic I,II,III; Spring Spectacular I,II,III; Summertime I,II,III; End of Summer I,II; Fall Classic I,II). Event Participation Declaration Form available in this prize list and at HITSShows.com.

PROOF OF VACCINATION

Required

Via a signed statement from the attending veterinarian that the horse has been vaccinated against the following:

Within 6 months (180 days) of each show: **Equine Influenza**

Within 6 months (180 days) of each show: **EHV 1 and EHV 4**

If a vaccination will expire during one of the shows, the horse must receive its new vaccination prior to being issued a competition number for that show.

PRESENTATION OF HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

The Equine Health Requirements are Required for all horses entering the Show Grounds both Showing and Non-Showing. These documents must be filed in the Show Office **before any competition numbers will be issued.** In addition, random checks for Equine Health Requirements will occur. Be sure to keep a copy of all of your horse's Equine Health Requirements in an easily accessible spot (in your tack room or tack trunk, truck or trailer) to ensure you can comply with this requirement. The results on all required papers must indicate the horse's registered (show) name.

Any horse not accompanied by these documents will be directed to the Show Veterinarian to obtain the required documents and/or vaccinations, and/or will be placed in quarantined stabling until the proper documents are obtained. Any horse showing signs of fever/illness/stress is subject to examination by HITS Officials and/or the Show Veterinarian, who may at their sole discretion, place the horse in quarantined stabling or take further action if deemed necessary.

See Rules and Regs for more information, and visit HITSShows.com for the most up to date requirements.

DIRECTIONS TO HITS Lamplight Equestrian Center

FROM CHICAGO:

I-90 (Kennedy Expressway) West to Rt. 59 (Barrington, IL)
Rt .59 South to Stearns Rd. (West Bartlett, IL)
Stearns Rd. West (right turn) to end (Dunham Rd.)
Left turn onto Dunham Rd.
1/8 mile Lamplight is on the right.

FROM ST. CHARLES HOTELS:

Rt. 64 East (Main St./North Ave.)
to Kirk Rd. North. Kirk Rd. turns into Dunham Rd.
Continue North. Lamplight is on the left approximately
1.5 miles after Army Trail Rd.

2022 HITS CHICAGO DRESSAGE | EVENT PARTICIPATION DECLARATION

Upon arrival to Lamplight Equestrian Center, I hereby certify the following:

Trainer's Name _____ Home Phone _____

Arrival Date _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____ Facsimile _____

If person completing form is different from trainer named above, please complete the agent information below:

Agent _____ Agent Phone _____

Agent Email _____ Agent Cell _____

All Horses, Showing or Non-Showing, Must be listed below.

Horses in Shipment _____ Date of Arrival ____ / ____ / ____

Horse Name (use Show Name)	Owner Name	Color	Sex	Height	Age	Showing	Non Showing

Attach additional pages if necessary

Origination Information

Address from which horse(s) were moved to the event:

Farm Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Attending Veterinarian _____

Stabled on HITS property? Ship-In?

Location: _____

Contact Name _____

Phone _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Horse Health Declaration

I declare that the horse(s) named above have been in good health, with body temperature below 102°F, eating normally and have shown no signs of infectious disease for the three (3) days preceding arrival at this event. By signing below I affirm that I have the authority to sign on behalf of the Trainer and/or Agent listed above.

Signature _____

Date ____ / ____ / ____

Print Name _____

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

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

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

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

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

Exceptions:

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

Memberships Defined

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

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

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

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

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

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

How to Join USDF

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

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

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

FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

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

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

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

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.

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

NAME OF CONTACT/RELATIONSHIP:	PHONE:
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FILL OUT ONLY IF THE COMPETITION YOU ENTER ON THIS ENTRY FORM OFFERS CERTAIN USE OF CHARGE CARDS!!
(Check in the prize list or individual competition requirements)

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Lamplight lies in the scenic Fox River Valley and revels in its equestrian roots. HITS has partnered with several hotels in nearby St. Charles, Illinois, lovingly called "Pride of the Fox," with a wide range of amenities to take care of all your lodging needs, whether a weekend, a few weeks or more! St. Charles boasts a colorful, historical shopping district, established neighborhoods, myriad recreational opportunities and riverside dining and hiking. Please support our Hotel Partners, and be sure to Mention HITS Lamplight when making your reservations!

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FAIRFIELD BY MARRIOTT

630.845.5500 | 2096 Bricher Rd, St. Charles, IL 60174

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The Fairfield by Marriott Chicago St. Charles welcomes you to the Lamplight Equestrian Center! Located about 6 miles from Lamplight Equestrian Center, our Premier Lodging Partner Fairfield by Marriott Chicago St. Charles offers a discounted rate to all Lamplight competitors when booking through the designated link. Reserve soon to obtain this special rate! They offer top notch service, accommodations and are service animal friendly. Fairfield by Marriott Chicago St. Charles offers daily complimentary breakfast, an indoor pool and whirlpool, a fitness center and complimentary WiFi as well as onsite laundry and valet dry cleaning. Countless restaurants are no more than 2 miles away. Make sure to mention that you will be showing at Lamplight.



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[GenevaMotelinn.com](https://www.genevemotelinn.com)

Off State Route 64, this informal motel is 2 miles from boat rides at Pottawatomie Park, and 3 miles from Northwestern Medicine Field, home of the Kane Cougars baseball team. Straightforward rooms feature TVs and free Wi-Fi, plus mini-fridges, microwaves and coffeemakers. Continental breakfast and parking are free. Other amenities include a heated indoor pool and a gym. Dogs are welcome for a surcharge, and coin-operated laundry facilities are available. To book your room please call 630.513.6500.



HILTON GARDEN INN

630.584.0700 | 4070 E Main St, St. Charles, IL 60174

[Hilton.com/en/Hotels/](https://www.hilton.com/en/Hotels/)

The Hilton Garden Inn St. Charles welcomes you to the Lamplight Equestrian Center. Located about 5 miles from Lamplight Equestrian Center, our Premier Lodging Partner The Hilton Garden Inn St. Charles offers blue ribbon service and accommodations. They are service animal friendly. Special rate of \$129/night for those competing at Lamplight using the code 3249091 when booking online or on the phone. Reserve soon to obtain this special rate. The Hilton Garden Inn St. Charles offers a full-service Garden Grille serving breakfast, dinner and evening room service. A heated indoor pool and whirlpool with lift for accessibility, fitness center, and complimentary WiFi make this lodging choice a winner. Make sure to mention that you will be showing at Lamplight.



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

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

- A. **RULES AND REGULATIONS:** hereby agree that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time.
- B. **ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK:** I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any USEF Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the USEF Event organizers and competition management; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers (“**Risks**”).

WARNING:

Under the Equine Activity Liability Act, each participant who engages in an equine activity expressly assumes the risks of engaging in and legal responsibility for injury, loss, or damage to person or property resulting from the risk of equine activities.

- C. **ASSUMPTION OF RISK:** I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the USEF Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any USEF Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any USEF Event.
- D. **WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY:** In conjunction with my participation in any USEF Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: USEF, USEF Recognized Affiliate Associations, the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee (USOPC), USEF clubs, members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any USEF Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the USEF Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where a USEF Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (**Individually and Collectively, the “Released Parties” or “Event Organizers”**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature (“**Liability**”) which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the USEF Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.
- E. **COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE:** This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

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

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

Signature: _____ Date: _____ Print Name: _____

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

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



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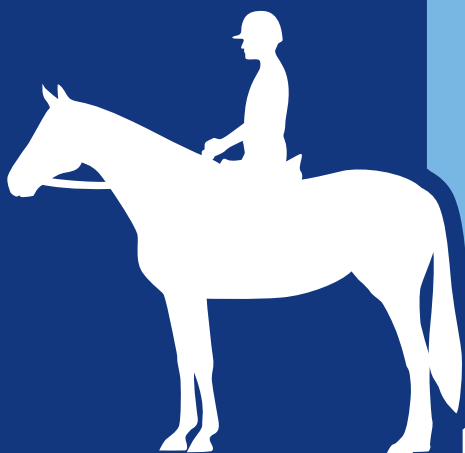
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USEF Hunter/Jumper & Dressage

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USEF Hunter/Jumper & Dressage

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