

ESDCTA DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

The Horse Park of New Jersey at Stone Tavern

Allentown, NJ

The Dressage Championships are open to ESDCTA members who have earned a qualifying score during the qualifying period, August 23, 2010 to August 22, 2011.

Membership in ESDCTA is required at the time the score is earned.

Scores from Training, First and Second Level test 4, earned between Aug 23 and Dec 1, 2010 will be accepted as qualifying scores for the Championships.

Championship Awards Sponsor: County Saddlery-Teri Miller, Authorized Agent

SHOW DATE September 18, 2011	OPENING DATE July 30, 2011	CLOSING DATE August 22, 2011
MANAGEMENT ESDCTA, Inc., Susan Lax, President MANAGER: Terry Masters 609-912-9401 – home 609-468-0414-cell terrymasters@verizon.net	ENTRY SECRETARY Dr. Lisa Toaldo 29 Oak Ridge road Montague, NJ 07827 570-491-5147 201-874-0373 (Cell) dentist2@embarqmail.com	Show Office Phone 609-259-1881 (Sept. 18, 2011 only)
JUDGES: Debbie Savage (S), NJ Susan Jones-Sinelnik (r), NJ Earlen Haven (r), NJ	Barbara Stender (r), NJ Elsie Kellerman (R), PA	

ESDCTA will host a complimentary competitor's luncheon from 11:30 to 1:30. Each rider is entitled to a free ticket which can be requested from the show secretary. Guest tickets are available for \$5 each. Indicate on your entry form the # of tickets you will need. Payment may accompany entry.

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Competitors will ride the TWO HIGHEST TESTS of their level (except FEI)

and the scores will be averaged to determine the placings.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES

DIVISION 1: STARTER DIVISION

Open to riders who have not shown above 2011 Training Level Test #1

INTRO Championship:

Class 1A: Intro Test A and

Class 1B: Intro Test B

Training Level W/T/C Championship

Class 2A: Intro Test C and

Class 2B: Training Level Test 1

DIVISION 2:

Open to riders who have not Shown above Second Level.

Training Level Championship:

Class 3A: Training Level Test 2 and

Class 3B: Training Level Test 3

First Level Championship:

Class 4A: First Level Test 2 and

Class 4B: First Level Test 3

Second Level Championship:

Class 5A: Second Level Test 2 and

Class 5B: Second Level Test 3

DIVISION 3:

Open to riders who have shown at Third Level and above

Training Level Championship:

Class 6A: Training Level Test 2 and

Class 6B: Training Level Test 3

First Level Championship:

Class 7A: First Level Test 2 and

Class 7B: First Level Test 3 and

Second Level Championship:

Class 8A: Second Level Test 2 and

Class 8B: Second Level Test 3

Third Level Championship:

Class 9A: Third Level Test 2 and

Class 9B: Third Level Test 3

Fourth Level Championship:

Class 10A: Fourth Level Test 2 and

Class 10B: Fourth Level Test 3

FEI Championship

Class 11: FEI TOC

FEI Musical Freestyle Championship

Class 12: Specify level

OPEN TO RIDERS OF ALL LEVELS

USDF Musical Freestyle Championship

Class 13: Includes 1st thru 4th levels, specify level

Dressage Seat Equitation Championship

Class 15: Open to all riders who have qualified for the championship show at Intro Test C and above.

Eligibility Rule and Qualifying Criteria:

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AWARDS: Mandatory mounted awards ceremony for championship classes.

Championship classes: Trophy/Prize for 1st place, Ribbons 1st thru 6th place.

ENTRIES: Please use 2011 ESDCTA schooling show entry form-available in your Omnibus or on the ESDCTA website: www.esdcta.org . Proof of negative Coggins within 12 months must accompany entry. Please use 2010 ESDCTA entry forms and ESDCTA membership number must be on the entry form. **Championship Classes will be divided Jr/YR and Senior as entries warrant. Please indicate Jr/YR or Senior on your entry form.**

Championship classes:

Intro thru Fourth Levels, for both classes:	\$80
Dressage Seat Equitation	\$35
FEI level classes, per class:	\$50
USDF Musical Freestyle:	\$50
FEI Musical Freestyle:	\$50

Additional Fees:

Office Fee:	\$10 per entry (non-refundable)
Haul-in Fee: (for non stabled horses)	\$20 per horse
Stabling*	\$40 day stalls only
Overnight Stabling (includes \$10 for security fee)	\$50 per stall
Pre-ordered shavings:	\$7/bag
Purchased on site	\$8/bag
Late entry fee:	\$25

Applies to all entries postmarked by the closing date but received after the closing date

Post entries will be accepted as space permits, subject to a \$25 post entry fee

Non-negotiable check fee: \$50

* Note your stabling requirements on the entry form and indicate group you wish to stable with. Include stall and bedding fee with entry.

No straw bedding please. The HPNJ will charge a \$10 per stall additional clean up fee.

PAYMENT: Make all checks payable to **ESDCTA, Inc.**

REFUND POLICY: Refunds will be given for cancellations received in writing, email, or fax before the closing date less \$10 office fee. If rides are scratched after closing, refunds will be given minus the office fee to competitors whose ride times can be filled from the wait list. Stabling fees will be refunded if the stall can be re-rented. No refunds for 'acts of god' which require management to cancel classes or the competition.

TIMES: Available by Wednesday, Sept. 14th, on web: www.esdcta.org., or by phone @ 973-293-8111 and/or 201-874-0616 before 9 pm.

CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES: Classes will be run in accordance with USEF Championship rules: Tests must be ridden from memory. No whips are allowed.

Exceptions: The arena fence at A may be left open. Centerline will not be marked.

OTHER: a) Intro and Training Level classes may be in a small arena. b) All dogs **MUST** be on a leash at all times. c) **Management reserves the right to combine, divide or cancel any class.**

FOOTING: Stone dust – all outdoor rings. Soil Composite - Indoor arena

DIRECTIONS:

From NJ Turnpike and I-195 East: Take Exit 7A to Route 195E to Exit 11. Make left to Route 524, then make right. Horse Park is on left, approximately 1 1/2 miles.

From the Garden State Parkway: Take Exit 98 to Route 195 West to Exit 11. Make a right to Route 524, then make a right. Horse Park is on left, approximately 1 1/2 miles.

From Route 537W (from Freehold, NJ): Route 537W to Route 524; Horse Park will be on right (about 15 minutes from the center of Freehold).