



NBEA Sanctioning Requirements For Provincially Sanctioned Competitions DRESSAGE

The New Brunswick Equestrian Association serves as an umbrella organization for all equestrian activities and promotes horsemanship at all skill levels through education.

The New Brunswick Equestrian Association's guidelines and requirements provide recommendations that promote sportsmanship, horsemanship and fellowship among riders of all ages, in a controlled and structured show environment.

Please include the statement above in your Prize List.

Sanctioning Requirements

- NBEA membership is required by all exhibitors, owner and rider (if a rider does not own the horse, both rider and owner must have NBEA membership). Membership is required of anyone schooling a horse at the competition and of anyone assisting a Para-Equestrian rider when competing in the competition arena.
- Competitions may be a maximum of two days.
- No prize money.
- Exhibitors do not require an Equine Canada Sport License.
- No drug fees
- Use of NBEA accredited officials or EC Gold license holder with specific discipline experience. All officials must be approved by the NBEA.
- Proof of Commercial General Liability Insurance to be in full force and effect to a minimum of \$2 million.
 - The policy must contain clauses providing \$2 million limit of liability coverage for bodily injury and property damage to spectators and participants, cross liability coverage and non-owned automobile coverage.
 - The policy must contain a clause adding PTSO, Judges, EC officials, Scribes, and Volunteers as "additional insured" with respect to the operations of the competition.
- Medic/Emergency Personnel must be on site and there must be an emergency plan in place for horse and/or rider.
- A competition report form and officials report is due within 14 days of the competition.



- Equine Canada Dressage tests are available for a fee of \$1 per test to a maximum of \$15 and can be found on the EC website
- Maximum level – walk/trot up to and including first level tests, dressage equitation and Prix Caprilli. Para Bronze Tests Grade 1a or Grade 1b may be offered. Riders who have been Para classified, possessing an EC certificate, may ride a test of choice.
- All persons must wear ASTM/SEI or BSI approved protective headgear
- secured with a safety harness permanently affixed to the helmet. The harness must be secured and properly fitted while mounted at any time, anywhere on the competition grounds. Riding Boots must have a heel no less 1.5 centimeters.
The competition ring must be enclosed. A separate, enclosed warm-up area must be provided for Para-Equestrian riders.
- It is expected Discipline rules will be followed regarding Saddlery and Equipment.

Permit Fees

- ❖ Permit fee is \$25
- ❖ Prize List and Entry form must be submitted to the NBEA 30 days before distribution. No Prize List may be distributed before it has been approved by the NBEA.
- ❖ NBEA membership is required for officials and show managers
- ❖ Official protests are to be referred to the NBEA
- ❖ Horse show certificate of Insurance must accompany the competition application