



## **Bronze Dressage Show 2019**

**21 Gallagher Road Lakeside, NB E5N 7K2**

**June 30, 2019**

Judge: Donna McInnis  
Steward: Dawn Brown

Show Manager: Margot Clark, 832-2423  
Medical Person: Saint John Ambulance/Rob Stevenson  
Veterinarian (on call): per Provincial Vet Lab Weekend Schedule  
Farrier (on call): Mark Pitcher

**The Foshay South Dressage Show is a sanctioned Bronze competition, member of Equestrian Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa, Ontario, K2K 1Y6 and is governed by the rules of Equestrian Canada.**

Per Article A801, every entry at an EC- sanctioned competition shall constitute an agreement by the person responsible that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver, rider and horse shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and any additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC-sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition. **Do not participate in this EC-sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition.**

## **Show Rules and Regulations**

### **Entries:**

All Entries must be received no later than the deadline indicated on the entry form, June 26, 2019. The show committee reserves the right to refuse any entry. Faxes and Emails accepted when using credit card or interact payment. A 5% of total processing fee will be applied to all credit card payments. Fax # 506-696-4403. Email: [suzannestevenson@nb.sympatico.ca](mailto:suzannestevenson@nb.sympatico.ca)

### **Late Entries:**

Any entries that will be accepted after the closing date will be subjected to a late fee of \$35.00. A \$30 fee will be added to any entry with NSF charges.

### **Incomplete Entries:**

Any entry received by the show committee that does not include; Photocopies of Equine Flu/Rhino vaccinations, NBEA or PSO, EC Gold or Bronze, completed entry form, payment and signed waiver, will be subjected to an incomplete entry fee of \$30.00.

### **Refunds:**

After closing date, refunds of 50% of entry fees (not including administration) will be awarded with veterinarian's certificate. There are no refunds after the start of the competition. Horse/pony substitution is allowed providing the horse/pony is eligible to enter the class.

### **Substitutions:**

A horse/pony may compete with a substitute athlete providing the athlete is eligible to enter the class and pays any substitution fee required by the show organizer. An athlete may compete with a substitute horse/pony providing the horse/pony is eligible to enter the class and the athlete pays any substitution fee required by the show organizer. The substitution fee required to substitute horse/pony or athlete is \$50 after the closing date. If the substitution is requested after the start of the competition has the show committee reserves the right to refuse. As per EC rule A805.3, the show committee reserves the right to refuse any entry, except as provided in A805.2.

### **Administration Fees:**

Riders will be charged a \$35 administration fee. If a rider is entering in either the Combined Test or the Hunter/Jumper show, they do not need to pay the administration fee more than once.

### **Ring Size:**

All tests will be ridden in a 20m x 40m ring.

### **Ring Numbers:**

It is compulsory for the horse's competition number to be worn by the horse or rider/handler anywhere outside the stall from the time that the number is issued until the end of the competition so that officials can identify the horse (E7.11.2). Schooling of horses may only be done by EC Sport License holders (E7.11.12).

### **Lunging:**

Lunging is not permitted in an area where horses are being ridden. Lunging (unmounted) and work in hand may only be done by the athlete, owner, coach, groom or Person Responsible and must be under the supervision of a steward. It is not permitted to lunge mounted athletes at any competition site whether or not the horse is entered in the competition (E7.11.12)

### **Schooling:**

Riders are not permitted to school while unsupervised during the competition. During the competition schooling of horses will take place in the warm-up ring unless otherwise announced by the show committee. The outdoor arena will be open for schooling one hour prior to the first test each day. Schooling of horses at non-championship competitions may only be done by EC Sport License holders (E7.11.12)

### **Tests and Divisions:**

The following classes will be offered and will be divided into 3 divisions (Open, Amateur and Junior). Entry Fees will be \$25 per test. Riders wishing to compete in two categories of a division (e.g. Junior/Open or AA/Open) will pay two entry fees but ride only one test, their score will count for both categories. The entry fee for the second category will be \$10 (E7.10.4). Riders wishing to ride their horse Hors Concours will also be allowed. A horse may compete in only two consecutive levels and a maximum of four tests per day, including freestyle.

- Introductory Test A B C
- Training to Second Level Test 1, 2 and 3
- Eventing Tests CDN Entry through Preliminary tests 1, 2 or 3 (Miscellaneous classes A503)
- Pony Club Tests Entry through Pre-Training tests 1 and 2 (Miscellaneous classes A503)

For riders competing in the Combined Test 2, please refer to this table to ensure you are entering in the proper class. If you are only competing in the Combined Test 2 classes, please only fill out the Combined Test entry form. However, if you wish to compete in more than the associated Combined Test class, please fill out the Dressage entry form.

Eventing Tests associated with the Combined Test classes are as follows:

- Starter: 2016 National Dressage Test for Starter Entry Test #1
- Pre-Entry: 2016 National Dressage Test for Entry Test #1
- Entry: 2016 National Dressage Test for Entry Test #2
- Pre-Training: 2016 National Dressage Test for Pre-Training Test #2
- Training: 2016 National Dressage Test for Training Test #2
- Preliminary: 2016 National Dressage Test for Preliminary Test #2

“Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book.” Any situation requiring a ruling which cannot be referenced according to the Equestrian Canada rules will be rendered by the Show Committee.

### **Ponies:**

A Dressage competition pony is a small horse whose height at the withers, having been measured on a smooth level surface, does not exceed 150cm without shoes or 151cm with shoes. Ponies entering pony division must have official measurement cards prior to entry at a competition. If a pony requires a measurement card, please contact the show manager prior to the competition.

### **Hors Concours:**

Riders may ride their horse Hors concours. Hors concours entries are not eligible for prizes, placings or awards. Such entries must pay the full entry fee and are subject to all EC rules. A horse may be ridden both as an hors concours entry and a competitive entry at the same competition. The maximum number of tests ridden whether competitive or not is four per day including freestyle. It does not matter in what order the hors concours and competitive tests are ridden as long as the horse/rider combination only competes in one category. No cross entering between Amateur/Junior and Open is allowed having ridden hors concours (E7.11.11).

**Awards:**

Ribbons from 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> will be presented. Any horse receiving less than 50% on a technical test will not be eligible for any class awards.

**Ride Times:**

Available 2 days before the start of the competition at: [www.foshaysoutheventing.ca](http://www.foshaysoutheventing.ca)

**Drug Testing:**

“Any horse entered in any class at a competition may, while on the competition grounds, be selected for equine medication control testing.” The testing fee is \$3.50.

**Person Responsible:**

The Person Responsible for a horse must be an adult who has, or shares, responsibility for the care, training, custody, and performance of the horse and who has official responsibility for that horse under EC Rules and is liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violation of the EC Rules. For the purpose of these Rules, the Person Responsible is normally the trainer, owner or the competitor who rides or drives the horse during an event, or a parent or legal guardian in the case of junior competitors. The Person Responsible is ultimately responsible for the condition, fitness and management of the horse and is alone responsible for any act performed in the stables by himself or herself or by any other person with authorized access to the horse, or while the horse is being ridden, driven or exercised. The Person Responsible must hold a valid EC Sport License at the same level or higher in which the horse is competing and an NBEA or PTSO membership. However, when the competitor is a Junior, the competitor cannot be the Person Responsible and the Person Responsible may be a parents/guardians are not required to have an EC Registered Participant status provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties contained in the Rule Book and acknowledge that they are liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violations of the EC Rules by their minor child.

**Memberships:**

All Bronze level competitors are required to have the following memberships: NBEA or PTSO and EC Bronze sport license. Owners of a horse competing at the Bronze level must have the following memberships: NBEA or PTSO and Equestrian Canada Bronze sport license. The Person Responsible (see details -above) Proof of the Rider, Owner and Person Responsible memberships (photocopies) must be included with the entry form; otherwise entry will be subjected to an incomplete entry fee. Competitors in classes restricted by age and/or amateur status must be able to provide proof of eligibility. Amateur status is issued by EC. An eligible Temporary Sport License holder may compete in amateur classes provided an Amateur Affidavit has been completed and is on file with the competition Secretary. EC Horse Recordings are not required.

**Vaccinations and Coggins:**

All horses attending the competition will need to show proof of **Equine Flu, Rhino, and Strangles** vaccinations and a **negative coggins test within the past 12 months** from the date of the show. It is mandatory to attach photocopies with the entry form; otherwise entry will be subjected to an incomplete entry fee.

**Stabling:**

Stabling is available off-site. For more information, please contact show manager.

**Accommodations:**

Amsterdam Inn – 143 Main St Sussex – 1-800-468-2828

All Seasons Inn & Restaurant - 1015 Main St Sussex – 433-2220

Amsterdam Inn – Rothesay -506-849-8050

Covered Bridge Inn – 818 Main St Sussex– 433-1805  
Fairway Inn – 216 Roachville Rd Sussex– 433-2676  
Hampton B&B 506-832-0993

**Directions:**

From Saint John take the Hampton exit and turn Right onto Hall Road. From Sussex turn Left onto Hall road. Follow Hall road for a few KMs and turn Right onto Kelly St where the junction has a bank of mailboxes. Go ½ km and turn Left onto Alison St. Go ¼ km and turn Right onto Gallagher Road. The farm is just ahead on the left 21 Gallagher Road.

**Whips:**

Whips are permitted in the show ring.

## **Equestrian Canada STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE**

Equestrian Canada (EC), the national equestrian federation of Canada, supports adherence to the humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction.

All Persons shall be committed to:

- upholding the welfare of all horses, regardless of value, as a primary consideration in all activities;
- requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect and compassion, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment;
- ensuring that all Equestrians including owners, trainers and competitors, or their respective agents, use responsible care in the handling, treatment and transportation of their own horses as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose;
- providing for the continuous well-being of horses by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort and safety as a matter of standard operating procedure;
- providing current information on Code of Practice for the Care and Handling of Equines and other equine health and welfare initiatives;
- continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- requiring owners, trainers and competitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions; and
- actively promoting the development and adherence of competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horse.

The standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a person who is informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and competition procedures would determine to be neither cruel, abusive, nor inhumane.

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