

Spring Fling Schooling Show
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OZARK DRESSAGE SOCIETY'S SPRING FLING SCHOOLING SHOW

Saturday, April 25, 2015

Valley Watermill Equestrian Center
4007 N. Farm Road 171
Springfield, Missouri 65803

Judge: Rebecca O'Bea "L"
Leavenworth, KS

Entries Must Be Postmarked By
Friday, April 17, 2015

OPENING DATE: April 3, 2015

CLOSING DATE: Entries must be postmarked by Friday, April 17, 2015.

MAIL ENTRIES TO: Michelle Beach, 1594 E. State Highway CC, Pleasant Hope, MO 65725

SHOW MANAGERS: Michelle Beach (417) 425-1353 and Lea Patton (417) 425-4196

JUDGE: Rebecca O'Bea "L"

ENTRY FEES: Each test ridden will be \$20.00 per entry for ODS members and \$35.00 per entry for non-ODS members. An office fee of \$10.00 will be charged for each horse. Make checks payable to "Ozark Dressage Society" or "ODS".

ENTRY PROCEDURE: All entries must be made on the form provided. Entry blanks must be filled out completely including all classes entered and original signatures. Incomplete entries will be returned. No entries will be taken over the telephone. Entries must be postmarked by the specified closing date with payment of entry fees in full (sorry no credit cards or emailed entry forms). The show will close at 70 rides. Entries will be processed on a first-come basis so get your entries in early.

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS: All horses must submit a copy of a current negative Coggins test (dated within the past 12 months) with their entry.

CANCELLATIONS: If an entry is canceled prior to or on the closing date, all fees will be refunded less a \$10.00 cancellation fee. If the entry is cancelled after the closing date, one half of all fees will be refunded. All cancelled entries must furnish to show management a veterinarian's or doctor's certificate to be eligible for a refund. In case of severe weather, please contact show management for possible cancellation information.

OZARK DRESSAGE SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Membership Year: December 1, 2014 - November 30, 2015

Mail to: ODS, 1594 E. State Hwy CC, Pleasant Hope, MO 65725

ODS is a USDF Group Member Organization

Member Name (print please): _____

Additional Family Member Names (print please): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-Mail Address(es): _____

Phone(s): _____ Cell: _____

DOB (Jr/Yr only): _____

Parent/Guardian Signature*: _____

*Junior/Young Rider MUST have Parent or Guardian sign membership application

Type of Membership for **2015** Year:

_____ Individual \$50/year- Includes USDF Dues and USDF Group Membership.

_____ Family \$65/Year- Includes USDF Dues/USDF Membership and One additional family member.

Multiple family members (over 2) listed above are an additional \$15 each.

Privacy Policy: The above information will be sent to USDF as per our GMO requirements, please read the following selections and mark your preference. If nothing is marked, your information WILL be shared with all members through the hardcopy omnibus which is NOT published online.

_____ I do NOT want my phone shared in the Omnibus.

_____ I do NOT want my address shared in the Omnibus.

_____ I do NOT want my photo shared in the Omnibus.

Volunteer Opportunities:

I Want to Volunteer! ___Board ___ Committees___ Shows___ Education

Check us out on the internet: ozarkdressagesociety.org & on Facebook!

CLASS LIST (Classes may not run in consecutive order)

English Division

1. Introductory Test A: Open
2. Introductory Test A: Junior / Young Rider
3. Introductory Test B: Open
4. Introductory Test B: Junior / Young Rider
5. Introductory Test C: Open
6. Introductory Test C: Junior / Young Rider
7. Training Level, Test 1: Open
8. Training Level, Test 1: Junior / Young Rider
9. Training Level, Test 2: Open
10. Training Level, Test 2: Junior / Young Rider
11. Training Level, Test 3: Open
12. Training Level, Test 3: Junior / Young Rider
13. First Level, Test 1: Open
14. First Level, Test 2: Open
15. First Level, Test 3: Open
16. Second Level, Test 1: Open
17. Second Level, Test 2: Open
18. Second Level, Test 3: Open
19. Name Your Own Test: Open
20. Musical Freestyle, Any Level: Open (exhibition only)

Western Division

21. Western Dressage Basic 1: Open
22. Western Dressage Basic 2: Open
23. Western Dressage Basic 3: Open
24. Western Dressage Basic 4: Open
25. Western Dressage, Name Your Own Test: Open

Class #19 and #25 (Name Your Own Test): Exhibitors may only ride tests that are not offered in the show schedule (classes #1 - #18 and classes #21 - #24). All tests must be USEF or USEA sanctioned. Three copies of each test to be ridden must be provided by the exhibitor with their entries. **ENTRIES WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED UNLESS TESTS ARE INCLUDED.** Competitors may ride more than one test in this class but cannot exceed the maximum number of allowed tests per show. An entry fee will be charged for each test ridden.

Class #20 (Musical Freestyle): May be ridden at any level. This class will be held at the judges' lunch break. This class will be for exhibition only and will not be judged. However, prizes will be awarded to all participants. Competitors must supply their own music and player.

Tests: 2015 USEF Introductory tests, 2015 USEF Training Level and above tests will be used for the English division. USEF 2013 Western Dressage Basic Level and above tests will be used for the Western division.

English Dressage Entry Limits: A horse may enter in four English Division dressage test classes per day at Fourth Level and below. A horse may only be entered in two English Division dressage test classes per day above Fourth Level.

Western Dressage Entry Limits: A horse is not limited to a maximum number of rides. Intro, and Levels 1, 2, and 3 will be entered as Name Your Own Test in the Western Division. Gaited horses must be noted on the entry form underneath "breed."

Cross Division Entries: Horses entered in the English Division dressage classes may be cross entered in the Western Division. Western Division tests are not counted in the English Division class limits.

English Division Dress: Informal show attire. Riders may wear polo shirts or short sleeve shirts with collars (no t-shirts permitted), breeches or jodhpurs. English style riding boots and / or matching half chaps must be worn. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES WHILE MOUNTED.** Anyone not conforming to this dress code will not be considered an entry in the class.

Western Division Dress: Western attire and tack are required for Western Division classes. Please see USEF Western Dressage Division for complete information (www.usef.org). Suitable western attire consists of western style shirt with collar, western pants or jeans, chaps, and western boots. **HELMETS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES WHILE MOUNTED** (ODS insurance requirement). Anyone not conforming to this dress code will not be considered an entry in the class.

Show Awards: Ribbons will be presented for first through fourth place in all classes. Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons and prizes will be awarded for each level. Each horse/rider pair must compete in at least two tests in that level including the highest test offered. The highest average score for those tests combined will determine the champion and reserve champion at that level. Separate awards will be given for Open and Junior / Young Rider classes. If there are fewer than two entries in a class, the Open and Junior / Young Rider classes will be combined but awarded separately.

Conditions of Entry: Every horse entered in the competition will be accountable to and under the control of the show management. It shall be a condition of the entry that each exhibitor shall hold ODS, Valley Watermill Equestrian Center, the Springfield-Greene County Park Board, their directors, officers, employees, show management, and volunteers harmless for any loss or accident to horse, person, or equipment which may occur from any cause whatsoever.

Conduct: Any exhibitor attempting to interfere with another exhibitor, show official, or judge in any way, or publicly expressing disapproval in the arena or on the grounds of the decision of the judge, or who by the act of influence shall be guilty of conduct unbecoming an exhibitor, shall forfeit all prizes and be excluded from further competition. No one shall approach a judge with regard to a decision unless first obtaining permission from the show manager(s), who shall arrange an appointment with the judge at a proper time and place.

ODS Year-End Awards: Only ODS Members will be eligible for the ODS Year-End Award. Scoring for ODS year-end awards will be based on the combined average scores for a single horse/rider combination in a level for that year. A horse/rider combination must compete at a minimum of two ODS Shows to be eligible for an award and ride in at least two tests at each show. Ribbons will be awarded through fourth place, with additional prizes for Champion & Reserve Champion at each level. The Premier Performance Award is available to all ODS members who submit their qualifying scores by Nov. 15th. Riders must complete three volunteer work hours prior to the last show (prior scheduled work at last show is allowed) in order to be eligible for a year-end award. There are many opportunities to volunteer. Contact show management for more information. A copy of the current awards description and qualifications / limitations will be available in the show office for review.

Thoroughbred Incentive Awards: The Jockey Club Thoroughbred Incentive Program is offering ribbons and prizes to the overall high point dressage thoroughbred and the overall reserve high point dressage thoroughbred. Eligible horses must provide T.I.P. numbers on their entry form. For more information, visit www.tjctip.com. Only thoroughbreds that have been registered with The Jockey Club or a foreign TB stud book recognized by The Jockey Club are eligible to participate in T.I.P. classes and awards. T.I.P. number applications are done online at www.tjctip.com. Scores on any tests ridden by the horse / rider combination will be used in the determination of the champion high point thoroughbred and the reserve champion high point thoroughbred. Any questions concerning the T.I.P. award can be directed to Sara Lee at (417)-773-1964 or via email: justanothers@live.com.



CHECK IN: Each competitor must report to the show office to pick up their show packet upon arrival on the show grounds.

FACILITY: The competition will be held in the indoor arena at Valley Watermill Equestrian Center. Warm up will be available in the fenced outdoor arena located just east of the show arena. No horses / exhibitors will be allowed in the barn, dry lots or round pens due to private lessons. Washracks are available in the trailer parking area ONLY.

OPEN SCHOOLING: Schooling inside the show arena may be available during open ride times offered by Valley Watermill Equestrian Center (VWMEC). Please note, the dressage arena will not be set up during open ride times at VWMEC. Contact Lynn Vandenberg at (417) 353-6168 for open ride time availability. Rules, release forms, and applicable fees can be found at <http://www.parkboard.org/906/Valley-Water-Mill-Park-Equestrian-Center>

ARENA SIZE: All classes will be held in the standard (20 m x 60 m) arena.

SCHOOLING ON DAY OF SHOW: Schooling will be available in the outdoor riding arena ONLY. At the judge's discretion, horses may be allowed in the competition arena immediately preceding their scheduled ride time. Riders may start their test from inside the competition arena from either long-side and ride down the centerline at "A" to "enter" the arena.

LUNGING: Due to on-going lessons at the facility, lunging will only be allowed prior to the start of the show in the outdoor arena. Once the show has begun, arena. Lunging is not allowed in the show arena at any time.

DOGS, ALCOHOL, DRUGS, AND/OR FIREARMS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON SHOW GROUNDS. CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT AT ALL TIMES.

***There will be no concessions on the grounds. Please bring your own drinks and snacks as needed.*