

The Woodbridge Farm Fall Classic

Sunday, September 4, 2011

Woodbridge Farm
1188 Jacobsen Lane
Petaluma, CA 94954

Judge

Jennifer Roth "S" -- Carmel Valley, California

Technical Delegate

Susan Lombardi "R" -- San Francisco, California

Show Committee

Show Manager/Secretary -- Elizabeth Palmer 707-596-8515

On-Call Veterinarian -- Sonoma Marin Veterinary Practice 707-763-1122

On-Call Farrier -- TBD

EMT Tracey O'Hare -- 415-927-7051

Videographer & Photographer -- Ruth Lake

Phone During Show Hours -- 707-596-8515

Qualifying scores from this show count toward the 2011 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Championships

Recognized by USEF Level 2, USDF, CDS

Entries close and must be received by August 27, 2011

Divisions

Individuals are eligible as **Juniors** until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 18.

Individuals are eligible as **Young Riders** from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 21.

Competitors shall compete as Adults from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 22. Individuals possessing current amateur certification are only eligible as **Adult Amateurs** from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach age 22.

Q=Great American Insurance Group/USDF Qualifying classes: Entries must supply copy of membership cards for Owner, Rider, and Horses for USDF and USEF. Trainer must supply a copy of USEF membership.

ATTENTION COMPETITORS

Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct association numbers (USDF, USEF) for horse, owner, rider, and trainer before the day(s) of the competition.

The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward national awards.



Tentative Schedule
Sunday, September 4, 2011

**Please Note: "Q" for Great American Insurance Group/USDF Qualifying Classes at appropriate level
and add \$10 per class**

Sunday Class No.	Division	"Q"	Level/Test
101	O AA JR/YR		Training Level Test 1
102	O AA JR/YR		Training Level Test 2
103	O AA JR/YR	Q	Training Level Test 3
104	O AA JR/YR		First Level Test 1
105	O AA JR/YR		First Level Test 2
106	O AA JR/YR	Q	First Level Test 3
107	O AA JR/YR		Second Level Test 1
108	O AA JR/YR		Second Level Test 2
109	O AA JR/YR	Q	Second Level Test 3
110	O AA JR/YR		Third Level Test 1
111	O AA JR/YR		Third Level Test 2
112	O AA JR/YR	Q	Third Level Test 3
113	O AA JR/YR		Fourth Level Test 1
114	O AA JR/YR		Fourth Level Test 2
115	O AA JR/YR	Q	Fourth Level Test 3
116	O AA JR/YR	Q	Prix St. Georges
117	O AA JR/YR	Q	Intermediare I
118	O AA JR/YR	Q	Intermediare II
119	O AA JR/YR	Q	Grand Prix-B
120	O AA JR/YR		Grand Prix Special
121	O	Q	First Level Freestyle
122	O	Q	Second Level Freestyle
123	O	Q	Third Level Freestyle
124	O	Q	Fourth Level Freestyle
125	O	Q	Intermediare I Freestyle
126	O	Q	Grand Prix Freestyle

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Mail entry to: Woodbridge Farm Fall Classic
Elizabeth Palmer
1188 Jacobsen Lane
Petaluma, CA 94954

Email entry to: epshowsecretary@gmail.com
See Show Rules and Information No. 10, re: email entries

ENTRIES CLOSE August 27, 2011

ONE HORSE PER ENTRY BLANK

Recognitions: USEF Level 2, USDF, CDS

All pages of entry, including signatures, fees & photocopies of USEF, USDF, CDS and Horse Recording membership cards must be complete for entry to be accepted.

PLEASE REVIEW ALL SHOW RULES AND INFORMATION

If you have questions call: Elizabeth Palmer 707-596-8515

Class Fees

Training Level through Fourth Level	\$ 50.00
FEI	\$ 60.00
Freestyles (Training thru Fourth Level)	\$ 55.00
Freestyles (FEI)	\$ 55.00

All entries must pay a \$20.00 Office/Processing Fee

Great American Insurance Group/USDF Qualifying Classes are the highest test of the level. If you wish to enter these classes, please add a \$10 fee (required by USDF) for each qualifying class you wish to enter.

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NO REFUNDS AFTER CLOSING DATE.

NO REFUNDS OF STABLING.

LUNCH MAY BE ORDERED IN ADVANCE - SEE FORM

LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED (SPACE AVAILABLE) WITH \$10 LATE FEE.

THERE WILL BE A \$35 FEE FOR ALL CHECKS RETURNED BY THE BANK.

SHOW RULES & INFORMATION

1. Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.
2. Management reserves the right to arrange for additional judges and to cancel, combine or amend any class, including but not limited to class awards, scheduling and location without claim for damages.
3. Management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally or to cancel any entries, disqualify riders or exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, without claim for damages.
4. Management reserves the right 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 by these rules and regulations shall be decided by the Show Management and such determinations shall be final.
5. Every horse entered for competition will be under the control of show management but 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 Woodbridge Farms, the horse show and its Licensee, management and employees, harmless for any loss or accident to his/her horse, horses, equipment, or personal property which may occur from sickness, fire, theft or otherwise.
6. USEF Membership Statement:
Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary 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 \$30 non-member registration 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 and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF Introductory Level test, 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 a current membership in good standing of their own National Federation; 10) USEA beginner novice divisions; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sports Horse Breeding classes.
7. Current USEF and FEI Tests will be used.
8. Entries will be accepted on a first come basis. Entries will not be accepted unless they are complete in every respect, on official entry blanks and accompanied by all fees, signatures, and copies of membership cards and horse recordings. Numbers will not be released until this process is complete. Management will close the show when it is full and place any additional entries on a waiting list.
9. Entries close on August 27, 2011. Post entries allowed on a space available basis only, prior to the start of the class and after all forms have been completed, signatures obtained and fees paid. Late entries will be assessed a \$10 late fee.
10. No refunds of entry fee after closing date. No refunds of stabling fees after closing date. No exceptions. No fax entries accepted. Complete entries can be emailed to epshowsecretary@gmail.com. Receipt of email entries will be acknowledged but it is the entrant's responsibility to contact show management if an email entry has not been acknowledged within 48 hours after sending.
11. **Musical Freestyle Ride: Except for USEF/USDF Championship classes and for FEI Pony Riders, FEI Junior and Young Rider Freestyles, in order to enter a freestyle class at any level, a horse/rider combination must have received a minimum score of 60% in the highest test of the declared freestyle level or any test of higher level at a USEF recognized competition. A photocopy of the test verifying eligibility must be submitted with the entry for a freestyle class. The 60% score cannot be obtained at the same competition which you intend to ride a freestyle.**

12. Checks returned by the bank will be assessed a \$35 fee. A cashier's check or cash will be needed to clear the entry. Checks will not be run through a second time.
13. All entrants must pay a CDS Travel Grant fee of \$2.00 per horse. A CDS non-member fee of \$10.00 per rider or owner will be charged.
14. CDS members who participate in a CDS recognized show may not be required to pay non-member fees to any other organization (National Federation - US EQUESTRIAN or National Breed Organizations exempted) in order to participate in the show. For CDS recognized shows in California, Nevada, Arizona and Oregon, CDS agrees to a reciprocal non-member system where CDS will waive the nonmember fee IF the competitor and/or owner is a member of another USDF GMO; and in return the show management will not charge CDS members a non-member fee for any other GMO. If the competitor and/or owner is not a member of CDS or any other GMO, then the show management will charge and collect non-member fees for CDS.
15. The published schedule will be followed as closely as possible, but judges may be changed or added. Classes will be scheduled to accommodate the judges, riders and management. Rider scheduling preferences, if noted on entry, will be indulged when possible. Classes may not be scheduled in order of difficulty. A one hour minimum break will be the standard for those riding multiple horses. Requests for shorter breaks will be accommodated when logistically possible.
16. AWARDS: Prizes to first place with three or more in class, ribbons through fifth.
17. Riding times will be e-mailed or telephoned and posted on the Woodbridge Farm web site (www.woodbridgefarmdressage.com). Official ride times will be posted by 12:00 noon at the show grounds on Saturday, September 3, 2011, the day before the show. It is the obligation of the entrant to contact the show secretary 24 hours prior to the show about ride times. RIDERS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT IF THE NEED ARISES, MANAGEMENT CAN CHANGE RIDE TIMES PER USEF RULE 309.2 (ONE HOUR'S NOTICE).
18. DOGS MUST BE ON LEASH.
19. All classes will be held in 20m x 60m arena. Footing is a sand and rubber mixture in warm-up and competition arenas, and in the round pen.
20. Bridle numbers must be worn at all times. Use of the warm-up arena is limited to those who are entered in the show, and at the discretion of the show management, may be further restricted to those warming up for the classes in progress when there is congestion. NO ONE ON FOOT WILL BE ALLOWED IN WARM-UP ARENA.
21. NO LUNGING IN WARM-UP ARENA. Lunging is only permitted in the round pen. There may be a limited time schedule which will be posted in the Show Office.
22. Food will be provided on the grounds between 7:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Lunch may be pre-ordered by completing the Lunch Order Form.
23. Stabling. **STABLING IS VERY LIMITED. IF YOU NEED STABLING PLEASE GET YOUR ENTRY IN EARLY. PLEASE READ CAREFULLY:**
Barn: 10'x10' stalls, with shavings, no feed - \$35.00 per night
Covered paddock, no shavings, no feed - \$30.00 per night
Day stalls - if available, \$20.00
24. Stabling will be available Saturday, September 3, 2011 at 12:00 noon and must be vacated Monday morning, September 5, 2011.
25. Application for stabling must be made on entry and accompanied by a check for the full payment.
26. Please bring a flashlight if you are planning on evening arrival. Please provide your own feed, buckets, cleaning equipment, garden hose, shavings. Contact Show Manager if arriving after 6 p.m. for gate code.
27. Horse Show Office will be open from one hour before the first class until one hour after competition of the last class of the day.
28. In accordance with GR1301.7 Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in California 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. 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. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s)

and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainees) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Rule 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

29. All minors/juniors must be supervised by their parent/guardian or authorized agent at all times while at or on the show grounds, whether riding or on foot. The parent/guardian or authorized agent shall assume all responsibility to protect juniors from any injury, harm and/or loss and shall indemnify, defend and hold the show management, show facility, all employees and volunteers, and the recognizing organizations harmless therefrom.
30. Sharps Containers will be located in the Show Office (GR1210.4)
31. RV parking: availability limited - \$25.00; arrange separately with Show Manager.

Protective Headgear Rules for Dressage (rev. 2.28.1 1)

Effective March 1, 2011, the following rules apply to Dressage Competitions, and *Regular Competitions holding "open" Dressage classes (i.e., Dressage classes that are open to all breeds):

1. Riders under age 18 must wear protective headgear, as defined by DR120.5 and in compliance with GR801, at all times while mounted on the competition grounds. This includes non-competing riders as well as those competing at any level.
2. While on horses competing in national level tests (Fourth Level and below), riders must wear protective headgear as defined by DR120.5 and in compliance with GR801, at all times while mounted on the competition grounds. This includes non-competing riders on horses competing in national level tests.
3. While on horses competing in USEF or FEI Young Horse Tests, and FEI Junior Tests, riders must wear protective headgear as defined by DR120.5 and in compliance with GR801 at all times while mounted on the competition grounds.
4. All riders competing in Para-Equestrian tests must wear protective headgear at all times while mounted on the competition grounds. Riders who compete in PE tests must wear protective headgear on every horse they ride, no matter the level or test.
5. All riders of any age while on non-competing horses must wear protective headgear at all times while mounted on the competition grounds.
6. All riders under age 18 and all riders while on horses competing in national level tests, who choose to wear Armed Services or police uniform, must wear protective headgear as defined in DR120.5 and in compliance with GR801 at all times while mounted on the competition grounds. Riders age 18 and over who wear Armed Services or police uniform on horses that are competing *only* in FEI levels and tests at the Prix St. Georges level and above must wear either protective headgear or the appropriate military/police cap or hat for their branch of service.
7. When a horse is competing in both national and FEI levels or tests (e.g. Fourth Level and PSG), the rider must wear protective headgear at all times when mounted on that horse on the competition grounds and during all tests.
8. While on horses that are competing *only* in FEI levels and tests at the Prix St. Georges level and above (including FEI Young Rider Tests, the USEF Developing Prix St. Georges Test and the USEF Brentina Cup Test), riders *age 18 and over* are not required to wear protective headgear in warm up or during competition. However, these riders may wear protective headgear without penalty from the judge.
9. In FEI-recognized (CDI, CDI-Y, CDI-J, CDI-P, etc.) classes, FEI rules take precedence and protective headgear is permitted but not required.
10. All riders while on horses competing in national level classes such as Equitation, Materiale and DSHB Under Saddle are required to wear protective headgear at all times when mounted on the competition grounds.

* 11 . When a "Regular Competition" offers "open" Dressage classes, section or division, cross entry is not permitted by any horse/rider combination between Dressage and other "breed" (e.g., Arabian, Morgan, Friesian, Andalusian/Lusitano) classes held on the same day(s) at the competition. However, a rider competing in "open" dressage classes may ride a different horse in breed classes at the same competition, in which case he/she must wear protective headgear only when riding the horse(s) entered in dressage classes. The rider would not be required to wear protective headgear while schooling or in competition on the horse(s) entered in the breed classes. When a "Regular Competition" offers a "breed restricted" Dressage section or division, DR120 applies only to the designated Dressage warm-up and competition areas, or when the exhibitor is actually warming-up for a Dressage class, and the same horse/rider combination may compete in other breed classes. Horses entered in a Dressage Competition may never be ridden in another Licensed competition on the same day.

Protective headgear is defined as 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 headgear and harness must be secured and properly fitted. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place.

Recommendations to competitions:

In order to distinguish riders who are required to wear protective headgear from those who aren't, it is suggested that entry numbers in a different sequence be assigned to the entries in each group (e.g. use numbers from 1-700 for entries where riders must wear protective headgear and use numbers from 800 and above for entries where riders are not required to use protective headgear).

CALIFORNIA DRESSAGE SOCIETY - STATEMENT ON ANIMAL WELFARE

The California Dressage Society, an organization of approximately 5,000 individual members, supports the concept of humane and ethical treatment of all animals.

Dressage is a classical method of the training of horses in which the horse's natural responses and athletic abilities become a capable responsive partnership with the rider.

To this end the California Dressage Society is committed to ensuring that owners, trainers, exhibitors and their agents use responsible care in the training, handling, transportation and exhibition of horses.

The California Dressage Society supports scientific research on equine health and stress.

The California Dressage Society is committed to the continuous review, revision and development of competition rules and regulations to protect the welfare of horses.

The California Dressage Society firmly believes that horses are a vital part of its members' life experience and as such deserve our protection and compassion. Humans have an inseparable relationship with the natural world and animals. Furthermore, humanity is accountable to a set of laws and concepts that is uniquely a product of human society. Animals cannot be subject to those laws and concepts and therefore do not have the rights of humans.

Humans are responsible for providing adequate food, water and shelter for horses. CDS supports management and training practices which promote health, prevent disease and protect horses from unnecessary pain and injury.

CDS believes that Dressage Competition is the ultimate test of training to determine the development of harmony between horse and rider. All sanctioned CDS competitions and events will be conducted under the organization's rules regarding the well-being and welfare of horses.

USDF Statement on Animal Welfare

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of over 125 independent organizations throughout the United States with a membership in excess of 33,000 members, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

Dressage is a classical method of training horses, based upon the horse's natural responses, as carried out in a gradual, planned program during which the horse's athletic abilities are improved in a systematic manner. As a result, the horse becomes capable, comfortable, and responsive in partnership with the rider without the use of force. Dressage competition at various levels of achievement is the ultimate test of the training program to determine whether the desired harmony between horse and rider has been achieved.

The rules pertaining to dressage competition prohibit the use of artificial appliances, training aids, and drugs, which would force the horse to submit. Instead, the emphasis is upon training and a cooperative partnership with the rider. Major competitions are carefully monitored to assure that there is no unnecessary force or harshness displayed.

Unlike other horse sports in which horses enter training at a relatively immature state, dressage training is usually not seriously begun until the horse is three or four. The top levels of achievement require five or more years of progressive training and it is not unusual to see horses in international competition in their late teens. This, in itself, places a premium on good care and soundness throughout the horse's life.

While supporting the concept of animal welfare in its broadest form, the United States Dressage Federation, Inc., also recognizes that it is unrealistic to ascribe human emotions and responses to the horse which in its wild state is a creature of flight, living a hard and precarious existence. Under domestication, the horse is assured of ample food, water, and shelter, as well as protection against infectious diseases and damaging parasites, thus leading a longer and healthier life with a high rate of survival.

As an educational organization, USDF has numerous programs, which teach people how to pursue the accepted, humane training methods. A program of certifying instructors also emphasizes protecting the horse's welfare in pursuit of dressage training.

UNITED STATES *Dressage* FEDERATION

4051 IRON WORKS PARKWAY, LEXINGTON, KY 40511

PHONE: 859/971-2277, FAX: 859/971-7722, EMAIL: usdressage@usdf.org, WEBSITE: www.usdf.org

DIRECTIONS

**Woodbridge Farm
1188 Jacobsen Lane
Petaluma CA 94954**

From Highway 101, Northbound, North of Petaluma:

Take exit 476 for Old Redwood Hwy/Penngrrove, go toward Penngrrove	0.3 mi
Turn right onto Old Redwood Hwy N	1.5 mi
Turn right onto Main St/Petaluma Hill Rd	0.3 mi
Take the 2nd right onto Old Adobe Rd	0.9 mi
Turn left onto Jacobsen Lane (Woodbridge Farm is on the right)	0.7 mi

From Highway 101, Southbound, North of Petaluma:

Take exit 476 for Old Redwood Hwy/Penngrrove	0.3 mi
Turn left onto Old Redwood Hwy N (cross over freeway)	1.7 mi
Turn right onto Main St/Petaluma Hill Rd	0.3 mi
Take the 2nd right onto Old Adobe Rd	0.9 mi
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Local Horse Show Hotels

Motel 6 Petaluma

1368 N. McDowell Blvd.
Petaluma CA
707-773-4900

Best Western Petaluma Inn

200 South McDowell Blvd.
Petaluma CA
707-763-0994

America's Best Value Inn & Suites

5135 Montero Way
Petaluma CA
707-795-9000

Sheraton Sonoma County

745 Baywood Drive
Petaluma CA
707-283-2888

**This
competition
is recognized
by USDF
for 2011**

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 Competitor & Member Guide* or the USDF Web site at www.usdf.org.

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, Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF NM fee. (Note: USDF business members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF BM.) Individuals cannot compete at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition with a USDF Education 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, Quadrille, FEI ParaEquestrian classes, 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. For foreign-owned horses competing in a CDI, USDF accepts copies of the horse identification pages from an FEI passport in lieu of a USDF HID or LHR number.
- 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 (\$75), 5-years (\$300), or life (\$1,500). 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 (\$60). 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, Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals 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.

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 (\$200) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

Education Membership (e-Membership): A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. This online education only membership expires 12 months after the date joined. This membership type does NOT allow an individual to compete at a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition.

Non-Member (NM) Identification Number: For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$25 and a USDF NM form 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 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 member 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 Web site.

Horse Identification (HID) Number: A one-time tracking number for horses (\$25). 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 or Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$70. 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 (\$95) is eligible for Adequan®/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals and 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 Web site: 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 received by the competition secretary, provided the application is signed and dated by the competition secretary, member, and/or horse owner on that same day.

2011 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), and recognized by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a Group Member Organization (GMO) is received by April 1 of the prior year.

The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF Web site at:

<http://www.usdf.org/Programs/RegionalChampionships/index.asp>.

Please refer to the *USDF Competitor and Member Guide* for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying And Championships: Rider:

- Must be a USDF Participating* Member (PM) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
 - Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

Horse:

- Must be USDF Lifetime Registered (LTR) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be USEF (Annual or Lifetime) recorded at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse/recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s) of record.
- A horse is not required to have registry papers.

Owner:

- Must be a USDF member (PM* or Business Member (BM)) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
 - Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

*PMs are USDF members who join USDF directly.

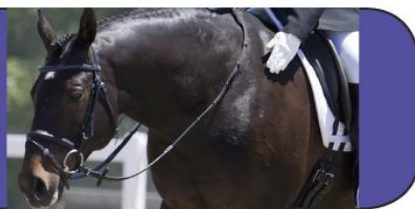
USDF Group Members (GM) are ineligible.

Minimum Qualifying Scores

One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for levels through Grand Prix, in three divisions: open, adult amateur, and junior/young rider. FEI Junior and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. Freestyles have only open divisions.

	<u>OPEN</u>	<u>AA</u>	<u>JR/YR</u>
Training Level (Test 3)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 3)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 3)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior (Team Test)	—	—	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	—	—	60%
Prix St. Georges	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	60%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%
Freestyle	<u>OPEN</u>	<u>AA</u>	<u>JR/YR</u>
First Level	65%	—	—
Second Level	65%	—	—
Third Level	65%	—	—
Fourth Level	63%	—	—
Intermediate I	63%	—	—
Grand Prix	63%	—	—

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What is the California Dressage Society?

It is an organization whose purpose is to foster an interest among horsemen in Dressage. The program of the Society is educational, designed primarily to offer a framework in which individuals can progress with the schooling of themselves and their horses.

How does one foster an interest among horsemen in dressage? Since dressage is a personal challenge, to initiate a real understanding, a person must start with only a mere inkling of what it might be and must follow with an insatiable desire and definite pursuit to find out what it really is.

CDS is an opportunity - to share, to experience, to learn and to contribute. But the Society is by its very nature, limited, for it is a composite venture into a highly individualized world. The society does open the door. But it is the individual who must take the step.

What does the Society offer?

Educational activities on a statewide basis includes Riding Seminars, Instructor Seminars, National Symposiums and Judges' Forums. The local chapters sponsor clinics, competitions, films, discussion and informal schooling sessions.

Dressage Letters, the monthly publication, offers educational literature ranging from book reviews to commentary by notable horsemen along with a complete calendar of all CDS events.

The CDS Omnibus, yearly publication, offers dressage show premiums and entry forms for your convenience in planning and entering shows for the year.

Membership Roster, a yearly publication of all the CDS members.

RAAC. Regional Adult Amateur Competitions for Amateurs to compete in Novice or Elite Divisions within their Region.

North
SFP & Woodside
JUL 14-17, 2011
Woodside Horsepark
Woodside, CA
Glenda McElroy
818-841-3554

South
SD-CDS
AUG 13-14, 2011
Del Mar Horsepark
Del Mar, CA
Karla Palmer
619-818-3538

Central
SLO-CDS
SEP 3-4, 2011
Golden Hills
Paso Robles, CA
Ellen Corob
805-440-2947



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Junior Championships. Juniors & Young Riders can qualify.

North
CDS JR/YR
SEP 23-25, 2011
Rancho Murieta, CA

South
CDS JR/YR
SEP 16-18, 2011
Del Mar, CA



Horse of the Year Competition. A horse / rider combination can qualify for the CDS Annual Show.

CDS Championships
OCT 6-9, 2011

Murieta Equestrian Center, Rancho Murieta, CA
What is Dressage?

Dressage (training or schooling) is an equitation term that means the gradual harmonious development of the horse's physical and mental condition with the aim to achieve the improvement of his natural gaits and perfect understanding with his rider.

Membership types

Active membership provides all of the above privileges, as well as voting rights, and eligibility to hold office and to apply for a Qualified Riding Membership.

Family membership is an Active Membership for more than one member in an immediate family, living at the same address.

Life membership is an Active Membership for the life of the member. A membership card is issued with each membership.



California Dressage Society Membership Form

Active Membership\$70.00
Additional Family Member\$60.00
Life Membership \$1,000.00

Join Online: www.california-dressage.org

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Fax (____) _____

Email Address _____

Chapter Preference _____
Group membership with USDF included. Check any of the following that apply:

- Renewing member New member
 Junior birthdate (/ /) TD EMT Judge____
 Amateur Trainer/Instructor Qualified Rider (QRM)
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USEF#: **328929**


Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): **Dressage Level 2**

License #5172005: **Woodbridge Farm**


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Mow the fields.  Haul the hay.  Paint the barn — and the

house.  Re-order supplements  and office supplies.

Office DEPOT Get new tires and a full-service check.  Make sure



we're covered on the road.  Get ready for the big competition

Sears Commercial and get a good night's rest.  Win! Rent a car

and drive to the coast.  Take a vacation.  Relax!

 **LifeLock** Tune in for live and on-demand coverage from select competitions

across the country on  **USEF NETWORK.COM**. For details on how you can save big

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