

USDF/ODS/STATE LINE TACK ADULT AMATEUR TEAM DRESSAGE COMPETITION SHOW

May 19 - 20, 2007
Saturday - Sunday
Yamhill County Fairgrounds
McMinnville, OR

Hello, Adult Amateur Riders... The 2006 Competition Show is not far away and we are excited to invite you and your friends to this fun show!!! Linda Wick will again be serving as the show manager and Gaye McCabe will Secretary the show. **We want to let you know that the new location for the show is the Yamhill County Fairgrounds in McMinnville, OR.**

FORMING TEAMS: If you are familiar with the Jr/YR Team Competition where the majority of riders have to be riding the same tests the Adult Amateur Team Competition **will not** be following this format. Teams will be comprised of three or four-horse rider combinations and they may ride different division tests. You may also have one professional on your team. If after entries close and all the teams are in and there are not enough teams riding the same division tests, teams will be divided based on a point system where each test ridden is given a value and the teams will be divided by their total score.

USDF Team medals on neck ribbons will be awarded for first through sixth places in each division. Placings are determined by the average of each teams scores, each rider will ride two tests in her/his division. USDF Rosettes are awarded to an individual High Percentage Champion and Reserve Champion in each division. You may compete on more than one horse on different teams and divisions. For sportsmanship reasons do not enter divisions more than one test lower than what you have been showing. If you do not have a team and would like to be part of the team competition send your entry in and you will be place with others to help form a team.

All teams with the complete and correct entries - including sponsorships will be given priority on ride time requests. Incomplete entries, entries submitted without sponsor and/or sponsor money will be returned to the competitor. This show is a committee of three, Linda Wick, Gaye McCabe and Joyce Stride and since we can't be everywhere, all competitors will be required to help run the show. Please indicate on your entry any special position you would like to fill. All teams must also submit a \$50.00 team sponsorship fee to help support the show (or \$12.50 per competitor). Team Sponsorships are tax deductible. Any profits from the show will be used to fund next year's show as well as fund Adult Educational programs.

No entries will be accepted after the closing date without late entry fee. If you have a question about correctness of your entry contact Gaye McCabe for help. Just call or write Show Secretary, Gaye McCabe, 7985 Darling St. SE, Salem, OR 97317 (503) 378-0309 or email < J-G.McCabe@Juno.com >. Remember all pages of the entry packet must be complete.

Our Goals is to make this show a fun experience for everyone so we want to encourage people new to dressage to give the show a try. In fact this show was created with the new rider in mind. Bring your friends, chapter members, or barn mates it will be a great time to show and have the support of your friends. The arenas will be available for riding as soon as they are set up and during breaks to allow plenty of time to get use to the facility.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Friday afternoon: Dressage Trail class

SATURDAY: Open classes (if available) and Team Competition classes

SATURDAY EVENING: We will have a dinner for team competitors and friends. There is no cost to Team members, non team members will be \$6.50. The time for dinner will be announced at the show, but we anticipate it will be sometime between 6 - 7 pm.

SUNDAY: Team Competition Classes and Awards Ceremony **competitor must be present for placing, only exception is with prior approval from show manager or secretary, a team member must pick up the awards for you they will not be mailed.**

Adult Amateurs Competition AWARDS AND SCORING

1. On teams of four, the lowest combined score will be dropped. For teams of three, all scores will count. (refer to above information on how to form teams)
Remember team members do not all have to ride the same tests to be on the same team if you have questions please contact the Gaye McCabe.
2. Scoring will be done using team percentages which will speed up the scoring process.
3. **DIVISION HIGH PERCENT:** The highest test ridden in the Division will count for the High Percent award. An award will be presented to the highest percent and reserve high percent rider in each Division. (i.e. all riders riding Training level test 1 & 2 – the riders with the highest test 2 scores will receive High percent and reserve High percent awards)
4. Coolers will be awarded to the **High Percent rider and Reserve High**

Percent of all the Divisions.



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The support of local merchants and private contributions will aid in the total success of this dressage horse show. This show is sponsored by the United States Dressage Federation, a non-profit, charitable organization. The dedication of the organizers have made it possible to experience incredible growth in dressage and we now have an Adult Amateurs Team Competition in each of the nine USDF Regions. This program is organized to improve horsemanship knowledge and to teach good sportsmanship, cooperation with others and to strengthen and support life long skills and values. Proceeds from this show will be used to further Adult Amateur Programs within the Oregon Dressage Society..

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Received \$ _____ from _____

For: **Class Sponsor:** _____

Team Sponsor: _____

Rider Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please make checks payable to ODS Adult Amateurs Show***Receipt to be retained by sponsor**

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SPONSORSHIPS: TEAM SPONSOR \$50.00 CLASS SPONSOR \$25.00 (per class)

BUSINESS ADS: FULL PAGE \$100.00 1/2 Page \$50.00 Business Card \$25.00

Please circle the type of advertisement or sponsorship desired.

SPONSOR NAME: _____

PHONE: _____

ADDRESS _____

STATEMENT TO BE READ BY ANNOUNCER DURING SHOW HOURS:

Total Enclosed \$ _____ Obtained by rider _____
date _____

Mail completed form and funds to show secretary: Gaye McCabe, 7985 Darling St. SE Salem, OR 97301

ADULT TEAM COMPETITION COMPETITOR'S PARTY

Remember all those show friends that you only see at shows and never quite have the time to catch-up with during the show, well here's your chance. After a fun day of competition come meet with them at the Competitor's dinner party. Take time to relax and chat.

Please pre-order your meals so that we will have plenty for everyone. Meals need to be ordered by May 15, 2007 so that the caterer will know how much to order. We urge you to submit this form with your show entry. We would hate to miss seeing you there!!

(if ordering more than one meal place the number of x's in the appropriate space)

TEAM NAME: _____

Name: _____

Address _____

e-mail _____

The charge for non competitors is \$6.50 Team members are free

Team member _____ x \$0.00 _____

non-competitor _____ x \$6.50 _____

Amount submitted _____

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ADULT AMATEUR
TEAM DRESSAGE COMPETITION

One registration form per team **Entries open: March 15, 2007** **Entries close: April 23, 2007**
Send entries to Gaye McCabe, 7985 Darling St. Se, Salem, OR 97317, (503) 378-0309

TEAM NAME: _____

_____ **Check here if you are an individual looking for teammates.**

Contact person for your team (trainer/organizer) _____ phone

Team Rider Information

Rider: _____

Rider: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

E-Mail: _____

Horse: _____

Horse: _____

Rider: _____

Rider : _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

E-Mail: _____

Horse: _____

Horse: _____

TEAM SPONSOR NAME/ or additional \$12.50 per competitor _____

VOLUNTEERS: All riders are required to fill a volunteer position - please complete area below.

1. Name: _____ Job Preference: _____

2. Name: _____ Job Preference: _____

3. Name: _____ Job Preference: _____

4. Name: _____ Job Preference: _____

Remember to sign up for the Saturday Night Dinner Party - The party is for all competitors and guests. The cost for competitors is free for competitors and \$6.50 for Non-competitors and friends. Everyone is welcome. The time of the Party will be announced with the ride times, but expected to be around 6:00 p.m. **So we know how much to prepare meals must be pre-ordered by May 15.**

ALL INFORMATION, FEES AND SIGNATURES MUST BE ENTERED ON THE ODS LEAGUE SHOW ENTRY FORM. THIS FORM IS FOR TEAM REGISTRATION ONLY. IT DOES NOT TAKE THE PLACE OF THE OFFICIAL SHOW ENTRY FORM.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

I [PRINT NAME HERE] _____ (hereafter, "Participant", which term includes Participant's parent or legally-appointed Guardian, if a minor), freely and voluntarily seek to participate in any or all programs, events and/or activities sanctioned, produced, or sponsored by the U.S. Dressage Federation ("USDF") that include educational and training programs, youth programs, clinics, and/or competitions at any time and at any location. These activities, programs, and events will hereafter be referred to as "the Activities," and the USDF, together with its sponsors, managers, property owners, officials, organizers and affiliates and their respective directors, officers, members, employees, agents, volunteers, representatives, and designated officials will collectively be referred to as "Event Sponsor."

In consideration of the Event Sponsor allowing Participant to participate in the Activities, now and in the future, Participant agrees as follows:

1. *Acknowledgment of Inherent Risks of Equine Activities/Assumption of Risks.* Participant acknowledges that there are numerous inherent risks of equine activities, whether preparing for, entering, attending, participating in, or leaving the Event. The inherent risks include those dangers and conditions which are an integral part of equine activities, including, *but not limited to:* (a) the propensity of an equine or other animal to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (b) the unpredictability of the equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movements and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (c) certain hazards such as surface or subsurface conditions; (d) collisions with other animals or objects; (e) the potential of a participant or other Participant to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant, Participant, or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within his or her ability; (f) the breakage or failure of tack or other equipment; and (g) the potential that an equine or animal may cause injury or harm to the rider or other persons or animals in the vicinity. *Participant is not relying on Event Sponsor to list within this document all possible inherent risks or all risks of participating in any of the Activities at any location.*

2. *Waiver and Release of Liability.* With full knowledge and appreciation of these and other inherent risks associated with equine activities and the Activities, Participant freely and voluntarily assumes the risks of the equine activities involved in any aspect of them. In this connection, Participant also voluntarily agrees to waive any and all rights to sue and hereby releases the Event Sponsor from all liability, loss, claims, or actions for injury, death, expenses, or damage to person or property resulting from the inherent risks of the Event, or resulting from any action or inaction by the Event Sponsor. This waiver and release is effective even if the injury, death or damage to person or property is caused by, or contributed to by, actions or failure to act of the Event Sponsor and which actions or inactions constitute ordinary negligence or a violation of any applicable law pertaining to equine activity liabilities. Neither Participant nor Participant's representatives shall make any claim against, maintain an action against, or recover from the Event Sponsor or its sponsors, directors, officers, members, employees, agents, volunteers, representatives, designated officials, or others acting on their behalf for injury, loss, damage or death of the Participant, to the Participant's horse, or to the Participant's personal property (regardless of ordinary negligence by the Event Sponsor or regardless of an alleged violation of an applicable equine activity liability law).

3. *Equine Liability Act.* Should the Activities take place in a state with an equine activity liability law, Participant acknowledges reading the applicable state warnings and/or provisions set forth below and on the next page (if any).

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In accordance with Oregon Revised Statutes 30.691, Participant (or persons or entities affiliated with Participant), as a condition of participation in The Event, further waives the right to bring an action against the Event Sponsor (as defined in the Assumption of Risk, Waiver, or Release of Liability) for any injury or death arising out of riding, training, grooming or riding as a passenger upon the equine

4. *Miscellaneous.* This document is intended to be as broad and inclusive as applicable state law permits. If any clause conflicts with applicable law, only that clause will be void but the remainder shall stay in full force and effect.

**I HAVE READ THIS ASSUMPTION OF RISK, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY,
I UNDERSTAND THAT IT IS RELEASE OF CLAIMS AND THAT I AM ASSUMING RISKS INHERENT TO MY
PARTICIPATION, AND I AGREE TO BE FULLY BOUND BY ITS TERMS**

Signature of Participant Date

Print Name of Participant

Full Address of Participant
(Revised form 1/07)

**Gaye McCabe
7985 Darling St. Se
Salem, OR 97301**

To: