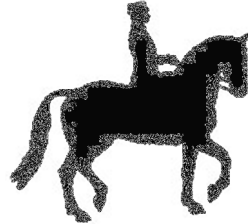


2013 WOODBROOK HUNT

Modified D DRESSAGE RALLY

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2013



Location: Grays Harbor County Fairgrounds, 32 Elma McCleary Road; Elma WA 98541

Registration Closing Date: February 13, 2013

Cost: \$225 per team (including stabling up to 4 horses and a tack room)

Rally Organizer: Tricia Stewart-Black 253-381-5647 tricia001@comcast.net

Judge: Amanda Wilgendorf

Chief Horse Management Judge: Linda Hagerman

Technical Delegate (TD): Betty Galambos

Entries: Mail to Tricia Stewart-Black: 14202 86th Ave. E. ; Puyallup, WA 98373

Registration questions? Please call: 253-381-5647 or email: tricia001@comcast.net

Tests:

There will be 2 tests ridden by each rider. Participants may choose to ride the THE SAME test twice OR two different tests within the same category (walk-trot only or walk-trot-canter). The first test will be ridden as usual (no music). The second test will be performed with music of the rider's choosing. THIS IS NOT A MUSICAL FREESTYLE. The music selection can be simple: 1 song starts when you begin riding, and we stop the song when your ride is complete. OR you can mix or have a compilation of songs for your ride.

Our goal is to introduce musicality to riding – learning to match horse and rider, at varying gaits, to music.

You may choose from the following tests:

For walk-trot only: 2011 USDF intro test A and/or 2011 USDF intro test B

For walk-trot-canter: 2011 USDF intro test C and/or 2011 USEF Beginner Novice test A

Example:

For walk-trot:

Rider #1: 1st ride Intro test A, 2nd ride (to music) Intro test B

Rider #2: 1st ride Intro test A, 2nd ride (to music) Intro test A

For walk-trot-canter:

Rider #3: 1st ride Intro test C, 2nd ride (to music) Beginner Novice test A

For the rides with music, please provide two copies of your music on CD to the show secretary at, or prior to, the competitors' briefing. Have CDs in ziplock (waterproof) bag with competitor name and number on the bag. Write down specific instructions for start/finish times (ex: "please turn off when I halt at X at end of ride", or "please turn on when I enter the arena"). If no specific instructions are given, music will be turned on when you signal with a hand up before you enter the ring, and will play until your ride is finished. We will be testing music on Saturday morning. Be prepared to report to the show office when requested.

Please make sure that your choice of music is
"language" appropriate.

Changes to the rules specific to qualifying rallies are as follows:

- Dressage tests may be ridden from memory but readers will be available to read your test if you would prefer.
- We highly recommend your second test (the one you will ride to music) be memorized, as the musicality will suffer with a reader.
- This is a non-qualifying rally. Our goal is to introduce riders to rallying and to assist in the progression to musical freestyles. The scoring for all parts of this competition will be from USDF or USEF scoresheets, for the appropriate test. *There will be an extra score for the test ridden to music that will reflect the judge's opinion on suitability/musicality/flow of the music selected to the test ridden.*

Rules:

USPC Handbook and Rules for Dressage Competition 2012

2013 Dressage Newsletter (should be available by the end of January 2013)

USPC Horse Management Handbook and Rules for Competitions 2010 which include the Uniform Officiating Rules of USPC

2013 Horse Management Newsletter (should be available by the end of January 2013)

(Don't forget your medical armband and USPC Medical Card)

See rule changes above

Arenas and Footing:

The Competition arena is indoors and is a sand, clay and dirt mixture. Warm up will take place in a covered arena of sand, clay and dirt mixture.

All tests will be ridden in a small sized dressage arena (20m X 40m)

Stabling:

Stalls for 24 hours are included in the entry fee. The 24 hours could include Friday night arrival, and Saturday evening departure or Saturday morning arrival and Saturday evening departure. Please note that your horse is your responsibility until the rally begins Saturday morning (there is no horse management crew available). Overnight stay is optional. **BRING YOUR OWN BEDDING – NONE WILL BE PROVIDED.** No bedding purchases will be available on site. Stalls **MUST BE STRIPPED** at the end of the rally. Each competitor's stall must be "checked out" by a Horse Management judge prior to departure.

Team Information:

- Teams may be made up of members of D1 through D3 riding/mounted certification. Any horse management certification level is acceptable. For example, a C2HM can compete as long as their riding certification is D3 or lower).
- Teams may arrive at the Fairgrounds between 6 and 9pm on Friday between 5 and 6:30am on Saturday. Participants **MUST** arrive before the competitor briefing at 7am.
- *****If you must arrive after 9pm on Friday, please call the organizer to make arrangements (253-381-5647)*****
- Unloading and parking will be tight so please be patient and respectful of others.
- Tack rooms will be in stalls and teams may want to consider a tarp or other floor covering.
- Tack room set up may begin upon arrival by team members only upon authorization by Horse Management.
- **Assistance is limited upon arrival. Individuals who are neither Competitors nor Rally Officials must leave the barn area immediately after unloading mounts and equipment, unless they are walking mounts while the competitor is setting up the stall area.** We need volunteer assistance early in the rally, so once you have unloaded and parked, please come to the show office to get an assignment to help with the rally.

Coaches – Coaching is allowed, but not required, in Dressage for all levels. Please limit coaching to two teams per coach. Please return a signed coaching form for each team.

Volunteers/Chaperones:

- Each team is required to have one chaperone on site at all times during rally hours. A chaperone must be 21 or older and not a club member, and may also be a volunteer.
- **Each team is required to have two volunteers available to assist at the rally. Chaperones can be volunteers.**

Food:

Teams should plan to bring snacks and drinks to have in the barns. **Light** Concessions including breakfast, lunch, and hot and cold drinks will be available Saturday. Stores and restaurants are available a few miles away in Elma (see below).

Important Site Information:

- Pets are not allowed.
- Be cooperative with volunteers directing traffic when arriving and unloading!
- Barns close at 9 p.m. Quiet time for campers begins at 10 p.m. If you must arrive after 9pm on Friday, please call the organizer to make arrangements (253-381-5647).

Refunds:

Refunds will be given only upon receipt of a doctor or veterinarian's certificate. Up to the closing date, a \$5.00 administration fee will be charged; after the closing date, a \$15.00 fee will be charged. The remainder of the entry fee will be refunded upon receipt of documentation.

Directions to Grays Harbor County Fairgrounds:

From Olympia:

From I-5 Southbound Take Aberdeen turn-off, Exit #104 for Hwy 101, keep left on Hwy 8 toward Montesano-Aberdeen. Proceed about 20 miles. Turn right onto Fairgrounds road, then turn right onto Elma McCleary road. Watch for large "Fairgrounds" sign on your right.

From Chehalis/Centralia:

Proceed north on I-5 to the Aberdeen turn-off exit #88

Drive 27 miles to Elma. In Elma turn right at stop sign to Fairgrounds.

Accommodations:

Camping is available on site for \$20 per day. Power and water hookups available. Showers available onsite.

Hotel:

Guest House Inn & Suites Elma, WA 866-649-6924

Restaurants:

Rusty Tractor Family Restaurant: 602 East Young St. Elma

Subway 404 West Main Street, Elma

El Ranchon Family Mexican Restaurant, Elma

Pioneer Grill 410 West Main Street, Elma

Videography & Photography:

Moving Images NW may be available

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Tentative Schedule of Events

Friday, February 22nd

- 6 pm -9pm Teams may arrive - **You will be entirely responsible for your horses' care overnight.** Basic orientation information will be provided upon your arrival.
- If you must arrive after 9pm on Friday, please call the organizer to make arrangements (253-381-5647).

Saturday, February 23rd

- 5-6:30 am Arrival and set up tack rooms upon authorization by Horse Management
 - 7AM Competitor briefing and office Opening, volunteer meeting to follow
 - 8AM Horse Inspections and Helmet Checks
 - 9:30AM Turnout inspections begin - refer to schedule in your packet
 - 10:30AM Rides begin for Ride #1
 - 1:30 Ride #1 is finished
 - 1:30 – 2:00 Lunch
 - 2:00 Rides begin for Ride #2 (to music)
 - 5:00 Ride #2 is finished
- Upon authorization from Horse Management, competitors may begin to pack up their tack rooms and bring rally equipment to your trucks/trailers.
PLEASE DO NOT BRING TRUCKS AND TRAILERS TO THE BARN AREA during this time.
NO LOADING OF HORSES until after awards ceremony

**PLEASE be patient as our scorekeepers check and double check the scores. This can take a bit of time and we ask for your understanding if it takes a bit more than we all would wish for.
The important thing is that we get it right!!!**

- 6:00? Awards ceremony begins
- ?? Departure for home after a GREAT Rally!!!!

**This is a tentative schedule!
You will receive your official rally schedule and team packet when you arrive.**

2013 Modified D Dressage Rally, February 23, 2013

Team Entry Form --- Due by February 13, 2013 --- Please Print Clearly!

Club: _____ (Catch Team? _____)

DC Certification: As District Commissioner, I certify that all team members are members in good standing with all fees paid; that riders on this form have chosen appropriate tests and are qualified to compete at the indicated levels; and that the horses are appropriate Pony Club mounts.

D.C. Signature: _____

Team Chaperone: _____ Chaperone Cell: _____

Team Information: Team Captain: _____ Phone: _____

Dressage Test Choices:

Walk-trot: 2011 USDF Intro A, 2011 USDF Intro B

Walk-trot-canter: USDF Intro C, 2011 USEF Beginner Novice A

Rider Name	Certification	Age (1/1/13)	1 st Test	2nd Test (to music)	Horse's name
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Stable Manager name					

TEAM COACH (1 per team): Name: _____ cell _____

Email: _____

Fees Enclosed:

- \$225 per team (3 or 4 riders)
- includes up to 4 stalls
- and tack room

Total----- \$ _____

Camping is \$20 per night PAY UPON ARRIVAL **DO NOT SEND CAMPING FEES NOW**

Please check that the following are enclosed with your entry:

- ___ Completed Team Entry Form (1 per team)
- ___ USPC Uniform Chaperone Rules / Duties form(s) (1 per chaperone)
- ___ Volunteer Form (1per team / minimum of 2 volunteers per team required)
- ___ Dressage Coach Form (1per team)
- ___ Team Entry Check – club check payable to Woodbrook Hunt Pony Club (WHPC)

Entry completed by (print legibly):

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____ **E-mail:** _____

Packets are not considered "received" until all paperwork is complete. Please check forms carefully.
Send entries to: Tricia Stewart-Black; 14202 86th Ave. E. Puyallup, WA 98373

DRESSAGE RALLY VOLUNTEER FORM – 2 VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED PER TEAM
RETURN FORM WITH ENTRY PACKET

Calling all volunteers! Each club is expected to provide a minimum of **two** volunteers per team. Specific job assignments and time slots will be posted on the volunteer schedule by the Rally office Saturday morning. Volunteers, please attend the volunteer meeting, just following the competitor meeting at 7am. Please arrive for your assignment prior to noted start time for overview of duties. Cell phone numbers are very important for each individual.

Name _____

Name _____

E-Mail _____

E-Mail _____

Cell phone _____

Cell phone _____

Job Choices _____

Job Choices _____

Circle time availability

Circle time availability

SATURDAY Morning Afternoon

SATURDAY Morning Afternoon

Name _____

Name _____

E-Mail _____

E-Mail _____

Cell phone _____

Cell phone _____

Job Choices _____

Job Choices _____

Circle day and time availability

Circle day and time availability

SATURDAY Morning Afternoon

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Volunteer Assignments:

If a volunteer has experience in a specific area, especially ring set up, gatekeeper or warm up arena, please make a note of it.

WARM-UP ARENA

ASSIST WITH HORSE INSPECTIONS

HORSE MANAGEMENT

SCOREKEEPING

SCRIBE

PARKING

TEST READER

RUNNERS

GATE KEEPER

NIGHT WATCH

ANNOUNCER

EMT

VETERINARIAN

FARRIER

**If you aren't sure what to volunteer for, just sign up and we'll make sure you know what to do. We'll need lots of help to make sure the rally runs well. Thank you.*