

GREATER SUDBURY DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION



2010

Bronze & Silver Dressage Competition Prizelist

Trillium Dressage Competitions are governed by

NATIONAL RULES OF CANADA
EQUINE CANADA
CANADA HIPPIQUE

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<u>SHOW SCHEDULE</u>	<u>JUDGE</u>	<u>STEWARD</u>	<u>ENTRIES CLOSE</u>
Saturday, July 10 th /10	Joanna Crilly	Sue Foell	Friday, June 25 th /10
Sunday, July 11 th /10	Joanna Crilly	Sue Foell	Friday, June 25 th /10
Saturday, Aug 7 th /10	Elaine Potter	Marilyn Elkin	Friday, July 23 rd /10
Sunday, Aug 8 th /10	Elaine Potter	Marilyn Elkin	Friday, July 23 rd /10

OFFICIAL EQUINE CANADA STATEMENT

The GSDA Bronze and Silver competitions sanctioned competitions and recognized member competitions of
Equine Canada
2685 Queensview Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa, Ontario, K2B 8K2
and are governed by the Rules of the Federation.

EQUINE CANADA STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE

The Equine Canada (EC), the National Federation of Canada, supports adherence to humane treatment of horses in all competitions under its jurisdiction. The EC is committed to:

- Upholding the welfare of horses, regardless of value as a primary consideration in all activities.
- Requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect, and compassion that they deserve, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment.
- Ensuring that owners, trainers, exhibitors and their agents use responsible care in handling, treatment and transportation of their 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, sanitation and safety as a matter of standard operating procedure.
- Continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare.
- Increasing education in training and horsemanship practices.
- Requiring owners, trainers, and exhibitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions.
- Reviewing, revising and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of horses.

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

PERSON RESPONSIBLE

The person responsible for a horse is 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. This person is liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violation of the EC Rules. The Person Responsible must hold an EC individual or group License (see A203.5). For the purpose of these rules, the Person Responsible is normally the trainer, owner or the competitor who rides the horse during an event, or a parent or legal guardian of Junior competitors.

The Person Responsible must sign the Entry Form and provide his/her EC membership number.

GENERAL RULES AND CONDITIONS

1. 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
2. Competitors are responsible for knowing all the rules of competition especially those of Equine Canada.
3. The organizing committees reserve the right to limit entries, divide classes and govern all conditions of the competitions.
4. Any horse entered in any class may, while on the competition grounds, be selected for equine medication control testing
5. Neither sponsors, nor the organizing committee, nor the Greater Sudbury Dressage Association (GSDA) will be held responsible for any damage, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of the exhibitors or the spectators.
6. Entries must be received, by the secretary **NO LATER** than 10 days prior to the competition date unless otherwise stated. Entries cancelled **BEFORE** the closing date may receive a full refund (less administration fee). **NO REFUNDS** after the closing date. **Stabling is NON-REFUNDABLE** and there are **NO CARRYFORWARDS**.
7. The stabling fee is \$30.00/night and is subject to HST. **Bedding will not be provided.** Therefore, competitors are responsible for providing their own bedding.
8. Incomplete entries will be subject to a \$10.00 administration fee.
9. Faxed entries will be subject to \$10.00 surcharge and fall under the same guide lines as stated in rule (6).
- 10. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the show committee. A \$20.00 late fee will be applied.**
11. All waivers **MUST** be signed before the rider is permitted to compete.
- 12. Proof of a valid Coggins test MUST accompany each Silver entry.**
13. Non-GSDA members will be charged a \$10.00 non-GSDA member fee per competition.
14. Hors-concours entries are allowed.
15. It is the rider's responsibility to obtain riding times for all classes. Riding times will be available the Wednesday before the show after 5 pm. Riding times may also be posted on www.gsda.info .
16. Test sheets and ribbons will be available to competitors as soon as possible after the class is completed.
17. Competitors are responsible for having their own tack checked, while still mounted, by the designated steward immediately after leaving the competition ring.
18. All protests must be addressed to the Secretary. They must be filed in writing with Secretary within 48 hours of the completion of the class concerned and **MUST** be accompanied with a \$55.00 deposit.
19. The competitor's number must be visible at all times, whenever the horse is being warmed up, schooled, mounted or shown.
20. **ALL Bronze** riders and **ALL junior** competitors must wear approved helmet with harness and secure footwear with heel.
21. There is **NO** smoking inside any of the buildings, particularly the barns. For safety reasons, access to any and all buildings will be restricted to **Person Responsible for horse and a groom.**
22. Children must be supervised at all times.
- 23. Please leave your dogs at home.**

24. All classes will run as Open divisions. Adult Amateur and Junior divisions will be offered only where entries warrant division. **The GSDA reserves the right to divide or combine any classes if there are insufficient entries.**
25. Ribbons are awarded to 5th place for Juniors only. Introductory, Bronze and Silver will have Champion and Reserve Champion.
26. Start time for competition will be no later than 8:00 am sharp.
27. For membership requirements, please see Section A General Regulation A302 and Section E Dressage Rule 3.0, available on the EC website.
28. Photocopies of OEF, EC, Horse License stickers as applicable of the rider and horse owner **MUST** accompany all entries.
29. The competition ring will be available for schooling until 7 pm the night before the competition. After 7 pm, the competition ring will be closed without exception and competitors are to school in the warm-up ring. No schooling or exercising of horses will be permitted in the competition ring the day of competition.
30. Horses are permitted to arrive on competition grounds no earlier than 4 pm on the day prior to competition. Any horses arriving earlier than 4 pm will be charged an early arrival fee of \$ 20.00.
31. Horses must depart by 6 pm on the day of competition unless other stabling arrangements have been made.
32. For walk/trot classes, the Equine Canada tests will be used. The tests are located on the Dressage Canada website www.dressagecanada.ca.

ALL RULES APPLY AS WRITTEN TO ALL COMPETITIONS/CLINICS.

WE ENCOURAGE ALL COMPETITORS TO MAKE SURE THAT THEY UNDERSTAND THE RULES AND CONDITIONS. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO ASK.

COMPETITION DETAILS

TEST SCHEDULE	SUNDAY, JULY 10 TH	SUNDAY, JULY 11 TH	SATURDAY, AUG 7 TH	SUNDAY, AUG 8 TH
Training Level – Second Level	1 & 2	3 & 4	2 & 3	3 & 4
Third Level –Fourth Level	1 & 2	2 & 3	1 & 2	2 & 3
EC Walk/Trot (Bronze & Silver)	A & B	A & B	A & B	A & B
Dressage Equitation	Group Class	Group Class	Group Class	Group Class
Location	Arabask Farms	Arabask Farms	Arabask Farms	Arabask Farms
Food & Refreshments Available	YES	YES	YES	YES

Stabling: Limited stabling is available at the cost of \$ 30.00 per day/night plus GST(bedding included), per horse. Please make all stabling cheques payable to Miro Czerkas. **Stabling is non-refundable.**

FEE SCHEDULE	BRONZE	SILVER
Introductory Level Walk/Trot	\$ 30.00/class	\$40.00/class
Training Level – Fourth Level	\$ 30.00/class	\$ 40.00/class
Pick-A-Test & Dressage Equitation	\$25.00/class	N/A
Turn-Out	N/C (Horse & Rider)	N/C (Horse & Rider)
(walk/trot) test Equine Canada (EC)		
ADDITIONAL FEES		
Administration Fee	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00
Non-GSDA Member Fee	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.00
Late Fee	\$ 20.00	\$ 20.00
Fax Fee	\$10.00	\$10.00
Incomplete Entry	\$10.00	\$10.00
Drug Fee	\$ 3.50	\$ 7.00
Dressage Canada Levy	\$ 7.00	\$ 7.00

PLEASE NOTE THAT EACH DAY IS A SEPARATE COMPETITION AND THUS COMPETITORS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT SEPARATE ENTRIES FOR EACH DAY OF COMPETITION.

ALL TESTS WILL BE RIDDEN IN THE 20X60 RING.

N.B. The SILVER AND BRONZE COMPETITIONS WILL RUN CONCURRENTLY.

Please refer to the Competition Details regarding which tests are offered at each competition. If any competitor wishes to compete in a higher level than second level or in a freestyle, please **speak with the show secretary two weeks prior to the closing date.**

The administration fees apply to each day of Competition, however if the same horse/rider combination wishes to cross enter bronze and silver on the same day only one administration fee is required.

Emergency medical assistance will be available at all GSDA competitions. A first-aid attendant will be present on competition grounds. Veterinarian and farrier will be on-call.

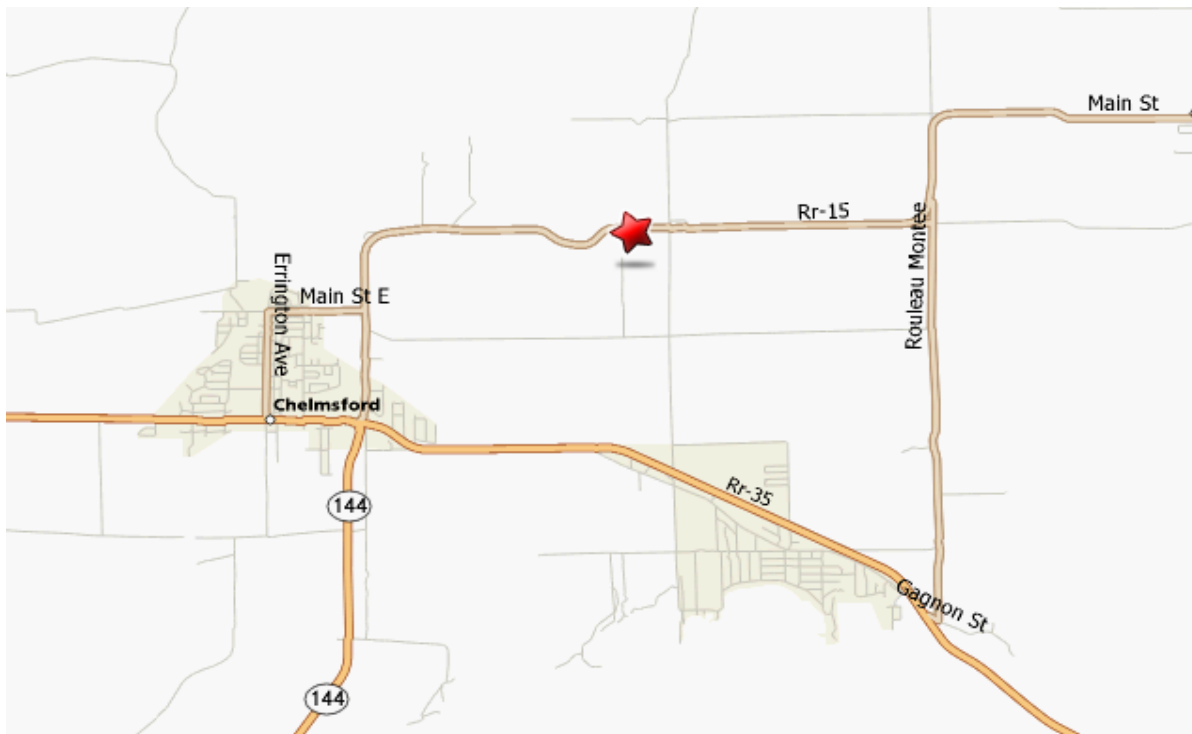
DIRECTIONS TO COMPETITION GROUNDS

For the 2010 competition season, all competitions will be hosted at Arabask Farms in Chelmsford, Ontario.

ARABASK FARMS' ADDRESS

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MAP



DIRECTIONS

On 144 head north to the corner of RR #35 and 144. Go through the lights (144 turns in RR #15). Follow RR #15 past the Bonaventure Mall and Independent Grocer for approximately 8 minutes. Arabask Farms will appear on the left hand side (4028). It is across from the back of Sudbury Downs and across from the parking lot of the Knights of Columbus Hall.

From Sudbury, follow RR #35 to Azilda. Pass the Tim Horton's on the left hand side. After the Tim Horton's, at the second set of lights, turn right on to Montee Principale. Follow Montee Principale to the first and only stop sign. Turn left on to RR #35 (there isn't a street sign, but there's a gas station and Lion's Club Hall). Arabask Farms is the 4th house on the right (4028) across from the Knight's of Columbus Hall.

YEAR-END AWARDS AND TRILLIUM CHAMPIONSHIPS

TRILLIUM CHAMPIONSHIPS

Eastern Division

Sunday September 12, 2010

Spiritwood Farm, North Gower, Ontario

Western Division

Saturday September 18, 2010

Blue Star Farm, Mount Albert, Ontario

CADORA-ONTARIO AWARDS

Year-end Silver Dressage Awards

To be eligible for the Silver Dressage Awards a competitor must be a Cadora-Ontario Member effective June 1st of the competition year. Year-end awards are given in each class level and category (Open/Adult Amateur/Junior) in the core program.

Cadora-Ontario Challenge

In order to be a part of the Cadora-Ontario Challenge, riders must be Cadora-Ontario members and compete in a minimum of three (3) Silver dressage competitions as well as the Silver Dressage Championships. This is a user-friendly programme in that competitors' scores are tracked and tabulated by the co-ordinator of the Challenge. Results from the current competition season are combined with Championship results to determine the winners, one of AA, Jr & O at each level (Training through Fourth, freestyles not included). [N.B. In the event that the Silver Dressage Championship is not held, awards will not be given at that level.]

Please see the Cadora-Ontario website for more information <http://www.cadora.ca/cadora-ontario>