



****Saturday, August 29 2020 DRESSAGE TEST – Show and Tell**
Location: Metchosin Ring Metchosin BC Judge: TBD
Entry secretary: Eila Zylak 250 391-1851

Sooke Saddle Club has organized this day to help you with your dressage training. Offering all tests: EC, HCBC, Western Dressage tests (National or HCBC), Para, Eventing. You choose what test.

This is a schooling show and tell clinic set up in three phases (session includes this). You will ride a test, judged as normal. The judge will then go through your test with you, showing you where you can make improvements and pick up more marks. You will then ride the **same** test again, to see if you can improve on your original marks! You will be allotted 30 minutes per three phase "testing" session. You may have two sessions to ride the same test twice or a different test or a schooling session on a different horse. Please indicate preference on entry form. (Maximum per rider+horse combination – 2 sessions) The tests will be ridden in a 20X60.

For walk/trot and training level tests (includes **two** scored tests and analysis/instruction) the price is \$40 (SSC member) or \$50 (non SSC member). **Entries by August 21, 2020.**

Beverages and snacks will be available on the show ground. Please clean up all your hay, shavings and manure there is a gardener's bin on the grounds!

CLEANLINESS and CO-OPERATION is appreciated. THANK YOU!

NATIONAL DRESSAGE TESTS

<https://www.equestrian.ca/sport/dressage/tests>

HCBC tests and rules (English & Western)

<http://www.hcbc.ca/index.php/competitions/competition-documents/>

Western dressage – National tests, rules and patterns:

<http://www.westernstyledressage.ca/rules-tests-1.html>

If you would like to ride a different test (other than HCBC/EC/FEI Para/EC Eventing), please print two copies of those tests and we will accommodate your request. If you are a para rider or eventer or would like the use of a 20X40 ring, the times will be scheduled as the last rides of the day to allow "deconstruction" of the ring.

Things you should know about the show:

- Tests **are** allowed to be called.
- Dress code: clean and tidy attire (proper attire preferred but you are not judged on clothing). You are in front of a judge who judges several sanctioned shows on and off the Island.
 - Whips are allowed, protective leg wraps are allowed.
- Tack: snaffle bridles and no martingales (exceptions may be made but should be discussed with the show committee prior, curbs or hackamores allowed in Western dressage)
 - Classes will be run under HCBC & Equestrian Canada rules.
 - Please refer to the Canadian Dressage website (official rules)
 - Rosettes awarded
- High point junior member and High point senior member prizes.



ENTRY FORM Saturday, August 29 2020 DRESSAGE TEST
 Complete one form for each horse you're riding.

Rider Name: _____ Horse Name: _____

HCBC Number: _____ Email address: _____

Sooke Saddle Club Member? Y N

Please indicate which test(s) you will be riding clearly and at the very least please contact me the night before so we have enough copies.

Ribbons and prizes shall be awarded in accordance with the following chart of percentages (EC rules):

1st 60% or higher

2nd 57% to 59.9%

3rd 54% to 56.9%

4th 51% to 53.9%

No ribbons or prizes shall be awarded below 4th position

"Warm-up test" & judge's analysis/instruction & "final" test (SAME TEST each time)

All tests -- \$40 (SSC member) \$50 (non SSC member)

Sooke Saddle Club member: # ___ of sessions X \$40 = \$ _____

Non member: # ___ of sessions X \$50 = \$ _____

(maximum two "sessions" per rider & horse combination)

Rider Classification (Circle): Junior Senior

Test(s) being ridden: session 1: _____

session 2: _____

Mail entries, SSC & MES waiver, HCBC membership proof & cheque (payable to **Sooke Saddle Club**) to:

Eila Zylak

5051 LaBonne Road Victoria BC V9C 4C5

Total: \$ _____.

Phone for information: 250 391-1851

Make cheques payable to: **Sooke Saddle Club**

Entries must be received by Friday, August 21, 2020 as each ride is scheduled. We will have a waiting list. Please mail your entries in **EARLY!!! This will likely fill up quickly.**

Important Information

- You must sign SSC & MES waiver (at this or prior event).
- You must have proof of Horse Council insurance.
- All riders must wear helmets and boots.
- **DEADLINE: Friday August 21, 2020**