

Welcome to LEXINGTON SPRING DRESSAGE



May 15, 2017

Ride times will be posted on the show website by Tuesday May 16th.

Stall assignments will be available in the VHC stable office by Thursday, May 18th. Remember that NO initial bedding is provided. Preorders of five bags or more of shavings can be made by contacting the VHC at 540-464-2966 or stableoffice@horsecenter.org but delivery prior to arrival is not guaranteed. Exhibitors are permitted to bring shavings for personal use, but no fine sawdust allowed. Bedding and hay are available for purchase from VHC Stable Office. Also, please be reminded that participants are required to complete a stall ID card, listing contact information in the event of emergency.

The **show office** will be located in the **Anderson Coliseum**. **Office hours:** Noon-7pm Friday, 7am-6pm Saturday, 7am-1 hour after show ends on Sunday. **Chips and bottled water available at check-in on Friday** compliments of **Mary Phelps (Markel Insurance)**.

Stop by the show office each morning for **hot beverages and muffins** generously sponsored by **Jules Nyssen Dressage & Stonegate Farm**.

On Saturday afternoon at 5:00 pm, join us for the **Competitor's party** near the show office. We'll have wine, other beverages and hors d'oeuvres. The party is generously sponsored by **Bettina Longaker** in memory of Isabel DeSzinay.

Enjoy **Ice Cream & Cookies** Sunday afternoon in the show office, sponsored by **Gardy Bloemers, Merrill Lynch Wealth Management**.

NO horses (including non-competing horses) will be permitted on the grounds unless they have registered prior to arrival with the secretary and submitted a **current negative Coggins test**. You MUST present a copy of your horse's Coggins upon check-in at the stable office. You may also be requested to show a copy of your horse's health certificate if traveling from out of state. **Also, you must show documentation of your horse's Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within 6 months of the show.**

For those using **Mapquest**, the **physical address is:** Virginia Horse Center, 487 Maury River Road, Lexington, VA 24450. Take Exit I-81 onto I-64 West at Lexington, VA. Exit I-62 West at first exit (Lexington) and follow signs to the Virginia Horse Center.

Day parking for haul-ins is between the Big Lonely and North rings. **Vehicle parking** is permitted in any lot designated for vehicles.

Braiding and nightwatch services will be provided by **Kat Parkinson** (336-432-1234 or haleybot@hotmail.com). Competitors should contact Kat before the show. **Braiding services** will also be provided by **Karen Fulcher** (336-404-0640 or Redletterfarm@aol.com).

Professional handlers for DSHB classes: Bruce and Staci Griffin (GriffinSportHorses@gmail.com or www.GriffinSportHorses.com); Christine Smith (csmith@wldexpfm.com or 540-664-0234). You MUST make arrangements with them in advance.

To arrange **photography** or videography prior to your arrival, contact **John Snyder** with **High Time Photography**. Phone or text John at 336-671-4446 or email at hightimephotography@gmail.com prior to the show to sign up. You can also sign up for videos and photos in the show office. There is no cost or obligation to sign up for still photography, and while they make every effort to photograph every rider, signing up allows their photographers to prioritize and emphasize your ride. The website is: www.hightimephotos.com.

For directions and additional show information, visit the show website: www.rosinburg-events.com. Results are posted after every few rides on our website.

Other information:

- ◆ **High Score awards:** sponsored by Foxden Equine, GumBits, Dressage Today, Pierre Renard, Harbor Sweets, High Time Photography and others.
- ◆ **First-place class/division awards** and **ProAm Team Challenge awards** are generously sponsored by M&M Tack Shop.
- ◆ **Special awards** will be presented at the competitor's party on Saturday and after the show on Sunday.
- ◆ **SIGN UP** for the **Trainers Award, Pro Am Team Challenge, Newcomer** and **Groom** award when you check in at the show office!
- ◆ **Info on special breed awards will be sent separately. Bring your registry information to qualify for these awards.**

HEADGEAR RULE FOR DRESSAGE and DRESSAGE SPORT HORSE BREEDING

From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds, including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para-Equestrian tests, must wear protective headgear. **Handlers, assistant handlers and whip assistants of any age must wear protective headgear while handling or assisting in the competition ring.**

We look forward to seeing you this weekend in Lexington!

Janine and Dianne

Janine's cell: 919-602-6203; e-mail: JEMRPH@aol.com;

Dianne's cell: 703-850-9704; e-mail: greyhorse11@gmail.com

LOCK UP your valuables. Tack rooms and vehicles at the VHC are sometimes targeted by thieves! Report any suspicious activity!

QR codes for accessing the online scoring from mobile phone:

Class link:

Rider link:

Scratches link:



This is a USEF/USDF licensed Dressage Competition so horses entered in LSD may be exercised and ridden only in areas designated as part of this competition and outlined in this map.