Welcome to VIRGINIA SUMMER DRESSAGE



June 10, 2014

Ride times will be posted on the show website on Wednesday, June 11th.

Stall assignment blocks will be posted on the show website by Thursday, June 14^h. **Specific stall numbers** will be posted inside the show gate by 10:00 AM on Friday, June 14th. Stall bedding will be in the stalls when you arrive. The price of **extra bedding** is: **\$8.00** per bag of shavings. Please email Dianne Boyd with orders for extra shavings by Wednesday pm, if you want the shavings in your stall when you arrive. During the show, shavings will be available for purchase in the show office.

The **show office will be located in the HITS show office**, which is on the left side of the entrance drive. **Office hours**: Noon-7pm Friday, 7am-6pm Saturday, 7am-1 hour after show ends on Sunday.

Stop by the show office each morning for hot beverages and muffins generously sponsored by Wendy Smith-Boone.

On Saturday evening, join us for the **Competitor's party** at the HITS Showtime Cafe. We'll have wine, other beverages and hors d'oeuvres. The party is generously sponsored by **Ann Cavallito (Peak, Swirles & Cavallito Properties), Gardy Bloemers (Merrill Lynch Wealth Management) and Greber Dressage (Bruno and Barbara Greber)**. It will start around 5:30 pm - just after the end of classes on Saturday. The party is catered by the HITS staff and the food is plentiful and delicious! We'll have a fun trivia game with prizes!

At noon on Sunday, stop by the show office for Ice Cream and Cookies, generously sponsored by Pierucci Dressage and Pati Pierucci.

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.**

For those who are driving and using **Mapquest**, **the physical address is:** HITS Commonwealth Park, 13256 Commonwealth Parkway, Culpeper, VA 22701. Directions from US Rte 522/VA Rte 3 West, going towards Fredericksburg: Turn Left off the ramp, in less than 1/8 mile, turn right at the light onto Rte 522 South. Commonwealth Park is about 4 miles on the left.

Day parking for Dressage entries is permitted under the trees near the entrance to the dressage rings or in the stable area. **Day parking for DSHB** horses is adjacent to the DSHB ring. **DSHB** in-hand horses are not permitted to be exercised around the dressage performance rings at any time during the show! DSHB horses may be exercised in or around the DSHB ring. See map below.

To arrange **photography** prior to your arrival, contact **Christie or John Snyder at High Time Photography** by calling 336-671-4446 or email <u>hightimephotography@gmail.com</u> or sign up in the show office. You can view your pictures in their trailer located in their RV near the show office during the show. 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. Their website is <u>www.hightimephotos.com</u>

Videography will be provided by Video Vibes. Contact **Kathleen Cleary** at (703) 217-3954 or <u>kathleen.cleary414@gmail.com</u> for more info. If you did not order a **golf cart** before the show, a few will be available to rent through the show office, on a first-come basis.

Professional handlers available for the DSHB classes are Bruce and Staci Griffin (<u>GriffinSportHorses@gmail.com</u>) and Christine Smith (<u>csmith@wldexpfm.com</u> or 540-664-0234).

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

- High Score awards are generously sponsored by Foxden Equine, ThinLine Global, Dressage Today, Gambit Atlanta 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 and Groom award when you check in at the show office on FRIDAY!
- Don't forget to bring your breed registry papers to the Show Secretary to qualify for special breed awards!

HEADGEAR RULE FOR DRESSAGE

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.

We look forward to seeing you this weekend in Lexington!

Janine and Dianne

Janine's cell: 919-602-6203; e-mail: <u>JEMRPH@aol.com</u>; Dianne's cell: 703- 850-9704; e-mail: <u>greyhorse11@gmail.com</u>

LOCK UP your valuables. Tack rooms and vehicles are sometimes targeted by thieves! Be vigilant and report any suspicious activity in and around the barns.

QR codes for accessing the online scoring from mobile phone: By Class Results link: By Rider Results link:







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