

SHOW INFORMATION

October 29-31, 2010

IaDCTA Schooling Show & Series Championship

Iowa Equestrian Center

Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Entries Close: October 23, 2010

Ride Times Sent: October 27, 2010

Send entries to:

Rachel Wehrheim, Secretary

433 Pleasant View Dr. NE

Solon, IA 52333

medicineriverfarms@yahoo.com

Dressage Judge: Nena Denman

Saturday's Jump Judge: Sarah Hauschild

Sunday's Jump Judge: Bill Coester

Organizer & Show Manager: Iowa Dressage & Combined Training Association
319-624-2546; medicineriverfarms@yahoo.com

Veterinarian & Farrier: Names and numbers will be posted at the show office.

More information at: www.iadcta.org
www.iowaequestrian.com

Accommodations:

Numerous hotels are around I-380 exit #17 and exit #13 in the Cedar Rapids area.

Please visit www.cedar-rapids.com for hotel information.

Kirkwood Community College is pleased to announce the opening of its hotel. Please contact us at medicineriverfarms@yahoo.com or 319-624-2546 for more information.

Directions:

Cedar Rapids is located on I-380 and US Highway 30, 151 and 218. Kirkwood Community College is just south of Highway 30 and I-380 interchange. From I-380, take Exit 13 and go East to Kirkwood Blvd. Then turn left and go North until 76th Ave. and turn right. The Eastern Iowa Airport and area lodging are within five miles of the Kirkwood campus.

Please visit www.iowaequestrian.com for further directions.

Iowa Equestrian Center

6301 Kirkwood Blvd SW

Cedar Rapids, IA 52404

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, October 29, 2010

12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Arrival & Check-In
12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Arena Open for Schooling
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Exhibitor Welcome Party
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	<i>Equine Biomechanics Seminar</i> – Dr. Christine Woodford <i>Nutrition Seminar</i> – Abby Keegan

Saturday, October 30, 2010

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Dressage Competition
8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Vendors Open
12:00 p.m. – 12:45 p.m.	Dressage Championship Award Ceremony
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	Exhibitions & Costume Class
7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.	Gambler's Elimination & High Jump Contests

Sunday, October 31, 2010

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Jumping Competition
9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Vendors Open

**Schedule subject to changes.

***Concession Stand on Grounds with Breakfast, Lunch, & Dinner

ENTRY FEES:

Dressage Classes	\$ 15.00	Championship Classes	\$ 25.00
Combined Test Classes	\$ 25.00	Championship Classes	\$ 35.00
Jumping Classes	\$ 10.00		

Non-Member Fee \$ 15.00

Box Stall (Fri-Sun)	\$ 60.00	(includes 2 bags of bedding)
One-Day Stall	\$ 40.00	(includes 2 bags of bedding)
Extra Bedding (per bag)	\$ 7.00	
Jump-Out Fee (per horse)	\$ 20.00	(must park in designated area)
Camping Fee (per night)	\$ 20.00	(electric hook-up)

SHOW RULES:

Entries must be serviceably sound and in good condition.

No dogs allowed off leash.

No riding in barn aisles.

No smoking allowed in facilities.

Bringing alcoholic beverages onto the facility site is prohibited.

Riders must wear an ASTM/SEI approved helmet at all times when mounted. No exceptions.

Out of State: CURRENT Health Certificate & Neg. Coggins within 12 months required. Please enclose a copy of your Neg. Coggins with your entries.

In State Horses: No Coggins or Health Certificate.

ENTRIES & DATES

Entry blanks will be accepted ONLY when signed by owner AND his authorized rider or handler. They must be accompanied by a check for entries and stabling fees.

CLOSING DATE: OCTOBER 23, 2010

Entries must be received by the closing date. In the case of insufficient entries, the organizer may extend the closing date. Those entries received after the closing date, either the original published date or the extended date will not be accepted.

WAITING LISTS:

In the event of oversubscription at the opening date, a draw will be made and a waiting list established. Entries postmarked after the opening date will be accepted or placed on a waiting list on a chronological basis. At any time the Organizer may fill any places that become available with entries from the waiting list, provided those entries were received between the opening and closing dates. Entries placed on the waiting list and who do not participate will have the full amount of their entry and stabling fees refunded. Checks will not be cashed until accepted entry confirmation.

WITHDRAWALS:

- Notification of withdrawal must be given directly to the Secretary. If the horse is withdrawn prior to October 23rd, the entry and stabling fees will be refunded. After October 23rd, entry fees are non refundable unless refund request is accompanied by vet or doctor excuse.

ENTRY CONSIDERED COMPLETE WHEN:

- Complete entry form and copies of the qualifying tests for the championship classes.
- Rider and Owner **MUST** be signed on IaDCTA release form.
- Health Certificate must be presented at time of check-in (*out of state only*)
- Copy of current Coggins Test (*out of state only*)
- Payment for entry fees, stabling, camping, and other fees (*if applicable*)

STABLING

Stalls are available upon request at the cost of \$40.00 per day or \$60.00 for the weekend. Stalls are 10' x 10' and made of wood and have lime flooring with rubber mats. One bag of sawdust per day will be provided. Additional bags will be available at \$7.00 per bag. A jump-out fee of \$20.00 per horse will be assessed for those not needing stalls. A designated area in the parking lot will be made for all jump-out horses. Jump-out horses will not be allowed to use the wash racks or other amenities offered in the stabling barn and must enter via the warm-up arena. Hay will NOT be available for sale. All Exhibitors shall provide their own feeds and feeding equipment and shall be responsible for watering their horses and maintaining the cleanliness of their stalls and respective areas. Exhibitors shall bring their own cleaning tools and will empty manure in the designated disposal area. An attempt will be made to isolate the stallions from the mares and geldings. The stall fronts and sides have bar partitions. Participants are to report to the Stabling Office prior to unloading for stall assignments. Stalls will be available at 12:00 p.m. on Friday, October 29th, and must be vacated at the close of the show, Sunday, October 31st.

Competition Rules & Regulations

- For safety reasons all riders are **required** to wear an ASTM approved safety helmet with harness when mounted.
- Ribbons awarded to 6 places. Please refer to class list for classes that will be placed as one division.
- A horse/rider combo may only enter two consecutive levels. Horses also may only enter two consecutive levels if ridden by different riders. Horses ridden by two riders are limited to four Dressage, two CT tests, or three Jumping classes.
- Junior/Young Riders (JR/YR) are ages 21 and under and Amateur Adults (AA) are ages 22 and over as of the beginning of the show year.
- Limit riders are Junior or Amateur Adult riders in their first year of Dressage regardless of age. Equipment is optional for limit riders however a simple snaffle bit is required and tests must be ridden as written. Limit riders should enter the appropriate age division (JR or AA) at the level they ride and declare limit on entry form. Any questions regarding appropriate level should go to Manager. Jumping must be done in an English style saddle.
- Be sure to nominate each horse rider combination to be eligible for the Championship Show and Yearend awards.
- Entry fees are non refundable after closing unless refund request is accompanied by vet or doctor excuse.
- Late entries will be accepted if schedule allows – ride time schedule will be emailed to all riders 3 days prior to the show.
- 2-Phase Combined Test Dressage Classes will be held on Saturday, October 30th. Jumping will be held on Sunday, October 31st.

2010 Iowa Dressage and Combined Training Association Championships and Awards

Purpose

1. To encourage and support a high standard of horsemanship in dressage and eventing by awarding achievement in IaDCTA approved shows.
2. To recognize achievement to those riders who consistently earn good scores.
3. To encourage participation in dressage and eventing schooling shows as a way to educate members for USDF and USEA Recognized shows.

Horse/Rider Qualifications Requirements:

1. Rider, trainer and/or owner must be IaDCTA member at the time qualifying scores are earned.
2. Each Horse/Rider combination must be nominated at the time qualifying scores are earned.
3. Nomination fee for each horse/rider combination must be paid prior to the time qualifying scores are earned.
4. Rider may only qualify to win at two consecutive levels on the same horse, but riders may qualify as many horses as they wish.
5. For each level, a horse/rider combination may only win the championship once. You may win in only 2 consecutive levels in the same year.
6. If riders share a horse, the horse will be limited to four rides per day at two consecutive levels and only one horse/rider combination per level or class.
7. A protective ASTM approved hard hat with chin harness must be worn when mounted.
8. **Definitions of Rider Divisions:**
 - **Adult amateur:** for Dressage, competitors shall compete as Adults from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach age 22(USEF rules GR101).
 - **Open** division is for professionals as described by USEF rules GR1306.

- **Junior** riders are 21 and under.
9. Cross-entering divisions is not allowed. (i.e., cannot enter Open and AA.)
 10. **Limit** riders are Junior or Adult Amateur riders in their first year of dressage. Equipment is optional, however a simple snaffle bit is required and the tests must be ridden as written. Limit riders may enter classes according to age and are encouraged to enter the appropriate riding level. If unsure of level, please contact a board member or the show manager.
 11. Copies of the qualifying tests must be submitted with the Championship show entry form.
 12. Perform at least one type of service per horse/rider combination. Please report volunteer service to the volunteer chair or log on the website.
 - Complete 5 hours of volunteer time.
 - Recruit 4 new members to IaDCTA.
 - Raise \$200.00 in sponsorship money for IaDCTA. (example: breed association sponsorship)

The IaDCTA Championships

A championship show will be held each year to determine the Year-End Champion for each division in Dressage and 2 Phase Eventing. A list of the IaDCTA recognized schooling shows will be posted either in the Collection or on the website at least 30 days prior to the show. The only USDF Recognized shows allowed will be the Iowa Dressage Classic I&II.

Dressage Championship:

Dressage will be offered at Introductory through Fourth level in Open, Adult Amateur and Junior divisions. Musical Freestyle in test of choice and FEI test of choice will be offered with JR, AA and Open in a combined division.

To qualify for the IaDCTA Championships, each horse/rider combination must earn a total of three qualifying scores from highest test of the level. The qualifying scores must be at three different IaDCTA recognized schooling shows or from the Iowa Dressage Classic I & II, from three different judges at the minimum scores as listed below.

Championship ride will be the highest test of the level, from memory and with no whips. Copies of the qualifying tests must be submitted with the championship show entry form.

Minimum Qualifying Dressage Scores

Level	Open	Adult Am.	Junior
Intro	65%	60%	60%
Training	65%	60%	60%
First	64%	60%	60%
Second	62%	58%	58%
Third	60%	57%	57%
Fourth	60%	57%	57%

The minimum qualifying score is 60% for Freestyle test of choice and FEI test of choice.

Combined Test Championship- 2 Phase

Combined test championships will be offered at Green as Grass, Pre-beginner Novice, Beginner Novice, Novice, Training, and Preliminary, in Open, Adult Amateur and Junior divisions.

To qualify for the Combined Test Championships, each horse/rider combination must have placed between 1st and 4th place at a given level, in two different IaDCTA recognized schooling shows.

Dressage Division:

All Dressage and Combined Test Dressage classes will be held on Saturday, October 30, 2010.

Tests will be ridden in a 20 x 60 meter standard dressage arena. All classes will be held in the indoor arena. In the event of oversubscription, some tests may be ridden in the outdoor arena.

Show will follow IaDCTA/USDF/USEF Rules for Competition.

2007 USDF/USEF Dressage Tests will be used for the Dressage Division.

2010 USEA/USEF Dressage Tests will be used for the Combined Test Division.

Designated times will be scheduled throughout the day to recognize the winners of the dressage classes.

Costume Class: Open to any horse or rider. Costumes can range from the very simple to the very elaborate. All costumes must be functional and safe whether the horse is ridden or led.

101. Amateur Handler in Hand (JR/YR, AA, CH)
102. Intro A (JR/YR, AA, Open)
103. Intro B (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
104. Training Test 1 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
105. Training Test 2 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
106. Training Test 3 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
107. Training Test 4 (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
108. First Test 1 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
109. First Test 2 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
110. First Test 3 (JR/YR, AA, Open)
111. First Test 4 (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
112. Second Level TOC (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
113. Third Level TOC (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
114. Fourth Level TOC (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
115. FEI Test of Choice (Combined, CH)
116. Musical Freestyle—Specify Level (Combined, CH)
117. Quadrille—Test of Choice (Combined, CH)
118. Pas de Deux—TOC (Combined, CH)
119. Prix Caprilli TOC (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
120. Costume Class (Combined)

Combined Test Division:

Dressage Tests will be held on Saturday, October 30, 2010

Jumping Phase will be held on Sunday, October 31, 2010

Tests will be ridden in a 20 x 60 meter standard dressage arena. All classes will be held in the indoor arena. In the event of oversubscription, some tests may be ridden in the outdoor arena.

Both phases must be ridden by the same horse and rider combination. The stadium jumping phase will be timed. Elimination in either phase of CT constitutes elimination from the remaining CT competition.

Show will follow IaDCTA/USEA/USEF Rules for Competition.

2010 USEA/USEF Dressage Tests will be used for the Combined Test Division.

Designated times will be scheduled throughout the day to recognize the winners of the combined tests.

201. Green as Grass: Intro B/18" X-poles (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
202. Pre Beg Novice: BN Test A/up to 2'0" (JR/YR, AA, Open, CH)
203. Beginner Novice: BN Test B/up to 2'6" (Combined, CH)
204. Novice: Novice Test A/up to 3'0" (Combined, CH)
205. Training: Training Test A/up to 3'3" (Combined, CH)
206. Preliminary: Prelim Test A/up to 3'6" (Combined, CH)

Jumping Division:

Gambler's Elimination and High Jump Contests will be held on Saturday, October 30, 2010.
All other Jumper classes will be held on Sunday, October 31, 2010.

All Jumping Classes will run concurrently (i.e. combined test entries will run first at the given height then jumper classes will follow). Highest heights will run first (i.e. 3'6" classes will run first, 3'3" second, etc.).

Announcements/recognition of winners in the jumping and combined test divisions will be made after the given height has been completed.

Course will be open for walking between classes and at other designated times.

Jumper Classes 301-308 will be scored under the USEF rule XXVI Chapter IV article 2724 Table II 2.2(a). *Horse and rider combinations may compete at two consecutive fence heights only.* The rider is limited to 2 horses per class in the interest of time. No horse may compete at more than 3 fence heights (need not be consecutive). Horse and rider combinations that compete in the Dressage or Combined Training in Walk-Trot classes are not eligible to cross-enter in any other stadium jumping classes other than cross rails.

Gambler's Elimination: Open to any horse or rider. Class 309 - Fences will vary in height from 18" (15 pts) to 2'6" (100 pts). Class 310 – Fences will vary in height from 2'9" (15 pts) to 3'6" (100 pts). No cross-entering of horse/rider combinations allowed between the two classes. To be run in the indoor arena. The course must begin on the 15 pt fence in the designated direction, after which any fence in the course can be jumped in any direction up to a maximum of three times per jump. 60 seconds will be the time allowed for the exhibitor to gather as many points as possible. When the time is up (whistle blown), one more jump will be counted before the timer will stop. Then the rider will be given 40 seconds to decide if they will try the joker fence which is worth 250 points if jumped successfully, and will cost 250 points if there is a refusal or knockdown. There is no penalty for refusals or knockdowns in the first round; however, once a fence falls, it can not be jumped again.

Puissance (High Jump): Open to any horse or rider. Class 311 – Fences will begin at 18" and work up until 2'6". Fences will be raised to a maximum height of 2'9". Class 312 – Fences will begin at 3'0" and work up until 4'6". Fences will be raised to a maximum height of 5'0". To be run in the indoor arena. Maximum of five rounds in each class. The first round consists of four to six large single obstacles including the puissance wall, the starting height of which can vary in height. For the jump-offs, in which the fences are raised for each round, there are only two obstacles — a spread fence and the wall — although an optional practice fence is included. In the event of equality after the fifth round, riders share

first prize. Horse/rider must ride clear (no refusals, knockdowns, etc.) to move on the next round.

301. 18" X-poles (JR/YR, AA, Open)
302. Jumpers 2'0" (JR/YR, AA, Open)
303. Jumpers 2'3" (Combined)
304. Jumpers 2'6" (Combined)
305. Jumpers 2'9" (Combined)
306. Jumpers 3'0" (Combined)
307. Jumpers 3'3" (Combined)
308. Jumpers 3'6" (Combined)
309. Gambler's Elimination (18"-2'6")
310. Gambler's Elimination (2'9"-3'6")
311. High Jump (18"-2'6", max 2'9")
312. High Jump (3'0"-4'6", max 5'0")

Educational Seminars:

Friday, October 29, 2010

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Dr. Christine Woodford

Equine Biomechanics: Conformation and Gait Analysis

How to analyze your horse's conformation and movement to bring out the best performance in your animal. Early signs of soreness that may lead to lameness and treatment options will be discussed.

Chiropractic and Acupuncture: 2 Valuable Therapeutic Options to Integrate into your Horse's Healthcare Program

Equine chiropractic care restores proper motion in the spine and limbs of your animal to optimize the nervous system and promote healthy organ function in your horse. The goals of acupuncture are to reduce injuries and inflammation, increase circulation and improve the overall health of your animal.

Dr. Woodford graduated Summa Cum Laude from Creighton University in Omaha , NE in 1994 with a Bachelors of Science Degree in Chemistry. She then received a Master of Science in Organic Chemistry from the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 1996. In 2002, Dr. Woodford graduated with honors from Iowa State University and received her Doctorate in Veterinary Medicine.

After graduation she worked at Abraham's Equine Clinic. With an interest in lameness and performance horses, Dr. Woodford pursued academic studies in alternative therapies. In 2006, Dr. Woodford became certified in Animal Chiropractic by the American Veterinary Chiropractic Association. In 2007, she became certified in Equine Veterinary Acupuncture by the Chi Institute in Florida .

In 2008, Dr. Woodford founded Veterinary Integrative Performance Services, Inc. (VIPs). Her overall goal is to keep the body balanced through chiropractic and acupuncture to optimize the animal's health and performance. Integrating the various forms of therapy can decrease the possibilities of injuries and improve the wellbeing of our equine and canine friends. To learn more about the company and Dr. Woodford, visit her website at www.vipsvet.net.

The Woodford's have raised and shown horses for over a decade. They have won several state and national awards. Husband, Kevin judges, trains, and gives horse lessons at their farm in Mount Vernon, IA. The farm is also guarded by a friendly herd of Pembroke Welsh Corgis.

Friday, October 29, 2010

7:00-9:00 p.m.

Abby Keegan – *Equine Nutrition*

Nutrena Equine Consultant Abby Keegan is a M.S. graduate of Kansas State University specializing in equine nutrition and marketing. While at Kansas State University she worked in the equine extension putting on many programs across the state and was the assistant horse judging coach for 2 years. She also received her B.S. from Iowa State University in Animal Science. She has a great deal of experience showing horses as a youth in AQHA, 4-H, and open shows across Iowa and continues to enjoy working with horses.

Vendors:

Please contact the Iowa Equestrian Center for all vendor opportunities. Outdoor vendor space and rates available upon request. Indoor vendor space may be leased in 8 x 5 foot increments at the rate of \$25 per day. Additional space after the first 8 feet may be leased in 2 foot increments at the rate of \$5 per day. The depth of each space may not exceed 5 feet. One table per 8 foot space will be provided for Vendor use. Electricity will not be available for Vendor use unless Vendor makes a special request.

For more information, please contact Liz Linder at 319-398-7107 or Liz.Linder@kirkwood.edu

Sponsorships:

Sponsorship opportunities exist for the 2010 IaDCTA Schooling Show & Championship Series. Sponsors will receive recognition in the show program and throughout the duration of the show.

A portion of the show proceeds will be used to benefit Wildwood Hills Ranch. Both Wildwood Hills Ranch and IaDCTA are 501(c)(3) organizations and contributions are deductible under Section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code. For information call 319-624-2546 or medicineriverfarms@yahoo.com.

<u>Level</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Benefits</u>
Star Sponsor	\$150	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 4 star thank you in show program (full page ad)• Promotional item samples in competitor bags• Name announced over three day show• Company Banner placement (banner supplied by sponsor)• Link to sponsor's website on IaDCTA website
Gold Sponsor	\$100	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 star thank you in show program (half page ad)• Promotional item samples in competitor bags• Name announced over three day show• Link to sponsor's website on IaDCTA website
Silver Sponsor	\$50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 star thank you in show program (quarter page ad)• Promotional item samples in competitor bags• Name announced over three day show• Link to sponsor's website on IaDCTA website
Bronze Sponsor	\$25	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 star thank you in show program (business card size ad)• Name announced over three day show• Link to sponsor's website on IaDCTA website
Friend of the Show	\$10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thank you in show program (listing)

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