

SHOW INFORMATION

March 31 – April 1, 2012
IaDCTA Dressage Schooling Show & Ride-a-Test
Iowa Equestrian Center
Cedar Rapids, Iowa

Entries Close: March 24, 2012
Ride Times Sent: March 28, 2012

Send entries to: Lynnea Courtney, Secretary
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Dressage Judge and Clinician: Fatima Pawlenko Kranz (USDF “R” Judge)

Organizer & Show Manager: Iowa Dressage & Combined Training Association
Stana Hanson, stanab123@hotmail.com, 515-708-3304

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

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

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

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 visit www.thehotelatkirkwood.com/home for more information.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, March 30, 2012

10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Arrival & Check-In
12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Arena Open for Schooling

Saturday, March 31, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Dressage Ride-a-Test
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. Volunteer Training (Scribe, Ring Steward, Bit/Equipment Check)
6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. Musical Freestyle Clinic
8:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Vendors Open

Sunday, April 1, 2012

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Dressage Competition
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Vendors Open

****Schedule subject to changes.**

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

ENTRY FEES:

Dressage Classes \$ 20.00
Ride-a-Test \$ 35.00

Non-Member Fee (per rider) \$ 15.00
Non-Showing Horse Fee (per horse) \$20.00

Box Stall (Fri-Sun) \$ 60.00 (includes 2 bags of bedding)
Extra Bedding (per bag) \$ 7.00
Tack Stall (weekend) \$ 45.00
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. **All fees must be paid in full before the start of the show.**

CLOSING DATE: March 24th

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 March 24th, the entry and stabling fees will be refunded. After March 24th, entry fees are non refundable unless refund request is accompanied by vet or doctor excuse.

SCHOOLING:

Horses not entered in the competition and pay a non-showing horse fee are allowed to school in the show arena on Friday, March 30th from 12:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Non-showing horses are not allowed to school in the warm-up arena or show arena during show hours. They may only use the outdoor arena for schooling during the competition and ride-a-test.

ENTRY CONSIDERED COMPLETE WHEN:

- Complete entry form.
- 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 \$60.00 for the weekend. Stalls are 10' x 10' and made of wood and have lime flooring with rubber mats. Two bags of sawdust 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 10:00 a.m. on Friday, March 30th, and must be vacated at the close of the show, Sunday, April 1st.

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. 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.

- **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. **Open** division is for professionals as described by USEF rules GR1306.
- 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.
- Be sure to nominate each horse rider combination to be eligible for the Championship Show and Year-End 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.
- Horse/Rider combinations are limited to two ride-a-tests in the interest of time. Maximum of 24 entries for the day.

Dressage Division:

All Dressage and Eventing Dressage classes will be held on Sunday, April 1, 2012.

Tests will be ridden in a 20 x 60 meter standard dressage arena. All classes will be held in the indoor arena.

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

2011 USDF/USEF Dressage Tests will be used for the Dressage Division.

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

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

Ride-a-Test:

All ride-a-test classes will be held on Saturday, March 31, 2012.

Ride your dressage test in front of a judge then work with the judge to improve your test.

Horse/Rider combinations limited to two tests in the interest of time. Maximum of 24 entries for the day.

Vendors:

Vendor space will be located in the stall barn and rented per stall per weekend. Vendor space rental shall be \$45.00 per weekend. The stalls are 10' x 10'. Please complete the vendor application found on www.iadcta.org if interested. New and used products are encouraged. All vendors will be listed on the IaDCTA website, in the show program, and promoted in pre-show advertising materials.

Musical Freestyle Clinic:

To be held on Saturday, March 31, 2012, at 6:00 p.m. at the Iowa Equestrian Center.

Clinician – Tammy Lisi of Tamarack Stables in Anamosa, Iowa.

Tammy Lisi of Tamarack Stables in Anamosa, Iowa, will be offering an introductory clinic on musical freestyles. Attendees will receive insight into the process of creating a freestyle, tips and hints on the rules, how to create difficulty without moving into the next level, evaluation of freestyles to discuss what you like and dislike, and ways to create affordable song mixes.

Advanced registration is required. To register, go to www.iadcta.org and click on *Upcoming Events*.

If you have questions about registration call 515-221-9725 or email Vicki Gatter at vgatter@networkiowa.com.

Volunteer Training:

To be held on Saturday, March 31, 2012, at 1:00 p.m. at the Iowa Equestrian Center.

Ever wonder about the mysteries of scribing, the duties of a ring steward, what happens at equipment check, or how to score a dressage test? Ever appreciated a show volunteer and wondered how you could return the favor? We have the answer! Attend the Dressage Show Volunteer Training Session, then apply your training at the upcoming shows!

Positions covered include: ring steward, scribe, equipment check, and scorer. All positions will involve a discussion and practice sessions. A training folder of educational materials and scribe practice test sheets will be prepared for you to use and keep.

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