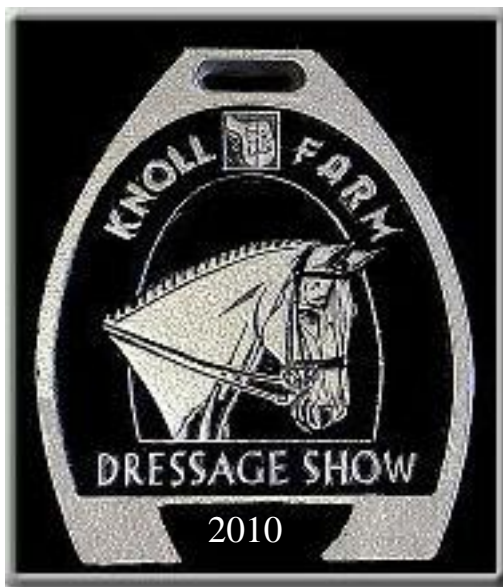


Knoll Farm Dressage Show



OCTOBER 10, 2010

USEF, USDF & LIDCTA RECOGNIZED

USDF Level 2 Competition # 317648

849 SUFFOLK AVENUE
BRENTWOOD, NY 11717
(631) 435 - 1880
www.knollfarm.com

Opening Date: August 25, 2010

Closing Date: September 25, 2010

<u>MANAGER:</u> Peter Mercier 849 Suffolk Ave. Brentwood, NY 11717	<u>SHOW SECRETARY:</u> Fran Marcello 609 Edwards Street Baldwin, NY 11510 516-526-3823
<u>JUDGE:</u> Elizabeth Madlener (S)	<u>TECHNICAL DELEGATE:</u> Dorothy Maxfield

ATTENTION COMPETITORS:

This prize list and additional entry forms available online at:

www.lidcta.com

Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct association numbers (USDF & United States Equestrian Federation) for horse, owner, rider, and trainer, before the day(s) of the competition.

The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward national awards.

Competitors wishing to apply for LIDCTA Year End Awards must be LIDCTA members before the first class of the day. LIDCTA membership applications are available online at www.lidcta.com/Files and will be available at the secretary's stand the day of the show.

CLASS LIST

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|-------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Open | USDF Introductory Test A |
| 2. Open | USDF Introductory Test B |
| 3. Beg. Rider | Training Level, Test 1 |
| 4. Beg. Horse | Training Level, Test 1 |
| 5. O/AA/JRYR | Training Level, Test 1 |
| 6. Beg. Rider | Training Level, Test 2 |
| 7. Beg. Horse | Training Level, Test 2 |
| 8. O/AA/JRYR | Training Level, Test 2 |
| 9. O/AA/JRYR | Training Level, Test 3 |
| 10. O/GAIG/USDF Q | Training Level, Test 4 |
| 11. O/AA/JRYR | First Level, Test 1 |
| 12. O/AA/JRYR | First Level, Test 2 |
| 13. O/AA/JRYR | First Level, Test 3 |
| 14. O/GAIG/USDF Q | First Level, Test 4 |
| 15. O/AA/JRYR | Second Level, Test 1 |
| 16. O/AA/JRYR | Second Level, Test 2 |
| 17. O/AA/JRYR | Second Level, Test 3 |
| 18. O/GAIG/USDF Q | Second Level, Test 4 |
| 19. O/AA/JRYR | Third Level, Test 1 |
| 20. O/AA/JRYR | Third Level, Test 2 |
| 21. O/GAIG/USDF Q | Third Level, Test 3 |
| 22. O/AA/JRYR | Fourth Level, Test 1 |
| 23. O/AA/JRYR | Fourth Level, Test 2 |

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| 24. O/GAIG/USDF Q | Fourth Level, Test 3 |
| 25. O/GAIG/USDF Q | FEI Prix St. George |
| 26. O/GAIG/USDF Q | FEI Intermediate I |
| 27. O/GAIG/USDF Q | FEI Intermediate II |
| 28. O/GAIG/USDF Q | FEI Grand Prix |
| 29. O/GAIG/USDF Q | USDF 1-4 TH Freestyle |
| 30. O/GAIG/USDF Q | FEI Freestyle Test of
Choice**** |
| 31. JRYR | Junior Individual Test |
| 32. O/GAIG/USDF Q | Junior Team Test |

**** Music or Freestyle or Quadrille classes must be a CD provided by the exhibitor to the announcer at least two hours before the class.

ANY CLASS WITH LESS THAN 10 AA/JRYR WILL BE COMBINED WITH THE OPEN CLASS.

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LEVELS

USDF Introductory Level through Grand Prix, USDF and FEI Freestyle, Great American Insurance Group/USDF Qualifying classes.

Adult Amateur and JR/YR will be offered at Training through Fourth Level.

AWARDS

- Ribbons for 1st through 6th place and trophy awarded for 1st place winner in each class.
- Champion and Reserve Champion ribbons to rider/riders with the highest percentage at each level for the day.
- Award to overall highest percentage for the show.

ENTRIES

- **\$40.00** per class - USDF Introductory Level & Beginner Divisions;
- **\$45.00** per class - Training Level through Third Level including USDF Freestyle and Quadrille Test of Choice;
- **\$55.00** per class – Fourth Level through Grand Prix, including FEI Freestyle Test of Choice.
- **ADD \$10.00 FOR ALL GAIG/USDF QUALIFYING CLASSES and state "Q" in class number and description or will be considered not qualifying. USEF membership and USDF Participating membership required for Rider & Owner. Horse must have USEF and USDF lifetime registration (not just HID #).**

GAIG/USDF Q = Great American Insurance Group /USDF Qualifying Class.

AA = Adult Amateur: USEF card must state Amateur or pay \$30 USEF Amateur fee.

J = Juniors and Young Riders: Must list birth date on entry. Parent/guardian must sign entry form.

O = Open: Open to all riders, regardless of status or age.

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USDF INTRODUCTORY LEVEL: Riders are exempt from USEF/USDF rider/horse registration and membership fees unless they enter other classes, except for Opportunity Classes. All other UEF/USDF rules apply.

Quadrille and Pas De Deux Classes: Riders are exempt from USEF/USDF rider/horse registration and membership fees unless they enter other classes, except for Opportunity or Introductory Classes. All other USEF/USDF rules apply.

- USEF Fee: Drug/Medication fee: \$7.00; USEF fee \$5.00
- Administration Fee: Bridle # and entry processing \$20.00
- NO Refund for bridle #

Make checks payable to Knoll Farm of Long Island and mail with completed entry to the show secretary.

ALL ENTRIES MUST CONTAIN LEGIBLE COPIES OF ALL MEMBERSHIP CARDS AND A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST DATED WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS AS REQUIRED BY THE RULES OF THE FEDERATION. Entries not having all the required information and/or copies of membership cards **will be charged a \$10.00 incorrect entry fee.**

Post entries will be accepted for scratched times the day of the show by those already competing. **Entries received after the closing date will be charged \$10.00.**

There will be a waiting list if all times fill up, based on postmarked date of entry. **ONLY THE FIRST 70 rides will be accepted.**

There will be NO REFUNDS after closing date including all fees and stabling.

TIMES

Times will be available online at the Knoll Farm office the THURSDAY before the show between the hours of 9 a.m. and 8 p.m. please call (631) 435-1880. If you would like your times mailed to you, please enclose a stamped self-addressed postcard or an e-mail address and your times can be e-mailed to you.

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STABLING

Limited permanent stalls with full wood doors will be available on the grounds. Preference will be given to those coming from out of state and then on a first come first serve basis. \$60.00 for the day of the show and \$75.00 if arriving Saturday evening. Initial bedding will NOT be provided. Shavings will be available from the show office the day of your arrival or can be ordered in advance when submitting your entry. **No arrivals before 3 p.m. please the evening before the show is to begin.**

ACCOMODATIONS:

Howard Johnson, 450 Morland Road, Commack
(631) 864-8820

Sheraton Inn, 110 Motor Pkwy, Hauppauge
(631) 231-1100

Hampton Inn, 680 Commack Road, Commack
(631) 462-5700

Wingate Inn, 801 Crooked Hill Road, Brentwood
(631) 434-1818

Holiday Inn Ex, 2050 Express Dr. S., Hauppauge
(631) 348-1400

DIRECTIONS:

HEADING EASTBOUND ON LIE(495): East to exit 53. Stay on the service road until Washington Ave.(traffic light), make right. Go approx. 1 mile to third traffic light (Suffolk Ave.) make left. Farm entrance 1/8 of a mile on left.

FOR TRAILERS: go past main entrance and make first left onto Eastern Ave. Trailer entrance approx. 500 ft. on left at rear of farm.

HEADING WESTBOUND ON LIE(495): West on Exit 56

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(Rt.111).Go south on Rt. 111 passing under 495. Stay to right when road divides. Travel approx. 1 ½ miles to fourth traffic light (Suffolk Ave.),make right. Main entrance is about 200 ft. past 2nd traffic light. **FOR TRAILERS:** Make right onto (Eastern Ave.) last side street before you see the white fencing of the farm. Rear entrance approx. 500 ft. on left.

FOOTING

Competition arena is: one 20 x 60 meter outdoor sand arena. Schooling on sand and grass. All lunging must be done in designated areas.

FOOD

Food and beverage available for purchase during competition hours.

SERVICE

Veterinarian on call: Dr. Sarah Darish DVM (516) 333 – 6259
Cell (516) 729 - 5632

Farrier on call: Jessie Silverman (516) 297 - 4046

OTHER

The show committee reserves the right to cancel or combine any class without sufficient entries. **Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF rule book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.** Vet and Farrier will be on call the day of the show. Competitors wishing confirmation of entry should enclose a stamped, self-addressed postcard which will be mailed upon receipt of entries by the show secretary.

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Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described vehicle's as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardians(s), and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Rule 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

Dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners failing to comply with this rule are subject to penalty under Chapters 6 & 7, as well as issuance of a warning card.



USEF MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular

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Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 nonmember registration fee. EC 7/21/08 Effective 12/1/08

Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule:

- 1) leadline;
- 2) exhibitions;
- 3) games and races;
- 4) classes for 4-H members;
- 5) walk trot and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program);
- 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes;
- 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions;
- 8) Opportunity classes;
- 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation,;
- 10) USEA beginner novice division; and
- 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.



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USEF Competition Name: **Knoll Farm Dressage Show**
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s):

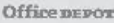

USEF# 317648



Dressage "D" Level 2



USEF Member To Do List:

Mow the fields.  Haul the hay.  Paint the barn — and the


house.  Re order supplements  and office supplies.

 Make sure we're covered  on the road and in the

ring.  Get ready for the big competition.  Win! Ship the trophy

home without a scratch.  Rent a car and drive to the coast. 

Take a vacation. Relax!  You don't have to bet the farm to check

off this season's most important tasks. For details on how you can save big 

with USEF MemberPerks, visit  www.usef.org or call one of our Customer

Care agents at 859.258.2472.

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USDF Statement on Animal Welfare

The United States Dressage Federation, Inc. (USDF), a federation of over 125 independent organizations throughout the United States with a membership in excess of 33,000 members, supports the concept of ethical treatment of animals.

Dressage is a classical method of training horses, based upon the horse's natural responses, as carried out in a gradual, planned program during which the horse's athletic abilities are improved in a systematic manner. As a result, the horse becomes capable, comfortable, and responsive in partnership with the rider without the use of force. Dressage competition at various levels of achievement is the ultimate test of the training program to determine whether the desired harmony between horse and rider has been achieved.

The rules pertaining to dressage competition prohibit the use of artificial appliances, training aids, and drugs, which would force the horse to submit. Instead, the emphasis is upon training and a cooperative partnership with the rider. Major competitions are carefully monitored to assure that there is no unnecessary force or harshness displayed.

Unlike other horse sports in which horses enter training at a relatively immature state, dressage training is usually not seriously begun until the horse is three or four. The top levels of achievement require five or more years of progressive training and it is not unusual to see horses in international competition in their late teens. This, in itself, places a premium on good care and soundness throughout the horse's life.

While supporting the concept of animal welfare in its broadest form, the United States Dressage Federation, Inc., also recognizes that it is unrealistic to ascribe human emotions and responses to the horse which in its wild state is a creature of flight, living a hard and precarious existence. Under domestication, the horse is assured of ample food, water, and shelter, as well as protection against infectious diseases and damaging parasites, thus leading a longer and healthier life with a high rate of survival.

As an educational organization, USDF has numerous programs, which teach people how to pursue the accepted, humane training methods. A program of certifying instructors also emphasizes protecting the horse's welfare in pursuit of dressage training.

United States Dressage Federation

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Website: www.usdf.org

2010 Great American Insurance Group/ USDF Regional Dressage Championships

A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), licensed by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a GMO is received by April 1 of the prior year.

The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF Web site at:

<http://www.usdf.org/Programs/RegionalChampionships/index.asp>.

Please refer to the *USDF Directory* for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying & Championships:

Rider:

- Must be a USDF Participating Member at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships. (Participating Members are USDF members who join USDF directly)
- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

Horse:

- Must be USDF Lifetime Registered (LTR) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be USEF (Annual or Lifetime) recorded at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse/recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s) of record.
- A horse is not required to have registry papers.

Owner:

- Must be a USDF member (Participating or Business) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

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- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

Minimum Qualifying Scores

One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for levels through Grand Prix, in three divisions: Open, Adult Amateur, and Junior/Young Rider. FEI Junior Rider and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. Freestyles have only Open divisions. The minimum percentages are as follows:

	Open	AA	Jr/YR
Training Level (Test 4)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 4)	66%	62%	62%
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Second Level (Test 4)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior Rider (Team Test)	--	--	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	--	--	60%
Prix St. Georges	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	60%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%

Freestyle

First Level	65%	--	--
Second Level	65%	--	--
Third Level	65%	--	--
Fourth Level	63%	--	--
Intermediate I	63%	--	--
Grand Prix	63%	--	--

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POSTMASTER PLEASE DELIVER TO:

Return Address:
Knoll Farm
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Brentwood, NY 11717