

★ ★ ★ **RISING STARS YOUTH DRESSAGE** ★ ★ ★
AND HACK CHALLENGE 2016 ★ ★ ★

YOUTH SHOWS OPEN TO ALL RIDERS 21 YEARS OF AGE & UNDER
(Age of Rider is determined by age as of December 31, 2016 as per EC Rules 2016)

Section E Dressage 3.4.3

NEW:

★EQUITATION DIVISION-Gold and Bronze★

★FREESTYLE CHALLENGE★

Recognized Equine Canada Competitions - Supported by Dressage Canada
Provincial Permit (Heritage) Hack Day – Supported by Horse Council of B.C.

August 26, 27 and 28, 2016

Heritage Park, Chilliwack, British Columbia

A choice of two/three competitions

**EC GOLD
COMPETITION**

**EC BRONZE
COMPETITION**

**PROVINCIAL HACK
COMPETITION**

“To provide young riders, 21 years and under, the opportunity to participate in a dressage competition that is exclusively their own, in an environment that provides a fair playing field for junior riders of different age groups, wherein each will compete against his/her peer group at all levels of skill, from beginners to advanced.”

GOLD/BRONZE ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY AUGUST 1, 2016 AT 5:00 PM

(Or when combined show entries total 100 horse/rider combinations for the Dressage Division)

Entries must be received at 4150 Stewart Road, Chilliwack, BC V2R 5G6
by closing date or post entry fees will apply

Qualifier: B.C. Heritage Circuit

Amazing prizes for Competitors



DRESSAGE JUDGES

Joan Mccartney: Senior EC (FEI Retired) Ontario

Isobel Reinertson: Senior Medium EC B.C.

Virginia Allen: Recorded EC B.C.

HACK & EQUITATION JUDGES

RS Provincial Hack: TBA

Show Committee

Stewards	Shirley Pederson (Gold)
Veterinarian	Greenbelt Veterinary Service
Competition Managers	Sue Holtby, Wendy Christoff
Entry Secretary/Scoring	Sarah Dunn
Announcer	TBA
Volunteer Co-ordinator	Sue Holtby (604) 823-6768 Cat Armitage (250) 644-4388
Decorations	Marilyn Connolly
Presentation & Awards	Nancy Olson-Beaulieu
Stable Manager & Ground Crew	Ted Holtby & Jay Rees
Office Manager	Marilyn Connolly
Sponsorship	Wendy Christoff (604) 209-7201

THE SHOW AT A GLANCE

CLASSES:

- Gold Show - \$40.00 per test; **E & C classes (Technical & Equitation panel) \$50 per test** Freestyles - \$45.00 per test
- Bronze Show - \$35.00 per test;, **E & C classes (Technical & Equitation panel) \$45.00 per test**
- Hack, In-Hand, and Equitation Classes - \$15.00 per class. Equitation Championship ride off class Sunday not included – see full explanation of Equitation Division page 15

CLASS AND AGE DIVISIONS (Age of Rider as of December 31, 2015)

DIVISION	CATEGORIES	TESTS
	EC GOLD	TOC = Test of Choice
Training Level	10 – 12; 13 – 15; 16 - 21	TOC, 2, 3
First Level	10 – 12; 13 – 15; 16 - 21	TOC, 2, 3
Second Level	Open	TOC, 2, 3
Third Level	Open	TOC, 2, 3
Fourth Level	Open	TOC, 2, 3
FEI - Youth	Child; Pony; Junior; Young Rider	Team, Individual
Alumni Division	Open to riders who have competed at Rising Stars but aged out (over 21)	Training/First thru Fourth TOC, 2,3; FEI: TOC, Team, Individual
FEI Para Equestrian	Open	TOC
Equitation Division	10 – 12; 13 – 15; 16 - 21	Friday Training, First & Second level test 3 (E&C)
	EC BRONZE	
Walk/Trot	9 and Under,10-12,13-15	A and B
Training Level	9 & Under; 10 – 12; 13 – 15; 16 – 21	TOC, 2, 3
First Level	10 – 12, 13 – 15, 16 - 21	TOC, 2,3
Alumni Division	Open to riders who have competed at Rising Stars but aged out (over 21)	Training/First TOC 2,3
Equitation Division	10 – 12, 13 – 15, 16 - 21	Friday Training & First level test 3 (E&C)

MATCH YOUR SCORE WITH THE JUDGE: Awarded to the rider whose actual official score is closest to the rider's stated score.

TEAM COMPETITION: To encourage some friendly team competition in a sport that is largely individual.

INTERNATIONAL PAIRS: One Canadian and one Foreign rider/competitor will be randomly paired up to cheer each other on to victory. Highest scoring pair will take home the prize. Rosette ribbons for the top 6 pairs. Entries permitting

NEW THIS YEAR:

****RS EQUITATION DIVISION
CHAMPIONSHIP Gold &
Bronze****

CHAMPION GOLD & BRONZE SPONSORED BY DOG & PONY SHOP

And

****FREESTYLE CHALLENGE****

PREPARATION – PRACTICE – PERFORMANCE

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Rising Stars Youth Dressage & Hack Challenge Show

Rising Stars Youth Dressage Show is a sanctioned competition of Equine Canada, 308 Legget Drive, Suite 100, Ottawa, Ontario K2K 1Y6 and is governed by the rules and regulations of the Federation. Rising Stars Youth Hack Challenge is a provincially sanctioned competition and is governed by the rules and regulations of the Provincial Service Organization (Horse Council of BC).

STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLE

Equine Canada (EC), the national equestrian federation of Canada, supports adherence to humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction.

EC is committed to:

- Upholding the welfare of the horses, regardless of value, as a primary consideration in all activities
- Requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect and the compassion that they deserve, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment
- Ensuring that owners, trainers and exhibitors or their agents use responsible care in the handling, treatment and transportation of their horses as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose;
- Providing for the continuous well-being of horses by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort and safety as a matter of standard operating procedure;
- Continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- Requiring owners, trainers and exhibitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all in all equestrian competition;
- Reviewing, revising and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horses.

The standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a person, informed and experienced in generally accept equine training and exhibition procedures, would determine to be neither cruel, abusive, nor inhumane.

Per Article A801, every entry at an EC sanctioned competition shall constitute an agreement by the person responsible that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver or rider and horse shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and any additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition. Do not participate in this EC sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition.”

SEND ENTRIES TO:

Sarah Dunn
4150 Stewart Road
Chilliwack, B.C.
V2R 5G6
(604) 823-4224

An e-mailed entry confirmation will be sent for each entry within one week of receipt by the Entry Secretary. **INCOMPLETE OR INCORRECT ENTRIES WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.**
If you have not received an e-mail confirmation, please contact the entry secretary at sarahj60@shaw.ca or (604) 823-4224 to resolve any outstanding issues with your entry.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

Sue Holtby Phone: (604) 823-6768 E-mail rivndell@smartt.com
Wendy Christoff Phone: (604) 209-7201 E-mail alfie@dccnet.com

EC GOLD COMPETITION	EC BRONZE COMPETITION	PROVINCIAL HACK COMPETITION
<i>Passport and EC Gold, HCBC and Dressage Canada Memberships Required</i>	<i>EC Bronze and HCBC Memberships Required</i>	<i>HCBC Membership Required</i>

- Covered Warm-Up Ring Available.
- All Equine Canada Rules Apply to Both Competitions, with the exception that membership with Dressage Canada and a Horse Passport is *not Required* for the Bronze Show.
- All Breeds and Disciplines are *Encouraged* to Enter.
- **US Riders Require USEF/USDF Membership**

RISING STARS SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Your sponsorship support ensures this show continues to be a first class dressage event for youth and your support is greatly appreciated. Please contact our Sponsorship Coordinator Wendy Christoff at (604) 209 -7201 E-mail alfie@dccnet.com

<input type="checkbox"/>	Platinum	\$1,000 +
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gold	\$ 750
<input type="checkbox"/>	Silver	\$ 500
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bronze	\$ 300
<input type="checkbox"/>	Class Sponsorship	\$ 100

All Sponsorship Packages are negotiable.

We will tailor packages to the interests of the Sponsor.

- Perpetual Trophies
- First Place Prizes
- Championships
- Activity & Hospitality Sponsors

VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers: the gift of time and talent always needed and greatly appreciated!

Please contact volunteer co-ordinator: Cat Armitage (250) 644-4388 e-mail foxwillowLB@gmail.com
OR

Sue Holtby, at (604) 823-6768 e-mail rivndell@smartt.com

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

GENERAL:

1. Every class in the Bronze and Gold Dressage show will be held and judged in accordance with the EC General Regulations - 2016 edition and in particular Section E Dressage 2016. Knowledge of the rules is the responsibility of the competitor. Please direct questions regarding the rules and regulations to the Steward or Show Managers. No Hors Concours entries. Rules can be found on the EC site at www.equinecanada.ca. All Hack classes will be held and judged in accordance with the Horse Council of B.C. General Performance Rules. HCBC rules can be found on the HCBC website hcbc.ca. Knowledge of the rules is the responsibility of the competitor.
2. All competitors must wear proper fitting, approved protective headgear, with the safety harness correctly secured at all times while mounted on the competition grounds. Approved headgear meets the ASTM standards and displays the SEI seal. The British Standard BSI is also acceptable.
3. Any horse entered in any class at a competition is subject to the requirement to pay drug testing fees and may, while on the competition grounds, and on the recommendations of the chair of the provincial Equine Medication Control Committee or the chair's appointee, be selected for equine medication control testing.
4. All Walk/Trot and Training Level tests in the Bronze competition will be held in a 20 x 40 meter ring, All other tests will be held in a 20 x 60 meter ring. The current versions of all tests are available at www.dressagecanada.org.
5. Neither Rising Stars Youth Dressage Show nor the Show Committee will be held responsible in any way for damage, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of spectators, owners, trainers, riders or grooms.
6. All riders and owners must be current members of HCBC. *All entries must include photocopies of the current HCBC membership cards for both rider and owner. US Riders exempt.*
7. All riders **and** owners must have current Sport Licence number from EC. A temporary competition license is available for \$45. First time Bronze members may join on the EC website for \$25.00. *All entries must include photocopies of the current EC membership cards for both Rider and Owner. US Riders include copies of USEF/USDF membership cards.*
8. All Gold show riders must be members of Dressage Canada. Membership must be noted on current EC membership card. *As per DC a fine will be applied if competitor not a DC member. US riders exempt.*
9. A valid EC or FEI **Passport** for each horse entered in the EC Gold Show is mandatory and must be presented to the show secretary when picking up entry packets. If the horse does not have a passport a temporary horse registration is available for \$45. In place of passport foreign owners must sign an affidavit verifying the horse.
10. Any horse entered in the competition **MAY ONLY** be ridden by the competitor entered on that horse. **No coaches, trainers, grooms, parents, etc.**
11. **Whips** may be carried in all tests to a maximum length of 1.2 meters *including* lash. Maximum whip length for ponies is one (1) meter. (see E4.8.3 & 4)
12. **Entering Your Test:** After the bell, the rider has 45 seconds and must take the quickest route to enter at A.
13. Lunge whips permitted only when lungeing. Lungeing is only permitted in specified areas and no lungeing is allowed in the indoor warm-up ring. Horses must be under control at all times.

14. **Callers** are allowed in all classes **except** the FEI Division. Competitors must provide their own callers. Callers in the indoor arena must call from the center area between the two rings. **Equine Canada article 9.1.3** Caller's dress code: **Smart casual**. Jeans, slacks and mid length shorts are permitted. Inappropriately dressed callers may not be allowed to call a test (i.e. wearing cut-offs, tank tops, etc.).
15. **The horse's competition number must be worn at all times when outside of the stall and clearly marked on the stall door. Failure to do so may result in elimination at the discretion of the show committee.** *Bridle numbers must be worn on both sides of the bridle!*
16. **Dogs** must be leashed and under control at all times. **No dogs in stable or competition area.**
17. **Tack checks** are mandatory after **EACH** test.
18. No cross entries of either horse and/or rider between Gold and Bronze Dressage shows except GQ TOC which will be ridden in the 20 x 60 ring and Pleasure Pairs.
19. The office will be open Thursday, August 25 from 3:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Friday, Saturday, and Sunday the office will open at 7:00 a.m. Competition rings close Thursday, August 25 at 3:00 p.m. Warm-up rings will be available throughout the show.
20. Any *change* after entry is received will be *assessed a \$10 change fee*.
21. **Entries close Monday, August 1, 2016, 5:00 pm.** Entries postmarked or dropped off after closing date are subject to late entry fees of \$40. No late dressage entries are permitted after show is scheduled unless scratches are available.
22. *A completed entry checklist must be included with every entry.* An e-mailed entry confirmation will be sent for each entry within one week of receipt by the Entry Secretary. **INCOMPLETE OR INCORRECT ENTRIES WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.** If you have **not received** an email confirmation, please contact the Entry Secretary at sarahj60@shaw.ca or (604) 823-4224 to resolve any outstanding issues with your entry.
23. Only one horse/rider **per entry form with individual cheques for each entry.**
24. Make cheques payable to *Rising Stars Dressage Show*.
25. Send entries to Sarah Dunn at 4150 Stewart Road, Chilliwack, B.C. V2R 5G6.
26. **All competitors and parents of minors must sign an informed consent (waiver). No waiver = no ride.**
27. Numbers will **NOT** be given to competitors who have outstanding balances for their show entries. When picking up numbers, competitors are required to **pay cash (exact change)** for outstanding amounts (i.e. miscalculations, NSF cheque replacement and fee, post entry fees, etc.). The show committee will attempt to contact any competitor who has an outstanding balance prior to the start of the show. There is an ATM located at the facility.
28. **NSF/Returned Cheques are subject to a \$25.00 fee.** Cheques will be cashed prior to the start of the show and penalties must be paid in cash prior to picking up a competitor's number.
29. Cheques dated after the closing date will not be accepted and entries will be considered null and void.
30. The show committee reserves the right to limit the number of entries and/or refuse any entry; split, cancel, or combine and/or adjust classes or awards; govern all conditions of the show; and make decisions upon any matter not covered by current EC and Provincial rules. When show is full, entries will be placed on a waiting list and processed in order of available test time slots.
31. Ride times will be e-mailed to all competitors by the Tuesday before the start of the show. Ride times will also be posted at the show office daily.

32. If you are riding more than one horse in the same class, please indicate the preferred order of the ride times. The show committee will try to accommodate each competitor.
33. ***No stallions or cryptorchids permitted.***

CLASS RULES:

34. Hack classes will be held and judged in accordance with Horse Council of B.C. General Performance Rules with the following exceptions: *Coloured browbands and nosebands allowed. Drop, flash and figure eight nosebands allowed.*
35. Classes may be scheduled at any time on the day listed in the class schedule. ***RIDE TIMES WILL ONLY BE CHANGED*** in the case of error, overlapping times or to facilitate the running of the show.
36. Check Rule Book for **Junior status** see 3.4.3, FEI Junior and Young Rider definitions see 3.4.4.
37. **Substitution:** Substitution of horse and/or rider will only be permitted with the following documentation and a substitution fee of \$25: **Horse** – vet certificate, bill of sale, or termination of lease; **Rider** – Doctor's certificate. Changes **must be made by 5:00 p.m. on the day before the start** of show.
38. **No Cross Entries within the FEI Classes.** Most current versions of these tests will be used.
39. Each horse is limited to a **MAXIMUM OF FOUR (4) TESTS** per day. Equitation, Dressage Showmanship, and Hack classes are not included in this number.
40. Please refer to ARTICLE E 7.11.5 PONIES for pony heights. FEI ponies must have an EC measurement card.
41. Scratches must be advised to the show office.
42. No gate holds.
43. **No cross entry between Walk/Trot classes & canter classes (both Dressage & Hack)**
44. ****NEW** RISING STARS EQUITATION DIVISION: SEE FULL EXPLANATION PAGE: 15**

REFUNDS/POST ENTRIES:

45. Prior to closing date, all fees will be refunded. After closing date, 50% of class fees will be refunded with a vet's certificate or doctor's note. Stabling and Administration fees will not be refunded. A vet certificate or doctor's note must be presented by 8:00 p.m. Thursday, August 25 **PRIOR** to the start of the show for any fees to be refunded.
46. Post entry for Dressage classes **may** be available in the event of scratches (see the show secretary). Post entry for Hack, In-Hand, and Equitation classes will be accepted before the start of the class. A \$10 post entry fee per class will apply. **All fees must be paid in cash.**
47. Entries received prior to the closing date after the competition is full will be put on a waiting list. They will not be subject to post entry fees if/when they are accepted into the show. If the competitor does not wish to be on a waiting list or does not get into the show, all entry fees will be refunded.

STABLING: (Collect \$400 of show sponsorship & get your stabling for free. See www.risingstarsdressage.com for more information)

48. Stabling is available at a total cost of \$140.00 for the show. Stalls are large, airy and rubber matted. A clean-out deposit of \$50.00 per stall is required. A **separate cheque** for each stall for clean out must be included and made payable to "Rising Stars."
49. No day stalls available.

50. **No access to the stabling area before 12:00 p.m. (noon) on Thursday, August 25, 2016** The competition rings will be closed after harrowing on Thursday, August 25, 2016 All warm-up rings will be available until "lights out".
51. To ensure stabling as a group, please assign your group a name and include this name on the entry forms for all riders wishing to be stabled together. **We will not stable a group by individual names.**
52. No special stabling requirements are accommodated.
53. If entries are not paid in full, the stall will be unavailable until the outstanding balance is paid in **CASH**.
54. The Stable Manager will inspect all stabling at one time at the end of the show. If the stall has been stripped-clean, the Stable Manager will destroy the \$50 clean-out fee cheque. Individual stall checks can not be accommodated. Do not pick up cheques.
55. Bedding will be provided. Due to high cost of shavings and manure removal usage will be monitored. Any use deemed excessive by the stable manager will be penalized with a \$20.00 charge. You are responsible to bed your own stall and bring your own equipment.
56. Manure disposal site will be posted in stabling area.
57. Tack rooms are available at the same rate as stabling and must be reserved. Tack rooms may be limited if required for stabling.
58. R.V. Parking and hook-ups are available and must be pre booked on entry form. Any person staying overnight on the grounds at Heritage Park is subject to overnight fees; regardless if you stay in an R.V., motor home, tent, horse trailer, car, etc.

ALUMNI DIVISION:

The Alumni Division is open to riders who have competed at Rising Stars and are no longer able to compete at Rising Stars due to aging out. Riders will have an opportunity to ride 2 tests per day. This division does not qualify for the overall High Points of the show but will have a Division Champion and Reserve Champion (combined Gold & Bronze). The Championship will be calculated by the total points from two "C" designated classes. Ribbons will be awarded to 6th place. There is limited space for this division so get your entries in early to avoid disappointment.

FEI PARA EQUESTRIAN DIVISION:

Riders holding a classification certificate are eligible to participate in this division. This division does not qualify for the overall High Points award of the show, but will have a Division Champion and Reserve Champion. The Championship will be calculated by the total points from two "C" designated classes. Ribbons will be awarded to 6th place.

**** AWARDS****

Class Awards:

All classes will be awarded rosette ribbons 1st to 6th place. First place in each class will also receive a prize.

Dressage High Point - Level & Age Division Awards:

A High Point Award and Reserve High Point Award (Champion & Reserve Champion) will be given for every Dressage Level in both shows. High Point and Reserve High Point will be determined by the total points from the three "C" designated classes for Training through Fourth Level. High Point and Reserve High Point in FEI will be determined by percentages from Team and Individual tests. In the Bronze show W/T will be determined by the total points of Test B.

These awards will be presented at the Parade of Champions on Saturday evening. **Winners must be mounted and in full dress to take part and receive their awards.** *Failure to be present will result in forfeiture of the award to the next highest placing.*

Hack High Point – Division Awards:

A High Point Award and Reserve High Point Award will be given for every Hack Division in both shows. The total number of points won in Hack classes will determine the Awards for each Hack division. These awards will be presented at the end of the show Sunday afternoon. **Winners must be mounted and in full dress to take part and receive their awards.** *Failure to be present will result in forfeiture of the award to the next highest placing.*

Overall High Point – Gold and Bronze:

Horse/Rider combinations must ride the three “C” designated Technical Dressage tests in First to Fourth Levels, or the two “C” designated Technical Dressage tests in FEI Level, plus Dressage Equitation and one other Hack class. **Points towards overall high point will also be awarded to riders who attend all the education sessions offered.**

Overall high point will be calculated by adding each eligible rider’s Dressage scores (percentage), points in dressage equitation, highest placed other hack class and education points. In the event of a tie, the tie will be broken by the highest scored dressage test. This award will be presented at the end of the show Sunday afternoon. **Winners must be mounted and in full dress to take part and receive their award.** *Failure to be present will result in forfeiture of the award to the next highest placing.*

Note: The same horse/rider combination may not win this award more than once at the same level.

In the Gold Show, Training Level classes will not count towards the Overall High Point. (Gold Training level award: see Shooting Star award below

In the Bronze Show Walk/Trot dressage classes will not count towards the Overall High Point. (Bronze Walk/Trot award: see Shooting Star award below

Awarding of Hack Points:

Points for Hack classes will be assigned as follows: 1st – 7 points, 2nd - 5 points, 3rd - 4 points, 4th – 3 points, 5th – 2 points, 6th -1 point. For classes with less than six entries, the maximum points awarded are the number of entries in the class plus one. No points will be awarded for Novelty Classes

Gold Training Level: “SHOOTING STARS OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP AWARD”

The same requirements as for overall high point awards apply to this award – To qualify for the award Horse/Rider combinations must ride Dressage (Three ‘C’ designated classes), Dressage Seat Equitation & one other Hack class. See Overall High Point description above.

Bronze Walk/Trot: “SHOOTING STARS OVERALL CHAMPIONSHIP AWARD”

The same requirements as for overall high point awards apply to this award – To qualify for the award Horse/Pony/Rider combinations must ride both “C” designated Walk/Trot Dressage Tests, Walk/Trot Dressage Seat Equitation and one other hack class to qualify.

Perpetual Trophies and Awards:

- ❖ BC Young Rider – Overall High Point of Gold Competition
- ❖ North Fraser Dressage Club – Shooting Stars Overall Gold Training Level
- ❖ The Olson Family – Shooting Stars Overall Championship Award – Bronze Walk/Trot
- ❖ Sharon Frost Award – Shooting Stars Championship Award Technical Bronze Walk/Trot
- ❖ Sportsmanship Award – Mark Trophy
- ❖ Gentry Award
- ❖ Pat & Mark Dumont \$500 Equine Health Education Alumni Bursary
- ❖ Paton and Martin Veterinary Services Education Bursary
- ❖ Volunteer award given to the competitor who volunteers the most number of hours during the show

Freestyle Challenge:

- Champion & Reserve Champion will awarded to the two highest scores.

“GQ” Men’s Award:

- Will be awarded to the male rider with the highest score in the “GQ” class. There is no entry fee for this class. This class does not count towards High Point awards.

Match Your Score with the Judge:

- How accurately do you think you can guess your score with what the Judge gives you?
- On Saturday, all Test 2’s will give you a chance to guess your score and see how accurate you are compared to the Judge’s score. There will be a prize awarded to the rider whose guess is closest to the official score. Here is how it works:
 1. All Test 2’s from any level can be used (Walk/Trot B, Training Level – Test 2; First Level – Test 2; Second Level – Test 2; Third Level – Test 2; Fourth Level – Test 2; FEI – Individual Test).
 2. At the completion of the Test, all riders automatically go to the steward for their tack check. A volunteer will ask you if you want to participate and they will record what you think your score will be.
 3. Scores can be given up to two decimal points (i.e. 65.54%)
 4. A prize will be given to the rider who most accurately guesses his/her score with the official score.

Team Competition Award:

To encourage some friendly team competition in a sport that is largely individual.

❖ Team Rules:

1. Every horse/rider combination can be on one team only. Teams may be made up of any level or mixed levels. FEI Teams may be made up of any of the FEI Youth levels (FEI pony, FEI Children's, FEI Jr., FEI Young Rider).
2. Each team will consist of a maximum of 4 riders and a minimum of 3 riders.
3. All non FEI Teams should be named and may be declared at the show office until 8:00 p.m. Thursday, August 25, 2016. If you don't have a team and wish to be on a team – submit your name by 8:00p.m. Thursday and the show office will draw to create random teams. FEI riders wishing to be on an FEI Team must enter their name into the FEI draw by 8:00 p.m. on Thursday August 25, 2016. FEI teams will be drawn by the Show Committee and posted at the show office.
4. The team scores will be calculated on the third test of each level on Friday - i.e.; Training Level - Test 3; First Level - Test 3, etc. The FEI scores will be calculated on the Team test.
5. The top three scores of each team will count.
6. Team scores and FEI team scores will be added and prizes awarded to the Gold, Silver and Bronze teams in each category.
7. The Team Competition is open to all riders of both Gold and Bronze shows. Teams may be mixed from both shows.

ALUMNI CHAMPIONSHIP: Champion & Reserve Champion combined Gold & Bronze

International Pairs: (Entry permitting)

The show committee will draw names from the Canadian and Foreign riders to create the International Pairs. The highest combined score of the pair(s) will win an award. *Open to all riders.* It is a random pairing and may be from the Gold and/or Bronze show and mixed levels. Your pairing will be posted at the show office.

Judges' Choice; Youngest Rider; Oldest Mount; Smallest Mount; Sportsmanship

*****NEW*****

Rising Stars Equitation Division:

The new Rising Stars Equitation Division has been created to spotlight the importance of equitation and its influence and affect on the performance of the horse.

This new Division will determine the Rising Stars Equitation Division Champion and Reserve Champion for each in the Gold show and the Bronze Show.

This is how the Equitation Division works:

On Friday....test 3 in Training, First and Second level Gold and test 3 in Training and First level Bronze - in each age category will have 2 judges. See test Friday tests 3 C and E

There will be 2 judges judging the same test...one judge will do the normal technical judging and those marks will go to the level championships and toward the overall highpoint.

The second judge during that same test – our Dressage Equitation judge - will judge only the equitation of the rider throughout the technical test. The Equitation judge will have a different score sheet. We will post the dressage equitation test sheet on our website.

The scores from the Equitation judge from Friday's designated Dressage test 3 will determine the top 2 equitation riders in each age category in each level. The top 2 equitation riders from each age category in each level will then be entered into a special Championship Dressage Seat Equitation class on Sunday. There will be 14 qualified riders from Gold and they will ride all together in one Championship class in the Gold ring on Sunday and 12 qualified riders from Bronze and they will ride all together in one Championship class in the bronze ring on Sunday. If you are in the top 2 in your level/age division you will automatically be entered in the Championship Dressage Seat Equitation ride off. Gold or Bronze.

The Equitation Division Champion & Res. Champion (a Champ/res.Champ in Gold and a Champ/res. Champ in Bronze) will be determined by the results from each of the two special Championship equitation classes on Sunday.

Note: *The regular Dressage Seat classes will still be offered as the results from those Dressage Seat Equitation classes go toward the Hack Championships and to the overall high point of the Bronze and Gold shows.*

The results from the new Equitation Division will not be counted toward the hack championships or the overall high point. It has its own Championship.

Freestyle Challenge

Find your music, design your pattern and dance with your equine partner.

First level to FEI will compete together in one class for the title of Champion and Reserve Freestyle Challenge 2016

The Freestyle Challenge will be Gold and Bronze combined.

Qualifying score of 58% in a technical test at an EC Gold or Bronze competition in 2016. Provide a copy of your qualifying test with your entry form.

This class will be offered Friday night.

CLASS LIST

EC GOLD SHOW

NOTE: TOC = Test of Choice (you must designate test that will be ridden)

GOLD DIVISION DRESSAGE COMPETITION			
Friday		Saturday	
Class #	Class Name	Class #	Class Name
1052	Training Level, TOC (10 – 12 Years)	2022	Training Level, Test 2 (10 – 12 Years) C
1053	Training Level, TOC (13 – 15 Years)	2023	Training Level, Test 2 (13 – 15 Years) C
1054	Training Level, TOC (16 – 21 Years)	2024	Training Level, Test 2 (16 – 21 Years) C
1032	Training Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C&E	2032	Training Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C
1033	Training Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C&E	2033	Training Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C
1034	Training Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C&E	2034	Training Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C
1152	First Level, TOC(10 – 12 Years)	2122	First Level, Test 2 (10 – 12 Years) C
1153	First Level, TOC (13 – 15 Years)	2123	First Level, Test 2 (13 – 15 Years) C
1154	First Level, TOC (16 – 21 Years)	2124	First Level, Test 2 (16 – 21 Years) C
1132	First Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C&E	2132	First Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C
1133	First Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C&E	2133	First Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C
1134	First Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C&E	2134	First Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C
1250	Second Level, TOC	2220	Second Level, Test 2 C
1230	Second Level, Test 3 C&E	2230	Second Level, Test 3 C
1350	Third Level, TOC	2320	Third Level, Test 2 C
1330	Third Level, Test 3 C	2330	Third Level, Test 3 C
1450	Fourth Level, TOC	2420	Fourth Level, Test 2 C
1430	Fourth Level, Test 3 C	2430	Fourth Level, Test 3 C
1520	FEI Youth Team Test C	2530	FEI Youth Individual Test C
1650	Alumni Division: Level of Choice/TOC FEI TOC	2620	Alumni Division: Level of Choice/Test 2 FEI TOC
1630	Alumni Division: Level of Choice/Test 3 C FEI Team Test C	2630	Alumni Division: Level of Choice/Test 3 C FEI Individual Test C
1750	FEI Para Equestrian Division: TOC C	2750	FEI Para Equestrian Division: TOC C
Evening Classes			
1801**	FREESTYLE CHALLENGE: First level to FEI compete in one class Bronze & Gold combined	Parade of Champions Educational Seminars Social Night – Exhibitors –watch for details Sponsors social	

All Classes are \$40 per class except the Friday test 3 C&E \$50.00 and Freestyles - \$45.00

****Qualifying score of 58% in a technical class at an EC Gold competition in 2016 required. Provide a copy of your qualifying test with your entry form.**

CLASS LIST

EC BRONZE SHOW

NOTE: TOC = Test of Choice (you must designate class to be ridden)

BRONZE DRESSAGE COMPETITION			
Friday		Saturday	
Class #	Class Name	Class #	Class Name
3000A	Walk/Trot A (9 Years & Under)	4000A	Walk/Trot A (9 Years & Under)
3000B	Walk/Trot B (9 Years & Under) C	4000B	Walk/Trot B (9 Years & Under) C
3001A	Walk/Trot A (10 – 12 years)	4001A	Walk/Trot A (10 – 12 years)
3001B	Walk/Trot B (10 – 12 years) C	4001B	Walk/Trot B (10 – 11 years) C
3002A	Walk/Trot A (13 – 15 years)	4002A	Walk/Trot A (13 – 15 years)
3002B	Walk/Trot B (13 – 15 years) C	4002B	Walk/Trot B (13 -15 years) C
3051	Training Level, TOC (9 Years & Under)	4021	Training Level, Test 2 (9 Years & Under) C
3052	Training Level, TOC (10 – 12 Years)	4022	Training Level, Test 2 (10 – 12 Years) C
3053	Training Level, TOC (13 – 15 Years)	4023	Training Level, Test 2 (13 – 15 Years) C
3054	Training Level, TOC (16 – 21 Years)	4024	Training Level, Test 2 (16 – 21 Years) C
3031	Training Level, Test 3 (9 yrs.& Under) C	4031	Training Level, Test 3 (9 & Under) C
3032	Training Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C&E	4032	Training Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C
3033	Training Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C&E	4033	Training Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C
3034	Training Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C&E	4034	Training Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C
3152	First Level, TOC (10 – 12 Years)	4122	First Level, Test 2 (10 – 12 Years) C
3153	First Level, TOC (13 – 15 Years)	4123	First Level, Test 2 (13 – 15 Years) C
3154	First Level, TOC (16 – 21 Years)	4124	First Level, Test 2 (16 – 21 Years) C
3132	First Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C&E	4132	First Level, Test 3 (10 – 12 Years) C
3133	First Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C&E	4133	First Level, Test 3 (13 – 15 Years) C
3134	First Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C&E	4134	First Level, Test 3 (16 – 21 Years) C
3650	Alumni Division: Level of Choice/TOC	4620	Alumni Division: Level of Choice Test 2
3630	Alumni Division: Level of Choice Test 3 C	4630	Alumni Division: Level of Choice Test 3 C
Evening Classes			
6000	GQ (Gentlemen only) TOC (Test of Choice). 20 x 60 ring NO CHARGE FOR THIS CLASS	Parade of Champions Social Night –Exhibitors –watch for details.	

*All Classes are \$35 per class except the **Friday test 3 C&E classes which are \$45.00**
the "GQ" class is **FREE!***

**CLASS LISTS
GOLD HACK**

RISING STARS PROVINCIAL GOLD HACK COMPETITION SUNDAY	
Class #	Class Name
900 Novelty	Pleasure Pairs – see note below
500	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (10 – 12 Years)
501	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (13 – 15 Years)
502	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (16 – 21 Years)
503	RS English Pleasure (14.2 h and under)
504	RS English Pleasure (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
505	RS English Pleasure (Over 16 h)
506	RS Dressage Hack (14.2 h and under)
507	RS Dressage Hack (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
508	RS Dressage Hack (Over 16 h)
509	RS Country Hack (14.2 h and under)
510	RS Country Hack (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
511	RS Country Hack (Over 16 h)
RS Equitation Division Championship ride off – qualified riders from Friday	
920 Novelty	RS On Command Class (10 – 15 Years)
921 Novelty	RS On Command Class (16 – 21 Years)
922 Novelty	Ride a buck - Combined Gold and Bronze
923 Novelty	RS Costume class (formerly Bling class) Combined Gold & Bronze

All Classes are \$15 per class

Hack classes will be held and judged in accordance with Horse Council of B.C. General Performance Rules with the following exceptions: *Coloured browbands and nosebands allowed. Drop, flash and figure eight nosebands allowed. White coats not required for grooms.*

All Novelty classes-English attire

Please Note: RS Pleasure Pairs can be a combined team of riders/horses from either the Gold or Bronze competitions and will be first Hack Class of the day

**CLASS LISTS
BRONZE HACK**

RISING STARS PROVINCIAL BRONZE HACK COMPETITION SUNDAY	
Class #	Class Name
900 Novelty	RS Pleasure Pairs – see note below
600 WT	RS Sport Horse/Pony Showmanship (9 Years & Under)
601 WT	RS Sport Horse/Pony Showmanship (10 – 12 Years)
602 WT	RS Sport Horse/Pony Showmanship (13 – 15 Years)
603	RS Lead Line Class (9 Years & Under) <i>No Walk/Trot Riders Allowed</i>
604 WT	RS Dressage Seat Equitation Walk/Trot (9 Years & Under)
605 WT	RS Dressage Seat Equitation Walk/Trot (10 – 12 Years)
606 WT	RS Dressage Seat Equitation Walk/Trot (13 – 15 Years)
607	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (9 Years & Under)
608	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (10 – 12 Years)
609	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (13 – 15 Years)
610	RS Dressage Seat Equitation (16 – 21 Years)
RS Equitation Division Championship ride off – qualified riders from Friday	
611	RS English Pleasure (14.2 h and under)
612	RS English Pleasure (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
613	RS English Pleasure (Over 16 h)
614	RS Dressage Hack (14.2 h and under)
615	RS Dressage Hack (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
616	RS Dressage Hack (Over 16 h)
617	RS Country Hack (14.2 h and under)
618	RS Country Hack (Over 14.2 h – 16 h)
619	RS Country Hack (Over 16 h)
901 WT	RS Simon Says Class (9 yrs. & under) Walk/Trot
902 WT	RS Simon Says Class (10 – 12 yrs) Walk/Trot
903 WT	RS Simon Say Class (13 – 15 yrs.) Walk /Trot
904	RS On Command Class (9 yrs. & Under)
905	RS On Command Class (10 – 12 Years)
906	RS On Command Class (13 – 15 Years)
907	RS On Command Class (16 – 21 Years)
922 Novelty	Ride a Buck – Combined Gold & Bronze
923 Novelty	RS Costume Class (formerly Bling class) combined Gold & Bronze

All Classes are \$15 per class

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CLASSES MAY BE COMBINED – DETERMINED BY ENTRIES

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