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## **BCLM REGIONAL DRESSAGE SHOW**

### **Discovery Level and Exhibition Classes**

September 28, 2008

Island 22

45695 Cartmell Rd, Chilliwack, B.C.

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**Judges:** T B A

**Steward:** Janice Spenst

**Chairpersons;** Janice Spenst tel. 604-858-4951  
[go\\_event@dowco.com](mailto:go_event@dowco.com)  
Darcie Kerkhoven tel: 604-820-4085  
[nicomen@xplornet.com](mailto:nicomen@xplornet.com)

**Awards:** Championship Division Winners  
Individual Tests – placings to 8<sup>th</sup>  
Team Competition  
Championship High Point – PC Levels

**Entries to:** Darcie Kerkhoven  
Box 39  
Deroche BC  
VOM 1GO

**Starting Times:** On BCLM website (*OR*) *Ann Britton*  
Call 604-534-9257, Sept 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008  
Between 6pm-9pm

**ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY Sept 15, 2008**

No faxed entries will be accepted

THIS COMPETITION IS A PERMIT COMPETITION LICENSED BY, EQUINE CANADA 2685  
QUEENSVIEW DRIVE, SUITE 100, OTTAWA K2B 8K2 AND IS GOVERNED BY THE NATIONAL OFFICE.

Statement of principle. The Equine Canada (CEF), the National Federation of Canada supports adherence to human treatment of horses in all competitions under its jurisdiction. The EQ is committed to: upholding the welfare of 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, exhibitors and 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 competitions officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort, sanitation 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 regulation in all equestrian competitions; Reviewing, revising and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of horses. The standard

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

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CLASS #	DIVISION	CATEGORY	TESTS
#1	Starter A	D1 & Under	CPC Starter 1& 2 - walk /trot
#2	Starter B	D2 & Under	CPC Pretraining Test 1& 2
#3	Starter Freestyle	D2 & Under	CPC Starter Level FS – walk/trot
#4	Starter Pas de Deux	D2 & Under	CPC Starter Pas de Deux-walk/trot
#5	Training A	D2 & Under	EC Training Tests 1 & 2
#6	Training B	C and Up	EC Training Tests 1&2
#7	Training Freestyle	D2 and Up	CPC Pretraining Level FS
# 8	First Level	Open	EC tests 1, 2,
#9	Second Level	Open (exhibition)	EC tests 1& 2
# 10	Third Level	Open (exhibition)	EC tests 1 & 2
#11	Pas de Deux	Open	CPC Pretraining Pas de Deux
#12	Freestyle	Open	EC 1 <sup>st</sup> Level FS

\*\* Please note, ALL competitors must ride a minimum of two tests in their division in order to qualify for awards. Freestyle and Pas de Deux are optional. \*\*

**Horse/rider combinations may enter a maximum of four Dressage Tests as well as Freestyle and Pas de Deux.**

### GENERAL RULES AND CONDITIONS:

- 1 All divisions offering EC tests are covered by the Rules and Specifications of the EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the current EC rulebook. All divisions offering Pony Club tests are covered by the Canadian Pony Club National Dressage Guidelines-2007. **Knowledge of the rules is the competitor's and parents responsibility.** Please direct questions to your dressage rep or DC.
- 2 For Freestyle and Pas de Deux, competitors must ride **two** other dressage tests of the same division, in order to qualify for placings and prizes.
- 3 Starter, Pretraining, And Training Levels in 20X40 ring, and all other Levels in the 20X60 ring.\*\*\* tests to music are in a 20 x 60 meter ring.\*\*\*  
**The 2007 EC tests will be used during this Dressage Show** go to: [www.dressagecanada.org](http://www.dressagecanada.org). for EC tests. All CPC tests are in the CPC dressage rule book.
- 4 Neither the show facility, nor the show Committee will be held responsible in any way for damage, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of spectators, owners, riders or grooms.
- 5 **All riders must be current year members of the Horse Council of B.C.**
- 6 **All riders must be members in good standing of the Canadian Pony Club.**
- 7 The Show committee and management reserve the right to limit the number of entries and/or refuse any entry; split, cancel or combine and/or adjust classes or awards; to govern all conditions of the show; and to make decisions upon any matters not covered by current rules.
- 8 Classes may be scheduled at any time and in any order during the day. Ride times will only be changed in the case of error, overlapping times or to facilitate running of the show.

- 9 Tests may be called in **ALL** divisions **except** Pas de Deux & Freestyle.
- 10 All riders must wear a helmet approved in accordance with current EC policy (**ASTM certified**) as well as their Medical armband while mounted. Failure to do so will disqualify a rider from competition.
- 11 Dress and tack requirements adhere to **2007 CPC National Dressage Guidelines** and EC rules. **\*\* Parents and riders must read these\*\***
- 12 The horse's competition number' must be worn by horse or rider while mounted. CPC pin/disc is to be worn on the left lapel. **Lack of a pin will result in elimination.**
- 13 For the safety of the horse and rider, please leave dogs at home. Dogs brought to the show must be on a leash and under control at all times.
- 14 Teams are made up of 3-4 horse/rider combinations at the "E", "D", "C", or "A/B" level. Competitors may enter any division.
- 15 **Scoring:** Team - Competitors will be awarded points as indicated in the Team & Individual Competition Sliding Scale Table (pg. 8 CPC dressage 2007). Individual - Each class will be placed by percentage score. Division placing determined by Sliding Scale points in two tests of same division. Ties broken by combined percentage marks, then highest collective marks. Top rider of each Pony Club level determined by Sliding Scale points Two tests of same division. Ties broken by highest collective marks.

## **REFUNDS**

- 16 Prior to the closing of entries; all fees will be refunded (less \$10 registration fee). Entries not accepted because of time restrictions will receive a refund of all fees. After closing date, fees will be refunded only upon presentation of a veterinarian certificate or Dr.'s note less \$10 registration fee.

## **STABLING**

- 17 Stabling is available on the grounds. Outdoor paddocks, must supply own gate. Cost is \$20 for the weekend. Friday to Sunday

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

- 18 Show office opens @ 8:00 am
- 19 Veterinarian on call and farrier on grounds – contact show office
- 20 **Entries must be in the hands of the entry secretary by midnight on Sept. 15, 2008. NO post entries or hors concours entries unless ride times are available. Post entry fee is \$35 per horse, per test.**
- 21 Dressage times may be limited. Entries received after space is filled will be placed on waiting lists even if received prior to closing date. Entries not accommodated will have all fees refunded.
- 22 Make cheques payable to "**BCLM Regional Dressage**". NSF cheques are subject to \$25 penalty. Post-dated cheques will not be accepted.
- 23 The rider, the parent of the rider and the owner of the horse must sign entry forms.
- 24 **ENTRY FORMS THAT ARE NOT CORRECTLY COMPLETED, SIGNED AND LEGIBLE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED..**
- 25 The show office must receive Freestyle Division Tape or CD when numbers are picked up, **1hr prior to ride..** All Pas de Deux and Freestyle Divisions will be ridden in a 20 x 60 ring. Must bring you own cd/tape player.
- 26 **NEW RULE:**  
Tack check will be done **AFTER** the test as per 2007 CPC Rules. It is up to the competitor to find the Steward. A rider may approach the Steward prior to each test to ensure that dress and equipment are in accordance with EC and CPC Rules. **Failure to have a tack check will result in elimination.** A safety officer will be present in the warm up ring to do spot safety checks.

**FOR MORE DETAILS AND COPIES OF TEST REQUIREMENTS CONTACT YOUR DISTRICT COMMISSIONER.**

**AWARDS**

27. For all tests ribbons will be awarded to eighth place. Prizes and ribbons will be awarded to third place for each division. **DIVISION** winners **PLEASE be MOUNTED** and in full dress at the Awards Ceremony to receive their awards.

28. Team competition ribbons to third place in, D, C, and 'A/B' levels and to fifth in the 'E' Level. Teams are comprised of 3-4 horse and rider combinations of the same Level regardless of which tests they ride. Top 3 individuals' points from each team will count. Ribbons and prizes for high point in each Pony Club level, i.e. E, D, D1,

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One entry form per horse/rider combination**

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Name\_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate\_\_\_\_\_

Address\_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code:\_\_\_\_\_

Tel:\_\_\_\_\_ Email:\_\_\_\_\_

Pony Club\_\_\_\_\_ Pony Club Level attained \_\_\_\_\_

Horse Name\_\_\_\_\_

Sex\_\_\_\_\_ Age\_\_\_\_\_ Ht\_\_\_\_\_ Breed\_\_\_\_\_ Colour\_\_\_\_\_

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Class #	Division	Tests	Fee (\$20p/test)
			\$
			\$
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			\$
		Stabling	\$20.00
TOTAL PAYABLE			

**Make Cheques payable to “B.C.L.M. Dressage”**

I hereby certify that every horse and rider is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the constitution and rules of the Equine Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept this risk and hold harmless the EC, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, employees and their representatives.

**OWNER/AGENT SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **HCBC#** \_\_\_\_\_

**RIDER SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_ **HCBC#** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**DC SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

*(DC hereby acknowledges that the rider is a member of Horse Council in good standing)*

**ENTRY DEADLINE: SEPT 15 2008**

**PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT ALL SECTIONS ARE COMPLETED AND SIGNED.**

**MAIL ENTRY TO: Darcie Kerkhoven Box 39 Deroche BC VOM 1GO**

Please put me on a team with, or add me to another team: Y/ N

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

(3) \_\_\_\_\_