## Western Dressage Association of Virginia

## Fall Show October 4-6, 2024

At

Aírfield 4-H Conference Center Wakefield, VA

Approved by: WDAA # 24-426 USEF #342180 Local Competition AQHA # 915555 Closing date: September 20, 2024

Come join the fun!!! Silent Auction and Special Awards

Stay on site by contacting the Airfield 4-H Conf Center (757)899-4901 Lodging or Camping

## Show Information

Judge: Lynn Newton

Manager: Marie Taylor

USEF Steward: Scottie Rutherford (423) 782-8264 Safety Coordinator: Stacey Hayden Secretary: Marie Taylor 804 314-5216 <u>dabneymill@aol.com</u>

Complete your entries and then send to 23034 Dabney Mill Rd., N Dinwiddie, VA 23803

#### Make Checks Payable to: WDA-VA

### Vet on Call

The Oaks 757 365-4887

You must be a member of WDAA to ride in this show or pay a non-member fee. This will be verified prior to confirmation of your entries. You must also go through USEF Safe Sport even though you don't have to be a member. This is a USEF Local Competition.

Management reserves the right to change officials, combine or cancel classes and modify the schedule to make whatever changes are required by circumstances to the competition specifications. Management reserves the right to refuse or require withdrawal of an entry for cause deemed sufficient by Show Management.

Class Fees:

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#### WDAA Membership Statement

To be eligible to participate and/or compete as an exhibitor, owner, lessee, agent, coach, or trainer in any Federation-Licensed Western Dressage class or competition, persons must be active members of WDAA or pay a non-member fee equal to the price of an annual membership for each competition. Exception: WDAA membership or non-member fee is not required at a Lite Licensed competition. Lessees are considered owners in connection with this membership requirement. In the event of an entry under multiple ownership, only one owner need be a member or pay a non-member fee. The competition is responsible for listing either the active member or the owner that paid the non-member fee in the results. The competitions will be responsible for forwarding a list of the names of individuals who pay non-member fees at the competition to WDAA with the post competition report. Payment of non-member fees for the purpose of competing does not entitle the individual to any privileges of the WDAA membership.

#### WDAA Mission Statement

The Western Dressage Association of America is an Educational Not for Profit with a 501c3 status. Our primary focus is on education about and the promotion of Western Dressage. Our mission is to build an equine community that combines the Western traditions of horse and rider with classical dressage. We honor the horse. We value the partnership between horse and rider. We celebrate the legacy of the American West. It's about the journey! Visit our website at *westerndressageassociation.org* for information about our educational and award programs and membership benefits. "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."

#### **Membership Statement:**

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A non-member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, or agent at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a Show Pass fee. 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)assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes

## Safe Sport Reminder:

Reminder: All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at <u>www.usef.org</u>.

## **Motorized Vehicle Statement:**

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 motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

Ribbons will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> place. High Score will be given in all divisions. To be eligible for High Score, you MUST ride at least three (3) tests. **2022 WDAA Tests** will be used.

Refunds: Entries canceled with a vet certificate prior to the closing date, September 20, 2024 will be refunded everything except the Office Fee. In the event the competition is canceled, all entry fees except the Office Fee will be refunded.

## Lighting in Stable Area will be enforced from 11:00 pm to 5:00 am

GR1215.4. For six consecutive hours overnight, stabling must have minimal lighting and noise to allow stabled horses to rest adequately, which became effective December 1, 2023.

#### Stabling

All horses must have a stall or pay a grounds fee. Requests for adjoining stalls from different owners will be honored if all entries are mailed together.

A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS MUST BE INCLUDED WITH ENTRY.

Health Requirements – All horses entering Virginia are required to have an official health certificate within 30 days per the Board of State Veterinarians.

Show Management may, at its sole discretion, refuse an entry of an exhibitor, or the participation of, an agent, trainer, rider or handler who has shown an objectionable attitude towards a USEF Recognized competition or displayed previous

unsportsmanlike behavior at a USEF Recognized competition or towards its management, as well as those persons suspended or expelled from any previous USEF Recognized competitions by USEF.

Payment of Fees – There will be a \$100 charge for any returned checks. Stopping payment on checks or placing holds on credit card charges is in violation of USEF rules and an all violations will be filed with USEF.

**Failure to Check Out** – Prior to leaving the show grounds, please come to the show office and settle you accounts. Failure to check out at the show office will result in a non-checkout fee of \$50.00.

**Post Entries** – Closing date is October 2nd, 2023. Entries postmarked after this date will automatically be considered Post Entries and assessed the post entry fee as shown in the fee schedule. A United Postal Service postmark will take precedence over postmarks from private meters, etc.

**Condition of Entry** – The Show Committee and the Management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally or cancel an entry, disqualify exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries and remove from the grounds any individual, stable or both without claim for damages. The submitting of an entry form to the show shall constitute an acceptance by each person signing same of the provisions herein set forth.

#### Protests – See USEF Chapter 6

**Indemnity and Responsibility** – All entries are accepted with the understanding that neither the Airfield 4-H Center, WDA-VA or Heritage Arabian Horse Association, the Show Committee, nor any Show Official, will be held responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any horse exhibited or any article of any kind. All horses shall be under the control and direction of the show committee but the solely at the risk of the exhibitor, who will be responsible for any loss, damage or injury to any person, animal or property occasioned by him, and the exhibitor shall indemnify the above mentioned parties against any and all loss, damages and liability thus occasioned, including but not limited to any and all legal costs, including attorney fees, which may be incurred as a result thereof.

This horse show is conducted in accordance with the rules of the USEF. The official rule book of USEF will prevail for this show. This prize list is based on rules of the current rule book and the handbook of the Arabian Horse Association, where they apply respectively; any changes or corrections of rules will automatically become a part of the prize list. Each participant is the show is responsible for knowledge of and is subject to the USEF rules. Questions not covered by USEF rules shall be decided by the show committee and its decisions will be final. By entering the show, each exhibitor agrees to abide by the final decision of the Show Committee and USEF Steward.

## Directions to the Airfield 4-H Center – 15189 Airfield Rd., Wakefield, VA 23888 (757) 899-4901

Take Route 460 to Wakefield. East bound traffic turn right at the signal light on Route 460 onto Route 628. West bound traffic turn left at the signal light on Roto Route 628. Go 5 ½ miles on Route 628. Turn right onto Turkey Pen Road and go ¾ of a mile. The Airfield Conference Center Entrance is on the left. **From Richmond, VA** – Take I-95 or I-295 South to Petersburg. Take Route 460 East towards Suffolk/Virginia Beach. In Wakefield follow the above directions.

**From Norfolk, VA** – Take I 264 West to Bowers Hill area and pick up Route 58 West towards Suffolk. Follow Route 58 until you see the exit to 460 West. Turn onto Route 460 West until you get to Wakefield. Follow the above directions.

Stalls are wooden with solid doors 12x12 and 10x12 Rings are a mixture of sand and blue stone.

Sharps Containers – Competition management shall place a minimum of one sharps container per each competition whether or not stabling is provided. Additionally, at least one sharps container per fifty occupied stalls for the disposal of needles and other disposable sharp instruments in convenient locations in barns housing competition horses. It is competition management's responsibility to replace such containers when full and dispose of them properly. Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitor or their agents, up to \$100 for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments. Competition management will place a notice of this requirement either in its prize list or on a specific handout given to trainers on check in at the competition. If local law has different requirements, local law will prevail. GR 1210.4

Equine Vaccination Rule – 1. At federation licensed competitions, horses entering the grounds must be accompanied by documentation of Equine influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) within six months prior to entering the stables. Horses not in compliance with this rule may be required to leave the competition grounds upon request by Competition Management. Documentation should consist of one of the following methods mentioned below. The frequency of vaccine administration by or under the direction of a veterinarian. 2. In the case of vaccines administered by a veterinarian, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide documentation from the veterinarian on documenting that the horse in question received the vaccinations, name of the vaccines and date of vaccine administration. 3. In the case of vaccines administered by a person other than a veterinarian, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide a receipt of the vaccine purchase which is signed by the owner, or agent with care, custody and control of the horse, name serial number and expiration date of the vaccine and date of vaccine administration. 4.In the case of a horse that is unable to receive either of the vaccinations due to a history of adverse reactions, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide a letter from the veterinarian on official letterhead stating that the horse in question cannot be vaccinated due to medical concerns and a log of temperatures taken twice daily for the seven days prior to entering the competition grounds. These horses must also have their temperature taken and logged twice daily while on the competition grounds. The log of temperatures should be provided to the Competition Management, steward or technical delegate when requested. 5. Competition Management may not amend or enhance vaccination requirements without prior approval of the Veterinary Committee. BOD 1/17/15 Effective 12/1/15



## Can We say Learning will Occur!! Clinic with Lynn Newton

There will be a two day clinic with Lynn Newton right after the WDAVA licensed show.

Lynn is our Judge for the 3 day show October 4<sup>th</sup>,5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>.

Then she will be our clinician on October 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th.</sup>

What an opportunity!!! Just think if you showed under her she can help you with your weak spots.

If you didn't show and want to clinic with her that works too!!!

Lynn is a knowledgeable and enthusiastic instructor

Book your spot now with the below link. You will not regret it!

WDAVA Clinic Entry Form (formsite.com)



## Airfield Conference Center \* 10am-8pm

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## Open Western Dressage October 4-6, 2024

Friday	Saturday	Sunday	Class Name
2000	3000	4000	WDAA Intro Level Test 1 Open
2001	3001	4001	WDAA Intro Level Test 1 ATR
2002	3002	4002	WDAA Intro Level Test 1 JTR
2003	3003	4003	WDAA Intro Level Test 2 Open
2004	3004	4004	WDAA Intro Level Test 2 ATR
2005	3005	4005	WDAA Intro Level Test 2 JTR
2006	3006	4006	WDAA Intro Level Test 3 Open
2007	3007	4007	WDAA Intro Level Test 3 ATR
2008	3008	4008	WDAA Intro Level Test 3 JTR
2009	3009	4009	WDAA Intro Level Test 4 Open
2010	3010	4010	WDAA Intro Level Test 4 Open WDAA Intro Level Test 4 ATR
2011	3011	4011	WDAA Intro Level Test 4 JTR
2012	3012	4012	WDAA Basic Level Test 1 Open
2012	3013	4012	WDAA Basic Level Test 1 Open WDAA Basic Level Test 1 ATR
2013	3014	4013	WDAA Basic Level Test 1 JTR
2014	3015	4014	WDAA Basic Level Test 2 Open
2015	3016	4015	WDAA Basic Level Test 2 Open WDAA Basic Level Test 2 ATR
2010	3017	4017	WDAA Basic Level Test 2 JTR
2018	3018	4018	WDAA Basic Level Test 3 Open
2019	3019	4019	WDAA Basic Level Test 3 ATR
2020	3020	4020	WDAA Basic Level Test 3 JTR
2021	3021	4021	WDAA Basic Level Test 4 Open
2021	3022	4021	WDAA Basic Level Test 4 Open WDAA Basic Level Test 4 ATR
2023	3023	4023	WDAA Basic Level Test 4 JTR
2023	3024	4023	WDAA Level 1 Test 1 Open
2025	3025	4025	WDAA Level 1 Test 1 ATR
2025	3026	4025	WDAA Level 1 Test 1 JTR
2020	3027	4027	WDAA Level 1 Test 2 Open
2027	3028	4027	WDAA Level 1 Test 2 Open WDAA Level 1 Test 2 ATR
2028	3029	4028	WDAA Level 1 Test 2 JTR
2025	3030	4029	WDAA Level 1 Test 3 Open
2030	3031	4030	WDAA Level 1 Test 3 ATR
2031	3032	4031	WDAA Level 1 Test 3 JTR
2032	3033	4032	WDAA Level 1 Test 4 Open
2033	3034	4034	WDAA Level 1 Test 4 Open WDAA Level 1 Test 4 ATR
2035	3035	4034	WDAA Level 1 Test 4 JTR
2035	3036	4035	WDAA Level 2 Test 1 Open
2037	3037	4037	WDAA Level 2 Test 1 Open WDAA Level 2 Test 1 ATR
2038	3038	4038	WDAA Level 2 Test 1 JTR
2039	3039	4039	WDAA Level 2 Test 2 Open
2035	3040	4040	WDAA Level 2 Test 2 Open WDAA Level 2 Test 2 ATR
2041	3041	4041	WDAA Level 2 Test 2 JTR
2042	3042	4042	WDAA Level 2 Test 3 Open
2043	3043	4043	WDAA Level 2 Test 3 ATR
2044	3044	4044	WDAA Level 2 Test 3 JTR

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2046	3046	4046	WDAA Level 2 Test 4 ATR
2047	3047	4047	WDAA Level 2 Test 4 JTR
2048	3048	4048	WDAA Level 3 Test 1 Open
2040	3049	4048	WDAA Level 3 Test 1 ATR
2050	3050	4050	WDAA Level 3 Test 1 JTR
2050	3051	4051	WDAA Level 3 Test 2 Open
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2058	3059	4058	WDAA Level 3 Test 4 ATR
2059	3060	4059	WDAA Level 3 Test 4 JTR
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2061	3061 3062	4061	WDAA Level 4 Test 1 ATR
2062	3062	4062	WDAA Level 4 Test 1 JTR
		4063	WDAA Level 4 Test 2 Open
2064	3064	4064	WDAA Level 4 Test 2 ATR
2065	3065	4065	WDAA Level 4 Test 2 JTR
2066	3066	4066	WDAA Level 4 Test 3 Open
2067	3067	4067	WDAA Level 4 Test 3 ATR
2068	3068	4068	WDAA Level 4 Test 3 JTR
2069	3069	4069	WDAA Level 4 Test 4 Open
2070	3070	4070	WDAA Level 4 Test 4 ATR
2071	3071	4071	WDAA Level 4 Test 4 JTR
2072	3072	4072	USEF WD Suitability Open
2073	3073	4073	USEF WD Seat on the Rail Open
2074	3074	4074	USEF WD Hack Open
2075	3075	4075	USEF WD Horsemanship Open
2076	3076	4076	USEF WD Suitability Amateur
2077	3077	4077	USEF WD Hack Amateur
2078	3078	4078	USEF WD Seat on the Rail Amateur
2079	3079	4079	USEF WD Horsemanship Amateur
2080	3080	4080	USEF WD Suitability Junior
2081	3081	4081	USEF WD Hack Junior
2082	3082	4082	USEF WD Seat on the Rail Junior
2083	3083	4083	USEF WD Horsemanship Junior
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2085	3086	4085	WDAA Musical FreeStyle Basic Level WDAA Musical FreeStyle Level 1
2087	3087	4087	WDAA Musical FreeStyle Level 1
2088	3088	4088	WDAA Musical FreeStyle Level 3
2089	3089	4089	WDAA Musical FreeStyle Level 4

USEF Competition Name: Western Dressage Assoc of VA Fall Show Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): WDAA Western Dressage

USEF#: 342180

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# **REPORT MAAP POLICY VIOLATIONS**



usef.org/safe-sport/reporting 859-225-6915 or Text Anonymously 855-682-8733

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(804) 314-5216

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## FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulter or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Competition). I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable - casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the Stateof New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR908.4.

If not currently a USEF Active Competing member or Subscriber, I acknowledge that I will be enrolled for no cost as a USEF Fan and my USEF Fan Account will continue to annually automatically renew in USEF's sole discretion. Additionally, I acknowledge that the benefits of a USEF Fan are subject to change without notice. USEF may in its sole discretion, at any time, terminate my USEF Fan status. I acknowledge that I may opt out at any time by going to My USEF Dashboard or calling (859) 810-8733.

**BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE** that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If I am signing and submitting this Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall have the same validity, force and effect as if I affixed my signature by my own hand.

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Signature:	Signature:
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Is Rider/Driver/Vaulter a U.S. Citizen: \_\_\_\_Yes \_\_\_ No

## WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. dba US Equestrian ("USEF") allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any capacity (including as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, official, trainer or volunteer) in a USEF sanctioned, licensed or approved event or activity, including but not limited to equestrian clinics, practices, shows, competitions and related or incidental activities and \_\_\_\_\_\_("USEF Event"); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Agreement (the "Agreement"):

A. RULES AND REGULATIONS: I hereby agree that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time.

B. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK: I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any USEF Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, (i) the propensity of an equine to behave in dangerous ways which may result in injury to the participant; (ii) the inability to predict an equine's reaction to sound, movements, objects, persons, or animals; and (iii) hazards of surface or subsurface conditions; (iv) the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; (v) loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; (vi) accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; (vii) facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); (viii) inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; (ix) situations beyond the immediate control of the USEF Event organizers and competition management; and (x) other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers. ("Risks").

#### CAUTION: HORSEBACK RIDING AND EQUINE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DANGEROUS. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK.: Under VA Code Ann. Sec 3.2-6200-6203, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

C. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the USEF Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any USEF Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any USEF Event.

D. WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY: In conjunction with my participation in any USEF Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: USEF, USEF Recognized Affiliate Associations, the United States Olympic & Paralympic Committee (USOPC), USEF clubs, members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any USEF Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the USEF Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where a USEF Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (Individually and Collectively, the "Released Parties" or "Event Organizers"), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature ("Liability") which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the USEF Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.

E. COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE: This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

#### I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND KNOW IT CONTAINS AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER FROM LIABILITY, AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS.

By signing below, that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf or the minor's behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities as the result of such claim.

The parties agree that this agreement may be electronically signed. The parties agree that the electronic signatures appearing on this agreement are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility.

RIDER/DRIVER/HANDLER/VAULTER/LONGEUR OWNER TRAINER	R _ OFFICIAL _ STAFF _ VOLUNTEER	<b>COACH</b> (IF APPLICABLE)
Signature: Date:	Print Name:	
Parent/Guardian Signature: (Required if Rider/Driver/Handler/Vaulter/Longeur is a minor	·)	Date:
Print Parent//Guardian Name:	_Emergency Contact Phone No	

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