



2023 RDA(NSW) VIDEO DRESSAGE COMPETITION

Grade 1 – Walk only test

Grade 2 – Walk and some trot tests

Grade 3 – Walk and trot tests

Grade 4 – Walk, trot and canter tests

Grade 5 – Walk, trot, canter tests with lateral work

Grade 6 – Walk, trot and canter

**All Riders are eligible to participate in Grade 1 to 5.
Only Riders meeting Sport Inclusion Australia – Virtus
classification are eligible for Grade 6.**

**This competition will be judged under Conditions of Entry by qualified
Equestrian Australia Dressage Judges in accordance with associated
rules.**

Entries open until last mail 13th June 2023.

Enquiries:

Email: dressage@rdansw.org.au

To access Tests - <http://www.equestrian.org.au/Paraequestrian-rules>

Postal address for entries

RDA (NSW) Dressage Sub Committee

State Dressage Video Competition

C/: 125 Old Pitt Town Road GABLES NSW 2765

Or send an email to request a private electronic file transfer option.



SCHEDULE OF COMPETITIONS

GRADE 1

All Grade 1 Tests are run in the smaller arena sized 20m x 40 m

SECTION A (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B
SECTION B (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Intermediate Test B
SECTION C (unclassified)	EA Para Dressage Grade 1 L4 Test

GRADE 2

All Grade 2 Tests are run in the smaller arena sized 20m x 40 m

SECTION A (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B
SECTION B (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Intermediate Test B
SECTION C (unclassified)	EA Para Dressage Grade 2 L4

GRADE 3

All Grade 3 Tests are run in the smaller arena sized 20m x 40 m

SECTION A (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B
SECTION B (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Intermediate Test B
SECTION C (unclassified)	EA Para Dressage Grade 3 L4

GRADE 4

All Grade 4 Tests are run in the large arena sized 20m x 60 m

SECTION A (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B
SECTION B (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Intermediate Test B
SECTION C (unclassified)	EA Para Dressage Grade 4 L43

GRADE 5

All Grade 5 Tests are run in the large arena sized 20m x 60 m

SECTION A (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B
SECTION B (classified)	FEI Para Equestrian Intermediate B Test
SECTION C (unclassified)	EA Para Dressage Grade 5 L3

GRADE 6

All Grade 4 Tests are run in the large arena sized 20m x 60 m and Grade 3 in the 20m x 40m arena. Omit halt on the centreline

SECTION A (classified)	Grade 4 FEI Para Equestrian Novice A Test
SECTION B (classified)	Grade 2 FEI Para Equestrian Novice A Test

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- a. The event will be conducted in accordance with the conditions of entry.
- b. **Eligibility**
 - a. This competition is open to all RDA Classified Riders and RDA unclassified riders that are registered as RDA(NSW) Centre or Associate Riders or invited Organisations.
 - b. Only one (1) entry per horse/rider/test combination.
 - c. Riders, competing in Sections A or B, must ride in their FEI Para Equestrian classification grade or Grade 6 if classified by Virtus.
 - d. If a rider is unclassified or unable to ride at their classification level, they must enter Section C and compete at the Grade they feel most comfortable.
 - e. There is no upper age limit.
 - f. If riders are under the age of 12, and will not reach their 12th birthday in the year of the Championships, they are eligible to compete in the Junior competition.
- c. **Entry Fee** - Entry fee payable is \$10.00 per horse/rider/test combination. The entry fee must accompany the video and entry form to be eligible.
- d. **Late Entries** - Will not be accepted.
- e. **Footage Requirements** – Failure to adhere to these will result in disqualification.
 - a. The horse and rider must be introduced prior to entering the arena.
 - b. Footage must be taken from 5m behind the C marker. The camera must remain in the fixed position (however can rotate left and right, zoom where appropriate) and picture must include a minimum of 20m radius around the rider i.e. zoom should not impede the ability to distinguish the position of the rider in the arena and must show the entire horse including the placement of footfalls on the ground at all times.
 - c. The video footage must be continuous from the moment the rider enters the arena until the rider leaves the arena. THERE MUST BE NO EDITING.
 - d. Footage must be submitted USB's and must be clearly marked with the Rider and Horse names, grade and test entered or shared electronically – contact dressage@rdansw.org.au to register for electronic file transfer.
 - e. The Video files **MUST** be recorded and finalised to play on Windows based laptops.
 - f. Videos must be viewed before submission and checked for viewability. It is suggested several recordings be taken, with the best submitted for judging.
 - g. If more than one video per combination is received, the first opened will be the version judged.
 - h. Videos received that can't be played/viewed will not be judged. The entry fee will not be refunded.
- f. **Placings and Ribbons**
 - a. Ribbons will be awarded in 3 categories:
 - 1. Riders who have competed at a State or National Championship
 - 2. Riders who have competed in a State Video competition
 - 3. New Riders ie riders who have never competed before
 - b. Ribbons will be awarded to 6th place.
 - c. Presentation will be at the 2023 RDA (NSW) Dressage Championships on the Saturday night.
- g. **Equipment** used by riders with a disability must conform to RDA(NSW) and EA/FEI rules; unless an exemption card is produced (copy must be attached to entry form). Contact the Dressage Secretary for confirmation of special equipment.

- h. **Attire** - A rider should wear:
 - a. Light coloured jodhpurs or riding pants.
 - b. Short/long boots.
 - c. Shirt & Tie/Stock.
 - d. Riding Jacket, Centre coloured windcheater or vest.
 - e. Gloves should be worn where possible.
 - f. AS/NZS 3838 or ASTNF 1163 Helmet dated within 5 years of manufacture.
 - g. **Safety Helmet and boots must be worn at all times whilst mounted.**
- i. Grade 6 now open to riders meeting the Sport Inclusion Australia and Virtus Eligibility requirements.
- j. **Eligibility for State competition** – Results from this video competition may be used for qualification into the RDA(NSW) Dressage Championships.
 - See the RDA(NSW) Dressage Competition Schedule for more details regarding eligibility for the state event.

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RDA(NSW) VIDEO DRESSAGE COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

ENTRY FEE – \$10 per Test - MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR ENTRY FORM AND USB

LAST NAME						
FIRST NAME						
DATE OF BIRTH (if under 18 years of age)						
ADDRESS						
TELEPHONE NUMBER (H and M)						
EMAIL ADDRESS						
CLASSIFICATION GRADE – Please circle – please circle	1	2	3	4	5	6
SECTION – please circle	A		B		C	
PARA-EQUESTRIAN (formerly IPEC) PROFILE NUMBER – classified riders must state						
HORSE NAME						

Which of the following are you riding as: please tick which is appropriate include number if applicable.

- ☐ Member of RDA Centre - Centre name: _____
- ☐ Associate RDA(NSW) Member
- ☐ Member of invited organisation – Club name _____

- ☐ Rider has competed at a State or National Championship previously
- ☐ Rider has competed in a State Video competition previously
- ☐ New Riders ie rider has never competed before in the Video competition

I give permission for this video to be displayed at Coach training workshops, selected media or marketing events and the State Dressage Championships

YES / NO (please circle)

I have read the Conditions of Entry and General Information and fully understand them. I agree to abide by the Conditions of Entry and rules and regulations as set down for the conduct of a dressage event.

RIDER/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

Dated: ____/____/____

Direct Deposit: Westpac BSB:032 569 A/C: 154895 Please use reference: "Surname" – Vid Dressage