



Welcome to the Dressage at Lexington,
presented by Virginia Dressage Association
July 12, 2021



This is the 28th year of Dressage at Lexington. We are so glad that 2021 is a more normal year than last year and we appreciate everyone's on-going support of this summer tradition.

We will be following CDC and Commonwealth of Virginia COVID-19 guidelines. Please wear masks if unvaccinated and practice social distancing with people not familiar to you. Please be respectful. We do ask that you wear a mask if you come to the show office area, particularly if unvaccinated. We want everyone to be safe while enjoying the show.

On Saturday night, VADA is hosting a casual wine and appetizer party under the tent in front of Cashvan. The Grand Prix Class will be going on in the Wiley arena at the same time.

Breakfast cart with coffee, other drinks and pastries will be in the barn area from 6:30 to 8:00 every morning.

Ice Cream will be available by Awards, located at the tent by Cashvan.

In addition to several Challenge Classes with Prize Money, the Sporting Horse Amateur Challenge (SHAC) will be hotly contested again. The Challenge Class will have Awards Ceremonies. Details will be posted.

Be sure to sign your teams up for the "Debbie Rodriguez Trainer Challenge" in the show office so your trainer can win a nice cooler.

Check out the Breeding Division Classes on Friday to see if you spot your next prospect.

Please check our website, <https://virginiadressage.org/> for full show details, ride times, results, schooling schedules, awards schedules and other useful information.

Please check-in at the Stable Office when you arrive to get your stall assignments. You can also order shavings, feed and hay there as well. The Stable Office contact is 540-464-2966. Late arrivals: If you plan to arrive late (after 6), call the Stable Office in advance to let them know and to order shavings if you need them. When you arrive at the VHC, you should be met by Security who will have your stall assignments. If you don't see anyone, call the Stable Office number above. PLEASE DO NOT CHANGE STALLS without permission of the Stable Office staff or the Show Secretary.

Negative Coggins, Vaccinations and Health Certificate: Please be prepared to show your Negative Coggins when you check in at the Stable Office. You must also have proof of vaccinations with you. Additionally, if you are out of state, Federal Law requires that you provide a current Health Certificate within 30 days of traveling. The Equine Interstate Passport is also acceptable.

Packet Pick-up will be in the Show Office. Please be respectful and wear a face mask in the Show Office. If you need help, call or text Bettina Longaker, at 540-222-5850. If you have any class changes, scratches, additions, call or text Bettina.

Food Concessions: Food will be available on the grounds on Thursday at the Food Truck located by the Stable Office. Please take advantage of this option when moving in. During the show, the concession in the Coliseum as well as several food trucks will be open.

Hourly Night Watch and Feeding Service is available, including enhanced services (watering, feeding, blanketing, braiding). Please arrange directly with Nightwatch for an additional fee. Contact Katherine Sclichter at 443-532-1522 or ksclichter@gmail.com.

Professional DSHB Handling contact Bruce Griffin III at (484) 877-3970.

Braiding services are available. Contact Haley Jones at 336-280-8675.

SCHOOLING SCHEDULE is posted on the website

HELMETS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES WHEN MOUNTED, NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

NUMBERS ARE REQUIRED ANY TIME YOUR HORSE IS OUT OF THE STALL!!!

DOGS MUST BE LEASHED AND ATTACHED TO A HUMAN OR IMMOVEABLE OBJECT AT ALL TIMES.

FINES WILL APPLY FOR VIOLATORS!

To arrange photography, text your bridle number to 434-334-2472 and include and include rider name, horse name and horse #. Pics of You will be located in the outside vendor area. The website is www.picsofyou.com.

To arrange videography, text Larry at 434-203-9245.

For those using GPS/Mapquest, the physical address is: *Virginia Horse Center, 487 Maury River Road, Lexington, VA, 24450*

We have a number of generous **SPONSORS** who are supporting a number of awards and other show activities. Details are in the show program. Please take the opportunity to thank these sponsors for their very generous support. Please support our **VENDORS** as well.

We look forward to seeing you at the Virginia Horse Center.

The Board of Directors of Virginia Dressage Association, Inc and the VADA Show Staff.

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