

Dressage at Waterloo

August I & II

Waterloo Hunt, Grass Lake, Michigan

I: August 7-8; II: August 9



*Two Qualifying Competitions for the 2009
Great American/USDF Regional Championships*

USDF/Dover Adult Amateur Medal Program

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Opening Date: June 15

Closing Date: July 13

Class List

FRIDAY

UA	USDF Introductory Test A	P	FEI Prix St Georges Open/Q
UB	USDF Introductory Test B	FI1	FEI Intermediate I Open/Q
G1	Green As Grass 1	FI2	FEI Intermediate II Open/Q
T1	Training 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	G	FEI Grand Prix Open/Q
T4	Training 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	F1	USDF 1 st Level Freestyle Open/Q
11	First 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	F2	USDF 2 nd Level Freestyle Open/Q
14	First 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	F3	USDF 3 rd Level Freestyle Open/Q
21	Second 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	F4	USDF 4 th Level Freestyle Open/Q
24	Second 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	USEF	USEF Test of Choice Open (specify level and test) (Dover Medal for AA for 2 nd 3)
31	Third 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	FEI	FEI Test of Choice Open/Q
33	Third 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	YH	Young Horse Test of Choice
41	Fourth 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	PE	PE 20m x 60m Test of Choice
43	Fourth 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	EQ	Dressage Seat Equitation Open/AA/Jr-YR
JP	FEI Junior Rider Preliminary	M3F	Materiale, 3-yr old Fillies
YP	FEI Young Rider Preliminary	M3CG	Materiale, 3-yr old Colts/Geldings
JT	FEI Junior Team Test Jr/Q	M45M	Materiale, 4&5-yr old Mares
YT	FEI Yg Rider Team Test YR/Q	M45SG	Materiale, 4&5-yr old Stallions and Geldings

SATURDAY

2UA	USDF Introductory Test A	2P	FEI Prix St. Georges O/Q
2UB	USDF Introductory Test B	2FI1	FEI Intermediate I Open/Q
G2	Green As Grass 2	2FI2	FEI Intermediate II Open/Q
T2	Training 2 Open/AA/Jr-YR	2G	FEI Grand Prix Open/Q
2T4	Training 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	2F1	USDF 1 st Level Freestyle Open/Q
12	First 2 Open/AA/Jr-YR	2F2	USDF 2 nd Level Freestyle Open/Q
214	First 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	2F3	USDF 3 rd Level Freestyle Open/Q
22	Second 2 Open/AA/Jr-YR	2F4	USDF 4 th Level Freestyle Open/Q
224	Second 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	FI	FEI Intermediate I Freestyle Open/Q
32	Third 2 Open/AA/Jr-YR	FG	FEI Grand Prix Freestyle Open/Q
233	Third 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	PD	Pas de Deux (specify level)
42	Fourth 2 Open/AA/Jr-YR	2USEF	USEF Test of Choice Open (specify level and test)
243	Fourth 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	2FEI	FEI Test of Choice Open/Q
PT	FEI Pony Team Test PR/Q	2YH	Young Horse Test of Choice
J1	FEI Junior Individual Jr/Q	2PE	PE 20m x 60m Test of Choice
Y1	FEI Young Rider Individual		

Open, AA (Adult Amateur), and Jr-YR (Junior/Young Rider) listed above are each separate classes; entry form must specify which class (O, A, or J) you are entering. Eligible riders may enter both O and A or O and J.

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SUNDAY

3UA	USDF Introductory Test A	3P	FEI Prix St. Georges Open/Q
3UB	USDF Introductory Test B	3F11	FEI Intermediate I Open/Q
G3	Green As Grass 3	3F12	FEI Intermediate II Open/Q
T3	Training 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR	3G	FEI Grand Prix Open/Q
3T4	Training 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	3F1	USDF 1 st Level Freestyle Open/Q
13	First 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR	3F2	USDF 2 nd Level Freestyle Open/Q
314	First 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	3F3	USDF 3 rd Level Freestyle Open/Q
23	Second 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR	3F4	USDF 4 th Level Freestyle Open/Q
	(Dover Medal for AA)	3USEF	USEF Test of Choice Open
324	Second 4 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q		(specify level and test)
331	Third 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	3FEI	FEI Test of Choice Open/Q
333	Third 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	3YH	Young Horse Test of Choice
341	Fourth 1 Open/AA/Jr-YR	3PE	PE 20m x 60 m Test of Choice
343	Fourth 3 Open/AA/Jr-YR/Q	US4	USEF Test for 4-Yr Olds
PI	FEI Pony Individual PR/Q	FEI5	FEI Test for 5-Yr Olds Finale
JF	FEI Junior Freestyle Jr/Q	FEI6	FEI Test for 6-Yr Olds Finale
YF	FEI Young Rider Freestyle	DH	USEF Developing Horse Test
	YR/Q		Open/Q

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Definitions:

Q – Official Qualifying Class for the 2009 Great American/USDF Regional Championships.

AA – Open to Adult Amateurs only; competitors must compete as adults from the beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 22. Must hold current USEF Amateur card.

Jr-YR – Open to Juniors and Young Riders only; riders are eligible until the end of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 21. Only Juniors ages 14-18 may enter FEI Junior Tests. Only riders ages 12-16 may ride FEI Pony Tests.

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Fees: Only U.S. funds. Payable to **BMCI** and mailed to Show Secretary.

Online entries accepted with credit card or electronic check.

\$25	Equitation and Materiale
30	Introductory and Green As Grass
32	Training - First Level (excl. freestyles)
38	Second - Fourth Level and PE (excl. freestyles)
47	FEI Classes (excl. freestyles) and Developing Horse/Young Horse Tests
50	USDF, FEI, and PE Freestyles and Pas de Deux (per team)
25	Office Fee per horse/rider combination per show
50	Non-compete fee for horses not entered in the show
30	Fee per non-negotiable payment in addition to all expenses incurred

Stabling:

\$98	Stabling Fee Thursday 12 PM – Sunday
35	Additional stabling fee, per stall per day, for arrival before Thursday
20	Haul-in Fee per horse per day for non-stabled horses
7	Shavings per bag ordered on entry - \$8 at show

Federation Fees:

\$10	Great American/USDF Qualifying Fee (in addition to normal class fee)
15	USEF Fee (\$7 D&M and \$8 Administration) per show
30	USEF Non-member Fee, if applicable
20	USDF Non-member Fee, if applicable

Entries: Entries are accepted on a first come, first served basis and will be processed in the order received until classes are filled. Subsequent entries will be placed on a wait list and notified as times become available. Entries are made as a horse/rider combination. Illegible or incomplete entries cannot be processed until all information is provided. Completed entries with all signatures and legible copies of Coggins are to be mailed or otherwise delivered to BMCI, PO Box 248, Dexter, MI 48130, and must be RECEIVED on or before the closing date. If using express mail, waive signature. Call or email for UPS/FedEx address. A “no show” for a class will be considered a scratch for the rest of the show and times may be filled.

Faxed entries are accepted with a faxed check, Visa, MasterCard, or Discover. **Faxed entries must include check or credit card payment.** Fax entry to (734) 426-3111.

Online entries are accepted at **www.HorseShowOffice.com**. **\$5 discount per show** for entering online. Online entries may be paid by check or credit card.

Post entries and changes are accepted, if scheduling permits, at \$10 plus normal fee per class.

Refund Policy: If an entry is cancelled prior to or on the closing date, a full refund is given less the \$25 office fee. If an entry is cancelled after the closing date, the \$12 USEF fee and any non-member fees, if paid, are refunded. No fees other than USEF fees are refundable after the closing date for any reason, including in the event of cancellation of classes due to severe weather or other emergency. Payments are applied to USEF fees after all other entry fees are paid.

Proof of membership: USEF and USDF registration is verified electronically if valid membership numbers are provided on entry form. Copies of USEF and USDF memberships, horse recordings, and HIDs **ARE NOT REQUIRED** with your entry provided you include the membership numbers on your entry form. You may be asked to provide copies if your memberships cannot be verified for any reason.

Great American/USDF Qualifying: Q in class description means *Official Qualifying Class for the 2009 Great American/USDF Regional Championships*. Enter Q in addition to Open, AA, or Jr-YR and pay additional \$10 USDF fee to have score entered as Great American/USDF qualifying. An exhibitor entered in more than one division must specify on entry form which score is to be used for the qualifying ride. FEI Pony Tests (Individual or Team) qualify for 2nd Level, FEI JR Individual qualifies for 4th Level, FEI JR Freestyle qualifies for 3rd Level Freestyle, FEI YR Freestyle qualifies for 4th Level Freestyle, Developing Horse Test qualifies for Prix St. Georges, and Young Adult Test qualifies for Intermediate II.

Test-of-Choice Classes: Specify test on entry. Will be split by test regardless of number of entries. Great American/USDF qualification may be elected for test-of-choice classes if the test is used for Great American/USDF qualifying and if the same test is not offered as a separate class on the same day. Test-of-choice classes do not receive ribbons and prizes as individual classes. At the end of the show (Spring Classic I & II count as one show), all test-of-choice rides in specific groupings are ranked by percentage and awarded ribbons through sixth place. A horse/rider combination can only be ranked once in each grouping. Contact show secretary for a complete list of groupings and each grouping's tests.

Para Equestrian Classes: Para equestrian tests that are officially designated for the standard sized, 20m x 60m arena are offered as part of the PE test-of-choice class. Para equestrian tests that specify any arena size other than 20m x 60m are not offered.

Dressage Seat Equitation: Will show at walk, trot, and canter in both directions. The rider's position, seat, and correct use and effect of aids as required by Training and First Level Dressage Tests will be judged.

Awards: Classes will be pinned and ribbons awarded to six places. Prize to first place in classes where 3 or more complete the test OR where score would qualify under GAIG/USDF requirements. In case of a tie, horses will remain tied as described in article DR123.3. Management may split classes into separate classes for Open, AA, and/or Jr-YR. No awards for qualifying classes. Test-of-choice classes are handled differently; see *Test-of-Choice Classes* above for details on TOC awards.

Combining Classes: Management reserves the right to combine Open, AA, and/or Jr-YR classes of the same test into a single class with Open, AA, and/or Jr-YR divisions. In such a case, the individual divisions may still be pinned separately to six places, or the class may be pinned collectively to six places. (If an entrant was in both Open and AA or Open and Jr-YR and the classes are combined, the entrant will automatically be removed from the Open division. The entrant has the option of changing divisions up until one hour prior to the start of the class. In such a case, the entry fee for the dropped division's original class will be refunded.)

Championships: In determining championships, *Spring Classic I & II* and *Summer Finale I & II* each count as one show. Champion and Reserve ribbons awarded by points as follows: 1st – 7, 2nd – 5, 3rd – 2, and 4th – 1. The horse/rider combination with the highest number of points will be Champion; the next highest will be Reserve. Must compete in a minimum of 2 classes per level/division. In case of a tie, the horse/rider combination with the highest average of scores will win. Green As Grass/Intro and Training through Fourth levels of Open, Adult Amateur, and Jr-YR Rider divisions are eligible for championships. FEI High Score Championship and Reserve ribbons awarded in Prix St. George, Intermediate I, Intermediate II, and Grand Prix. Minimum score for FEI Champion and Reserve is 60%. Only tests specifically listed above count toward championships. USEF test-of-choice classes do not count toward championships.

Series Grand Championships: Series Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion neck sash ribbons awarded by points as described in *Championships* for Green As Grass/Intro, Training through Fourth levels of Open, AA, and Jr-YR, Prix St. Georges, Intermediate I, Intermediate II, and Grand Prix. Must compete in a division's classes in at least three 2009 *Dressage at Waterloo* recognized shows to be eligible for Grand Championships (*Spring I & II* and *Summer Finale I & II* each count as one show). Grand Championship award ceremonies will be held at *Dressage at Waterloo Summer Finale*.

USDF/Dover Adult Amateur Medal: Awarded to the Adult Amateur with the highest score in Second Level Test 3 on Friday and Sunday. To be eligible, rider must be a USDF group, participating, or intercollegiate/interscholastic member and earn a score of 58% or higher. Other requirements apply; see usdf.org.

Ransom Memorial Equitation Trophy: The first three places in Jr-YR Rider Equitation at each *Dressage at Waterloo* show, including *Dressage at Waterloo Summer Finale*, qualify to ride in the Equitation Championship at *Dressage at Waterloo Summer Finale*. The winner of the championship class will be this year's winner of the *Ransom Memorial Equitation Trophy*. Sponsored by Carolyn Van Cise.

Entry Confirmation will be emailed before the show for all entries received by the closing date. Entry must include a valid email address for entry confirmation to be mailed. Add *@HorseShowOffice.com to your approved senders to ensure you receive your confirmation; automated replies from spam blockers are not processed.

Ride Times will be emailed before the show. Include email address for rider, trainer, and/or owner on entry form to have ride times emailed. Ride times also available at www.HorseShowOffice.com. Add *@HorseShowOffice.com to your approved senders to ensure you receive your ride times.

Arenas/Footings: Five 20m x 60m competition arenas; two large warm up areas – all-weather sand. Separate lunging areas. PVC board dressage arenas – no chain arenas. Show may elect to run some classes in short arena if test is so approved by USEF.

Stabling: Permanent wooden stalls, 10' x 10' with half doors or temporary vinyl stalls with full door. Horse stalls will be given priority over tack stalls if show becomes full. No initial bedding; can purchase shavings on grounds. If you are bringing a stallion you **MUST** pay for a tack stall to separate other horses. In "stable with" requests, use a name common to all in your group. **NO SMOKING IN STABLING AREAS.**

Coggins Test: Michigan law requires that any horse entered in a horse show have on file with the show office a negative Coggins test taken no earlier than **December 1, 2008**.

Freestyle Music: MP3s, CDs, and cassettes accepted. CDs and cassettes must be clearly labeled with entry number and music directives, delivered to the show office two hours before the class starts, and picked up following the class. Unclaimed CDs and cassettes will not be mailed. If submitting an MP3, it must be in standard MP3 format with no DRM, and must be delivered by email at least two weeks before the show. You may designate an assistant to direct the playing of your music.

Camping: Any electrical or water hook-up to a trailer or other vehicle constitutes camping and will incur camping hook-up fees. Camping without hook-up is available at the front camper pad only.

\$20	Camper Hook-up per night on front pad (one night minimum)
25	Camper Hook-up per night on upper pad, if available
25	Camper Hook-up for In-Hand division only
200	Camper Hook-up at Tea House, if available
15	Camping or staying on grounds overnight without hook-up per night

Restrooms: Permanent restroom facilities with showers on grounds.

Entertainment: Exhibitor party Saturday evening. Food service on grounds. Retail trade concessions also available. Contact Show Manager for information on concession space and program advertising.

Accommodations: Chelsea Comfort Inn is the official host hotel. Located off I-94, exit 159, ten miles from show grounds. Ask for *Waterloo Hunt Show* rate. 734-433-8000; www.comfortinnchelsea.com. Contact show secretary for additional hotels. Additional details will be included in the official prize list available after April 24.

Directions: From I-94, exit No. 150 (Grass Lake). Turn North and then turn right on Glenn Road (third road). Waterloo Hunt is on the left in approximately one mile. Show grounds are at the back of the property.

Other: EMT on grounds. **Veterinarian** on call, phone number posted at show office. **Farrier** on call, phone number posted at show office. **Dogs** must remain leashed and under control at all times.

Parking: Permitted in assigned areas only. Fire lanes must be kept open.

United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. Entry Agreement

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor 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 the 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, cablecasts, 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 State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State. See GR1502.5.

US Equestrian Federation General Rules and Regulations

Show Management reserves the right to vary or add officials, to refuse any entry of any exhibitor for cause, to disqualify any exhibitor and/or his horse for cause, to cause an exhibitor to forfeit his winnings and ribbons for cause, to have horses removed from the grounds for cause, and to return any entry and/or stall fee before or during the show for cause, all without being liable for damage or compensation. Show management reserves the right to make any changes deemed necessary for the safe and efficient conduct of this competition.

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT FEDERATION RULE BOOK WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH.

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 nonmember registration 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) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

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. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Rule 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

GREEN AS GRASS TESTS

Green As Grass Test 1

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|----|------------------|------------------------|
| 1. | A | Enter working trot |
| | X | Halt, salute |
| | | Proceed working trot |
| 2. | C | Track left |
| | HXF | Change rein |
| 3. | E | Circle right 20 meters |
| 4. | C | Working walk |
| 5. | M-E | Free walk on long rein |
| | E | Working walk |
| 6. | Between
K & A | Working trot |
| 7. | B | Circle left 20 meters |
| 8. | HXF | Change rein |
| 9. | A | Down center line |
| | X | Halt, salute |
- Leave arena at free walk on long rein at A
(170 possible points)

Green As Grass Test 3

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|-----|------------------|------------------------|
| 1. | A | Enter working trot |
| | X | Halt, salute |
| | | Proceed working trot |
| 2. | C | Turn left |
| | E | Turn left |
| | B | Turn right |
| 3. | A | Working walk |
| 4. | K-B | Free walk on long rein |
| | Between
B & M | Working walk |
| 5. | C | Working trot |
| 6. | HXF | Change rein |
| 7. | A | Circle right 20 meters |
| 8. | KXM | Change rein |
| 9. | C | Circle left 20 meters |
| 10. | E | Turn left |
| | X | Turn left |
| 11. | G | Halt, salute |
- Leave arena at free walk on long rein at A
(190 possible points)

Green As Grass Test 2

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|----|------------------|------------------------|
| 1. | A | Enter working trot |
| | X | Halt, salute |
| | | Proceed working trot |
| 2. | C | Track right |
| | B | Circle right 20 meters |
| | B-F | Working trot |
| 3. | KXM | Change rein |
| 4. | E | Circle left 20 meters |
| 5. | A | Working walk |
| 6. | F-E | Free walk on long rein |
| | E | Working walk |
| 7. | Between
H & C | Working trot |
| 8. | MXK | Change rein |
| 9. | A | Down center line |
| | X | Halt, salute |
- Leave arena at free walk on long rein at A
(170 possible points)

In all Green As Grass tests, trot work may be ridden sitting or rising. Transitions to and from the halt may be through the walk.