Welcome to RALEIGH SUMMER DRESSAGE I and II



July 23, 2012

Ride times will be posted on the show website by Tuesday, July 24th. The show office will be located in the new stall office just inside gate H-4.

Stall assignments will be posted on the show website by Wednesday, July 25th. They will also be posted on the Show Grounds by 9:00 AM on Friday, July 27th. Stall bedding (1 or 2 bags of shavings per stall, depending on whether you have paid for Friday-Sunday or only for day stall) will not be distributed until the day listed for arrival on the entry form. The price of **extra bedding** is: **\$8.00** per bag of shavings. Please email Dianne Boyd with orders for extra shavings. *Note that the horses cannot arrive on the grounds before noon on Friday!*

Stop by the show office each morning for hot beverages and bagels generously sponsored by Lisa Seger Insurance (Markel).

On Saturday evening, don't forget to attend the **Competitor's party** near the Rosinburg Events show trailer in Barn F!! We'll have wine, beer, other beverages and hors d'oeuvres. The party is generously sponsored by **Red Letter Farm** and **Karen Brame**. It will start at the end of classes on Saturday. **Saturday afternoon refreshments** will be provided, sponsored by Encore Sporthorse Inc.

For golf cart rentals, contact Byron Unger at (919) 337-7456 or ungerrents@gmail.com.

The N.C. Dept. of Agriculture requires that a copy of a current **NEGATIVE COGGINS** test be available to the State Veterinarian's office for each horse entering the facility. Exhibitors MUST post a copy of the Coggins on the horse's stall door or at your trailer if you are not stabled. Any equine without a negative Coggins test will immediately be quarantined back to its point of origin. NO horses (including non-competing horses) will be permitted on the grounds unless they have registered prior to arrival with the secretary and submitted a current negative Coggins test.

For those who are driving and using Mapquest or GPS systems for directions to NC State Fair Hunt Horse Complex, **the physical address is: 4601 Trinity Road, Raleigh, NC.**

Day parking is limited to the north side of Barn F. There are a few trees on the north side that can provide shade for trailers. *Please note that trailers CANNOT be parked on the paved roads around any barns that are occupied by horses. Also, trailers cannot be parked between Barn F and the dressage warmup ring. This area is limited to vendors and car parking.* A hunter/jumper show will be using the rest of the facility over the weekend and will be using two of the barns. All horses for the Raleigh Summer Dressage shows will be stabled in Barns D and E. Please do not park any cars or trailers around the barns, particularly between Barns C and D!!

Braiding and **nightwatch services** will be provided by **Amy Struzzieri**. Contact her at (845) 220-7206 or <u>Brookesedge@aol.com</u>. Karen Brame will also be available for braiding. Contact her at (336) 404-0640 or <u>Redletterfarm@aol.com</u>

To arrange **photography** or **videography** prior to your arrival, contact **Christie** or **John Snyder** with **High Time Photography**. Email or text John at 336-671-4446. You can also email them at hightimephotography@gmail.com prior to the show to sign up. They will have a trailer near the show rings where you can also arrange for photography or videos. There is no cost or obligation to sign up for still photography, and while they make every effort to photograph every rider, signing up allows their photographers to prioritize and emphasize your ride. Video services is only \$30 per ride or \$25 each for two or more rides. The website is: www.hightimephotos.com.

Professional handler Bruce Griffin (GriffinSportHorses@gmail.com) will be available to handle horses in DSHB classes both days.

M&M Tack Shop (Raleigh, NC), is one of our sponsors and will be on the grounds from Friday-Sunday. Contact them before the show if you have any special needs.

For directions and additional show information, visit the show website: www.rosinburg-events.com

Other information:

- High Score awards for Dressage are generously sponsored by Gambit Atlanta. A photo of the award is posted on the website.
- First-place class/division awards are generously sponsored by M&M Tack Shop.
- Special awards will be presented at the competitor's party on Saturday and after the show on Sunday.
- Don't forget to sign up for the **Pro Am Team Challenge** and **Trainers Awards** when you check in at the show office.

HEADGEAR RULE FOR DRESSAGE

Anyone mounted on a horse must wear protective headgear except those riders age 18 and over while on horses that are competing only in FEI levels and tests at the Prix St. Georges level and above. This includes riders on non-competing horses. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet which meets or exceeds ASTM/SEI standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. The headgear and harness must be secured and properly fitted at all times while mounted. Any rider violating this rule at any time will immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place.

We look forward to seeing you at the end of the week in Raleigh!

Janine and Dianne

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