

# Welcome to LEXINGTON SPRING DRESSAGE



May 18, 2021

Ride times will be posted on the show website by Tuesday May 18th.

**Stall assignments** will be available in the VHC stable office by Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>. Remember that NO initial bedding is provided. Preorders of five bags or more of shavings can be made by contacting the VHC at 540-464-2966 or [stableoffice@horsecenter.org](mailto:stableoffice@horsecenter.org) but delivery prior to arrival is not guaranteed. Exhibitors are permitted to bring shavings for personal use, but no fine sawdust allowed. Bedding and hay are available for purchase from VHC Stable Office. Also, note that participants are required to complete a stall ID card, listing contact information in the event of emergency. **Horses may arrive on Friday morning. No check-in (at show office) and schooling before noon!**

**EVERYONE ATTENDING THIS COMPETITION MUST READ and COMPLY WITH the LSD COVID-19 PLAN (ATTACHED).** Upon arrival: **Unvaccinated people must wear a mask at all times. Vaccinated people are only required to wear a mask indoors. EVERYONE entering the show office will be REQUIRED to wear a mask..**

The **show office** will be located in the **Anderson Coliseum**. **Office hours:** Noon-7pm Friday, 7am-6:30 pm Saturday, 7am-1 hour after show ends on Sunday. **Packets can be picked up in the show office starting at NOON on Friday.**

**Chips and bottled water available at check-in on Friday** compliments of **Mary Phelps (Markel Insurance)**. On Saturday afternoon after the show, join us at the Stave Mill Pavilion (beside the "DeeDee" ring) for a wine toast, generously sponsored by **Bettina Longaker** in memory of her mother, Isabel DeSzinay. Enjoy **Ice Cream** on Sunday afternoon in the show office, sponsored by **Gardy Bloemers, Merrill Lynch Wealth Management**.

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**. You **MUST** present a copy of your horse's Coggins upon check-in at the stable office. You may also be requested to show a copy of your horse's health certificate if traveling from out of state. **Also, you must show documentation of your horse's Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within 6 months of the show.**

For those using **Mapquest**, the **physical address is:** Virginia Horse Center, 487 Maury River Road, Lexington, VA 24450. Take Exit I-81 onto I-64 West at Lexington, VA. Exit I-62 West at first exit (Lexington) and follow signs to the Virginia Horse Center.

**Day parking for haul-ins** is between the Big Lonely and North rings. **Vehicle parking** is permitted in any lot designated for vehicles.

**Braiding and nightwatch services** will be provided by **Kat Parkinson** (336) 432-1234 or [pnwandb@hotmail.com](mailto:pnwandb@hotmail.com). Competitors should contact Kat before the show.

**Professional handler** for DSHB classes: Bruce Griffin III. Contact him at (484) 877-3970.

**Reserve golf carts IN ADVANCE** through the show office at 540-464-2966. (There is another show on the grounds, order before arrival!)

To arrange **photography** or **videography** prior to your arrival, contact **John Snyder** at **High Time Photography** by calling 336-671-4446 or email [hightimephotography@gmail.com](mailto:hightimephotography@gmail.com) or sign up at the show. Their website is [www.hightimephotos.com](http://www.hightimephotos.com)

- ◆ **High Score awards:** sponsored by Foxden Equine, GumBits, High Time Photography, Competition Saddle Fit & Dynamic Saddles and others.
- ◆ **First-place class/division awards** and **ProAm Team Challenge awards** are generously sponsored by M&M Tack Shop.
- ◆ **SIGN UP electronically** for the **Trainers Award, Pro Am Team Challenge, Newcomer** and **Groom** awards when you check in!
- ◆ **Info on special breed awards will be sent separately. Bring your registry information to qualify for these awards.**

## HEADGEAR RULE FOR DRESSAGE and DRESSAGE SPORT HORSE BREEDING

From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds, including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para-Equestrian tests, must wear protective headgear. **Handlers, assistant handlers and whip assistants of any age must wear protective headgear while handling or assisting in the competition ring.**

**NEW for 2021: We will use paperless scribing and scoring.** Your test sheet will be sent to your email address as soon as your class is finished. Note also that you can check **CURRENT ride times (during the show)** via a link on the **RE website**. **Check it out.**

**We look forward to seeing you this weekend in Raleigh!**

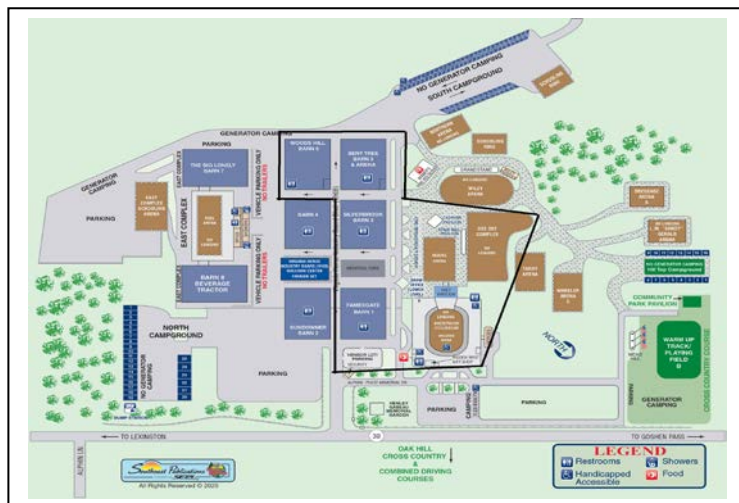
Janine and Dianne

Janine's cell: 919-602-6203; e-mail: [JEMRPH@aol.com](mailto:JEMRPH@aol.com);

Dianne's cell: 703-850-9704; e-mail: [greyhorse11@gmail.com](mailto:greyhorse11@gmail.com)

**LOCK UP your valuables. Be vigilant and report any suspicious activity in and around the barns.**

**RESULTS** are posted [www.rosinburg-events.com](http://www.rosinburg-events.com) and will be updated frequently during the show. You can check results by class and by rider, and you may also check for scratches. Results may also be accessed directly through <http://www.foxvillage.com/>



**Horses entered in LSD may be exercised and ridden only in areas designated as part of this competition and outlined on this map.**