

ROCKY MOUNTAIN DRESSAGE SOCIETY DRESSAGE OPEN & CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW



September 24-26, 2004

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USEF #314085 USDF #69006 RMDS #1029

SEPTEMBER 24-26, 2004

Colorado Horse Park at High Prairie Farms, Parker, Colorado

Open Show and GAIG/USDF 2004 Qualifying Classes

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OPENING DATE: August 1, 2004
CLOSING DATE: September 6, 2004
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EMT: On Grounds-Gwen Ka'awaloa/Chad Toney

Show Weekend Phone Numbers (Wednesday through Sunday during show hours ONLY!)
SHOW OFFICE: 303-841-7461

RMDS FUTURITY:

- Nominate your horse for the 2004 Futurity!
- No advance nominations are necessary, just mail in your completed nomination form with futurity fees along with your entry form and appropriate class and show entry fees for the 2 futurity classes.
- Be sure to enter the appropriate two Futurity classes: **classes 202 & 305**
- The futurity is open to all horses six years and younger who have not shown above First Level.
- Futurity Nominating Fee: \$35 per horse in addition to class fees.
- Prize money will be awarded to Champion and Reserve on a 60/40 split.

- Run under Championship rules.
- No prior Futurity Champion may enter.

OPEN SHOW INFORMATION

- In the Musical Freestyle Test of Choice be sure to list level on entry.
- Open Show Classes with less than 4 entries may be canceled or combined.
- Management will do its best to schedule specified Open classes before Championship classes where appropriate.

QUALIFYING FOR RMDS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2004

- You need **2** qualifying scores, 2 different judges from 2 different shows, per level, see RMDS Standing Rules section XIV “Championship Show” paragraph B-4c for scores required.
- Please Note: “These scores may be from any test at the specified level” (sec. XIV B-4a).
- You may attempt to earn your last qualifying score in the Open section of the Championship show (see sec. XIV B-1).
 - However, you MUST send in your championship entry form complete with entry in the Championship class you intend to qualify for on or before the Championship show closing date (see sec. XIV B-2).
- If you do not earn your final score in the Open section of the Championship show you will **NOT** get a refund for the RMDS Championship class not qualified for (see sec. XIV B-3).
- Please note that RMDS Championship class rides do **NOT** count towards USDF year-end awards because they are considered “restricted” classes.
- Note that RMDS Championship scores **DO** count towards RMDS 2004 Year End Awards (see sec. XIV A-2).

ENTRIES and FEES

- Open classes and futurity classes: **\$35**
- RMDS Championship classes: **\$55**
- GAIG/USDF Qual. for 2004: **\$10** per class
- Post Entries: **\$10** taken on space available
- Futurity Nominating Fee: **\$35**
- **ANY CHANGES MADE AFTER CLOSING DATE will be charged: \$25/change**
- Office Fee: **\$50** per horse/rider combination
(No mandatory work requirement this year)
- Haul-in Fee: **\$10** per horse per day (only if not doing stall/paddock)
- USEF Drug fee: **\$12** (drugs & medications \$7; USEF **\$5**)
- USEF non-member fee: **\$20**
- USEF Discipline fee: **\$5** (Junior exhibitors exempt)
- RV hook up fee: **\$25/day**

- INCLUDE WITH ENTRY:
 - For Test of Choice Classes, state level and division on entry blank.
 - Copies of 2004 RMDS/USDF/USEF membership cards.
 - A 2004 Coggins test.
 - Any out of state horses must have a current health certificate (Within 30 days of show start)
 - Copy of qualifying tests.

Make checks payable to RMDS and mail to secretary, include SASE

If you are mailing overnight, please waive the required signature for delivery.

REFUNDS

The office fee is non-refundable. Entries cancelled on or before the closing date will receive a refund of all fees except the office fee. No refunds if cancelled after the closing date.

IMPORTANT: All cancellations must be done in writing and mailed, faxed, or e-mailed to show secretary.

You are responsible to confirm that your cancellation has been received.

STABLING

- Haul-in fee: **\$10** per day (only if not doing a stall or paddock)
- Day Turnout Paddock: **\$25** (6am – 6pm)
- Day Stall: **\$30** (6am – 6pm)
- Overnight Stall: **\$35** (one 24hr period)
- Overnight Tack Stall: **\$35** (one 24hr period)
- Weekend Stall: **\$80** (Thurs – Sun)
- Weekend Tack Stall: **\$80** (Thurs – Sun)
- Long Weekend Stall: **\$105** (Weds – Sun)
- Long Weekend Tack: **\$105** (Weds - Sun)
- Note: Stalls are available for Day, one or two nights, or full weekend - nothing in between due to HPF contract.
- Stalls are 12x12 permanent stalls with full sliding doors; stall fronts (including doors) are solid from midway down and bars from midway up.
- Bedding and feed can be purchased on the grounds; see hours of operation in show office – **no initial bedding is being provided!**
- Stalls and Paddocks will be available at 12:00 noon on Wednesday prior to show weekend.

OFFICE HOURS

- Wednesday, 12 Noon to 7:00 PM;
- Thursday through Sunday 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM

AWARDS

- Open Show Classes: Ribbons through sixth place, first place trophy.
- No awards for qualifying divisions.

- Other fun & special awards may be awarded during the show, look in the show program for details.
- Breed associations and individuals are being contacted for breed awards as well, not all breeds may be represented. Send in a copy of your registration papers with entry to be eligible for these awards.

CHAMPIONSHIP AWARDS

RMDS Champions awarded a trophy and neck ribbon, Reserve Champions awarded a neck ribbon, ribbons through eighth place.

ARENAS

- Outdoor arenas have all weather sand mix footing.
- All tests will be ridden in an outdoor 20x60 arena.
- Warm-up arenas have comparable footing.
- NO LUNGEING in warmup arenas except where designated, see grounds map in show office.
- Coaching may be done from the SIDES of the arenas ONLY.
- Competition arenas will be open for schooling on set-up day, Thursday (before • show weekend) until posted close time in show office.

ACCOMMODATIONS

Holiday Inn at Centennial Airport: 303-790-7770; Holiday Inn at I-225 and Parker Road: 1-800-962-5470. Comfort Inn, Castle Rock, 303-660-2222 and Radisson Inn at I-225: 1-800-333-3333; Holiday Inn Express, Castle Rock, 303-660-9733; Microtel in Parker 720-851-2644

DIRECTIONS

High Prairie Farm (HPF) is located on Bayou Gulch Rd, off of Hwy 83.

From the North: Hwy 83 South five miles from downtown Parker (go past entrance to Pinery and Timers) to Bayou Gulch Road (at Ponderosa High School), turn East, HPF is about 1 mi. on the left.

From the South: Hwy 83 North, three miles North of Franktown is Bayou Gulch (at Ponderosa High School), turn East, HPF is about 1 mi. on the left

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Classes designated RMDS Championship classes shall be open ONLY to individual horse/rider combinations meeting the criteria described in the RMDS Standing Rules section XIV B. See the Standing Rules and qualifying requirements in the current RMDS Omnibus.
- Riders must provide a copy of the qualifying tests.
- ALL dogs **must** be leashed and attached to a person or immovable object *at all times* – **Violators will be fined \$50!**
- Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF rulebook will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith. USEF rule 1402.1

- Open show entries accepted on first come first served basis, based on the postmark with dates on and between open and close dates. **MAIL ONLY-MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY FULL PAYMENT.**
- Post entries accepted on first come first served basis with space available.
- Wait list will be maintained
- Management reserves the right to:
 - Add or cancel judges
 - Combine, divide, limit or cancel classes
 - Refuse entries.
 - Waive penalty fees
- NO SMOKING IN BARNS.
- Riders may compete in only ONE division, no cross entering divisions: You must choose either Open or Adult Amateur or Junior. Exception: you may cross enter into the GAIG/USDF Qualifying division.

TIMES

PROVISIONAL ride times will be mailed to all Riders (be sure you included a SASE with your entry) and posted on the RMDS website, www.rmds.org. Official times will be posted at the show office, please check for changes each show day.

RMDS CHAMPIONSHIP RULES

For your convenience we have printed selected sections of the current RMDS Standing Rules below:

- Scores from Championship Classes shall count in the RMDS Awards Program (sec. XIV A-2).
- Horse/rider combinations may compete in Championship Classes at a Maximum of 2 levels, which must be sequential (sec. XIV A-3).
- For Training through Fourth Level Championship Classes, horse/rider combinations are not eligible to compete in any Championship Classes if they have previously participated in any RMDS, USEF or USDF recognized competition at two or more levels higher. For FEI Championship Classes, horse/rider combinations may have previously competed at any FEI level (sec. XIV A-4).
- Horse/rider combinations that are champions from previous years for Training Level through Fourth Level are not eligible to compete again in Championship Classes at the same level at which they were champions (sec. XIV A-5).
- Except for Musical Freestyle classes, the annual level champions for Adult Amateur, Junior/Young Rider, and Open divisions will be determined by riding the highest test at the level, which shall be judged by at least two judges. The horse/rider combination with the highest average for each division at the level shall be champions (sec. XIV A-6).
- Musical Freestyle Level Champions shall be determined by riding a single freestyle test at the qualified level that shall be judged by at least two (2) judges. The horse/rider combination with the highest average score for the test at each level shall be the Champion (sec. XIV A-7).
- **The championship awards will be presented at the Championship show in a formal awards ceremony. Failure of horse and rider recipients to appear in**

show dress and full tack for the ceremony (unless excused for cause by the show management) shall result in immediate disqualification. In event of disqualification, each affected award shall be presented to the next lower average score (sec. XIV A-9).

- A rider in an RMDS Championship class may not carry a whip. (Exception: Riders riding sidesaddle may carry a whip in RMDS Championships). (Sec. XIV A-10).
- Championship tests must be ridden from memory (sec. XIV A-11). No callers allowed.
- Rider must submit a copy of their current USEF Adult Amateur card to be eligible to ride as an Adult Amateur (sec. XIV A-12).
- In the event of a tie for Champion or Reserve, the collective marks will determine 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Otherwise, the tie will remain unbroken. (Sec. XIV A-13)
- Only the rider that has qualified on a specific horse may ride that horse during the Championship Show (Only 1 rider per horse for the whole show) (groom with a loose rein excepted). (Sec. XIV A-8).

TENTATIVE CLASS SCHEDULE

O=Open A=Adult Amateur J=JR/YR Q=GAIG/USDF Qualifying for 2004

Please Note: The schedule below does not necessarily indicate the order of go for the classes.

** The classes marked with 2 ** will be scheduled prior to the Championship class for that level.

FRIDAY – September 24

| Class | Division | Level/Test |
|--------------|-----------------|---|
| 101 | O, A, J | Training Level Test 1** |
| 102 | O | RMDS Training Level Championship, Open |
| 103 | O, A, J | Third Level Test 1** |
| 104 | O | RMDS Third Level Championship, Open |
| 105 | A | RMDS Third Level Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 106 | O | RMDS Prix St. George Championship, Open |
| 107 | A | RMDS Prix St. George Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 108 | O | RMDS Intermediare 2 Championship, Open |
| 109 | A | RMDS Intermediare 2 Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 110 | O, A, J, Q | Training Level Test of Choice |
| 111 | O, A, J, Q | First Level Test of Choice |
| 112 | O, A, J, Q | Second Level Test of Choice |
| 113 | O, A, J, Q | Third Level Test of Choice |
| 114 | O, A, J, Q | Fourth Level Test of Choice |
| 115 | O, A, J, Q | FEI Test of Choice |
| 116 | O, Q | Freestyle Test of Choice |

SATURDAY – September 25

| Class | Division | Level/Test |
|--------------|-----------------|--|
| 201 | O, A, J | Training Level Test 2** |
| 202 | F | RMDS Futurity Training Level Test 4 |
| 203 | O, A, J | First Level Test 2** |

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| 204 | O | RMDS First Level Championship, Open |
| 205 | A | RMDS First Level Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 206 | J | RMDS First Level Championship, Junior |
| 207 | O, A, J | Third Level Test 1** |
| 208 | J | RMDS Third Level Championship, Junior |
| 209 | O, A, J | Fourth Level Test 1** |
| 210 | O | RMDS Fourth Level Championship, Open |
| 211 | A | RMDS Fourth Level Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 212 | J | RMDS Prix St. George Championship, Junior |
| 213 | O | RMDS Intermediare 1 Championship, Open |
| 214 | A | RMDS Intermediare 1 Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 215 | J | RMDS Intermediare 2 Championship, Junior |
| 216 | O | RMDS Grand Prix Championship |
| 217 | J, Q | FEI Junior Team Test |
| 218 | J, Q | FEI Young Rider Team Test |
| 219 | O, A, J, Q | Training Level Test of Choice |
| 220 | O, A, J, Q | First Level Test of Choice |
| 221 | O, A, J, Q | Second Level Test of Choice |
| 222 | O, A, J, Q | Third Level Test of Choice |
| 223 | O, A, J, Q | Fourth Level Test of Choice |
| 224 | O, A, J, Q | FEI Test of Choice |
| 225 | J | USEF Dressage Seat Medal 13 years and under |
| 226 | J | USEF Dressage Seat Medal 14-18 years |

SUNDAY – September 26

| Class | Division | Level/Test |
|--------------|-----------------|--|
| 301 | O, A, J | Training Level Test 1** |
| 302 | A | RMDS Training Level Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 303 | J | RMDS Training Level Championship, Junior |
| 304 | O, A, J | First Level Test 1** |
| 305 | F | RMDS Futurity First Level Test 1 |
| 306 | O, A, J | Second Level Test 1** |
| 307 | J | RMDS Second Level Championship, Junior |
| 308 | O, A, J | Third Level Test 1** |
| 309 | O | RMDS Second Level Championship, Open |
| 310 | A | RMDS Second Level Championship, Adult Amateur |
| 311 | O, A, J | Fourth Level Test 1** |
| 312 | J | RMDS Fourth Level Championship, Junior |
| 313 | J | RMDS Intermediare 1 Championship, Junior |
| 314 | O | RMDS 1st Level Freestyle Championship |
| 315 | O | RMDS 2nd Level Freestyle Championship |
| 316 | O | RMDS 3rd Level Freestyle Championship |
| 317 | O | RMDS 4th Level Freestyle Championship |
| 318 | O | RMDS PSG Freestyle Championship |
| 319 | O | RMDS Intermediaire Freestyle Championship |
| 320 | O | RMDS Grand Prix Freestyle Championship |
| 321 | J, Q | FEI Junior Individual Test |
| 322 | J, Q | FEI Young Rider Prix St. Georges |
| 323 | O, A, J, Q | Training Level Test of Choice |
| 324 | O, A, J, Q | First Level Test of Choice |
| 325 | O, A, J, Q | Second Level Test of Choice |

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| 326 | O, A, J, Q | Third Level Test of Choice |
| 327 | O, A, J, Q | Fourth Level Test of Choice |
| 328 | O, A, J | FEI Test of Choice |

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