

GET READY FOR THE SHOW SEASON



Tips for smooth sailing.....

Now is the time to get your paperwork in order!

Dressage & Hunter/Jumper Equiverification: NEW LINK & new format - <http://www.eqverification.org>

EVERYONE:

All Names in All Places Must Match!

Rider Name - USDF & USEF
Horse Name - USDF, USEF & coggins
Owner Name - USDF, USEF & on all
horse registrations.

QUARTER HORSES:

You can now earn AQHA points in recognized dressage shows. At this time, three N.C. shows are AQHA approved: (1) March Magic, Williamston, (2) NCDCTA Summer Mountain Getaway, Asheville, (3) Pinehurst Fall Dressage, Pinehurst. Visit www.AQHA.com for more details.

QUESTIONS?

Yes, this is a simplistic version of your basic paperwork needs for competition. Variables abound: leases, ownership transfers, name changes, and NQRs (National Qualifying Results) to name a few. Link to all the national office websites from www.NCDCTA.org or email the show secretary of a competition you wish to enter. They are there to help you!

GET READY - The show season is just around the corner!

DRESSAGE NEWBIES:

We love Newbies! Try the new Opportunity Classes - No memberships, No Horse I.D., No \$15 USEF Drug fee... Easy and Cheap! Recognized shows are not as scary as you think! Check each Prize List for cross-entering information.

EVENTING NEWBIES:

"Tests" are for you! No memberships, no horse registrations... Easy and Cheap! Tests are usually offered below Beginner Novice, or a mix-and-match of extra dressage rides, extra jumping rounds, or combined test of two phases. Beginner Novice riders are allowed to pay a U.S. Eventing Association non-member fee. Recognized events are not as scary as you think!

BASIC DRESSAGE:

Your NCDCTA membership automatically pays for your U.S. Dressage Federation group membership. Renew early to make sure that USDF has your membership before the show! You also need a U.S. Equestrian Federation membership (or non-member fee), and a USDF Horse I.D. (\$20 for life).

Goal: The NCDCTA Dressage Championships are in Raleigh in September! Register your horse with NCDCTA with a volunteer card or \$50. Earn just one point in the NCDCTA Horse of the Year program and you are qualified to ride in the championships. Great prizes & double points!

BASIC EVENTING:

At Novice and Training, you will need a USEA membership, and USEA Horse Registration. These are NOT required at Beginner Novice.

Goal: The NCDCTA Eventing Championships are in Tryon in October! Members win great prizes! NCDCTA registered horses win double points!

ADVANCED DRESSAGE:

Aim high! The Region 1 Championships are in Williamston in November! You'll need full horse registrations for both USEF and USDF (upgrade those HID's). You'll need memberships in both of the above. (upgrade your USDF group membership to participating). Pay an extra \$10 to enter a Qualifying Class at a recognized show - you will need two qualifying scores at two separate competitions to ride in the championships.

ADVANCED EVENTING:

Aim high! The American Eventing Championships are in North Georgia in September! Qualify at Beginner Novice by placing (1-5) twice in any USEA recognized competition, at Novice and above, place (1-2) once, or third twice. Awesome prizes! Over \$50K in prize money!

