



## Gateway Dressage #1

### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Gateway Dressage Schooling Show is a Horse Council BC provincially sanctioned competitions and will be governed in accordance with the current Horse Council BC Rule Book. Knowledge of the rules is the responsibility of Show Management, Officials and Competitors.

The current Horse Council BC Rule Book can be found at the following link: <http://www.hcbc.ca/Competition-Documents.html>

Neither Horse Council BC, its Board of Directors, organizing committee, staff, volunteers, officials, or employees of the horse show, will be responsible in any way, for damage, injury, or loss to persons, horses or property of exhibitors, spectators, owners, riders, trainers, or grooms. All competitors and owners of horses must be members in good standing of Horse Council BC to participate"

The purpose of the Gateway Dressage Schooling shows is to offer skill development opportunities for dressage horses and athletes, while permitting coaching support and test riding concurrently in a friendly competition like environment.

### ADMINISTRATION FEE

An administration fee of \$35.00 is required for each horse/ rider entry and payable with Entry Deposit. Admin Fees are non refundable.

### BIOSECURITY

Thunderbird Show Park is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for all exhibitors and their horses. All horses are required to have a Bio Security Form completed (located online or in this Prize Book) and submitted to the show office prior to receiving their competition number. All show participants are requested to practice good disease prevention practices. All horses entering the show grounds must have proof of current vaccinations within the past 6 month period and not have been in contact with any sick horses within the last 15 days. Any horse that has been sick or exposed to an infectious disease within the last 15 days must have their attending veterinarian contact the Thunderbird Show Park prior to entry to the show grounds. We ask that any horse with a rectal temperature above 38.5 C (101.8 F) be reported to show management. Any horse identified, or is suspected of having a contagious disease will be removed from property to the isolation area. Please avoid any direct or indirect contact between horses, in particular nose to nose contact and use of any common feed/drinking buckets. The early detection of any contagious disease is the key to prevention of a disease outbreak. We appreciate your cooperation and look forward to everyone having a successful horse show experience.

### COACHING

Certified licensed coaches are highly recommended to assist riders during the competition. Coaching is permitted at any time in the warm-up ring and or competition arena during test rides in all dressage classes from Introductory to FEI levels. Coaching during test rides is permitted with either the use of electronic headsets or other, however, should not be loud or disruptive for the official judge.

### CONCUSSION PROTOCOL

Accidents & Return to Play; In the event of a fall/accident where a concussion can be reasonably suspected, the competitors must receive medical clearance by qualified medical personnel onsite before continuing to compete. The competitor is solely responsible for ensuring the onsite medical assessment takes place. Should a competitor refuse to be evaluated, they will be disqualified from the competition. If onsite qualified medical personnel suspect a concussion or believe the competitor may be at risk of concussion due to the nature of the fall or impact, the competitor will be suspended from competition and placed on a Medical Suspension List until medically released by a physician.

### CLASS FEES

Class fees are \$40.00 per test for all classes Introductory to Fourth Levels. All FEI or Misc Test of Choice Class fees are \$50.00/ class.

### CLASS SPECIFICATIONS

Current 2023 EC/ USEF/ USDF/ WDAA/ and FEI dressage tests will be used in all tests of choice classes as requested on entry form by competitors. All classes are Open classes, however, show management reserves the right to divide classes by categories as entries warrant into Open, Adult Amateur and Youth classes. Competitors are permitted to enter a maximum of 4 tests per day per horse and not more than two consecutive levels at the same competition.

### ONLINE ENTRIES

Entries must be submitted ONLINE for each horse/ rider entry combination via SGL Online entry system at the following link.

<https://tbird.ca/showgroundslive-home/>

Create your SGL account or Login to your existing SGL account with your email and password.

Select "2024 Gateway Dressage #1 " competition from the list of Thunderbird competitions in the dropdown menu. Select "ADD Classes" for each day you wish to ride from the class list herein. A Stall and first bedding fee will be automatically attached to your entry along with class fees, admin fee and other fees applicable. If you are hauling in each day include haul in fee and the stall fee will be removed at check in with any other fees that are not applicable for your entry. An ENTRY deposit fee of \$75.00 is applied to your account when signing up for Gateway Dressage show online and process is completed at the show when checking out. The balance of fees with any adjustments will be confirmed with your entry when you check in at the show office on arrival. Please bring verification of current horse vaccinations on arrival. NOTE Horses that do not have proof of current vaccinations will not be permitted to remain at the competition. "Current" is within 6 months of competition date. A Stall chart and ride times schedule will be posted in the barns and emailed to competitors prior to the competition. All Dressage rides will be scheduled in the Main Indoor arena with Titan Arena used for dressage warmup. The Tbird Hunter Jumper show will be running concurrently alongside the Dressage section. Online Entries will be accepted as received prior to the closing date of FRIDAY, **MARCH 8, 2024**. Entries received after closing date are subject to late fee of \$25.00 if ride times are available. Late entries may be accepted as schooling horse entries and included on waiting list for available ride times. There are no refunds without a vet certificate or doctors note after closing date, and which must be received prior to start of the competition.



#### HAUL IN FEES

\$35.00 per day for each day on grounds. The stall fees generated for your horse will be removed from your horse entries when the haul in fees are paid on entries. Haul in horses must use the designated Haul in parking lot west of the Indoor Arena.

#### HORSE COUNCIL BC MEMBERSHIP

All owners and riders must be current members in good standing of Horse Council BC which will be verified prior to the competition dates. HCBC membership cards are not required with entry forms.

ARENA SCHOOLING RIDE TIMES are permitted where entry fee is paid a ride time will be assigned in Main Arena. Schooling rides are not placed for awards.

RIBBONS will be awarded to six (6) placings in all other classes.

SCHOOLING HORSES may be accepted (with no ride times assigned) for schooling on grounds, however, schooling horse fees are applicable and assigned. Riders must complete all required entries ONLINE, proof of horse vaccinations, and Bio security forms with credit card payment online and prior to arrival on show grounds.

SHOW NUMBERS are provided to competitors by show management at check-in. Show numbers must be always worn at all times when the horse is outside stall and or riding on grounds. The show entry numbers provided should be either worn on riders back with strings provided or pinned to saddle pads. No other type of show numbers may be substituted, use ONLY the number issued by office.

STABLING: Stalls are automatically included with online entries for a cost of \$245.60 for the weekend (Thursday to Sunday) and includes first bedding. Stalls charge may be removed when checking in where haul in fees have been paid with online entries for each horse. A Clean out deposit of \$35.00 is applied for all stalls not stripped clean prior to departure. Clean out fees are removed from entry when a photo of the assigned stall is stripped clean and picture presented in show office prior to departure. No clean out deposit will be processed where the stalls are stripped and swept clean prior to departure by deadline of 7pm on Sundays. Stalls not cleaned will be charged the deposit fee + GST. Stalls are assigned at the sole discretion of show management as entries are received. A stall chart will be emailed to competitors and posted at show office and barns. Do not change assigned stalls without prior permission confirmed with show manager.

RV PARKING must be included with the online entries with an RV Site Pass will assigned and must be displayed on RV site parked. Electrical Hookups and Showers are available.

RIDE TIMES schedule will be emailed to competitors and updates will be posted daily on the scoreboard. It is the Riders responsibility to be at the in gate ready to enter the indoor arena at their posted ride time.

APPROPRIATE casual rider attire and tack is required as per rules stated in the HCBC rule book. Draw Reins are not permitted in the warm-up or competition rings at any time. Approved Protective Headgear must be always worn by all riders and competitors when mounted on grounds at Thunderbird Show Park.

ONLINE ENTRIES SUPPORT If you have any questions or difficulties with entries online using SGL (showgroundslive) you may contact the Thunderbird Show office Monday to Friday from 8.30 – 4.30 and request assistance at 604-888-4585. All dressage competitions at Thunderbird Show Park in 2024 will be online entry system Showgrounds Live.

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### Schedule of Events – Dressage Arena - Indoor

**Thursday March 14, 2024, Stables Open @ 12 Noon - Open Schooling Indoors – 1 pm – 8.00 pm.**  
Haul in fee \$35.00 PER DAY (for horses not stabled on grounds)

Class List Intro to Fourth Levels Fee \$40.00 per test. FEI Levels and Misc. tests \$50.00 per test

#### **Friday March 15, 2024,**

Tentative 8 am Start

- 101 Training Level Test 1
- 102 Training Level Test 2
- 103 Training Level Test 3
- 104 Training Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 111 First Level Test 1
- 112 First Level Test 2
- 113 First Level Test 3
- 114 First Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 115 Rising Stars Equitation Test - BC Summer Games Q
- 121 Second Level Test 1
- 122 Second Level Test 2
- 123 Second Level Test 3
- 124 Second Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 131 Third Level Test 1
- 132 Third Level Test 2
- 133 Third Level Test 3
- 134 Third Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments



- 141 Fourth Level Test 1
- 143 Fourth Level Test 3
- 144 Fourth Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 150 FEI Para Equestrian - GP Test A
- 155 FEI Prix St Georges Open
- 156 FEI Youth – Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 157 FEI Prix St Georges Adult Amateur
- 158 FEI Advanced - Intermediate 1
- 159 FEI Intermediate - Test A
- 160 FEI Intermediate - Test B
- 161 FEI Intermediate 2
- 162 FEI Grand Prix
- 163 FEI Grand Prix Special
- 164 FEI Young Horse 4yr Old Test
- 165 FEI Young Horse 5yr Old Test
- 166 FEI Young Horse 6yr Old Test
- 167 Arena Ride Time - Schooling 10 min
- 168 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments ( Eventing, Pony Club, USDF, etc )
- 169 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments
- 1001 Introductory Test A
- 1002 Introductory Test B
- 1003 Introductory Test C
- 1004 Western Dressage Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 1005 Western Dressage Test of Choice – Specify in Comments

**Saturday March 16, 2024**

Tentative 8 am Start

- 201 Training Level Test 1
- 202 Training Level Test 2
- 203 Training Level Test 3
- 204 Training Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 211 First Level Test 1
- 212 First Level Test 2
- 213 First Level Test 3
- 214 First Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 215 Rising Stars Equitation BC Games Q
- 221 Second Level Test 1
- 222 Second Level Test 2
- 223 Second Level Test 3
- 224 Second Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 231 Third Level Test 1
- 232 Third Level Test 2
- 233 Third Level Test 3
- 234 Third Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 241 Fourth Level Test 1
- 242 Fourth Level Test 2
- 243 Fourth Level Test 3
- 244 Fourth Level Test of Choice – Specify in Comments
- 250 FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test A
- 255 FEI Prix St George Open
- 256 FEI Youth - Team Test – Specify in Comments
- 257 FEI Prix St Georges - Adult Amateur
- 258 FEI Advanced Intermediate 1
- 259 FEI Advanced Intermediate A
- 260 FEI Advanced Intermediate B
- 261 FEI Intermediate 2
- 262 FEI Grand Prix
- 263 FEI Grand Prix Special
- 264 FEI Young Horse 4 Yr Old
- 265 FEI Young Horse 5 Yr Old



266 FEI Young Horse 6 Yr Old  
267 Arena Ride Time - Schooling 10 min  
268 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments  
269 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments  
500 BC Summer Games Freestyle Q  
2001 Introductory Test A  
2002 Introductory Test B  
2003 Introductory Test C  
2004 Western Dressage Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
2005 Western Dressage Test of Choice - Specify in Comments

**Sunday March 17, 2024**

Tentative 8 am Start

301 Training Level Test 1  
302 Training Level Test 2  
303 Training Level Test 3  
304 Training Level Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
311 First Level Test 1  
312 First Level Test 2  
313 First Level Test 3  
314 First Level Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
315 Rising Stars Equitation BC Games Q  
321 Second Level Test 1  
322 Second Level Test 2  
323 Second Level Test 3  
324 Second Level Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
331 Third Level Test 1  
332 Third Level Test 2  
333 Third Level Test 3  
334 Third Level Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
341 Fourth Level Test 1  
342 Fourth Level Test 2  
343 Fourth Level Test 3  
344 Fourth Level Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
350 FEI Para Equestrian Grand Prix Test B  
355 FEI Prix St Georges Open  
356 FEI Youth - Individual Test  
357 FEI Prix St Georges - Adult Amateur  
358 FEI Advanced Intermediate I  
359 FEI Advanced Intermediate A  
360 FEI Advanced Intermediate B  
361 FEI Intermediate 2  
362 FEI Grand Prix  
363 FEI Grand Prix Special  
364 FEI Young Horse 4 Yr Old Test  
365 FEI Young Horse 5 Yr Old Finale Test  
366 FEI Young Horse 6 Yr Old Finale Test  
367 Arena Ride Time - Schooling 10 min  
368 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments  
369 Misc Any Test - Specify in Comments  
3001 Introductory Test A  
3002 Introductory Test B  
3003 Introductory Test C  
3004 Western Dressage Test of Choice - Specify in Comments  
3005 Western Dressage Test of Choice - Specify in Comments