Competitor Notes

IDS May Schooling Show

Saturday, May 8th, 2021



We'd like to thank you for helping extend our streak of sold-out schooling shows to 10 in a row while also **adding a third competition ring**! Dressage is alive and well in the State of Indiana!

Please review the notes below for important information for competitors.

Schedules, Stall Charts, and Camping Assignments

Please review the schedules, stall charts, and camping assignments as soon as you can. If you see any errors or omissions, please let me know as soon as possible. My job is to make sure that you have an excellent experience at this show, and I'll do my best to accommodate you when I can.

- Day Sheets
- <u>Rider Schedule</u>
- <u>Stall Charts & Camping Assignments</u>
- Buy a Video of Your Rides from Stephanie Sidoti Photography

COVID-19 Best Practices

Please review the <u>IDS COVID-19 & Emergency Response Plan</u> and keep in mind the following points:

- No one with a temperature or flu-like symptoms is permitted on show grounds.
- A face mask / covering is required when within 6' of people outside your household.
- Dressage office is limited to only show staff.

Coggins, Waiver Signatures, and Fees Due

If you are one of the few people with incomplete entries, indicated with a red box next to your stall assignment, you should have an email or two from me detailing what I still need to complete your entry. Please do that before hauling your horse to the Hoosier Horse Park.

Friday Arrival and Schooling Times

Stalls will be labeled and unlocked by 11:00 am on Friday. Once you unload your horses, please pickup your horse's bridle tag via the window at the Dressage Office. Your horse should wear the bridle tag at all times outside of the stabling area. The Dressage Complex and Stadium Jumping arena will be available for schooling from noon until dusk on Friday.

Shavings

Shavings pre-ordered with your entry will be stocked in your stall when you arrive. The Stall Chart lists the number of shaving bags as confirmation of your order.

Shavings will also be available for sale by the Hoosier Horse Park office on Friday and Saturday until approximately 2:00 pm. Please have cash - I don't believe they can take credit cards. After that, come to the Dressage Office as we will have a small supply of shavings available.

Stall Stripping

Due to COVID restrictions, the HHP's stall cleaning labor force is unavailable this year. If you have not pre-paid the optional \$40 stall stripping fee, you are required to strip all bedding from your horse's stall and place it in a pile just outside of the stall door.

Lungeing and Warm-up

To reduce congestion in the Warm-up arena, all lungeing should be performed in the Stadium Jumping arena to the west of the parking area between Barns K and L. No lungeing is permitted in the Dressage complex. The Stadium Jumping arena will also have a 20m x 60m practice ring available this weekend.

The main Warm-up arena in the Dressage Complex will be crowded, so please keep your eyes up and give every horse their proper space.

BlackHorse One eDressage Electronic Scoring

IDS adopted BlackHorse One eDressage Electronic Scoring software last year. Our scribes now use an iPad to record the judges' scores and comments into the eDressage application as you ride. Your scores are tabulated as you leave the ring. Once the last ride in each class is complete, we will post results on the board and hand out ribbons, but you will no longer have a paper test to retrieve.

<u>BlackHorse One's eDressage Dashboard</u> will record all your rides across multiple shows and present you with analytics and comparison tools. You can also share your tests with your coach or print them for your file. In the coming days, you'll receive an email from BlackHorse One with your account information. If you need any additional help, you can email <u>support@blackhorse-one.com</u>.

Breakfast and Lunch with Serendipity Mobile Catering

<u>Serendipity Mobile Catering</u> will be setup in campsite #67 near Barn L at 7am for breakfast on Saturday and continue serving excellent food through lunchtime. Our first 30 complete entries have earned a \$10 breakfast voucher which you will receive with your bridle tag.

Weather

The forecast for the weekend is typical Spring weather in Indiana with tolerable temperatures, but perhaps some rain:

- Friday: High around 60 and partly cloudy
- Overnight: Low may dip into the high 30s
- Saturday: Low- to mid-60s with a chance of afternoon showers

Attire

This is a schooling show wearing formal dressage attire is not required. Lots of people will wear show clothes, but feel free to throw on a rain jacket or whatever will make you feel comfortable.

We look forward to a great show!

Thanks,

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