

DRESSAGE WAIKATO

SPRING SHOW

Held at the Waikato Equestrian Centre, 1340 Pukete Road, Te Rapa, Hamilton

Sunday 19th October 2025

(Entries close at midnight on the 11th of October 2025)



PLENTY OF WARMUP SPACE...COFFEE CARTE...ALL ARENAS 20mX60m

Run by your local DRESSAGE GROUP

<u>UNGRADED HORSE/PONY CLASSES</u> If your equine is <i>not currently registered</i> with ESNZ, you go in the ungraded classes	<u>GRADED HORSE/PONY CLASSES</u> If your equine is <i>currently registered</i> with ESNZ and you have annual dressage starts, you must enter the graded classes.
Class 1 – Introductory – Test 0B	Class 11 – Preliminary – Test 1B
Class 2 – Introductory – Test 0C	Class 12 – Preliminary – Test 1C
Class 3 – Preliminary – Test 1B	Class 13 – Novice – Test 2B
Class 4 – Preliminary – Test 1C	Class 14 – Novice – Test 2C
Class 5 – Novice – Test 2B	Class 15 – Elementary – Test 3B
Class 6 – Novice – Test 2C	Class 16 – Elementary – Test 3C
Class 7 – Para/Special Olympics – TOC **	Class 17 – Medium – Test 4B
Class 8 – Para/Special Olympics – TOC **	Class 18 – Medium – Test 4C
Class 9 – Level 1 Musical Freestyle (using 2004 test attached)	Class 19 – Advanced Medium – Test 5B
Class 10 – Level 2-9 Musical Freestyle – TOC (open to all combinations)	Class 20 – Advanced Medium – Test 5C
	Class 21 – Advanced 6A
	Class 22- Small tour FEI PSG
	Class 23 – Medium Tour FEI Int 1
	Class 24 – Big Tour FEI GP
	Class 25 – Para combined grades - FEI Grand Prix – Test A
	Class 26 – Para combined grades – FEI Grand Prix - Test B

ENTRY FEES	\$24.00 per test (includes \$5 DNZ T&D fee, plus EE booking fee)
Administration fee per rider	\$10.00 per rider nonrefundable
Yarding fee per horse	\$12.00 per horse per day (WEC compulsory)
Overnight yarding if needed	\$12.00 per horse
<u>Facility fee</u>	
Dressage Waikato Members	\$5.00
Non-Dressage Waikato Members	\$15.00
Saddle blanket no's (for horse/ponies that do not have ESNZ bridle no's)	\$5.00 per horse/pony, refunded once returned to the office
Late fee if applicable for fees not paid by the 16 th of October	\$30.00 per horse
ESNZ casual rider membership day fee (if applicable)	\$16.30 per day per rider
ESNZ Horse/Pony flexi Start	\$5.00 per test per horse (if applicable)

Entries Online: www.evoevents.co.nz – Our bank details are: 03 1563 0419176 00 please put your name down and AUTUMNSHOW for the reference.

The boring bits (AKA T's and C's):

1. **Health & Safety** - Competitors and spectators attending do so at their own risk and must abide by the WECT and DW Health & Safety rules. These can be found on the EvoEvents website along with the Disclaimer.
2. **Class Rules** - All classes run under ESNZ rules. All riders must be registered with ESNZ or pay a casual fee.
3. **DNZ T&D levy** – This is paid to Dressage New Zealand (for the Training & Development of NZ Riders - \$5.00 per test – included).
4. **The committee reserves the right to** - alter and/or cancel the programme or prizes, if necessary, within ESNZ rules.
5. **Bridle or Saddle blanket numbers must be used** – Bridle or saddle blanket numbers must be displayed on either side of the horse for competition and warmup.
6. **Commanding of Tests** - All Tests may be commanded, other than freestyles and Class 22
7. **Objections** - All objections must be lodged with the event secretary in writing within 30 minutes of the completion of the class with a \$50 fee.
8. **Compulsory Yards** – Will be assigned and must be left clean & tidy. Damage to be reported to the office. Non-reported damage/dirty yards will be charged out at \$20 per yard.
9. **Rosettes** - 1st-4th rosettes - these will be available for collection from the office 30 minutes after final posted score.
10. **Scratchings** - Must be notified via EE (My Entries) before 8pm Wednesday 15th October 2025. During the event, please report to the office or phone 0275133285. There will be no refund for any reason whatsoever from Monday.
11. **Dogs** - Must be always kept on a lead (this is a WECT Policy). Dogs must be always kept in the carpark.
12. **Horses on Grounds** - Horses on the grounds **MUST** be competing. No companion or non-competing horses allowed – penalty of elimination.
13. **Test Sheets** - Stamp addressed envelopes will be available from the office for tests to be sent out (cost \$3.00)
14. **Weather** - The show will go ahead rain or shine.
15. **Overnight Yarding – to be arranged prior** – Overnight on Saturday - \$12.00 per horse. Contact: Kara Lockhart 07-8496328 or 0274-995055 prior to coming on to site.
16. **Stallions** – Riders to inform organisers of entry, requirements, & must follow the ESNZ article 147.
17. All enquiries please contact Kara Lockhart (027 483 4328) dressagewaikatoshows@gmail.com or Nicky Hallen 027 513 3285.

Any photographers must obtain permission to operate at this show.

Horses/Ponys (classes may be split if entries permit)

Non-Graded - equines do not need to be registered or have Discipline Starts for this show. However, if your horse has current registration and Annual Dressage discipline starts, you must enter the graded classes only.

Graded – Level 1: Intro Flexi or Intro Annual needed.

Graded – Level 2 and above: Full Flexi or Full Annual needed.

Level 1 – Musical Freestyle – using 2004 test:

Scale of Marks:
 10 Excellent
 9 Very Good
 8 Good
 7 Fairly Good
 6 Satisfactory
 5 Sufficient
 4 Insufficient
 3 Fairly Bad
 2 Bad
 1 Very Bad
 0 Not Performed

DRESSAGE NEW ZEALAND
FREESTYLE TEST to MUSIC
 Preliminary (2004) [Level 1]

Bridle: Ordinary Snaffle Bridle

Arena: 60 x 20

Time Allowed: Performance to be finished between 4:00 and 4:30 minutes

Class: Rider/Horse: Bridle No:

Compulsory Movement		Max Marks	Judges Marks	Coefficient	Total	Remarks
1	Medium walk 20 metres minimum	10				
2	Free walk 20 metres minimum	10				
3	Working trot left, including circle 20 metres diameter	10				
4	Working trot right, including circle 20 metres diameter	10				
5	Working canter left, including circle 20 metres diameter	10				
6	Working canter right, including circle 20 metres diameter	10				
7	Halt at beginning and end of test	10				
8	Transitions	10				
Total for Technical Execution		80				
Optional Movements: Any movement occurring in current NZ Dressage Tests up to an including Novice standard may be included. Riders deliberately showing movements above Level 2 will be eliminated.						
Artistic Presentation (*Half points may be used)		Max Marks	Judges Marks	Coefficient	Total	Remarks
9*	Rhythm, energy and elasticity	10		1		
10*	Harmony between rider and horse	10		1		
11*	Choreography. Use of arena. Inventiveness.	10		2		
12*	Degree of difficulty. Well calculated risks.	10		1		
13*	Choice of music and interpretation of the music	10		3		
Total for Artistic Presentation		80				
Time Penalty - Outside time deduct 2 points from total of artistic presentation						Position:
Total for Artistic Presentation Divided by 8		10				Date:
Total for Technical Execution Divided by 8		10				Judges Name:
FINAL SCORE		20				

If two competitors have the same final score, the one with the higher marks for Artistic Presentation is leading.

Music – if you do not have the music or a floor plan, please reach out – we can help you!!