



Lucky Dip Ribbon Day

Sunday 20th September 2026

Entries Close Wednesday 9th September 2026

Dressage Tauranga Members Points Series & Vivant Equi Accumulator Show

THE 2023 ESNZ DRESSAGE TESTS ARE BEING USED FOR THIS SHOW

Classes		
<i>All classes are non-graded</i>		
Class	Test	Entry fee
1	First Start Level 1 Lead Rein* and Para Combined Grades TOC	\$18
2	First Start Level 1 Lead Rein* and Para Combined Grades TOC	\$18
3	Introductory Level 0A – Under 16 years	\$18
4	Introductory Level 0A	\$18
5	Introductory Level 0B – Under 16 years	\$18
6	Introductory Level 0B	\$18
7	Preliminary Test 1A – Under 16 years	\$18
8	Preliminary Test 1A	\$18
9	Preliminary Test 1B – Under 16 years	\$18
10	Preliminary Test 1B	\$18
11	Novice Test 2A	\$18
12	Novice Test 2B	\$18
13	Elementary – Test 3A	\$18
14	Elementary – Test 3B	\$18
15	Levels 4 and Over – Test of Choice** submit test on entry	\$18
16	Levels 4 and Over – Test of Choice** submit test on entry	\$18
17	Working Equitation - Test of Choice*** submit test on entry	\$18
18	Working Equitation - Test of Choice*** submit test on entry	\$18

*riders must be 10 yrs and under and not to have competed in any off-lead rein competitions prior to the start of the show

**Classes subject to sufficient entries otherwise may be combined

***Working Equitation tests will be run using Working Equitation rules

Classes 1, 2, 15,16,17,18

PLEASE INDICATE ON YOUR ENTRY WHAT TESTS YOU WANT TO RIDE.

Please enter online at www.evoevents.co.nz

0A and 0B are walk and trot only tests

If you would like to try canter then you can do test 1A (or above).

ALL HELMETS MUST MEET ESNZ HELMET RULES AND BE YELLOW TAGGED PRIOR TO COMPETING.

PRIZES:

Classes 1 – 18 Placings dependant on class numbers.

**All tests will be ridden
on the grass**

No prize money

All ribbons are recycled from previous shows / events so may not match your class name or placing.

FEES:

Class entry fee: \$18 per test

Ground fee: \$10 per horse

Admin fee: \$10 per horse

Evo events fee: \$1.70 per test

Late Entry Fee: \$10 per test

Yard fee: \$10 per yard (**yarding is compulsory**)

Volunteer discount: \$10 per rider*

Non ESNZ members entered in **classes 1 - 16** to pay ESNZ Casual membership fee: \$18.00 per day -

RIDERS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CHECKING THEIR MEMBERSHIP

Riders entered in Working Equitation Classes ONLY are NOT required to pay the ESNZ casual day membership fee or have a current ESNZ Membership

*You can claim the volunteer discount if you are intending on helping set up, pack away, write or run for more than 2 hours. Riders must add themselves as a volunteer when entering or add it as a special request on entry. Failure to complete your nominated task will result in you being invoiced for the discount.

ALL ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID BY CLOSE OF ENTRIES or entry is NOT included in the draw and a late payment fee WILL BE ADDED.

Please enter online at www.evoevents.co.nz. Online entries receive an emailed response with entry details & fees owing & any membership/registration issues to be sorted. You can also access the entry list, have results text to you, & and can see results on-line as the show progresses.

Bank Account Name: Tauranga Dressage Group

Account No: 03 0445 0178098 00

Important contact details:

Event secretary – Janine Van der Horst dressagetauranga@gmail.com

First aid – report to office for contact details or 111 in emergency

Vet – Orla at BOP Equine Vets 020 4176 6577

YARDING

Please note it is a venue requirement that **yarding is COMPULSORY**. This will be allocated and charged on entry. All horses must be yarded unless being ridden under saddle. Only park in front of your allocated yard. Please only use your allocated yard. If there is a problem with your yard, please let the office know and we will allocate you a new one. All yards must be mucked out and left clean on your exit. A cleaning fee of \$25 will be charged for yards left dirty.

Lead rein classes tests can be found on this link on pages 12 and 13

<http://www.nzpca.org/asset/downloadasset?id=592b33a4-01e7-4e61-9d25-7417498b41e0>

Working Equitation tests can be found on this link

<https://wenz.nz/wenz-flatwork-tests-august-2026-v2-0/>

Conditions of Entry:

1. This event is run under [ESNZ Rules](#).
2. If riding Working Equitation tests, these will be run under [Working Equitation rules](#).
3. **It is the rider's responsibility to read these conditions of entry and abide by all rules.**
4. **Riders entered in Working Equitation Classes ONLY are NOT required to pay the ESNZ casual day membership fee or have a valid ESNZ Membership**
5. The event runs between 8.00am and 5pm on 20th September 2026.
6. **Entries close Wednesday 9th September 2026** at midnight. Enter online at www.evoevents.co.nz
7. Payments must be made by Polipay when entering. If you cannot pay by that method, payment can be made by internet banking immediately into Dressage Tauranga bank account Dressage Tauranga Group – 03 0445 0178098 00. If paying by internet banking, your entry will not show on Evo Events until it has been manually processed.
8. Entries will not be accepted without full entry fees paid. **YOU WILL NOT BE PUT IN THE DRAW UNTIL FEES ARE PAID IN FULL BY CLOSE OF ENTRIES.** It is your responsibility to pay fees on time. A late payment fee of \$10 will be added if fees are not paid IN FULL prior to close of entries.
9. **Arena set up is 3pm on Saturday 19th September 2026. We would appreciate as many people to assist with this as possible to make it easier on everyone. Remember we are doing this so that YOU can ride.**
10. All riders must wear approved helmets that meet the ESNZ safety standards and have a **YELLOW TAG**. Any riders not wearing a helmet with a yellow tag will not be permitted to ride. It is the rider's responsibility to ensure their helmet is correct.
11. Maximum of 3 tests per horse/pony. Ponies may compete against horses in all classes.
12. Riders entered in the under 16 years class must have been 16 years old or younger as at close of entries.
13. **ESNZ membership:** All riders entered in **classes 1 - 16** must be current ESNZ members on the day of competition whether this is a full competition membership or an introductory membership. Casual day memberships can be purchased with your entry. Please include this in your entry. Please ensure you have the correct membership which you can check here:
<https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/Dressage-Competition-Roadmap-2024.pdf>
Riders entered in Working Equitation Classes ONLY are NOT required to pay the ESNZ casual day membership fee or have a valid ESNZ Membership

14. **REFUNDS:** If your scratching is received before close of entries, a full refund will be given, less compulsory Evo Events fees. After close of entries, all other fees less the online entry fee and admin fee will be refunded with a vet, farrier or doctors' certificate. These will be accepted up to 7 days after the event. Acceptance of these outside the above timeframes are entirely at the OC's discretion.
15. Please notify scratching dressagetauranga@gmail.com. **Please do not contact the show secretary or organising committee via any other means.**
16. **Lead rein classes** – Riders must be 12 years and under and are not to have competed in any off-lead rein competitions prior to the start of the show.
17. Only horses entered in the competition are permitted to be on the grounds.
18. **ID numbers:** All horses must wear identification numbers which will either be your registered number or a number will be allocated and must be collected from the office prior to competing. These are to be worn on the saddle blanket for the duration of the show and must be returned at the end of the event.
19. **ID tags:** All horses must wear ID tags (with name and contact cell number) at all times while on the grounds when not competing. These will be checked during the event.
20. **Late entries** will be accepted until **Monday 14th September 2026**. Late entries after this date will be waitlisted and added to the draw if space becomes available in the class entered due to scratchings. **All accepted late entries will incur a \$10 per horse entry fee per test.**
21. **Cancellation / postponement:** If due to weather the day is cancelled or postponed, check the website and our Facebook page for cancellation. Notice will be posted by 2pm prior. If the event is cancelled, entry fees will be refunded in full. If the event is postponed, entry fees will be refunded if you cannot make the new date allocated.
22. **Dogs:** are allowed on the grounds but must be on a lead at all times and are not permitted near competition areas (in the premier arena and on the road side of the oval near the arena).
23. No liability will be accepted in the event of an accident to horse, rider, spectator or property. Riders compete at their own risk. By entering the show, riders acknowledge that they accept all risks.
24. **All falls and incidents that occur on the grounds during the event must be reported to the show office immediately regardless of the seriousness. All suspected concussions MUST be reported to ESNZ according to their concussion policy.** This event is subject to the ESNZ concussion policy: <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/wp-content/uploads/Equestrian-Sports-NZ-Concussion-Policy-Final-V2-2-2.pdf>
25. Classes may be cancelled or merged if there are insufficient entries.
26. **Equal Placings:** See DNZ Rule, article 465. In the case of equality, the higher collective marks will determine the higher placing. If the competitors are still equal, then the higher coefficient marks will determine the placings. If there is still an equality of points, the competitors are given the same placing.
27. For riders riding the same horse or pony, only the first rider in time to compete may be eligible for placings. The second in time to ride must ride HC.
28. There is to be absolutely no jumping of any jumps that may be on the grounds for the duration of the show. Any riders found to be doing so will be eliminated from the competition and asked to leave.

Health and Safety Policy

Dressage Tauranga is committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy event for all participants, and to providing the information, training and supervision needed to achieve this.

1. All competitors and associated staff/visitors to the venue must abide by the ESNZ/Dressage NZ Rules, the Dressage Tauranga Health & Safety Policy and the Health & Safety at Work Act 2015.
2. Copies of the event Health & Safety policy can be found at the event office.
3. Any incident or near miss must be reported to the event office and an incident form completed.
4. Any hazards identified must be reported to the Event Office.
5. Competitors will be responsible for their safety at all times and must observe safe practices and follow event rules and officials' instructions at all times, ensuring that others are not put at risk by their actions.

By entering this event, as part of the entry process, you acknowledge that you agree to the rules and health & safety requirements of the event.

VIVANT EQUI DRESSAGE TAURANGA MEMBERS POINTS SERIES

This series is run over all ribbon days and registered shows for the 2026/ 27 season.

Points are awarded on percentages for each show.

Prize giving will occur at the AGM in May / June 2027. Riders or a representative are required to attend to receive their prize.

Riders must be a financial member at time of competition (points will not be added retrospectively).

Please visit <http://www.dressagebayofplenty.co.nz/Our-Groups/Dressage-Tauranga> for rules and details.