



Nebraska Dressage Association

VIRTUAL COMPETITION RECOGNITION

• SHOW WILL QUALIFY RIDERS FOR NDA VIRTUAL AWARDS

• SHOW LISTED ON THE NDA CALENDAR & WEBSITE



Annual shows must apply for NDA recognition **EVERY YEAR**. The NDA competition year is from October 1 to September 30 of the following year, and scores will count toward virtual show awards for that competition year.

RECOGNITION REQUIREMENTS

1. Apply to the NDA Board of Directors at least 30 days prior to the show and pay the required fee.
2. Use a United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) licensed dressage judge or a USDF "L" Program graduate.
3. Publicize the competition to all NDA members at least 15 days prior to the competition.

MINIMUM STANDARDS

1. Require a regulation-sized dressage arena, either 20 meters x 40 meters or 20 meters x 60 meters. Slight modifications to fit available space are allowed.
2. Require the arenas to be marked with regulation letters appropriately placed, and indicate at least the corners and middle of the long sides with boards, poles, walls, etc.
3. Use USEF/USDF/WDAA tests.
4. Require competitors to adhere to the following equipment requirements. A visual 360° equipment check at the end of the video is recommended.
 - 1) Simple snaffle bridle mandatory through Second Level (except for Western Dressage classes);
 - 2) English-style saddle mandatory (except for Western Dressage classes);
 - 3) Rider must wear boots or hard-soled shoes with heels;
 - 4) Humane spurs and a whip no more than 4 feet long are allowed;
 - 5) No tie-downs, martingales, side reins, or similar devices are allowed;
 - 6) Rider must wear ASTM/SEI-certified helmet at all times when mounted;
 - 7) Western dressage competitors should refer to USEF Western Dressage equipment guidelines.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

1. Competition management is responsible for reporting all scores from the competition to the NDA Awards Committee within 30 days of the competition.
2. Volunteer hours should be reported to the Volunteer Hours Coordinator within 30 days of the competition.
3. Scores must be calculated to three decimal points (e.g. 55.233%). A final score report should be submitted to the NDA webmaster for publishing on the NDA website.

NDA AWARDS

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If any of the foregoing requirements are not met, the NDA Board of Directors may, at its discretion, revoke a show's recognition, and the recognition fee will be forfeited. If a show's recognition is revoked, no scores earned at the show will count towards any NDA awards.



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COMPETITION INFORMATION

COMPETITION NAME

\$25 NDA RECOGNITION FEE

COMPETITION DATE(S)

LOCATION (stable, grounds, etc.)

CITY

STATE

TOTAL DUE

\$

PAID?

SPONSOR (club, stable, etc.)

MANAGER

PHONE

EMAIL

ADDRESS

CITY

STATE

ZIP

JUDGE(S) (USEF/USDF rating)

I agree to notify NDA of any changes to the above information and to submit complete results to the NDA Awards Committee chair, whose address and phone number are listed on page 1, within 30 days of the competition. I agree to follow the rules set forth for NDA recognition. I understand the Nebraska Dressage Association, its officers, directors, and members are not responsible for any injuries or losses suffered during or in connection with this competition.

SIGNATURE

DATE

SEND COMPLETED FORM (WITH CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO NDA) TO:

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