



# Capital City Classic Dressage Show 2010

*Gold Level Equine Canada Competition*

July 17 and 18, 2010

Westside Stables – 6404 Central Saanich Rd, Victoria, BC

<http://www.westsidestables.ca>

**ENTRIES OPEN WEDNESDAY MAY 26, 2010**

**ENTRIES CLOSE MONDAY, JULY 5, 2010**

Mail entries to: V/S CADORA, c/o Richelle Hitchings, 104-360 Goldstream Ave, Victoria, BC V9B 2W3

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## Concession on Grounds

The Capital City Classic Dressage Competition 2010 is sanctioned as a Gold Class C member of Equine Canada, Suite 100, 2685 Queensview Drive, Ottawa, Ontario K2B 8K2 and is governed by the rules of EC.

Statement of Principle: Equine Canada (EC), the National Federation of Canada, supports adherence to humane treatment of horses in all competitions under its jurisdiction. The EC is committed to upholding the welfare of horses, regardless of value as a primary consideration in all activities, requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect and the compassion that they deserve, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment; ensuring that owners, trainers, exhibitors, and their agents use responsible care in the handling, treatment, and transportation of their horses as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose; providing for the continuous well-being of horses by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort, sanitation and safety as a manner of standard operating procedure; continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare, increasing education in training and horsemanship practices, requiring owners, trainers and exhibitors to know and follow their sanctioning organizations' rules and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions, reviewing, revising and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of horses. The standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a reasonable person, informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and exhibition procedures, would determine to be neither cruel, abusive nor inhumane.

# RULES AND REGULATIONS

## GENERAL RULES

1. Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book and in particular Section E Dressage 2010. Knowledge of the rules is the responsibility of the competitor. Please direct questions regarding rules and regulations to the Steward. **All competitors are advised to check the Dressage Canada Web site: [www.dressagecanada.org](http://www.dressagecanada.org)**
2. Junior competitors must wear proper fitting, approved protective headgear, with the safety harness correctly secured, at all times while mounted on the competition or event grounds. Approved headgear must be certified by SEI or another testing body that meets the American Society for Testing Materials (ASTM) standard or the British Standards Institution (BSI) standard. (Article A905)
3. Additionally, **ALL** competitors **MUST** wear approved headgear, at all times while mounted on the competition grounds.
4. Any horse entered in any class at a competition may, while on the competition grounds be selected for equine medication control testing.
5. All tests will be held in a 20 x 60 ring.
6. Gate at A will remain open at all times for all competitors. (E.7.12.13)
7. Callers are allowed in all National tests. Competitors must provide their own callers.
8. **The horse's competition number must be worn and visible at all times while on Westside Stables property, failure to do so may result in elimination. (E.7.11.2)**
9. Hors concours entries are not permitted.
10. No **HORSE** may compete in more than four tests/classes per day, including a Freestyle.
11. Neither Westside Stables nor any member of the show committee will be held responsible in any way for damage, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of spectators, owners, trainers, riders or grooms.
12. Dogs must be leashed and under control at all times. Loose dogs will be impounded and the owners fined \$50.00. Any unruly dogs will be asked to leave the show grounds.
13. Any person staying overnight on the grounds is subject to an overnight fee, regardless if you are staying in an RV, tent, horse trailer, car etc. Camping cost is \$25.00 a night, electricity included.
14. Schooling of horses may only be done by EC Sport License holders. (E 7.11.13.1)
15. Lungeing may only be done by the rider, owner, coach, groom or Person Responsible and must be under the supervision of the steward. (E 7.11.13.4) Lungeing is permitted in the round pen only.
16. The Show Office will be open on Friday, July 16, 2010 between 1:00 pm and 5:00 pm. The Show Office will also open each morning 45 minutes before the start of the show.
17. Ride times will be posted at 5:00 pm on Friday July 16, 2010, at the show grounds. You may call 250-216-0740 or check our Web site: [vscadora.com](http://vscadora.com) on Thursday July 15, 2010. If you provide an e-mail address, we will e-mail your ride times to you.
18. **DO NOT arrive at the show grounds before 12 noon, Friday, July 16, 2010. NO EXCEPTIONS.**
19. **You must present to the Show Secretary the following documentation for each horse in order to obtain a show number: a passport and a valid EC horse license, otherwise a temporary horse registration fee will apply. Foreign owners must sign an affidavit verifying the horse's ownership and licensing.**
20. **Warm-Up will be primarily on grass. The indoor arena MAY be available for warm-up during the running of some FEI classes. This WILL be limited to those riding in these classes only.**  
**\*the grass warm-up area is a well maintained, level, grass field with a sand base.**

## Entries

1. **Entries open Wednesday, May 26, 2010.** Entries postmarked before this date are subject to a penalty of one day for each day early. **Entries close Monday, July 5, 2010 at 5:00 pm.** Entries received **after closing date** are subject to a late fee of \$40.00 and will be limited to the ride times available.
2. **Please use one entry form for each horse and rider combination with separate cheques for each individual entry.**
3. Only completed, legible entries that include all photocopies and a signed, dated waiver will be accepted. Entries not including copies of required membership cards will be subject to a \$25.00 incomplete entry fee.
4. **All entries must include a photocopy of a current EC Gold Level Sport License and HCBC membership for both rider and horse owner as well as a photocopy of a 2010 horse license otherwise the temporary license fee will apply.** Foreign competitors must be members of their National Federation.
5. Competitors wishing to ride in the Amateur category must include a photocopy of a current EC Sport License showing Amateur status as designated by EC (Amateur box must be ticked and Date of Birth printed on card). **Entries not showing proof of Amateur status will be entered in Open classes - NO EXCEPTIONS.**
6. Entries must be mailed to **V/S Cadora c/o Richelle Hitchings, 104 - 360 Goldstream Ave, Victoria, BC, V9B 2W3.** No hand-delivered entries will be accepted. If the show is over-subscribed, the postmark date will be used to determine one's position on the wait list.
7. Corrections on entries and monies owing must be cleared up before entries close or entry will be void.
8. Please make cheques payable to **Capital City Classic.**
9. Cheques will be cashed prior to the start of the show and numbers will **not** be given to competitors who have outstanding show entry fees. When obtaining numbers, competitors are required to pay cash for outstanding amounts (i.e. miscalculations, NSF cheque replacements and fees, missing photocopies, etc). The Show Committee will attempt to contact any competitor who has an outstanding balance prior to the start of the show.
10. NSF Cheques are subject to a \$35.00 penalty.
11. Cheques dated after July 5, 2010, will not be accepted and the associated entries considered null and void.

12. The Show Committee reserves the right to limit, to two, the number of horses ridden by a rider (A.805.5), also to limit the number of entries, the number of tests ridden by a **RIDER**, and/or refuse any entry, split, cancel or combine and/or adjust classes or awards, govern all conditions of the show, and make decisions upon any matter not covered by current EC rules.
13. Entries received prior to the closing date, but after the competition is full, will be put on a waiting list. They will **not** be subject to late fees if they are accepted into the show. If the competitor does not wish to be on a wait list or does not get into the show, all entry fees will be refunded.
14. Before the entry deadline, changes to entries are accepted at the discretion of the entry secretary and subject to a \$25 office fee.
15. After the entry deadline **no changes** to classes will be made.
16. After the entry deadline, horse and rider substitutions may only be made in the event of illness or injury with a Veterinarian or Physician certificate, providing that the class, test & rider category remain the same. These changes are subject to a \$25 office fee. Once a horse or rider has withdrawn from the show, for any reason, these substitutions can no longer be made. Substitutions must be made at time of withdrawal. A certificate must be presented before 3pm Sunday July 18, 2010. You cannot substitute both the horse and rider in the same entry.

#### CLASS RULES

1. Classes may be scheduled at any time on the day listed on the class schedule.
2. **Ride times may be rescheduled at any time due to scratches, errors, overlapping times, unforeseen conflicts or to facilitate the running of the show.**
3. **Competitors must check the scoreboard for updated ride schedules on the morning of each show day.**
4. In the event that there are less than four entries in any rider category (Jr, Am, Open), the Show Committee reserves the right to combine rider categories within classes, where permitted. Such class combinations will not affect any overall rider category awards.
5. Ties will be broken by the collective marks. Ties remaining after collective marks will stay tied.

#### Freestyles

1. Freestyle music must be in CD format and riders must provide 2 copies of the CD to the Show Office **before** 5 pm Friday.
2. The freestyle CD's must be clearly labeled with the rider's name, competition number and any instructions.
3. It is the rider's responsibility to pick up the CD's from the Show Office prior to the close of the show.
4. All freestyles will be classified as Open. Entries may not ride more than one freestyle.
5. To be eligible for freestyles in a Gold Level Competition, any horse/rider combination must have obtained 55% at the same technical level or higher either at this show, or at an **EC Gold or Silver** Competition prior to this show. (E 7.9.4)
6. The EC freestyle level must correspond to the technical level (or the one above) at which the horse/rider combination is competing in at this show. e.g: When riding a Second Level technical test you would be eligible to ride a First or Second Level freestyle. (E 7.9.6)

#### REFUNDS

1. Prior to the show closing date, all fees will be refunded, **less the administration fee.**
2. After the closing date, but before noon, Thurs July 15, 2010, class and stabling fees will be refunded with a Veterinarian's or Physician's certificate, administration fees will not be refunded. A certificate must be presented **prior** to the start of the show for any fees to be refunded.
3. **No refunds of any kind will be issued, for any reason, after 12 pm Thurs July 15, 2010.**

#### STABLING

1. Stalls are available for rent at the show grounds. The cost is \$85 for the weekend and will be available from noon on Friday July 16, 2010 until 7pm on Sunday July 18, 2010. Overnight stabling is \$65 from 7am one day to 7pm the following day. Day stalls are \$45 and are available from 7am to 7pm the same day, with no overnight.
2. There is no stall deposit; stalls will be bedded with clean shavings prior to the arrival of competitors, and will be cleaned at the close of the competition as a fund raiser for the Victoria-Saanich CADORA Junior and Young Riders. This is included in the cost of stall rental.
3. Any damage to the stall will be the responsibility of the competitor and/or the owner of the horse.
4. If entries are not paid in full, the stall will remain closed until cash is paid for the outstanding balance.

**Schooling Horses** are permitted to attend competition grounds for schooling purposes for a fee of \$25.00 a day. An Entry Form be completed and number assigned for all schooling horses by the entry closing date. Stabling is available at the rates shown on the prize list. All fees including the administration fee must be paid on the Entry Form complete with a signed Waiver. Drug Testing Fees, DC Levy Fees and Cadora BC Travel Fund are not applicable for Schooling Horses. Handlers/Person's Responsible must have HCBC and provide proof of such. Late Fees are applicable after the Closing Date of July 5, 2010 for all Schooling Horse Entries. All Handlers/Person's Responsible and Schooling Horses shall be governed by the current rules of Equine Canada and any additional rules set by the competition.

**Trailers must park in the designated Trailer Parking Area Only.  
PLEASE KEEP THE GROUNDS CLEAN, PICK UP AFTER YOUR HORSE !!! THANK YOU.**

# GOLD LEVEL AWARDS

Every competitor will be asked to go to the photograph area on completion of their first test, after tack check.

Awards will be given out once they are confirmed.

Prizes will be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> place winners with rosettes to 6<sup>th</sup> place. Rosettes and 1<sup>st</sup> place prizes can be picked up with the tests after the class is completed.

A minimum combined score of 60% must be obtained for Champion, and 57% for Reserve Champion awards to apply.

Single scores of less than 50% will not count toward any awards. (E 9.11.7)

In the event of a tie, the rider with the highest single percentage is declared the winner. (E 9.11.5)

**Gold National Division Championship and Reserve Championship awards are based on the following Schedule:**

The combined total percentage of two tests at each level, one of which must be the highest or second highest test, will be used as scores to determine Division Champion and Reserve Champion, Training through Fourth Level. (Training through 2<sup>nd</sup>., Levels must be one of either test 3 or 4 and ANY other test; 3<sup>rd</sup>., and 4<sup>th</sup>., Levels must be one of either test 2 or 3 and ANY other test ).

**Freestyle and Young Horse scores do not count toward any Division Awards.**

<b>Training</b>	Junior, Amateur, and Open
<b>First</b>	Junior, Amateur, and Open
<b>Second</b>	Junior, Amateur, and Open
<b>Third</b>	Junior, Amateur, and Open
<b>Fourth</b>	Junior, Amateur, and Open

**FEI Division Championship and Reserve Championship awards are based on the following Schedule:**

<b>FEI Youth</b>	Children, Pony, and Junior	Highest combined total percentage of two technical tests
<b>FEI Young Rider</b>	(classes 261 & 262 only)	Highest combined total percentage of two technical tests
<b>FEI Advanced</b>	(classes 263 & 264 only) Amateur and Open	Highest combined total percentage of two technical tests

## Freestyle Awards

<b>Freestyle Champion and Reserve Champion</b>	Highest and second highest percentage of show
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## ACCOMMODATIONS

<b>Super 8 Motel</b>	2477 Mt. Newton X Road, Saanichton, BC	(250) 652-6888
<b>Quality Inn, Waddling Dog</b>	2476 Mt. Newton X Road, Saanichton, BC	(250) 652-1146
<b>Best Western</b>	2306 Beacon Avenue, Sidney, BC	(250) 656-4441
<b>Sidney Waterfront Inn</b>	9775 First St, Sidney, BC	(250) 656-1131

# Capital City Classic – Gold Level Competition Class Schedule

All classes are ridden in a 20m x 60m arena. IPEC tests are available on request for \$50.00 per class (20m x 40m arena)

**Please see rules regarding Championships**

## SATURDAY JULY 17, 2010

201	Training 1	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	234	Third TOC	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
203	Training 3	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	241	Fourth 1	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
211	First 1	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	244	Fourth TOC	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
213	First 3	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	251	FEI Youth Team	Pony	Child	Jr	\$50 per class
221	Second 1	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	252	FEI Youth TOC	Pony	Child	Jr	\$50 per class
224	Second 3	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	261	FEI YR TOC			Open	\$50 per class
231	Third 1	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class	263	FEI Advanced TOC		Am	Open	\$55 per class

## SUNDAY JULY 18, 2010

202	Training 2	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	235	Third TOC	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
204	Training 4	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	242	Fourth 2	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
212	First 2	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	245	Fourth TOC	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class
214	First 4	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	253	FEI Yth Indiv	Pony	Child	Jr	\$50 per class
222	Second 2	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	254	FEI Youth TOC	Pony	Child	Jr	\$50 per class
225	Second 4	Jr	Am	Open	\$45 per class	262	FEI YR TOC			Open	\$50 per class
232	Third 2	Jr	Am	Open	\$50 per class	264	FEI Advanced TOC		Am	Open	\$55 per class

**FEI Young Horse Classes** (will be scheduled if entries warrant) Open \$35 per class

### FREESTYLES

All freestyles will be classified as **Open**. Entries may not ride more than a single freestyle.

To be eligible for freestyles in a Gold Level Competition, any horse/rider combination must have obtained 55% at the same technical level, or higher, either at this show, or at an EC Gold or Silver Competition prior to this show.

The EC freestyle level must correspond to the technical level (or one above) at which the horse/rider combination is competing at this show. e.g: When riding a Second Level technical test you would be eligible to ride a First or Second Level freestyle.

### SATURDAY, JULY 17, 2010

271	First Level	\$45.00 per class
272	Second Level	\$45.00 per class
273	Third Level	\$50.00 per class
274	Fourth Level	\$50.00 per class
275	FEI Youth TOC	\$50.00 per class
276	FEI Advanced TOC (YR Incl)	\$55.00 per class

**THE GATE AT "A" WILL REMAIN OPEN AT ALL TIMES FOR ALL COMPETITORS (E.7.12.13)**

# CAPITAL CITY CLASSIC 2010

# GOLD LEVEL ENTRY FORM

A separate Entry Form is required for each horse and rider combination.

Horse: \_\_\_\_\_ Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Passport & Horse License #: \_\_\_\_\_

Breed: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Origin: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ EC Level : \_\_\_\_\_ EC # : \_\_\_\_\_ HCBC # : \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Amateur Status: Yes No Circle one: Jr Am Open Birth date (if Jr/YR): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ EC Level : \_\_\_\_\_ EC # : \_\_\_\_\_ HCBC # : \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Please enter the class number, the day and associated test you would like to enter (i.e. class 222, Saturday, Second 2).  
For classes that are test of choice (TOC) specify which test you would like to ride (i.e. 1, 2, 3, or 4).

Class #	Day	Class description	Fee

## REMINDERS!

**Entries open Wednesday, May 26, 2010.**  
 Entries close Monday, July 5, 2010 at 5:00 PM.  
 Make cheques payable to Capital City Classic.  
 Sign the attached waiver & submit it with your entry.

Include all applicable photocopies.  
 Please, print clearly and complete the forms.

\*\*\* Name of person or barn you would like to stable with:

Class sub-total:	
Weekend stabling @ \$85:	
Overnight stabling Indicate night(s) _____ @ \$65:	
Day Stall Indicate day(s) _____ @ \$45 day:	
Camping Fee - \$25 night:	
Temp Gold Sport License upgrade @ \$15:	
Temp Horse Lic @ \$25:	
Temp EC Lic @ \$30:	
Administration fee:	<b>\$35.00</b>
Drug testing fee:	<b>\$7.00</b>
Dressage Canada Levy:	<b>\$7.00</b>
Cadora BC Travel Fund:	<b>\$1.00</b>
<b>Total:</b>	

Please take the time to thoroughly READ and UNDERSTAND these waivers before signing them.

Name of Horse: \_\_\_\_\_ Name or Rider: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that every horse and rider combination is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the constitution and rules of the EC at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept this risk and hold harmless the EC, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, employees and their representatives.

Signature of Owner: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ EC #: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Rider: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ EC #: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Person Responsible: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ EC#: \_\_\_\_\_

(The Person Responsible for a horse is an adult who has, or shares, responsibility for the care, training, custody, and performance of the horse and who has official responsibility for that horse under EC Rules and is liable under the penalty provisions of the Rules for any violation of the EC Rules. **The Person Responsible must hold an EC individual or group license** (see A203.5). For the purpose of these Rules, the Person Responsible is normally the trainer, owner or the competitor who rides or drives the horse during an event, or a parent or legal guardian in the case of junior competitors. The Person Responsible is ultimately responsible for the condition, fitness and management of the horse and is alone responsible for any act performed in the stables by himself or herself or by any other person with authorized access to the horse, or while the horse is being ridden, driven or exercised.) Parents and guardians are entitled to sign their children's entry forms without being EC members or holder of a sport license, provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties contained in the Rule Book. (See A1011 Person Responsible)

In the event that (name of junior) \_\_\_\_\_ participates in an Equine Canada sanctioned competition where approved headgear is required for juniors, he/ she will wear a properly fitted, ASTM or BSI approved helmet. It is understood that juniors not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to show at these competitions. See Rules of Equine Canada, Section A, General Regulations, Article A905, Headgear.

Signature of Parent/Guardian of Junior: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### VICTORIA-SAANICH CADORA WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name of adult applicant, or parent/legal guardian of minor applicant)

of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Address)

being: (circle one) a) the applicant, b) the parent of the applicant, or c) the legal guardian of the applicant,

named \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of actual participant)

wishing to participate in the Victoria-Saanich CADORA Capital City Classic 2010 covenant and agree that:

1. I acknowledge that participation in the above named competition or related activities are entirely at the risk of the participant and that I willingly accept all the risks associated with the competition and activity. I agree that I participate voluntarily in the competition, fully aware that horse sports and the competition or related activities involve inherent dangerous risk of serious injury or death.

2. I hereby waive any right of legal action I may have or any such right that the applicant may have, against Victoria-Saanich CADORA and its Directors or committee members, Westside Stables, their servants, employees or agents, in respect of any injury, loss, liability, damage, cost or expenses incurred in or arising from the competition or activity hereby applied for. Whether or not such claim of injury or loss resulted directly or indirectly from the negligent acts or omissions of said officials, directors, agents, Victoria-Saanich CADORA or Westside Stables.

3. I shall at all times hereafter indemnify and save harmless Victoria-Saanich CADORA and its Directors or committee members, Westside Stables, their servants, employees or agents from and against all manners of actions, suits, proceedings, costs, charges, expenses, claims, demands, damages, matters and anything whatsoever brought on behalf of the applicant or any person, firm or corporation claiming by, or through, or on behalf of the said applicant, arising out of or connected with applicant's participation in the said competition or related activities.

4. I hereby certify that every horse and/or rider is eligible as entered. I make these entries at my own risk and subject to the rules of this competition and agree to be bound thereby. I further certify that I have read all instructions in the prize list and will comply with those rules. I agree to make no claim against the show or the owners of the horse show grounds, if any damage be occasioned to, or loss to any equipment or animal or accident to any driver or rider.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Person Responsible)