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Loyalty

Character

Sportsmanship

2007 Application to Compete at the PC Dressage National Championships 2008

Rider's Name _____

Branch _____ Level _____ Age _____ (min. 12 as of Jan 1st of the qualifying year)

Mailing Address _____

Postal Code _____ Phone # _____

E-mail Address _____

Each region may qualify one rider at any given level to travel to the National Championships.

Circle the level you wish to qualify for:

Levels

- **Starter level** - D1 and D2 riders
- **Pretraining level** - D1 to C level riders
- **Training level** - C and up
- **First level** - C and up
- **Second level** - C and up

Qualifiers:

- The 2 scores from each rider riding at the Benefit Show of the qualifying year will be used to determine the champion and reserve champion at each level.
- All tests must be ridden at the level the rider intends to compete in at the National Champ.
- A score of at least 55% must be attained to be eligible.
- The application must be returned to the MPC Dressage Chair before November 30th of the qualifying year.
- Riders must be members in good standing with their branch and MPC and have paid all their dues.

FYI:

- Late applications will not be accepted.
- Champions will be declared on the dressage day of the Benefit Show of the qualifying year.
- If the champion is unable to attend, the next rider in line will be allowed to replace him/her as long as he/she has received a score of at least 55%.
- **Riders must be prepared to pay all travel expenses to get to the competition.**
- All other expenses are also the responsibility of the member.
- Entry fees will be paid by the Region.
- An adult must travel with any Pony Club member under 18 years of age **and will not be provided by MPC.**
- The committees' decision will be final and may not be appealed.

Members' signature

parents' signature

I believe that this member is qualified to ride at this level on an unknown horse.

DC's signature

Dressage National Championships Information Sheet

Riders are required to:

- Arrive the evening before the competition and draw for two horses. They are given a short amount of time on the horse to determine suitability and safety. This is not a schooling session
- Spend some time preparing their first horse for the competition (turnout)
- Stay with billeting families
- On the first day, ride one test on the first horse and present the horse for turnout inspection then ride a second technical test on the second horse and write a written theory test
- On the second day ride a mystery test on the first horse
- Groom for the owners who will ride in an owners class

Team members are allowed to coach each other. Each team may be assigned a CPC member from the host region as an assistant/groom.

Awards may be presented at each level as follows:

- Individual class placing
- Individual Champion and Reserve based on all three tests and the written test
- Coaching award (to be voted on by competitors)
- Sportsmanship award (to be voted on by organizers and officials)
- Champion and Reserve teams
- Turnout award is optional although national score sheets are available

The following tests shall be offered at the CPC National Dressage Championships:

Starter level	Tests 1 & 2 (CPC)	Mystery test	Written theory test
Pretraining level	Tests 1 & 2 (CPC)	Mystery test	Written theory test
Training level	Tests 3 & 4 (EC) or Tests C&D (Cadora)	Mystery test	Written theory test
First level	Tests 1 & 2 (EC) or Tests A&B (Cadora)	Mystery test	Written theory test
Second level	Tests 1 & 2 (EC) or Tests A&B (Cadora)	Mystery test	Written theory test
Third level	Tests 2 & 3 (EC) or Tests C&D (Cadora)	Mystery test	Written theory test
Fourth level	Tests 2 & 3 (EC) or Tests C&D (Cadora)	Mystery test	Written theory test

Provisional Rotation for Canadian Pony Club National Championships

<u>For 2008</u>	Starter Level	MB	
	Pretraining Level	SK	confirmed
	Training Level	ABS	
	First Level	COR	
	Second Level	COR	

List of Approved Shows (more can be approved, just contact the dressage chair)

Dressage Winnipeg (EC- training and up)

April 29th-30th / June 10th-11th

Cadara (starter and up) - only 6 spots for PC tests available at each show

May 27th/ June 24th

Red River PC schooling show (PC and EC - starter and up)

May 26th-27th

Manitoba Horse Trials (training and up) – only EC tests accepted

June 17th-18th/ July 1st -3rd

Pineridge Dressage show (Cadora - training and up)

July 22nd and 23rd

Benefit Show (PC and EC - starter and up)

August 17th