Competitor Notes IDS May Schooling Show

Saturday & Sunday, May 6th & 7th, 2023



We'd like to thank you for entering the May Schooling Show - the **largest dressage schooling show ever** in the State of Indiana! It's going to be a great weekend!

Schedules, Stall Charts, and Camping Assignments

Please review the schedules, stall charts, and camping assignments as soon as you can. If you see any errors or omissions, please let me know as soon as possible. My job is to make sure that you have an excellent experience at this show, and I'll do my best to accommodate you when I can.

- <u>Stall Charts & Campsite Assignments</u>
- Provisional Schedule and Live Scoring

Coggins, Waiver Signatures, and Fees Due

If you are one of the few people with incomplete entries, you should have an email or two from me detailing what I still need to complete the process. Please email negative Coggins tests and IDS Waivers to mike@mikedawson.com before you haul to the show. If you have payment due, we accept checks and credit cards in the Dressage Office.

Friday Arrival and Schooling Times

Stalls will be labeled and unlocked by 10:00 AM on Friday. Once you unload your horses, please check-in at the Dressage Office to pick-up your horse's bridle tag. Your horse should wear the bridle tag at all times outside of the stabling area.

The Dressage Complex, including the competition rings, will be available for **schooling from 11:00 AM until dusk on Friday**.

Shavings

Shavings pre-ordered with your entry will be stocked in your stall when you arrive. The Stall Chart lists the number of shaving bags as confirmation of your order.

Shavings will also be available for sale at the Hoosier Horse Park office on Friday until approximately 3:00 PM. Please have cash or check - I don't believe they can take credit cards. After that, come to the Dressage Office as we will have a small supply of shavings available.

Stall Stripping

If you have not pre-paid the optional \$30 Stall Stripping fee, **you are required to strip all bedding from your horse's stall** and place it in a pile just outside of the stall door.

Lunging and Warm-up

A lunging area will be sectioned off in the north 20m of the dressage warm-up arena.

The warm-up arena in the Dressage Complex will be crowded, so please keep your eyes up and give every horse their proper space.

Novice Horse / Novice Rider / Masters Award Registration

If you would like to register a novice horse or a novice rider for the White River Novice Horse and White River Novice Rider awards - horse or riders must not have previously competed at Training Level - please complete this form - <u>IDS Award Registration</u>.

The same form can also be used for registration for the Masters Award.

United States Pony Club Heartland Region Dressage Rally - Sunday

IDS is hosting the USPC Heartland Region Dressage Rally on Sunday. The area between Barns K and J will be limited to those Pony Clubbers competing in the rally starting at 7:00 AM on Sunday.

IDS Youth Lounge

The IDS Junior/Young Rider Committee would like to invite JR/YR riders to Barn L, stall 60 for snacks and drinks!

Attire

A buckled, ASTM-certified helmet is required at all times when mounted. Formal dressage attire is not required. Likewise, horses do not need to be braided.

BlackHorse One eDressage Electronic Scoring

Show results are available on <u>Equestrian Hub</u>. Log in to your account to view your test including the judge's comments. As you accumulate rides, Equestrian Hub will generate a series of interesting statistics about your horse's best movements and other useful insights.

Food Vendor

<u>Serendipity Mobile Catering</u> will be serving food near Barn L this weekend. Our first 30 complete entries have earned a \$10 Food Truck voucher which you will receive when you check-in at the Dressage Office.



Weather

We should have Spring temperatures this weekend with a bit of rain:

- Friday: High of 71° F with slight chance of rain. 52° F overnight with a few showers.
- Saturday: High of 74°F and partly cloudy. 56°F overnight with scattered showers.
- Sunday: High of 80°F with scattered rain.

We look forward to a great show!

Thanks,

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