

# Stacey Berry Memorial Dressage Show

Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center - 4200 Old Hwy 396 N., Carson City, NV

**October 14, 2017**

CDS Recognized

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Opening Date: September 1, 2017 ~ Closing date: October 8, 2017

The Sierra NV Chapter is pleased to announce Dara James Designs will be our official High Point Award provider for our annual Stacy Berry Memorial Dressage Show scheduled for Saturday, October 15, 2016.

All of our show competitors, volunteers, friends, and family are encouraged to "Get Their Pink ON!" and substitute their traditional white, black, and gray attire for pink at this very special show. The Stacy Berry Memorial Dressage Show will take place at Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center, Washoe Valley, NV.

## Prize List:

## Class & Awards Information

Any dressage class may be subdivided into Open (**O**), Adult/Amateur (**A/A**) and/or Junior/Young Rider (**J/YR**) when there are three or more in a sub-division. Entries with no designation are considered Open. Ribbons to fifth; awards to first (minimum of three in class or a score over 60%). USEF Amateur card is required for all Adult Amateur awards. High point awards at the conclusion of the show divided out to Open, A/A, and Jr/YR (Training level and above only. Intro tests do not qualify).

## Class Fees:

Intro - \$25

Training - FEI \$48

Freestyle (1<sup>st</sup> – FEI) \$48

Equitation Classes - \$15

Costume Class - **FREE**

## TOTAL OF MANDATORY FEES: \$33 OR \$10 IF COSTUME ONLY

\*\*\*Mandatory: Per horse \$10

\*\*\*Mandatory: CDS Travel Grant \$3 (WAIVED FOR COSTUME ONLY)

\*\*\*Mandatory: \$20 Admin Fee (WAIVED FOR COSTUME ONLY)

**Competitors Please Be Aware! Entries without payment in full will be considered incomplete and put onto a wait list!**

**Checks payable to: SNC-CDS**

**Mail Entrees to: Connie Davenport ~ 17704 Alexandra Way, Grass Valley, CA 95949**

*Please note that CDS Non-member fees will be collected for anyone who is not a current member of CDS. However, if a non-member chooses to join CDS for this show, the membership will be valid for 2016 and the scores will count for that year's award programs.*

## CLASS LIST

<u>Class #</u>	<u>Class Description</u>		<u>Class Description</u>
190	USDF Intro Test A	*171	Equitation 13 and under
191	USDF Intro Test B	**172	Equitation 14-17
192	USDF Intro Test C	***181	Costume Class
193	USEF Rider Test of Choice		
101	Training Level Test 1	151	Prix St. Georges
102	Training Level Test 2	152	Intermediaire I
103	Training Level Test 3	153	Intermediaire II
111	First Level Test 1	154	Grand Prix
112	First Level Test 2	155	Grand Prix Special
113	First Level Test 3	160	Freestyle Training Level
121	Second Level Test 1	161	Freestyle Level 1
122	Second Level Test 2	162	Freestyle Level 2
123	Second Level Test 3	163	Freestyle Level 3
131	Third Level Test 1	164	Freestyle Level 4
132	Third Level Test 2		
133	Third Level Test 3	165	Freestyle Intermediaire
141	Fourth Level, Test 1	166	Freestyle Grand Prix
142	Fourth Level, Test 2	167	FEI Test of Choice
143	Fourth Level, Test 3	168	Eventing Test of Choice

\* **Equitation 13 and Under:** Exhibitors to enter the ring as a group. Exhibitors to be judged at the walk, trot (sitting and posting), and canter, both ways of the ring. The judge may request additional patterns to be ridden. Exhibitors to be under the age of 13 years on January 1 of the current year. Exhibitors will be judged on their position, seat, and effective use of aids. The judge may ask for any movement from the USEF Training or First level tests. Dressage dress and saddlery are required.

\*\* **Equitation 14-17:** Exhibitors to enter the ring as a group. Exhibitors to be judged at the walk, trot (sitting and posting), and canter, both ways of the ring. The judge may request additional patterns to be ridden. Exhibitors to be between the ages 14 years and have not had their 18th birthday on January 1 of the current year. Exhibitors will be judged on their position, seat, and effective use of aids. The judge may ask for any movement from the USEF training or first level tests. Dressage dress and saddlery required.

\*\*\* **Costume Class ~ FREE** to all competitors plus \$10 mandatory per horse fee. Other fees waived for competitors that are ONLY entering the costume class. Costume class to be held at the lunch break, approximately 12:30pm.

**Ride times** will be emailed to legible email addresses and posted on the SNC website at [www.snc-cds.com](http://www.snc-cds.com) and [www.foxvillage.com](http://www.foxvillage.com) two days before the show. If you do not have computer access or are unable to get your ride times via the web site, please call the show manager. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to obtain ride times.

***Failure to enter the arena on time will result in elimination.***

◆ Please refer to 2017 CDS Omnibus for show rules.

◆ Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center has a NO DOGS rule. Please leave your dogs at home.

◆ **Stabling** is available on a limited basis, directly from the facility. Please contact:  
Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center ~ 775-849-1600.

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# General Rules & Information

## Conditions of Entry ~

- *Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.*
- Management reserves the right to arrange for additional judges and to cancel, combine or amend any class, including but not limited to class awards, scheduling and location.
- Management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally or to cancel any entries, disqualify riders or exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, without claim to damages.
- Show Management reserves the right to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to, or arising out of, or incident to the show, without claims for damages or recourse of any kind. All questions not covered by these rules and regulations shall be decided by the Show Management and such determinations shall be final.
- Owner/Exhibitor/Agent/Participant agrees that every horse entered, or which they bring to the show grounds, will be subject to the rules of the Horse Show management. However, Show Management will, in no case, be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur to any horse entered or on the grounds, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the California Dressage Society, the Sierra Nevada Chapter of the California Dressage Society, any additional recognizing organizations, Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center, the horse show and its management and contractors and volunteers for any loss or accident to his horse, horses or equipment which may occur.
- All Owners and exhibitors will be held responsible for any damage incurred by them, their agents, employees or animals to stall buildings and other properties on the show grounds and shall be billed accordingly. All bills for veterinary, farrier services and feed are due and payable during the show. The management reserves the right to deduct any unpaid veterinary, farrier and feed bills from premium, stake or prize money, or refunds due the exhibitor. Any exhibitor not meeting obligations to the official veterinarian, farrier or feed supplier will be termed an undesirable exhibitor and entries from that exhibitor may not be accepted at subsequent shows.
- Competitors are responsible for all **INSURANCE** for themselves, employees, owners, horses, etc. Competitors are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by themselves, their employees, agents or horses. They are strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events and to keep the policy current.
- Current USEF, FEI, USDF and ParaEquestrian tests will be used.
- USEF General Rules, Chapter 6 define the protest procedure.

## Entries ~ Scheduling ~ Ride Times

- Entries will be accepted on a first-come basis and must include all fees, membership proofs, signatures and payment. *Numbers will not be released until this process is complete; entries without payment in full will be returned.* Entries that are received, complete with payment and signatures will have priority over faxed or emailed entries. Entries received by fax or email are considered to be legal contracts and are subject to all of the rules of the show, including post/late entry fees. Withdrawing at any time will not excuse the responsible party from paying all class, office, stable and other fees. Those who do not comply with this will be turned in to the recognizing authorities and no further entries will be accepted until the matter has resolved.
- Management will close the show when it is full and place excess entries on a wait list. Entries that have arrived after the show is declared full and prior to the printed entry closing date will not be subject to late fees. Any entry postmarked later than the published entry closing date is considered a post entry and all post entry and late fees will apply.

## Show Grounds ~

- All classes are planned to be held in the large (20mx60m) arena. Footing is sand/composition in all competition and warm-up arenas.
- The assigned bridle number must be worn at all times when the horse is out of the stall.

## Stabling ~ Fees ~ Refunds

- Limited permanent stabling (stalls with doors) is available on show grounds. First come, first served. Pipe corrals may also be available. Please contact **Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center at 775-849-1600**. Stabling fees are paid directly to **Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center**.
- Class fees are published with class listings. Be sure to include Day Use, Admin Fee and Mandated fees as listed with the class list.
- \$25 fee per show for non-competing horses. Each non-competing horse must have a signed release, wear an assigned number, must observe the rules governing the use of the warm-up areas and must pay any required fees, including administrative, stabling and grounds fees.
- Any horse brought onto the grounds, including the parking lots, is subject to the rules of the show. This includes horses that never leave a horse trailer. Violations of this rule will result in double the fees due.
- Any balance due at the end of the show will be billed with a billing charge of \$30. Payment must be made immediately upon receipt of the bill. Non-payment will result in the individual being turned in to the sponsoring organizations, in addition to legal ramifications.
- **Refund requests must be in writing & Signed.** Refunds for cancellations made prior to stated entry closing date will be made in full, less a \$50 processing fee. After the entry closing date, refunds will be made for classes that are filled from the wait list. (\*\*All stabling refunds must be negotiated through **Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center**.) The following conditions must be met: 1) a veterinarian's certificate or rider's medical excuse must be submitted, 2) notification must be in writing to the Show Office PRIOR to the show day(s) in question; 3) a processing fee of \$20 per class will be deducted from the refund. Refund lists are maintained in order of date and time of scratch. Refunds will be applied to the list, starting with the earliest valid scratch.
- Checks returned by the bank will be assessed \$25 upon the first return and will not be run through a second time. A cashier's check or cash will be needed to clear the entry.  
In the event that all or part of the competition is cancelled due to a storm, accident or other emergency, the competition will not be responsible for refunding entry, stabling, office or any similar fees for the cancelled class or classes .

## Awards ~ Freestyles ~ Misc.

- Show management reserves the right to amend award information by making notification in subsequent advertising and in communications such as the exhibitor letters and show programs.
- Scored tests will be given only to riders or their agents and only after the results are finalized and the class is placed. Any disputes concerning scores, divisions entered, and/or placings must be brought to the attention of the Show Office within one hour of the end of the show day. Scores and placings become final at that time.
- It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to have the cued CD at the announcer's stand at the start of the ride and a representative at the stand to tell the announcer when to start and stop the CD. A sound check will be conducted at each show; please make arrangements directly with the announcer. Exhibitors are responsible for retrieving their own CDs.**Juniors**
- All minors/juniors must be supervised by their parent/guardian or authorized agent at all times while at or on the show grounds, whether riding or on foot. The parent/guardian or authorized agent shall assume all responsibility to protect juniors from any injury, damage, harm and/or loss and shall indemnify, defend and hold Show Management, its employees and volunteers, **Franktown Meadows Equestrian Center**, Sierra Nevada Chapter of CDS, Golden State Dressage, Inc and all affiliated organizations harmless therefrom.
- USEF GR1301.7: Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent(s), legal guardian(s), or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Chapter 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

**Other~**

- **Map and/or Directions:** 4200 Old Highway 395 from Reno, take US 395 South, turn right at NV-429 S/Old U.S. 395 S/State Rd 422. Facility will be on the left. From Carson City: US-395 N. Take Exit 44 for Eastlake Blvd. Turn left at Eastlake Blvd. Turn right at NV-429 N/Old U.S. 395 N/Old U.S. 395 N/State Rd 422. Destination will be on the right.
- **On Call Veterinary Facility and 24 hour equine surgical facility** ~ Comstock Large Animal Hospital 90 W. Laramie Lane, Reno, NV 89521 Comstock Large Animal Hospital is located approximately 4 miles south of the Mt. Rose intersection (341/431 & 395) on the southwest corner of 395 and Laramie Drive.
- Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct CDS numbers owner and rider, before the day(s) of the competition. The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward awards.

***HELMET RULE:*** *From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds by competition management, anyone mounted on a horse a any time on the competition grounds, including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses, and those competing in all classes and tests, including Para-Equestrian tests, must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet which meets or exceeds ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. The harness must be secured and properly fitted. Unless jackets are waived, while in the competition ring, exhibitors wearing protective headgear must wear a short, dark jacket, dark tailcoat (only permitted for tests above Fourth Level), or Armed Services or police uniform (if eligible), dark hatcovers (where applicable) and must otherwise conform to DR120 (see GR801).*

## **CALIFORNIA DRESSAGE SOCIETY – STATEMENT ON ANIMAL WELFARE**

The California Dressage Society, an organization of approximately 5,000 individual members, supports the concept of humane and ethical treatment of all animals.

Dressage is a classical method of the training of horses in which the horse's natural responses and athletic abilities become a capable responsive partnership with the rider.

To this end the California Dressage Society is committed to ensuring that owners, trainers, exhibitors and their agents use responsible care in the training, handling, transportation and exhibition of horses.

The California Dressage Society supports scientific research on equine health and stress.

The California Dressage Society is committed to the continuous review, revision and development of competition rules and regulations to protect the welfare of horses.

The California Dressage Society firmly believes that horses are a vital part of its members' life experience and as such deserve our protection and compassion. Humans have an inseparable relationship with the natural world and animals. Furthermore, humanity is accountable to a set of laws and concepts that is uniquely a product of human society. Animals cannot be subject to those laws and concepts and therefore do not have the rights of humans. Humans are responsible for providing adequate food, water and shelter for horses.

CDS supports management and training practices which promote health, prevent disease and protect horses from unnecessary pain and injury.

CDS believes that Dressage Competition is the ultimate test of training to determine the development of harmony between horse and rider. All sanctioned CDS competitions and events will be conducted under the organization's rules regarding the well-being and welfare of horses.