

Fall 2016 Newsletter

Issue #87



From the President:

Hello to all TMDS members!

I hope that you have all had a fabulous summer with your equine partners. While a little more rain would have been lovely, we really can't complain about the gorgeous weather we have had.

As show season is winding down, please remember to submit your scores to Beth Brainerd to participate in the TMDS year end award program. For the program rules, copy the following link or visit the website under Forms and Rules.

<http://mainedressagesociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/12/2016-MDS-year-end-rules.pdf>

We'd love to hear from you! TMDS would like to hear from our members regarding clinic and educational programs. The TMDS mission statement is "To promote and encourage a high standard of dressage in the state of Maine". Please let us know your thoughts on what programs or opportunities TMDS can provide to our members. You can e-mail us at info@mainedressagesociety.org, or message us on Facebook.

TMDS is proud to offer scholarship opportunities to our members. For more information, visit the TMDS website and click the Resources tab, then Forms and Rules from the drop down menu.

Please let TMDS know what you've been up to this season! Photos, show results, clinic announcements, classifieds, and news articles can all be featured on our website. Please send any info for the website to

info@mainedressagesociety.org

I wish you all great rides and straight centerlines!

Your TMDS president,

Rebecca Reed



United States Dressage Federation

Region 8

Connecticut Maine Massachusetts New Hampshire New York Rhode Island Vermont

Region 8 News

What happened to the Summer! It seems that shows just started for the season and BANG! NEDA Fall Festival is closed.

HOWEVER...The shows in our region were all very well attended and NEDA's Fall Festival has more championship rides than ever, ie over 670 rides in the championship classes. BTW, we had a little over 500 rides last year in the championship classes which makes this a huge increase. NEDA has been lucky these past three years so I want everyone do the anti-rain dance!!! Did YOU all declare for the Nationals? If not, you have still have time. We want a HUGE, HUGE Region 8 presence!

Again, has everyone gone to the website, www.usdfregion8.com? It is very functional and I as your webmaster (but looking for anyone who wants to do it!!!) would love more photos and information to put up on the website.

We have been doing some fundraising for the PM Delegates that you elect to carry your vote to the USDF Convention. I want to thank Linda Mendenhall and Kate O'Conner for their organization of the silent auctions throughout the season. Another one will be held at the Region 8 Championships/NEDA Fall Festival and I hope you will participate and do some bidding. It costs at least \$1000 for PM delegate to go to the convention and while they do benefit from going they were elected by the region and must go and foot all the expenses.

The USDF Convention will be in St Louis, MO on November 30 to December 3, 2016. I do hope to see you all there!

Remember we will hold our next regional meeting on October 2, 2016, 11:30am, at the Publick House in Sturbridge, MA. We do like meeting face to face and I hope you can spare the time to make it. However, we have been given the opportunity to use the NEDA conference hub and number for those of you too far so that you can call in. So no excuses! But you will miss the great food at Publick House and the great company!

That is it for now!

See you on the Centerline...

Debra Reinhardt

USDF Region 8 Director



CELEBRATE SHOW SEASON 2016!

As Show Season 2016 winds down, it's a good time to review important year-end information.

All Show Dates and listings for the 2017 Omnibus are due by November 30th. Please submit these to omnibus@mainedressagesociety.org

Join us on Sunday January 29th 2017 for our Annual Awards Banquet!

Once again this year, we will be honoring your accomplishments at the Senator Inn in Augusta. Reservations are to be made with Beth Brainerd:
67 Bill Howe Rd., Norway, ME 04268
EMAIL: hbf@roadrunner.com

The competition score report form is included below.

Maine Dressage Society Competition Awards Score Report Form
Please Print Clearly

HORSE'S NAME: _____

(Please use the name that was used on your tests)

Name: _____

Circle appropriate categories: Junior/Young Rider, (21 or under),
 Senior/Open, Vintage (50-59), Master (60+), Professional, Adult Amateur

Address: _____

City & State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

EMAIL: PLEASE PRINT VERY CLEARLY!

Owner Name: _____

Special Awards: Circle those appropriate:

First Level/First Year (horse), Aged Horse, School Horse, Breed Award,
 Bronze Medal, Silver Medal, Gold Medal, Platinum Medal

Horse Information: Age _____, Height _____,
 Color _____, Gender _____ Breed _____, (registration
 # _____)

Score Information: List from highest to lowest, you can also list your
 medal scores here.

Show Name & Location	Date	Level & Test	Score %	Judge

Please see the omnibus for rules and requirements.

Certification that this is a true report. Your signature or parent's signature (if under 18) attests that these are accurate scores earned in accordance with the current Maine Dressage Society Awards Program Rules. Please include or email a copy of the first page of each test. Please use one form per level per horse. Please use this form and specify if the scores are for medals.

Signature: _____

Please submit this form to:

Beth Brainerd (MDS Awards), 67 Bill Howe Rd., Norway, ME 04268

EMAIL: hbf@roadrunner.com

To view the full EMDA September Newsletter go to
<http://emdressage.wixsite.com/emda/newsletters>

EMDA MEMBER NEWS

- ✚ **ATTENTION:** A new EMDA website was created, and we hope to make this website more beneficial to its members! This includes up-to-date information regarding EMDA, and a resources page to access documents, and forms relating to upcoming activities! You can check out the website here: <http://emdressage.wix.com/emda>
- ✚ **LOOKING BACK DOWN CENTERLINE:** There has been a great turnout of riders and spectators alike for the EMDA-pointed shows this season! It is wonderful to see so many new riders and their horses, as well as familiar faces around the show grounds! Congratulations to all of the riders competing in these shows! Congratulations also goes out to all of the EMDA Booth raffle winners; Emma Oppewall, Kitty Mitchell, and Sandra Wallace! Stay tuned for the next giveaway raffle held at the EMDA Booth on September 4th at the Puckerbrush Farm Schooling Show! All proceeds support EMDA sponsored events.
- ✚ **EMDA SILENT AUCTION:** This year the EMDA Silent Auction was only held on July 29th during the first day of the USDF/USEF Dressage Shows at Puckerbrush Farm. Thank you to all of the generous donors who contributed items for this year's auction! We raised \$369.00 total between the silent auction and sales of these items at the EMDA Booth!
- ✚ **EMDA BUCKS:** The board recently approved the motion to begin using 'EMDA Bucks'! These are available for members to earn through volunteering. See *Page 4 of the full newsletter* to read the complete guidelines for these EMDA Bucks.
- ✚ **GENERAL ELECTIONS:** Elections will be held this fall! We are seeking enthusiastic people willing to help EMDA promote the education, and community of dressage in our area! We are looking for people willing to run for President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer (note: Kitty Mitchell is willing to continue in this position), and TMDS Representatives. Contact Rebecca Reed at b_girl52@hotmail.com for more information. The last day to submit nominations for officer positions is October 15th. An online voting survey will then be sent out to members.
- ✚ **MEMBERS' YEAR-END BANQUET:** This year the Members' Year-End Banquet will be held on December 4th! Enjoy a potluck dinner at the residence of the EMDA Secretary. Please R.S.V.P. by November 30th if you are able to attend. See *Page 12 of the full newsletter* for more details. Questions? Contact Katie Trickey at ktrickey.emda@gmail.com. To view full details about the EMDA year-end awards criteria go to <http://emdressage.wixsite.com/emda/year-end-awards>.
- ✚ **EMDA SCHOOLING SHOW AT PEPPERGRASS FARM:** The EMDA Schooling Show on August 7th was a great success! Thank you to all of our wonderful sponsors for this show, as well as our great volunteers who helped make this show a success! The board will pursue future plans for hosting more EMDA schooling shows next year.
- ✚ **UPCOMING NEWSLETTER:** Have you audited or ridden in a clinic recently? Did you have an inspiring ride or lesson? Would you like to share your experience, submit a 'member bio', and/or equine related article? Now is your chance! Please send your submissions to ktrickey.emda@gmail.com to be included in the next newsletter.

Check out the full September Newsletter for updates and member features that you don't want to miss!



Central Maine Dressage Association News:

Here are the results from the Kur for the Cure show.

CENTRAL MAINE DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION
KUR FOR THE CURE DRESSAGE SHOW
Saturday, August 6, 2016
Judge: Sandra Beaulieu

Intro A

1st 71.56% April Asselyn CJ
2nd 63.13% Pamela Cahill Kennebec Enchantress
3rd 60.31% Lucy Jo Ladd Mr. Mardi Gras

Intro B

1st 73.44% April Asselyn CJ
2nd 65.00% Pamela Cahill Kennebec Enchantress
3rd 63.75% Lucy Jo Ladd Mr. Mardi Gras

Intro C

1st 76.75% April Asselyn CJ
2nd 65.75% Cindi Spear Cayden B.T.F.

Training 1 Junior

9:48 #34 Bella Novaria Joey
9:54 #35 Chrystal Rose Miller Sierra's Gamble



10:01 #38 Abigail Kovacs Plaspotnik Forrest
10:08 #39 Emma Christman Intrepid Lucy

Training 1 Senior Division A

1st 62.61% Katie Chandler Triple S Dark Eagle
2nd 62.39% Cindi Spear Cayden B.T.F.
3rd 61.74% Joyce Berthiaume Fabricio
4th 59.78% Sophia Jackson Blitzkrieg

Training 1 Senior Division B

1st 66.96% Samantha Lyster Royal
2nd 66.09% Mark Root PRF Wake Up Call
3rd 61.52% Chris Miller Nor Fleeting jet
4th 58.04% Selma Powers Watch Me Go

Training 1 Re-ride

1st 65.43% Joyce Berthiaume Fabricio

Training 2 Junior

1st 65.58% Bella Novaria Joey
2nd 57.50% Chrystal Rose Miller Sierra's Gamble
3rd 52.50% Abigail Kovacs Plaspotnik Forrest

Training 2 Senior Division A

1st 65.96% Samantha Lyster Royal
2nd 59.62% Chris Miller Nor Fleeting jet
3rd 59.62% Sophia Jackson Blitzkrieg
4th 59.04% Katie Chandler Triple S Dark Eagle

Training 2 Senior Division B

1st 69.04% Mark Root PRF Wake Up Call
2nd 64.81% Ashley Roy Midnight Storm
3rd 55.77% Selma Powers Watch Me Go

Western Dressage Intro Level

1st 71.88% Jennifer Novaria Kennebec Riverstar WD Intro 3
2nd 68.57% Jennifer Novaria Kennebec Riverstar WD Intro 1

Western Dressage Basic Level

1st 66.91% Jennifer Grady LSF Lady of Shallott WD Basic 4
2nd 58.68% Carol Knight LSF Lady of Shallott WD Basic 3

Western Dressage Level 1

1st 66.22% Heather Webster Almighty Good Guy WD Level 1 test 4

Freestyle Intro Level

1st 67.14% Lucy Jo Ladd Mr. Mardi Gras

2nd 63.21% Pamela Cahill Kennebec Enchantress

Freestyle Pas De Deux

1st 66.75% Samantha Lyster Royal

1st 66.75% Diane Ward Ted

Freestyle First Level

1st 67.00% Margaret Bailey-Miller Kennebec Jester

2nd 65.67% Heather Webster Almighty Good Guy

Training 3

1st 66.14% Ashley Roy Midnight Storm

2nd 64.77% Emma Christman Intrepid Lucy

3rd 61.14% Chris Miller Nor Fleeting jet

First 1

1st 72.96% Cassi Martin Waterford Rosalind

2nd 71.48% Mya Stuflick Can't Dutch This

3rd 66.30% Jennifer Grady Rhoherrin

4th 65.19% Margaret Bailey-Miller Kennebec Jester

5th 62.78% Jordan Pierrotti Count of Denmark

6th 61.85% Mary Jo Foley Arturo

First 2

1st 76.25% Cassi Martin Waterford Rosalind

2nd 72.81% Mya Stuflick Can't Dutch This

3rd 60.94% Jordan Pierrotti Count of Denmark

Second 1

1st 67.58% Susan Oakland Deuce

2nd 60.00% Diane Ward Ted

First 3

1st 64.56% Margaret Bailey-Miller Kennebec Jester

Second 2

1st 56.92% Diane Ward Ted

Second 3

1st 62.44% Susan Oakland Deuce



WMDA Year End Awards given in Dressage(intro thru FEI) Combined Training (Pre-Elementary thru Prelim) and new this year Western Dressage using scores from affiliated shows(12) Shows held at Hidden Brook Farm(4), Sunset Farm(3), Esprit Equestrian Center(4) and our annual WMDEA "Fun" Show.

TO QUALIFY FOR A YR END AWARD:

- 1) Must be a WMDEA member
- 2) 2 scores per level for Combined Training
- 3) Intro-2nd 5 scores from same level
- 4)3rd-4th 3 scores same level
- 5) FEI 2 scores from same level
- 6) Western Dressage requires 3 scores from same level
- 7) riders can qualify for more than one level
- 8) WMDEA uses the Median score or the average of the 2 middle score wher there are even # of scores

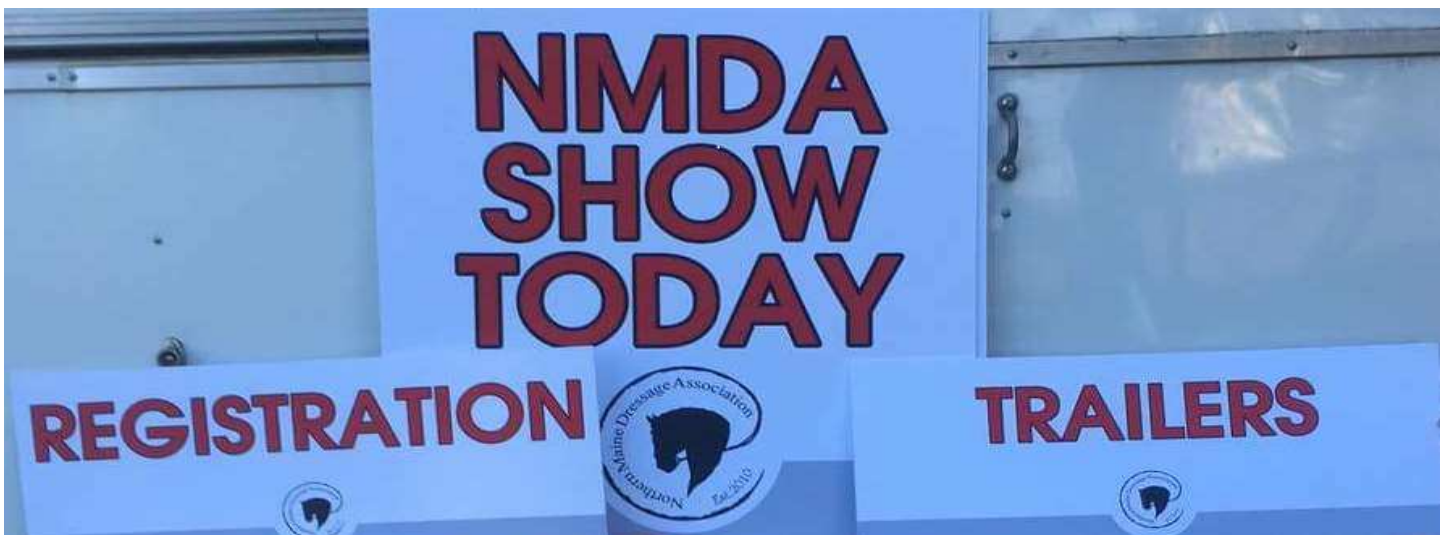
Our awards program is one of the best youll see besides fancy extravagant ribbons there are prizes for every place as well beautiful awards for CH and RES CH as well as grand CH & RES CH SR & JR/YR along with a perpetual trophy donated by Sunset Farm

Scores must be submitted by November 15th, 2016 to receive an award.

if you would to know more about our program, sponsor an award or affiliate your show with us contact Cassi Martin at cassandrajmartin@yahoo.com



Thank you to Leslie Glover for donating these great new signs to our club!



***REMINDER TO GET YOUR SCORES IN FOR NMDA'S YEAR END AWARDS!**

NMDA SCHOOLING SHOW RESULTS: 9/10/16

INTRO B and Reride

43 Mackayla Hamm Nicavar JR Intro B Reride 63.438

43 Mackayla Hamm Nicavar JR Intro B 60.625

INTRO C - Jr and RERIDE

47 Hannah Friedman Royal Affair JR Intro C 71.500

47 Hannah Friedman Royal Affair JR Intro C Reride 70.500

INTRO C - SR

19 MaryEllen Wickett Max Genuine Jazz SR Intro C 71.500

TRAINING 1 - JR

28 Mackenzie Pearl Waterford Baccalaureate JR Tr 1 70.870

47 Hannah Friedman Royal Affair JR Tr 1 69.783

TRAINING 1 - SR

24 Kristy Peters-Nelson Leibchon SR Tr 1 68.478

15 Sandy Peters Jumping Jim Jaspar SR Tr 1 62.826

TRAINING 1 RERIDE

24 Kristy Peters-Nelson Leibchon SR Tr 1 Reride 64.348

15 Sandy Peters Jumping Jim Jaspar SR Tr 1 Reride 62.609

TRAINING 2-JR

28 Mackenzie Pearl Waterford Baccalaureate JR Tr 2 74.038

TRAINING 2-SR

27 Ashley Roy Midnight Storm SR Tr 2 69.423

19 MaryEllen Wickett Max Genuine Jazz SR Tr 2 68.846

18 Heather Delano Delilah SR Tr 2 67.692

14 Anna Osgood Chapera SR Tr 2 66.923

TRAINING 2 Reride

18 Heather Delano Delilah SR Tr 2 Reride 67.885

14 Anna Osgood Chapera SR Tr 2 Reride 66.923

38 Robin Britteli Galladriel KBC SR Tr 2 Reride 66.346

Training 3

19 MaryEllen Wickett Max Genuine Jazz SR Tr 3 68.636

27 Ashley Roy Midnight Storm SR Tr 3 67.272

20 Valerie Parent Danske SR Tr 3 62.954

20 Valerie Parent Danske SR Tr 3 RR 60.681

14 Anna Osgood Chapera SR Tr 3 54.090

FIRST 1 and 2 and reride

21 Michelle Zambrano Galaxy SR First 1 67.407

7 Roseanna LaCourse Zebulon SR First 2 65.468

7 Roseanna LaCourse Zebulon SR First 1 62.962

21 Michelle Zambrano Galaxy SR First 1 ReRide 61.851

Second 1

39 Michelle Marden Popular Demand SR Second 1 RR 62.121

2 Beth Ruksznis Dain's Jim Dandy SR Second 1 RR 61.515

39 Michelle Marden Popular Demand SR Second 1 60.606

2 Beth Ruksznis Dain's Jim Dandy SR Second 1 58.484

WD Basic, Test 4 and WD Level 1, Test 1

25 Linda Archer Impressive Morning Star SR WD Level 1, Test 1 66.621

25 Linda Archer Impressive Morning Star SR WD Basic, Test 4 65.147

WD Level 2, test 4 and WD Level 3, test 4

4 Sandi Welsh Sapphos Gold Spice SR WD Level 3, test 4 75.344

4 Sandi Welsh Sapphos Gold Spice SR WD Level 2, test 4 68.645



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