



# CNYDCTA SCHOOLING SHOW *Championships*

**SATURDAY | OCTOBER 24**

NEW YORK STATE FAIR COLISEUM

★ **CLOSING DATE SEPTEMBER 23** ★



# Central New York Dressage & Combined Training Association Schooling Show Championships

**Saturday, October 24, 2026**

**Opening Date:** Friday, August 28, 2026 **Closing Date:** Wednesday, September 23, 2026 5pm EST

**New York State Fair Coliseum**  
**581 State Fair Boulevard, Syracuse, NY 13209**

**Horse Show Coordinator/Manager:** MacKenzie Waro, [horseshows@cnydcta.org](mailto:horseshows@cnydcta.org), 607-287-1292

**Horse Show Committee:** Corrinne Spaulding, Trisha Williams, Shelley White, Jessica Robbins, Linda Mathews

**Judge:** Katherine Wood-Copa, L-Graduate, Lima, NY

## **FEES:**

**Classes:** Prices listed on class list

**Non-Member:** \$50 per horse/ rider combination (not a CNYDCTA Member? It's a new year, become one for \$45!)

**Non-competing horses:** \$50 day fee plus Office Fee

**Office Fee:** \$25 for each horse / rider combination entered

**Overnight Stall and Tack Stall Fee:** \$75 for each stall (Friday to Saturday)

**Day Stall Fee:** \$55 for each stall (Saturday- **EVERYONE MUST STALL**)

**Incomplete Entry:** \$25

**Late Entry (if accepted):** \$100 per horse/ rider entry

## **ENTRIES:**

- Please use this form to enter: [COGNITO form](#)
- Any single horse and rider combination can ride in up to 3 classes
- Any single horse with multiple riders can do up to 5 classes
- All entries must include proof of a Negative Coggins test within 24-months of the show (if tested within NYS), a current rabies certificate and a flu/rhino vaccine within 6-months of show date.
- Refunds may be granted if notice given by the Close Date, minus a \$25 Office Fee. Scratches must be received by email to Show Manager by day of show and refunds after the Close Date may be granted with proof of a medical certificate (horse or rider), which must be received by the Show Manager within 7 days of the Show Date.
- All horses (competing & non-competing) must wear assigned number at all times while on show grounds; all riders (competing & non-competing) are required to wear ASTM/SEI approved helmets.
- Space is limited. Preference will be given to CNYD&CTA members and completed entries. Entries are not considered complete if any of the above information is missing. If the show is oversubscribed a waiting list will be established.
- Entries are processed in order received by the post-marked "opening date" up to the post-marked "closing date".
- USDF Tests are from 2023 and USEA Tests are from 2026.
- Musical Freestyle Rides: an audiotape or CD of music plus instructions must be supplied to the secretary by Friday evening, October 23<sup>rd</sup> by 5pm EST.

**CONFIRMATION OF ENTRIES** will be emailed by the secretary by close of entry to the email on the entry form. The email will acknowledge receipt of entries and inform the exhibitor of additional paperwork or payment needed to complete the entries. If a letter of confirmation is not received by the exhibitor, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to contact the Show Secretary to verify that entries have been received.



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### TIMES:

- Times will be posted at [www.cnydcta.org](http://www.cnydcta.org) and emailed to the email address on entry form.
- Class 22- Leadline will be held at the earliest convenience (generally mid-day or lunch time)

### AWARDS:

- Classes will be held as concurrently as possible and will be placed as such. Please mark your division on the entry form. If not specified, competitors will be placed in the Open division. Ribbons will be **combined** for Jr/YR, AA and Open if entries are low per class, or separated if warranted
- One Champion and Reserve Champion ribbon will be awarded for the highest scoring Jr/YR, Adult Amateur, and Open division for **each division**. A rider/horse combination may win only one Champion or Reserve ribbon for the day. Riders must be present to receive any and all awards. Awards may be combined if entries are low.

### SCORES:

- Results will be posted on [cnydcta.org](http://cnydcta.org) following the show.
- Scores earned may be submitted for Jr/YR, AA, and Open divisions for the 2027 CNYD&CTA Schooling Show Year End Awards, including Western Dressage. See [cnydcta.org](http://cnydcta.org) for more information.

### ATTIRE:

- Boots, breeches or jodhpurs, gloves, polo/show shirts, show jackets requested
- All riders must wear ASTM/ SEI approved helmet (including Western & non-competing riders).
- USEF/USEA Dressage rules regarding bits, tack, and equipment will be in effect for all classes.

### ARENAS & FOOTING: NYS Fairgrounds Syracuse

- Coliseum 114 x 220'. Sand/clay mixture
- Coliseum Warm Up Ring 86' x 185'. Sand/clay mixture
- Warm Up ring behind Main Horse barn 80' x 165' with stone dust.

### STABLING:

- Permanent stalls with doors are available for horses and tack. Stall will be assigned in the main barn. NYS Fair management prohibits removal of stall doors. Contact show manager if you need assistance with your stalls. **Exhibitors may arrive anytime after 2pm Friday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>. Stalls must be pre-registered. BEDDING IS NOT PROVIDED.**
- ALL horses must be stalled. Please either mark on your entry form if you plan to stable overnight or just for Saturday. NYS will not allow for horses to show from the trailer.
- *The recently renovated Stalls including portions of the Main Barn and ALL of the DVM barn may not be structurally altered or reconfigured in any way, this would include the use of nails, screws, etc. in the stall walls.* There are strips provided for hanging stall curtains. The Show reserves the right to charge a damage fee to anyone not complying with this, or if your stalls are not left in the same condition as when you arrived. Doors may not be removed off any stall including portable stalls.

### DOGS:

- Dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from their dog's behavior. Dog owners failing to comply with this rule may be subject to penalty. Dogs must have proof of current rabies vaccination.



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**WASHING AND/OR RINSING OF HORSES** is not permitted in the barns, stalls, aisle ways or entrances of buildings. Wash racks are provided for that purpose and the ones behind the main barn have hot water.

**FOOD SERVICE:** TBD

### **SCHOOLING SCHEDULE:**

- The Coliseum will open for schooling at 3:00pm Friday, October 23rd. It will close at 8:30pm Friday night, and open 90-minutes prior to the first ride on Saturday and close 45-minutes prior to the first ride of Saturday.

**LONGEING of HORSES** will NOT be permitted in the Coliseum show ring at any time. This is a NYS Fair policy and was made in an effort to preserve the footing in the Coliseum.

### **ADMISSION TO ARENA:**

- No person permitted in arena during classes except judges, assistants and exhibitors and show photographer.

**MANURE** MUST be dumped in designated areas ONLY. Anyone found dumping into empty stalls, undesignated areas or on the grass, will pay an additional fee.

**MANAGEMENT:** The Show Committees, the sponsoring associations, their agents, and employees will not be held responsible for any accidents which may occur to or by any rider, driver, groom attendant, spectator, animal or equipment while on the show grounds. Show Managements will be charged with the responsibility of enforcing all rules. The Show Managements bears the responsibility to aid the judges in avoiding contact with exhibitors or their agents before and during the show. If any exhibitor has made false statements regarding an animal or article exhibited, or if any exhibitor shall attempt to interfere with the judges in the performance of their duties, he or she shall be excluded from exhibiting. Any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the officials on the part of the owner, rider, groom, exhibitor, or driver shall disqualify the horse from being judged. The managements reserve the right to remove any of the aforementioned without being liable for compensation or damages. The Show Managements reserves the right to decline to receive any entry, and to return any entry fee(s) and/or stabling charges before or during the show without being liable for any compensation. No persons will be allowed in the ring except participants in the class, judge, assistants, and show photographer. Attendants will be allowed only after being called by the judge or ringmaster. No exhibitor shall approach a Judge with regards to a decision unless they FIRST obtain permission from the Secretary who shall arrange an appointment with the Judge.

### **ACCOMODATIONS:**

Best Western The Inn at the Fairgrounds  
670 State Fair Blvd, Syracuse, NY 13209  
315-484-0044

Tru by Hilton Syracuse-Camillus  
116 Township Blvd, Camillus, NY 13031  
315-314-8676

**DIRECTIONS to the NYS FAIRGROUNDS:** All exhibitors should enter through gate 2

Main Facility Address: 581 State Fair Boulevard, Syracuse NY 13209

From Points West take NYS Thruway (Interstate 90) to exit 39 to Route 690 East and Exit 7 to the fairgrounds

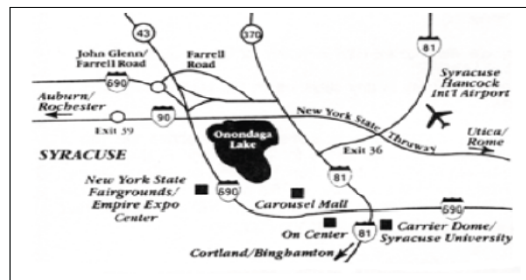


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From Points East take NYS Thruway (Interstate 90) to exit 34A or 39. From 34A follow route 481 South to 690 West to the fairgrounds.

From Points North follow interstate 81 South to Route 690 West and Exit 7 to the fairgrounds

From Points South follow interstate 81 North to Route 690 West and Exit 7 to the fairgrounds



## CLASS LIST:

| Class # | Class Name                                           | Divisions Offered | Class Fee |
|---------|------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 101     | USDF Introductory Test A                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 102     | USDF Introductory Test B                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 103     | USDF Introductory Test C                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 104     | USEF Training Level Test 1                           | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 105     | USEF Training Level Test 2                           | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 106     | USEF Training Level Test 3                           | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 107     | USEF First Level Test 1                              | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 108     | USEF First Level Test 2                              | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 109     | USEF First Level Test 3                              | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 110     | USEF Second Level Test 1                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 111     | USEF Second Level Test 2                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 112     | USEF Second Level Test 3                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 113     | USEF Third Level Test                                | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 114     | USEF Fourth Level Test                               | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 115     | Dressage Seat Equitation                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$25      |
| 116     | LEADLINE kids 6 and under                            | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$25      |
| 117     | Opportunity Training Level Test                      | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 118     | Opportunity First Level Test                         | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 119     | USDF Freestyle (Specify test on entry)               | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$50      |
| 120     | FEI Freestyle Test of Choice (Specify test on entry) | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$50      |
| 121     | USEF Test of Choice                                  | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 122     | WDAA Test of Choice (Specify test on entry)          | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 123     | USEA Starter Test A or B                             | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 124     | USEA Beginner Novice Test A or B                     | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 125     | USEA Novice Test A or B                              | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |
| 126     | USEA Training Test A or B                            | Open & AA & JrYR  | \$40      |



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## Thank you to our Sponsors:

Volunteer Hospitality Sponsored by:  
**Mel's at 22, Cooperstown, NY**



First Place Cookies Donated by:  
**Mommadukes Main Street Treats, Hartwick, NY**



Fun Bonnet Gift Certificate for highest Sportsmanship:  
**Fun Bonnets "For 'Ur Nag"**



**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES:** Support the CNYDCTA Schooling Show Championships and help us create a memorable championship experience for our riders, horses, and dressage community! Sponsorships at every level help offset the costs of hosting the event while allowing us to provide quality awards and a special year-end experience for our competitors.

 **Gold Medal Sponsor: \$500-** Become one of our premier event sponsors and help support the overall success of the CNYDCTA Schooling Show Championships.

Gold Medal Sponsors receive:

- Business/farm logo prominently displayed on event signage
- Logo and recognition in the prize list and/or show program
- Recognition on the CNYDCTA website
- Dedicated sponsor spotlight on CNYDCTA social media
- Recognition in additional Championship social media posts
- Multiple announcements throughout the show day
- Opportunity to provide a banner to be displayed at the event
- Opportunity to provide promotional materials for the show office or competitor area



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 **Silver Medal Sponsor: \$250-** A great opportunity for businesses, farms, trainers, and organizations to receive recognition while supporting the Championships.

Silver Medal Sponsors receive:

- Business/farm logo displayed on event signage
- Logo and recognition in the prize list and/or show program
- Recognition on the CNYDCTA website
- Recognition on CNYDCTA social media
- Announcements during the show
- Opportunity to provide promotional materials for competitors

 **Bronze Medal Sponsor: \$150-** An accessible way to support the Championships and promote your business, farm, or organization to the local equestrian community. Bronze Medal Sponsors receive:

- Business/farm name listed on event signage
- Recognition in the prize list and/or show program
- Recognition on the CNYDCTA website
- Recognition in a group sponsor thank-you post on social media
- Announcement during the show

 **Division Sponsor: \$100-** Sponsor an entire competition division, such as Introductory Level, Training Level, First Level, Second Level, or another offered division. Division Sponsors receive:

- Name/business recognized with the sponsored division
- Recognition in the show program
- Announcement when the division is recognized and awards are presented

 **Class Sponsor: \$50-** Sponsor an individual championship class, such as Training Level Test 1, and help recognize the riders competing in that class. Class Sponsors receive:

- Name/business recognized with the sponsored class
- Recognition in the show program
- Announcement when the class is recognized

Whether you are a local business, farm, trainer, competitor, family member, or supporter of equestrian sport, your sponsorship directly helps make the CNYDCTA Schooling Show Championships possible. *All sponsorships are subject to availability. Division and class sponsorships will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.*

## Interested in sponsoring?

Contact: MacKenzie at 607.287.1292 or [horseshows@cnydcta.org](mailto:horseshows@cnydcta.org)

## TACK SALE

Join us for a Used Tack Sale at the CNYDCTA Schooling Show Championships! This is a great opportunity to clean out your tack room, find some new-to-you treasures, and support CNYDCTA at the same time. Sellers are welcome to bring gently used tack, riding apparel, horse equipment, and other equestrian-related items, with only \$10 per table paid to CNYDCTA. Pre-registration is required, and each seller must bring their own table and display materials. Start gathering those saddles, bridles, blankets, boots, and other items you no longer use!!



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**ENTRY BLANK (only for reference, please use Cognito form online)**

| Name of Horse | Breed | Sex | Age |
|---------------|-------|-----|-----|
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|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Rider Information.</b> | Circle: Open    AA    Jr/YR | <b>Owner Information</b> |
| Jr/YR Birth Date:         |                             |                          |
| Print Name:               |                             | Print Name:              |
| Street Address:           |                             | Street Address:          |
| Town/City:                |                             | Town/City:               |
| State/ Zip:               |                             | State/ Zip:              |
| Phone #:                  |                             | Phone #:                 |
| E-mail Address:           |                             | E-mail Address:          |

| Class #: | Class Description | Class Fees: |
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| Class Fee Subtotal:       |      |
| Office Fee:               | \$25 |
| Non-Member Fee: \$50      |      |
| Overnight per Stall: \$75 |      |
| Tack per Stall: \$75      |      |
| Day per Stall: \$55       |      |
| Non-Compete Horse: \$50   |      |
| <b>Total:</b>             |      |

## Stabling Information & Special Requests:

Please list only **ONE** name (either individual or barn) for entire group (so we can get everyone together)

Stable Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_