



## **CADS – CLASSIC ATTRACTION DRESSAGE SOCIETY SCHOOLING SHOW RULES – 2010**

1. USDF / USEF rules will be followed at these competitions.
2. Entries must be postmarked on or after the opening date and no later than the closing date of each show. A \$7.00 office fee will be charged per entry.
3. Full payment, completed entry form – printed clearly with the signature of the rider and owner are required with each entry. Please make checks payable to CADS and mail to: Katie Keim, 6222 Sterling Road, Sterling, OH 44276
4. CADS reserves the right to limit entries, to add, combine or cancel classes, and to make any changes required by the circumstances of the show, including show start times and number of horses per rider.
5. CADS members will be given first consideration in filling classes provided entries are received in accordance with the rules.
6. Scratches and Refunds: The Show Manager should be notified immediately if you cannot attend a show so that the people on the waiting list can be contacted. CADS members will be given first consideration for any open classes. Refunds will be considered only with a vet certificate presented to the Show Manager within three (3) days after the show and is left to the Show Manager's discretion. A credit may be granted for future shows.
7. Each rider will be allowed two (2) dressage tests per horse show, three (3) if space permits..
8. If requested on your entry form, and scheduling permits, tests may be ridden back to back.
9. Ride Times: Times will be posted on the website: [www.cadsdressage.org](http://www.cadsdressage.org) the Wednesday before the show; you may also call Katie Keim at 330-317-7317 between the hours of 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm.
10. Divisions: All classes will be divided into Young Rider, Adult Amateur, and Open and must be indicated on the entry form. Six (6) ribbons will be awarded per class.
11. Attire: Formal attire and braiding are not required. However, care should be given to presenting a neat appearance to the judge. Riding breeches and boots (jodhpurs and paddock boots for young riders) are also to be worn. A plain collared shirt must be worn, coats are not required. **HARD HATS MUST BE WORN AT ALL TIMES WHILE MOUNTED.**
12. Numbers: There is no charge for numbers; however, you will be billed \$2.00 for each number not returned to the show office.
13. Tack Inspections: CADS regulations correspond to the dressage regulations set forth in the USEF rule book. Knowledge of and compliance with these rules is the responsibility of the competitor and test reader. Elimination will result for any violations.
14. Schooling will be allowed in the show arenas for up to a ½ hour prior to the start of the show and during the lunch break. Lunging is not permitted in the show arena.
15. Substitutions: If for some reason, a substitute rider is needed during a show, the judge's permission is required. The Show Manager must be informed and the substitute rider can only ride "hors concours". (These scores do not count toward class ribbons or year-end awards).
16. When available, day stalls can be purchased for a fee of \$20.00 per stall. Please include payment on the entry form. A free stall will be given to a member donating 4 or more hours in a single show. This must be approved by the Show Manager and Volunteer Coordinator.