

DEAN VALLEY

Winter Dressage Schedule

2018-2019

Class		Oct 28 th Sunday	Nov 18 th Sunday	Jan 13 th Sunday	Feb 10 th Sunday	Mar 10 th Sunday
1	Have A Go	Intro A 2008	Intro B 2009	Intro C 2016	Intro A 2008	Intro C 2016
2	Restricted Prelim	Prelim 1 2006	Prelim 7 2002	Prelim 13 2006	Prelim 14 2006	Prelim 18 2002
3	Open Prelim	Prelim 14 2006	Prelim 18 2002	Prelim 2 2016	Prelim 12 2005	Prelim 13 2006
4	Open Novice	Novice 24 2010	Novice 27 2007	Novice 28 2008	Novice 30 2006	Novice 34 2009
5	Elementary	Elem 42 2008	Elem 49 2009	Elem 44 2002	Elem 50 2007	Elem 49 2009

Rules and Restrictions

- Classes 1 & 2 are only open to horse/rider combinations which have not been placed 1st-3rd twice in the same level of class or above prior to the competition date. A horse/rider combination entering classes 4 & 5 may not enter classes 1 or 2 at the same event. We ask everyone to be honest when entering.
- All classes except Class 1 will be run under BD rules. Any horse with BD points can only compete in the appropriate class for its points.
- Any tack is permitted in Class 1 but there will be an automatic 4 point deduction for anyone not using a BD dressage-legal bit and a 2 point deduction for use of a martingale or other aid. This is to make the class fair to all riders. Please let the steward know if you are using this rule.
- All tests will be run in a 20m x 40m arena.
- Callers are allowed but will not be provided by the organisers.

Entry Fees : £12 per class. There is also a First Aid fee of £3 per rider.

Paypal entries can be made online through the Dean Valley website (www.deanvalley.co.uk). Alternatively, complete the separate entry form and either post it (see entry form for details) or leave it at Dean Valley (outside Polly's stable). For more info, call/text Lesley on 07957 732996, email deanvalleydressage2@outlook.com or contact us on Facebook through the Dean Valley Riders page.

Entries close at midnight on the Wednesday prior to competition date. **However, entries may be closed early if the classes are full.**

Withdrawals before this time can be carried forward to the next competition. Withdrawals after this time can only be carried forward if a late entry takes your place. Complete withdrawals will only be accepted with a vet certificate and refunds issued via PayPal minus any administration fee.

If the weather is deemed unfit to run by the Organisers, all entries will be carried forwards to the next date. It is up to the individual competitor to inform us if they cannot compete at the alternative date.

Times will be posted on the Dean Valley Riders Facebook page, on the Dean Valley website or ring/text Lesley on 07957 732996 on the Friday evening.

Winter Championship 2018/19 – Win a lesson with Tori Peter worth £60!

We will be running our Points Championship over the 2018/19 Winter Series This will allow combinations to move up through the different classes and still remain eligible. Juniors and Seniors will not be split.

1st place = 10 points, 2nd = 8 points, 3rd = 6 points, 4th = 4 points, 5th = 3 points, 6th = 2 points, Competing = 1 point

(Points will be pro-rata'd if there are fewer than 6 entries in a class, ie. 1st place will be awarded 8 points if there are 5 entries, 6 points if there are 4 entries, etc)

CANCELLATION POLICY

Dean Valley will only refund entry fees following the production of your Veterinary Surgeon's letter showing confirmation of any injury preventing participation in our events. Refunds will be made less any admin fees incurred.

In the event of the rider being injured, please provide a Dr's note, and the same terms apply as above.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Protective Headgear complying with current standards must be worn at all times when mounted. Hats must be worn with harness properly adjusted and fastened. Use of body protectors is highly advisable. The competition will be run under BD rules and there will be a tack check in operation. If in doubt, please check the British Dressage website.

Disclaimer of Liability Save for death or personal injury caused by the negligence of the Organisers or anyone for whom they are in law responsible, neither the organisers, Dean Valley Farm Ltd, nor any agent, employee or representative of these bodies accepts any liability for any accident, loss, damage, injury, illness to horses, owners, riders, grooms, spectators, land or any other person or property whatsoever, whether caused by their negligence, breach of contract or in any other way whatsoever.