



Dressage with Altitude

National and International Dressage Event



Including

- CDI 3*
- CDI-Y (Young Rider World Cup Qualifier)

16, 17, 18 & 19 February 2012

Bradgate Park Indoor Arena
Malabar Road, Orange NSW

*Conducted by the 'Central Western Dressage Group Inc' in cooperation with 'Bradgate Park Performance Horses' on behalf of
Equestrian Australia (EA)
In accordance with current F.E.I. Rules & E.A. Rules (where appropriate)*

Entries Close: Wednesday 18th January 2012

CDI 3/CDI-Y: Definite entries: 18th Jan '12.*

Schedule

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Entries can be made manually by using forms on pages 6-10

or online at www.globalentriesonline.com.au/

A copy of the **FEI Schedule** for the CDI 3* and CDI-Y is published on the web
www.centralwestdg.equestrian.org.au



Schedule of competitions (subject to change depending on entries)

Thursday 16 th February	Friday 17 th February	Saturday 18 th February	Sunday 19 th February
9. Preliminary 1B	2. Intermediate I CDI 3*	3. Intermediate Freestyle CDI 3*	1. Prix St George CDI 3*
10. Novice 2B	4. Grand Prix CDI 3*	5. Grand Prix Freestyle CDI 3*	6. Grand Prix Special CDI 3*
15. Intermediate II	7. CDI-Y	11. Elementary 3B	8. CDI-Y (Freestyle)
CDI3* & CDI-Y ♦ Vet Examination ♦ Fitness Inspection	12. Medium 4B	13. Advanced 5B	
		14. Advanced Freestyle	

Prizemoney (#) & Entry Fees

Comp No	Test	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Total	Entry Fee
1	Prix St Georges (CDI***)	\$360	\$210	\$170	\$150	\$105	\$105	\$1,100	\$105
2	Intermediate I (CDI***)	\$360	\$210	\$170	\$150	\$105	\$105	\$1,100	\$105
3	Intermediate Freestyle (CDI***)	\$500	\$350	\$225	\$180	\$140	\$105	\$1,500	\$105
4	Grand Prix (CDI***)	\$360	\$210	\$170	\$150	\$105	\$105	\$1,100	\$105
5	Grand Prix Freestyle (CDI***)	\$800	\$650	\$450	\$300	\$175	\$125	\$2,500	\$125
6	Olympic Grand Prix Spec. (CDI***)	\$360	\$210	\$170	\$150	\$105	\$105	\$1,100	\$105
7	CDI-Y (Individual)	GIK	GIK	GIK	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$300	\$70
8	CDI-Y (Freestyle)	\$170	\$140	\$100	\$90	GIK	GIK	\$500	\$70
9	Preliminary 1B	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50
10	Novice 2B	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50
11	Elementary 3B	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50
12	Medium 4B	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50
13	Advanced 5B	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50
14	Advanced Freestyle	\$250	\$150	\$100	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$500	\$70
15	Intermediate II	\$120	\$80	\$50	GIK	GIK	GIK	\$250	\$50

NOTE: (#) Goods in Kind (GIK) may replace cash prizemoney in some competitions

SPECIAL AWARDS

❖ **Small Tour Award:** highest average percentage over Intermediate I CDI 3* and Intermediate I CDI 3* Freestyle \$1750.00 cash (1st \$900; 2nd \$500; 3rd \$350)

❖ **Big Tour Award:** highest average percentage over Grand Prix CDI3* and Grand Prix Freestyle \$1750.00 cash (1st \$900; 2nd \$500; 3rd \$350)

❖ **Darlington Stud** highest percentage scored in a freestyle \$1000.00 cash to winner

❖ **Highest average percentage** gained over two levels in EA classes (excluding the Advanced Freestyle) Winner receives \$500.00 cash + rug

ENTRIES CLOSE: Wednesday 18th January 2012

Details of Competitions:

Entries and the competition programme may be limited and revised at the discretion of the Organising Committee.

ALL COMPETITIONS WILL BE CONDUCTED INDOORS

Arena Familiarisation timetable will be available with the Time Draw

Conditions of entry for 2012 'ThinLine Dressage with Altitude' including CDI 3-Star & CDI-Y

Overview: Dressage with Altitude at Bradgate Park is based on a "Boutique European Style" Dressage event, it is a small family like event with an International flavour. We hope you enjoy our event and return again.

Bradgate Park is a Private venue and we ask you to respect this fact. We are sincerely grateful to the owners John & Bev Healey.

CDI 3* and CDI-Y Events - will be held in accordance with current **FEI Statutes, General Regulations, Veterinary Regulations and Dressage Rules.**

National Events - will be held in accordance with the current EA Dressage Competition Rules & Procedures and EA Gen. Regulations.

MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION

- Horses, owners and riders must be **registered and financial with EA** or, if from overseas, with their National Federation. Horses must compete under their full registered name. The Organising Committee has the right to abbreviate a horse's name for printing purposes. EA Membership numbers must be shown on the Entry Form.
- Horses must have a current performance card.
- CDIs:** Riders may participate **only** under the **jurisdiction of the country with which they hold their passport.**
- Horses taking part in the CDI 3*** must have a current FEI Passport or Official FEI recognised EA Identification Document
- Horses taking part in the CDI-Y-** FEI Passports are not required, an EA National ID Document or EA Horse registration papers are required. (Gen. Regs. Art. 142.1). Riders must ensure that they have the appropriate documents on arrival. Enquiries EA 02 8762 7777.
- All riders and horses participating in FEI events (CDI 3* and CDI-Y) **must be registered on the FEI database. Registrations must be renewed each calendar year (i.e. Jan 1 2012).** EA collects the charges on behalf of the FEI. Registration forms are available on the EA web site. www.equestrian.org.au or contact the National Office 02 8762 7777. Please note that this registration is required even if the horse has an FEI Passport or EA National Identification Document. All horses and riders must be registered with the FEI BEFORE competing in any FEI sanctioned events (CDIs) in 2012.

ENTRIES & ELIGIBILITY

- Rider Age: CDI 3* - is open to riders** from the year in which they reach their **16th birthday.** **CDI-Y:** Open to riders from beginning of the calendar year in which they reach the age of 16 until the end of the calendar year they reach the age of 21. For **National competitions**, current EA Dressage rules apply.
- Entry** of horses is limited to **two consecutive levels**, e.g. Advanced/Prix St Georges; Prix St Georges/Intermediate I. Grand Prix competitors may ride in the Grand Prix, the Grand Prix Freestyle & the Olympic GP Special if qualified.
- CDI entries: horses may take part in **one test per day** (Art. 422). National competitions, as per EA current rules.
- Eligibility & Performance:**
 - There is **no** qualification requirement for National Competitions however if over subscribed - Entries will be accepted on merit or at the discretion of the Organising Committee
 - All combinations must submit their **best two performances** in an Official Test at the appropriate level during the qualifying period **18 Jan 2011 to 18 Jan 2012.** (Refer Page 8)
 - CDI-Y:** At least one performance of 60% at PSG level is a requirement.
 - CDI 3*:** At least one performance of 60% at the level entering is a requirement
- The **number of horses per rider per competition** may be limited.
- The Organising Committee reserves the right to allocate 'wildcard entries' at each level.
- Horses entered for all competitions must have a height at the withers **exceeding 149cms** including shoes.
- CDI:** Horses must be at least 7 years of age for PSG & Int I and 8 years for Grand Prix level. **CDI-Y:** Horses must be at least 7 years of age.
- Entry Fees:** Refer page 2.

CDI 3* & CDI-Y HORSE INSPECTIONS & VETERINARY

- Horse Registration Control and Veterinary Examination and Inspection all horses:** These will be carried out in accordance with current Veterinary Regulations and General Regulations and Rules for Dressage Events. Horse Registration control and **veterinary examination** will take place between **3.30pm - 5.30pm** on Thursday, 16th January 2012. The fitness inspection ("**trot up**") will take place on **Thursday, 16th February**, at approx. **6.00pm**. Details will be provided with the acceptance list.
- Sampling procedure for Prohibited substances** – Vet Regs, Chapter V & VI and Annex III. Horses will be subject to sampling for Prohibited Substances.
- Insurance:** All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third parties caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out a third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.
- Veterinary & Farrier:** Services will be available on call.

OBJECTIONS & APPEALS:

- Refer EA Gen. Regs Art. 167 & 170/171. Must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of 150 SFR (approx. \$150 AUD).

DECLARATION OF STARTERS (CDI3* & CDI-Y)

- Refer FEI Gen Regs Art 424

TIME DRAW

- A normal draw will be conducted for CDI3* & CDI-Y Friday competitions immediately after the Fitness Inspection on Thursday 16th Jan at approx. 7:30pm.
- The draw for National competitions will be a normal draw and will be available at www.centralwestdg.equestrian.org.au

WITHDRAWALS & REFUNDS

- **Withdrawals must be notified to the OC** as soon as possible. Withdrawals at the event must complete a withdrawal form available at the Event Office.
- **Refunds:** Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date of entries unless a medical or veterinary certificate is produced **within 24 hours** of the completion of the event. In such cases, 50% of the entry fees will be retained by the O.C. Entry fees will be refunded in full as soon as possible for scratchings before the closing date. Entry fees for riders on the reserve list who are not offered a start in a competition will be refunded after the event.
- **The administration fee will not be refunded under any circumstance.**

SADDLERY & EQUIPMENT

- **Bridle numbers (Identification number)** must be worn at all times when the horse is outside its stable. Please include your allocated bridle number on the entry form. In the case of duplication of numbers, the OC will allocate a temporary # for this event only.
- **Whips: CDI 3* and CDI-Y:** It is, under penalty of elimination, forbidden to carry a whip of any kind while competing. However, the use of one whip, with a total maximum length of **120 cm**, in the practice area is allowed. The **whip must be dropped before entering the space around the competition arena or the athlete will be penalised (Art. 428)**. Only riders, or grooms when riding, walking or lungeing a horse, are allowed to carry a whip on the show grounds.
- **National competitions: Whips** that do not comply with current EA rules (eg. must not exceed 1.2m (4') in entirety), will not be allowed in the **warm-up** and **competition** areas.
- Helmets and head wear: As per FEI or EA rules.
- Advertising and Publicity on competitors and horses (FEI Gen. Regs. Art. 135)

FREESTYLES & Grand Prix Special

- **Advanced Freestyle:** The top 12 placegetters in the Advanced 5B qualify to ride the Advanced Freestyle
- **CDI3* Intermediate Freestyle:** The top 12-15 placegetters in the Intermediate I qualify to ride the Intermediate Freestyle but a horse must earn a minimum score of 58% in the qualifying competition (Inter I) to be eligible. *One horse per rider.*
- **Grand Prix Freestyle:** the top 12-15 placegetters in the Grand Prix qualify but a horse must earn a minimum average score of 58% to qualify. *One horse per rider.*
- **Grand Prix Special** (same conditions for Grand Prix Freestyle). The **Olympic** Grand Prix Special version will be used
- **CDI-Y Freestyle:** Limited to the top 6-8 combinations from the Young Rider Individual competition who must earn a minimum score of 58% to be eligible. *One horse per rider*
- **Freestyle Music to be handed in to the Event Office.**

PRESENTATIONS

- **Presentations** will be unmounted except for the Intermediate & Grand Prix Freestyle competitions, these will be mounted.
- Participation in the prize-giving ceremony is **compulsory**. Failure to do so entails losing the classification (sash, prize in kind, prize money FEI Rules Art.436).
- **Prize money.** will be mailed within 7 working days post the event. Any outstanding debts will be deducted from prize money. (Art. 128 FEI Gen.Reg): **Prize money** is awarded to the **owners or lessees** of horses.

ACCREDITATION

1 rider, 1 groom per horse and 1 owner per horse will gain accreditation to the event please collect from the **Event Info Desk** in the Indoor. This pass allows daily access to the venue and stables. Day admittance fee for all other spectators is \$5.

STABLING

Stabling/portable stables & some yards are available on site for those staying overnight. All portable stabling will be situated either on the asphalt adjacent to the indoor arena or in sheds surrounding the indoor complex. Common tacks will be provided by the OC. There will be restricted access to the stable area. **All CDI horses must remain at the venue until after they complete their last test.**

CAMPING & PARKING

NON powered camp sites are available (Refer page 8)

ACCOMMODATION for Grand Prix Freestyle Riders

Riders qualifying for the GP freestyle will receive Saturday night motel accommodation courtesy of the OC. If a Grand Prix rider please indicate on your entry form that you would like Motel accommodation booked on your behalf. This will be at Turners Vineyard Motel rooms are \$200/night including continental breakfast. All other nights of your stay are payable by the rider.

ACCOMMODATION within approx. 5 minutes of venue (we suggest you book early)

Turners Vineyard Motel *****, Mitchell Hwy, Orange, 02 6369 1045
De Russie Suites self contained apartments *****, Hill St, Orange 02 6360 0973
Quality Inn Ambassador **** 174 Bathurst Road, Orange, 02 6393 7500
Country Comfort Orange *** 146 Bathurst Road, Orange 02 6362 6033
Canobolas Caravan Park166 - 172 Bathurst Road, Orange NSW 2800 **Phone 02 6362 7279** Self contained Deluxe and Standard Cabins Large Camping area

CATERING:

Catering will be available on the grounds from Breakfast on Thursday morning.

RIDERS WELCOME BBQ

Complimentary BBQ for all riders, owners, grooms on Thursday night from 6.30pm (Refer page 9)

“Taste Dressage in Orange” COCKTAIL PARTY

Saturday night 18th Feb from 6pm on the Mezzanine – enjoy watching the Freestyles & entertainment

Tickets: **\$60 per person** or **Riders \$55** per person (booking form page 9)

Included in ticket Complimentary glass of local wine on arrival; food prepared by renowned local caterer Edwena Mitchell, day entry Saturday. (A selection of wines & beer will be available for sale)

CALLERS: are permitted for EA competitions (Prelim-Adv)

DOGS: Bradgate Park is a private venue and request all dogs remain on a leash at all times, they are not permitted in the indoor arena including stable area at any time:

VACCINATIONS: please ensure your horses are vaccinated against Strangles

Indemnity: Neither the Central Western Dressage Group, Bradgate Park, nor the Organising Committee or their appointed officials accept any liability for any accident, theft or illness to horses, riders, grooms or any person or property whatsoever.

WELFARE OF THE HORSE CODE OF CONDUCT

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and competitors must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. **The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.**

A full copy of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, Avenue Mon-Repos 24, CH-1000, Lausanne 5, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English & French. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: www.horsesport.org.

Dressage with Altitude CDI3* & CDI-Y OFFICIALS

Members of the Ground Jury

Mr Axel Steiner (FEI 5* Level – USA) Head of Ground Jury
Mrs Elizabeth McMullen (FEI 5* - CAN)
Mrs Alison King (FEI 4* Level – HKG)
Mrs Susan Hoevenaars (FEI 5* Level – AUS)
Mrs Mary Seefried (FEI 5* Level – AUS)
Dr Ricky MacMillan (FEI 4* - AUS)
Gisela Nillson-Harding (FEI 3* - AUS)

National Judges

Mrs Jill Cobcroft (National A Level – AUS)
Mrs Susan Cunningham (National A Level)

Officials

FEI Veterinary Delegate: Dr Derek Major
FEI Chief Steward: Mr Nigel King

Manual entry Formor online entries at www.globalentriesonline.com.au**2012 Dressage with Altitude incl CDI3* & CDI-Y**

One form per horse. Please photocopy if more than one horse entered

Entries close: Wednesday 18th January 2012

Horse Details:			
Horse's Name:		Name of Groom:	
Bridle No:	EA No:	CDI horses: FEI Passport or EA Nat. ID No:	
YOB:	Country of Birth:	Stud Book Initials	Level:
Sire:		Dam:	
Breed:	Sex: G M S	Colour:	Height:
Name of Breeder:			
(CDI horses) Horse registered with the FEI: Yes/No		FEI rego #:	
Rider Details:			
Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss First Name:		Surname:	
EA No:	CDI riders: I am registered with the FEI: Yes/No	FEI rego #:	
Address:			
Town:	State:	PC:	
Tel: Home ()		Tel: Work ()	
Mob:	Fax:	Email:	
I am an AUS citizen/have an AUS passport: Yes/No		If no, what Nationality:	
Owner Details:			
Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss First Name:		Surname:	
EA No:			
Address:			
Town:	State:	PC:	
Tel: Home ()		Tel: Work ()	
Mob:	Fax:	Email:	
Prize Money			
Prize Money is to be paid to: Name of person or business enterprise:			
Address:			
Town:	State:	PC:	Tel. No. B.H

COMPETITION ENTRIES – 2012 Dressage with Altitude

(One form per horse)

Horse Name:				
Please tick	Comp No	Test	Entry Fee	Payment
	1	Prix St Georges	\$105	\$
	2	Intermediate I (CDI**)	\$105	\$
	3	Intermediate Freestyle (CDI**)	\$105	\$
	4	Grand Prix (CDI**)	\$105	\$
	5	Grand Prix Freestyle	\$125	\$
	6	Olympic Grand Prix Special	\$105	\$
	7	CDI-Y	\$70	\$
	8	CDI-Y (Freestyle)	\$70	\$
	9	Preliminary 1B	\$50	\$
	10	Novice 2B	\$50	\$
	11	Elementary 3B	\$50	\$
	12	Medium 4B	\$50	\$
	13	Advanced 5B	\$50	\$
	14	Advanced Freestyle	\$70	\$
	15	Intermediate II	\$50	\$
		Total entry Fees	\$	

SUMMARY OF FEES		OFFICE USE
Total entries fees carried forward from above	\$	
Total Stables fees carried forward from page 8	\$	
Stable cleaning bond (<i>Refer to page 8</i>) <i>If you do not intend to leave your stable clean please pay \$30 per stable</i>	\$	
Total Camping fees carried forward from page 8	\$	
Taste Orange Cocktail Party Tickets from page 9		
Administration Fee – per horse: Compulsory and non refundable	\$ 20.00	
Total enclosed	\$	

PAYMENT METHODS (See Page 9)

I am paying by (please tick)	Cheque/M order <input type="checkbox"/>	Electronic Transfer <input type="checkbox"/>	Credit Card <input type="checkbox"/>
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If my entries are accepted, I agree to abide by the rules, Regulations, and Conditions of Entry

Signed: _____ Date: ____/____/2012

Your name may be given to sponsors or other organizations.

If you **do not want** your details given, please mark **X** in this box

Stables & Camping Booking Form - 2012 Dressage with Altitude

Stabling/portable stables & yards will be available on site for those staying overnight.

- Cost for Stables is \$150 for the entire event this fee includes bedding (shavings)
- Grand Prix horses & stallions will receive preference to permanent stabling
- Allocation of stables is at the discretion of the OC.
- Horses may be allocated yards please indicate your preference – yards will be \$75 for the event but a full fee of \$150 will be charged any refunds will be processed within 7 working days post the event.
- **Portable Stables** must be left totally clean of bedding on departure or pay the cleaning fee of \$30
- **Permanent Stables** must be cleaned of all bedding on departure or pay the cleaning fee \$30

Indicate preference for yard or stable but allocation will be at the discretion of the OC

I would prefer	Stable	Yard	Horse sex
Please tick or circle			S M G

STABLE BOOKINGS: \$150 per stable for the event (including shavings) Tick days required.

	Mon 13	Tues 14	Wed 15	Thu 16	Fri 17	Sat 18	Sun 19 days @ \$150	Tot = \$...150.00		
Arriving											
Departing											

Transfer total to payment summary on Page 7

CAMPING bookings: \$20 per site for the event. Tick nights required. (Camp sites are unpowered)

	Mon 13	Tues 14	Wed 15	Thu 16	Fri 17	Sat 18	Sun 19 nights x \$20	Tot = \$...20.00		
Arriving											
Departing											

Transfer total to payment summary on Page 7

I am a **Grand Prix Rider** and would like accommodation booked on my behalf. I understand that I am responsible for all costs except if I am accepted into the Grand Prix Freestyle and this **night only** will be payable by the OC.

Arriving ___/2/2012
 Departing ___/2/2012
 Not required (pls tick)

Performance information

- **CDI 3* competitors: (Prix St Georges, Intermediate 1 & Grand Prix)** must have achieved 60% at the level they wish to compete
- **CDI-Y competitors:** must have achieved 60% at the Prix St George level
- **National Competitions: (Prelim-Advanced, Intermediate II)** there is no performance qualification required, however if over subscribed entries will be accepted on Merit or at the discretion of the OC.

Please list the horse's best **two Official** scores (%) achieved at each level entered during the period, (**18 Jan 2011 to the closing date 18 Jan 2012**). *If the performance is not listed on the Equestrian Australia database, please provide verification of result, eg. copy of result sheet or test paper.*

Horse: _____

Date	Comp. Venue	Rider	Level	%	Any relevant Comments

Booking form: Complimentary Welcome BBQ
Thursday night from 6.30 pm

Name:	Number attending:
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Booking form: "Taste Dressage in Orange" Cocktail Party :
Saturday night 18th February 2012

Name:	
Email address:	
Phone no:	

Number of competitor tickets:@\$55 each	Total \$
Number of non competitor tickets@\$60 each	Total \$

(Transfer total to payment summary on Page 7)

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

NAME OF HORSE: _____ **RIDER:** _____

Fees can be paid by Cheque/money order/Electronic Transfer/Credit Card (Please circle)

- **Cheques/money orders** payable to: "CWDG Dressage with Altitude"
- **Electronic Transfer to:**
Account name: CWDG Dressage with Altitude
BSB: 032-814 **Account number:** 38-8880
 *Please use your **surname** as the reference

- **Credit Card details:**
All entries must provide credit card details, (even if you are paying by cheque or money order).

Please debit my credit card: Visa Master Amount \$..... (carried forward from page 7)

Card No: Expiry Date: ____/____

Full Name on Card: _____

Cardholders signature: _____

All credit card payments must be signed by the card holder!

Post Entries to: DWA; Cathie Drury-Klein, PO Box 182, MILLTHORPE NSW 2798

Entries close: Wednesday 18th January 2012

Refunds and credits

If you would like payments that are due to you for withdrawals or prize money etc, paid direct into your bank account or credited to you credit card, please provide details.

Please credit **my credit card** as above: (tick if yes)

Please **credit my bank account**, details below. (tick if yes)

BSB: _____ **Account No** _____

Name of Account: _____

2012 Dressage with Altitude - Commentary Form

Horse's Name:			
Competitions entered:			
Age:	Colour:	Sex:	Height:
Sire:		Owner:	Breed:
Other:			

Rider's Name:	State/Country
Details for commentary (e.g. where you live, marital status, horses, recent successes, other:	