



## **DRESSAGE CONDITIONS 2020**

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR RIDERS & PERSONS RESPONSIBLE**

**HOY EVENT CONDITIONS:** It is the responsibility of all riders and persons responsible to read and understand the HOY General and Dressage Conditions of this event before submitting an entry.

**ENTRIES RECEIVED AFTER CLOSE DATE 3<sup>rd</sup> FEBRUARY, BETWEEN THE 4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY - 6<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2020, WILL BE ACCEPTED SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY OF PLACE IN DRAW (full refund on entries received after close date if not accepted).**

**NO ENTRIES AFTER 6<sup>RD</sup> MARCH 2020 – refer to: ENTRIES - Clause 1 & 5**

It is up to the HOY Dressage Committee convener to determine if acceptance of late entry is appropriate. The drawn order offered to the late entrant is non-negotiable, if this time does not suit the entrant then a full refund will apply.

Riders who intend to qualify at the Waikato Premier League event (February 14th/16th 2020) must also complete their entries & fees by CLOSING DATE 3rd February 2020. Notification must be made to Chris Paston by phone or email before 5pm on February 17th 2020 if horses have qualified or not qualified.

Failure to notify as requested will result in refusal of entry and no refund of fees paid. Total refund if qualification is not achieved

#### **DRESSAGE ENQUIRIES ONLY:**

To the Dressage Convenor, Chris Paston Ph (06) 8366196. E: [c.paston@xtra.co.nz](mailto:c.paston@xtra.co.nz)

#### **ESNZ RIDER MEMBERSHIP & HORSE REGISTRATION:**

- 1) ESNZ rules re current membership and horse registration will be strictly enforced.
- 2) All riders must have full membership current up to and including 15th March 2020  
The OC takes no responsibility for any rider who fails to ensure that their status is current.
- 3) All Horses and ponies must have a ESNZ registration and annual dressage start current up to and including 15th March 2020. NO casual registrations or flexi starts at any level are permitted
- 4) Riders or persons responsible must advise if under renewal and immediately provide proof of renewal. It is the responsibility of the rider to provide this information prior to the event under penalty of being disqualified from the event

#### **DRESSAGE CONDITIONS:**

ALL CLASSES WILL BE RUN UNDER ESNZ, ESNZ DRESSAGE & any SPECIAL HOY CONDITIONS as listed below.

- 1) CDI\*\*\*/CDIY Classes 234, 238, 240, 243, 244 & 246 will be run under 2020 FEI rules
- 2) Riders in the CDI3\*/Y classes must refer to the FEI schedule which will be available on the HOY & ESNZ Dressage websites after January 14th 2020.
- 3) All FEI tests in the CDI 3\* /CDIY classes will be those current at 1st January 2020 and it is all riders responsibility that they use the 2020 FEI tests.
- 4) All FEI tests ridden under national rules in FEI Small & Medium tour will be the FEI 2020 version and will be scored according to the test.
- 5) **INCORRECT ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**
- 6) Any request for entry changes before March 10th. must be made through the Dressage Convenor Chris Paston ([c.paston@xtra .co.nz](mailto:c.paston@xtra.co.nz)) Ph 06 836 6196.

## **CHANGES TO SCHEDULE**

HOY in conjunction with the HOY Dressage Committee reserve the right to amend, move, cancel any class or ALTER or WITHDRAW prize money.

## **VENUE:**

All Classes will be run either on the Polo Grounds or in the Main Oval. The final venue will be at the discretion of the OC

## **MUSIC OVAL (see also page 6)**

Riders must email their music documentation (see page 6) and music in mp3 format to Peter Clapperton (AVP) – info@avpeople.co.nz no later than Monday 24th February. The file name must include rider and horse name. Back up music should be on a USB stick, file format MP3 and also accompanied by Rider & horse name, class number, level & date of competition. CD's will be also be accepted as back up but as time does not permit for full music checks, the OC takes no responsibility for any faults occurring in the music on either CD or USB if a file has not been emailed to AVP by the due date.

MUSIC POLO GROUNDS: USB sticks (.mp3) are preferred but CDs (.wav) will be accepted. Do not email to AVP but deliver to the Polo grounds tent. Required the day before if a morning competition or by 9am on the day of the competition if the class starts after 12pm

## **PRIZE GIVINGS**

- 1) ALL PLACEGETTERS in HOY TITLE & NON -TITLE CLASSES MUST attend their relevant prize giving and must be correctly attired & mounted when required.
- 2) Please make sure you are present (mounted or unmounted as requested) for presentations if you are placed in ANY class. It is the competitor's responsibility to check results.
- 3) Times for prize giving's will be announced daily and printed on the notice boards.
- 4) Non-attendance may result in prize money and/or ribbons being withheld. It is the competitor's responsibility to check if they have been placed in a class.
- 5) Competitors with a valid reason for non-attendance may be excused at the discretion of the OC but MUST complete a Prize Giving substitute form in the polo grounds or oval office PRIOR to the Prize Giving.

## **ALLOCATED TIMES & UPDATED CLASS DRAWS.**

- 1) Allocated draw times must be adhered to at all times unless the OC gives specific permission otherwise
- 2) Riders must check scoreboards daily for updated class draws.

## **PROHIBITED SCHOOLING**

Refer to Dressage NZ Rule 474 para. 1

## **ILLEGAL GEAR: Please refer to Rule 477**

Stewards will be enforcing these rules 477 AND 474 at all times.

## **WHIPS**

May not be carried in any FEI Small, Medium or Big Tour class including CDI 3\* & CDIY tests but may be carried in all other tests

## **COMMANDING TESTS**

Tests may not be commanded in any Title class, CDN class or FEI Test under FEI or national rules.

## **ARENAS**

All tests will be ridden in a 60 X 20m ARENA.

## **IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS**

All horses and ponies must wear TWO (2) ID numbers whether competing or exercising.

## ELIGIBILITY, ENTRIES & QUALIFICATIONS

Qualification period for all Dressage Classes (Exception Young Dressage Horses classes only)

September 1st 2019 until closing date of entries (5pm 3rd February 2020)

It is very important riders/ persons responsible to ensure that all horses/ponies entered have met all the eligibility criteria for the classes entered. It is very important to ensure that the eligibility status has been checked and all horses/ponies are entered in the correct classes. Failure to do so will result in non-acceptance of entries (See para 5 Dressage conditions)

### GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CONDITIONS:

- 1) All HOY Titles must be ridden at the highest grade the horse has qualified in a ZILCO Musical Freestyle Qualifier. (Exception: Preliminary Horse & Pony HOY Titles).
- 2) Combinations may only compete for one level HOY Title.
- 3) Up to Advanced level, qualified horses and ponies need not be ridden by the same rider who qualified the horse but must be ridden by the same rider in both HOY Title classes & warm up classes. (Dressage Rule 474 Para 3).  
In FEI levels at small tour and above the combination must qualify
- 4) Horses must be entered & ridden in BOTH HOY title classes at the level contested. Warm up classes must be the same level as the Title classes entered. It is not compulsory to enter the warm up classes.
- 5) Adults may ride ponies in horse classes, but not in classes restricted to ponies and pony riders.

### ENTRIES:

- 1) Entries can only be made online and must be submitted no later than Monday, 3rd of February 2020 to be included in the draw.  
Go to [www.equestrianentries.co.nz](http://www.equestrianentries.co.nz)  
Anyone who is unable to make an online entry please contact the Dressage Convenor, Chris Paston.  
[c.paston@xtra.co.nz](mailto:c.paston@xtra.co.nz) or ph 06 836 6196
  - a. **No entries after the 6<sup>th</sup> March.** Entries received after the 3<sup>rd</sup> February will be subject to clause 5).
- 2) No entry will be accepted or processed until all fees have been paid.
- 3) Riders are responsible for updating their contact details on Equestrian Entries. This includes email, mobile, home phone & physical address.  
Incorrect or incomplete entries or fees will not be accepted. If these entries are resubmitted correctly they may be deferred to a "Wait List".
- 4) The dressage draw will be available on the Equestrian Entries.
  - a. Riders may request permission from the OC to substitute a horse in the same class subject to all qualification criteria having been met.  
NO substitutions without permission
- 5) Entries made after close date 3rd February between 4<sup>th</sup> February – 6<sup>th</sup> March will be subject to a place in the draw. It is up to the HOY Dressage Committee convener to determine if acceptance of late entry is appropriate. The drawn order offered is the late entrant is non-negotiable, if this time does not suit the entrant then a full refund will apply.
- 6) All Preliminary Horse (Title and Non-Title) classes will be restricted to a maximum of 40 starting horses. The OC reserves the right to accept in order of receipt with additional entries deferred to a "Wait List".

### WITHDRAWALS

1. Withdrawals/Scratchings (including notification of failure to qualify) before March 10th must be notified to both the following:  
Chris Paston. (06) 8366196 or [c.paston@xtra.co.nz](mailto:c.paston@xtra.co.nz) AND  
withdrawn on Equestrian Entries online system by the rider
2. Withdrawals/Scratchings during the show will not be refunded without a vet or doctor's certificate.

## HORSE/PONY & RIDER QUALIFICATIONS:

(Refer to Dressage NZ Calendar to check event classification Premier League)

Qualification for all HOY Title classes (Minimum Eligibility Scores)

Any horse entered in Preliminary – Advanced classes for which a Zilco Musical or Youth Festival is a qualifier MUST enter the highest level at which they have qualified

<b>Title Classes Eligibility HOY 2020: (Graded competitions only)</b>		
<b>All classes up to Advanced From 1 Sept 2019 – 3 Feb 2020 plus Waikato PL (14th -16<sup>th</sup> Feb 2020)</b>		
<b>FEI levels (CDIY, Small, Medium &amp; Big Tour) as a combination from 1 Jan 2019</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>MES</b>	<b>Event Classification (Graded competitions only)</b>
Preliminary Horse	64%	Premier League or Youth Festival Preliminary, Zilco Novice or Youth Festival NOV MFS
Novice Horse	64%	Premier League Zilco Novice or Youth Festival NOV MFS
Elementary Horse	64%	Premier League Zilco Elementary Youth Festival ELE MFS
Medium Horse	64%	Premier League Zilco Medium Youth Festival MED MFS
Advanced Medium Horse	60%	Premier League Zilco Advanced Medium OR Youth Festival ADV MED MFS
Advanced Horse	60%	Premier League Zilco Advanced Youth Festival ADV MFS
FEI Small Tour Horse	60%	Premier League Int1, PSG OR Youth Festival FEI YR Team or IND
FEI Medium Tour Horse	58%	Premier League Int A, Int B or Int II or Youth Festival U25 GP
Grand Prix	58%	Premier League GP or GPS or Youth Festival U25 GP
CDI Y (Young Rider)	60%	Premier League: FEI YR Test, PSG or Int I OR Youth Festival FEI YR Team or IND
<b>Title &amp; Non-Title Pony Classes Eligibility (Graded competitions only)</b>		
Preliminary Pony	60%	Any graded competition
Novice Pony	60%	Any graded competition
Elementary Pony	60%	Any graded competition
Pony of the Year (Medium level)	60%	Any graded competition at Elementary or above. May not also compete in Elementary Pony
<b>Non-title classes Horses Eligibility HOY 2020: (Graded competitions only)</b>		
Preliminary Horse	64%	Premier League Preliminary OR Youth Festival Preliminary
Novice Horse	64%	Premier League Novice or Zilco Novice OR Youth Festival Novice
Elementary Horse	64%	Premier League Elementary or Zilco Elementary OR Youth Festival Elementary
<b>Young Dressage Horse Classes</b>		
No prior qualification. Proof of age of horse must be supplied with entry.		

## PONY QUALIFICATION, PONY RIDER ELIGIBILITY & TITLE CLASSIFICATION

### ALL PONIES ARE RESTRICTED TO ONE LEVEL

Ponies entered in pony classes do NOT need to qualify in a Musical Freestyle.

Ponies ridden by pony riders are NOT permitted to enter ANY horse class.

**The Dressage Pony of the Year Title** is run under Dressage NZ Article 465 Special Conditions. This is an open class therefore ponies with 30 or more Level 5 points or above are eligible. All ponies compete on equal terms. The Dressage Pony of the Year Title will be decided at Medium level (Pony FEI Tests) and will be open to ponies that have gained 60% or more in an Elementary or above graded competition since 1 September 2019. The title will be decided on the accumulated result of both the POY title class (Class 221) & the HOY Pony Medium Musical level Freestyle – FEI Pony Musical Test (Class 233).

## PONY OF THE YEAR TITLES: PRELIMINARY, NOVICE, ELEMENTARY

All Ponies entering Preliminary, Novice or Elementary pony classes must have gained 60% or more in a graded ESNZ competition since 1 September 2019 at the level they are entering HOY

Preliminary Pony of the Year 2020 Title will be decided on the accumulated result of Classes 218 & 229

Novice Pony of the Year 2020 Title will be decided on the accumulated result of Classes 219 & 230

Elementary Pony of the Year 2020 Title will be decided on the accumulated result of Classes 220 & 231

In all titles, riders must enter & complete both title classes to be eligible for the title

### Pony Rider Age:

(Ref DR Art 463.3) Rides until the age of 17, but Competitors turning 17 on or after 1 August 2019 may continue to take part in competitions and championships for pony riders up to and including 31 July in the following calendar year

### Explanation:

Pony Competitors turning 17yrs on or after 1 Aug 2019 may take part in competitions for ponies at HOY 2020.

## HOY TITLES CLASSIFICATION & TIES for PLACINGS

1. The HOY Preliminary Horse Title classes will be decided on the accumulated results of classes 210 & 222 and riders must enter & ride in both classes.
2. The HOY Grand Prix title will be decided on the accumulated points from the Grand Prix, the Grand Prix Special & the Freestyle. In the case of a tie, the combination with the highest placing in the Freestyle will be the winner. There will be no coefficient on the Freestyle. Points are allocated 20 for 1st , 18 for 2nd etc to 2pts for 10th place
3. All other HOY Titles will be decided on the accumulated result of both the HOY Title class and the Musical Freestyle at the same level. The Freestyle test will be allocated x 1.5 points.
4. Title Points are allocated 20 for 1st , 19 for 2nd etc to 1pts for 20th place in the technical test and 30, 28.5 etc for the Freestyle
5. Horse/Rider combination must be the same for both tests for all levels of titles.
6. There will be NO equal placings in any dressage class at HOY unless riders are still equal under Art DNZ 446

# OVAL HOY MUSIC 2020

Email this page and music file to [info@avpeople.co.nz](mailto:info@avpeople.co.nz)

Riders must email their music documentation and music in mp3 format to Peter Clapperton (AVP) [info@avpeople.co.nz](mailto:info@avpeople.co.nz) no later than Monday 24th February

<b>Rider Name</b>	
<b>Rider Mobile Phone</b>	
<b>Music File Name</b>	
<b>Horse Name</b>	
<b>Horse Number</b>	
<b>Day / Date of Class</b>	
<b>Class Number</b>	
<b>Grade</b>	
<b>File NAME</b>	
<b>Any Instructions</b>	
<b>Date Emailed</b>	
<b>Signed</b>	

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- The file name must include rider and horse name.
- Back up music should be on a USB stick, file format MP3 accompanied by Rider & horse name, class number, level & date of competition.
- CD's will be also be accepted as back up but as time does not permit for full music checks the OC takes no responsibility for any faults occurring in the music on either CD or USB if a file as not been emailed prior