

**This  
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recognized by  
USDF  
for 2010**

**USDF Membership Benefits:** USDF is dedicated to education, the recognition of achievement, and promotion of dressage. For details on member benefits, including educational programs, awards, and other opportunities, refer to the *USDF Directory* or the USDF Web site at [www.usdf.org](http://www.usdf.org).

**Membership Requirements for USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized Competitions:** Owners and riders, including foreign riders and owners who are not residents of the US, wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition as a rider or owner/lessee, must have either a USDF Group Membership, Participating Membership (PM), or have a USDF Non-Member (NM) identification number and pay the USDF NM fee. (Note: USDF business members can own horses but cannot compete as riders with their USDF Business Membership (BM).)

Horses competing at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized shows must have either a USDF Horse Identification (HID) number or a USDF Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR). Proper credentials or verification certificates must be presented to the competition secretary.

Riders and owners wishing to participate in a USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competition, and not able to present the competition secretary with verification of a USDF membership or NM identification, and USDF LHR or USDF HID, must complete a USDF Competition Affidavit Form and pay the \$5 affidavit filing fee. A copy of a completed affidavit form from another competition may also be used for verification purposes for up to 60 days. (Exception: Affidavits cannot be used at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships.)

Exceptions:

- Horses competing only in Individual Breed Classes (IBCs) at DSHB competitions, sires and dams of horses in DSHB group classes, where those sires or dams are not actually competing in the same competition, horses competing only in breed restricted dressage or DSHB classes at Regular Competitions (e.g. all Arabian, all Friesian, or all Morgan classes), or in USDF Introductory Level tests, Pas de Deux, Quadrille, or FEI ParaEquestrian classes, are exempt from this requirement. Also exempt are horses ridden in leadline, exhibitions, games and races, classes for 4-H members, walk-trot and academy classes. For foreign-owned horses competing in a CDI, USDF accepts copies of the horse identification pages from an FEI passport in lieu of a USDF HID or Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) number.
- Riders and owners/lessees competing only in classes which are exempt from the USDF HID requirements are also exempt from the USDF NM identification number and NM fee requirements. Also exempt are handlers of horses competing in DSHB In-Hand or Group classes.

#### **Memberships Defined**

**Participating Membership (PM):** A membership issued to an individual directly by USDF. The membership year is December 1 through November 30. PMs are available for 1-year (\$62), 5-years (\$250), or life (\$1,000). A USDF Youth Participating Membership (YPM) is available for individuals who have not reached their 21<sup>st</sup> birthday by December 1 of the current membership year (\$35). A PM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and to participate as a rider and/or owner/lessee for all Adequan<sup>®</sup>/USDF Year-End Awards, Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals, and the Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championship program.

**Group Membership (GM):** A membership issued to an individual by USDF when the member name and dues are submitted to USDF through an affiliate Group Member Organization (GMO). The GM year begins December 1 and ends November 30. A GM allows the member to compete at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions and participate in the USDF Rider Awards program.

**Business Membership (BM):** A membership that runs December 1 through November 30 and is issued to a business or organization directly by USDF. The USDF BM (\$175) offers a wider variety of advertising benefits. BMs satisfy requirements of horse ownership only.

**Non-Member (NM) Identification Number:** For each USDF NM owner/lessee and USDF NM rider there will be a USDF NM fee of \$20 and a USDF NM form per competition that must be collected by the show secretary and submitted to USDF along with the USDF Report of Fees document and the \$5 affidavit fee if the person cannot provide a copy of their USDF NM card. Owners/lessees or riders exempt from the NM number requirements are also exempt from paying the USDF NM fee. If there are multiple owners of a horse and all are NMs, only one of the owners must pay the NM fee. If the horse has at least one owner who is a current USDF member there is no NM fee assessed. Competition management will be invoiced for all applicable USDF NM fees not received with the USDF post competition paperwork, along with a report listing all USDF NMs. Competition management is then required to submit the NM fees within 30 days to the USDF. An individual with a USDF NM identification number is not eligible for any USDF membership benefits. Once a USDF NM number has been assigned, a USDF NM card can be obtained from the USDF Web site.

**Horse Identification (HID) Number:** A one-time tracking number for horses (\$20). Scores earned by a horse with an HID number will be recorded, but will NOT be counted towards Adequan<sup>®</sup>/USDF Year-End Awards. A horse with an HID number is not eligible to compete in Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying or championship classes or Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals. An HID number can be upgraded to a Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) for a fee of \$65. If a horse has a USDF LHR it does not need an HID number. An HID number is a one-time fee that does not need to be renewed.

**Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR):** A horse with an LHR (\$85) is eligible for Adequan<sup>®</sup>/USDF Year-End Awards, and eligible to compete at Great American Insurance Group/USDF Breeders' Championship Series Finals and Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional qualifying and championship classes, assuming requirements for the owner and rider are met. If a horse has an LHR it does not need an HID number. An LHR does not need to be renewed.

#### **How to Join USDF**

Applications for USDF Participating Membership (PM), Business Membership (BM), Non-Member (NM) identification number, Horse Identification (HID) number, and Lifetime Horse Registration (LHR) may be found in the following locations:

- On the USDF Web site: [www.usdf.org](http://www.usdf.org). You can submit the application online, print, fax or mail it.
- In the show office at USEF-licensed/USDF-recognized competitions classified by USEF as Dressage Competitions, and Regular Competitions which are open to all breeds.
- By calling or writing the USDF office at (859) 971-2277, 4051 Iron Works Parkway, Lexington, KY 40511

The effective date of membership is the date the form and correct fees are received in the USDF office or, if applying at a competition, the date received by the competition secretary, provided the application is signed and dated by the competition secretary on that same day.

# 2010 Great American Insurance Group/USDF Regional Dressage Championships



A single Regional Dressage Championship program organized by the United States Dressage Federation (USDF), licensed by the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (USEF), will be held in each of the nine USDF regions. In addition, Alaska and Hawaii may each hold state championships if an official request from a GMO is received by April 1 of the prior year.

The Regional Championship Program Rules can be found on the USDF Web site at:  
<http://www.usdf.org/Programs/RegionalChampionships/index.asp>.

Please refer to the *USDF Directory* for the comprehensive list of rules and requirements for this program.

## Membership/Registration Requirements for Qualifying & Championships:Rider:

- Must be a USDF Participating\* Member at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

## Horse:

- Must be USDF Lifetime Registered (LTR) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be USEF (Annual or Lifetime) recorded at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- USDF horse registration and USEF horse/recording must be in the name(s) of the current owner(s) or lessee(s) of record.

A horse is not required to have registry papers.

## Owner:

- Must be a USDF member (Participating or Business) at the time the qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.
- Must be a USEF member (Junior Active, Senior Active, or Life) at the time qualifying scores are earned and at the time of the championships.

\*Participating Members are USDF members who join USDF directly

## Minimum Qualifying Scores

One set of nationally-standardized qualifying scores has been established for all USEF/USDF Regional Championships, for levels through Grand Prix, in three divisions: Open, Adult Amateur, and Junior/Young Rider. FEI Junior Rider and FEI Young Rider classes have only one respective division. Freestyles have only Open divisions. The minimum percentages are as follows:

	<u>Open</u>	<u>AA</u>	<u>Jr/YR</u>
Training Level (Test 4)	68%	63%	63%
First Level (Test 4)	66%	62%	62%
Second Level (Test 4)	64%	61%	61%
Third Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
Fourth Level (Test 3)	62%	60%	60%
FEI Junior Rider (Team Test)	--	--	60%
FEI Young Rider (Team Test)	--	--	60%
Prix St. Georges	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate I	60%	60%	60%
Intermediate II	60%	60%	60%
Grand Prix	60%	60%	60%

## Freestyle

First Level	65%	--	--
Second Level	65%	--	--
Third Level	65%	--	--
Fourth Level	63%	--	--
Intermediate I	63%	--	--
Grand Prix	63%	--	--

# 2010 CDS MEMBERSHIP FORM



Active Membership .....\$65.00  
Additional Family Member..... \$55.00  
Life Membership .....\$1,000.00

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Preference \_\_\_\_\_

*Would you like to use your Visa or MC?*

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp Date \_\_\_\_\_ V code \_\_\_\_\_  visa  mastercard

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Group membership in the United States Dressage Federation (USDF) (\$17) included with CDS membership. All CDS memberships go from December to December. Anyone joining after October 1 will be a member for the following year.



Please check any of the following that apply:

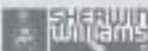

- Renewing Member  New Member  Competing Amateur  
 Instructor/Trainer  Junior Rider ( / / )  Judge \_\_\_\_\_  
 T.D.  EMT  Qualified Riding Member (QRM)  
 Nominate for Regional Chapter Adult Amateur Competition (add \$25)


**CALIFORNIA DRESSAGE SOCIETY**  
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USEF Competition Name: Golden State Dressage Festival/CDI 3\* YJ USEF# 316961  
Competition Division(s) and Rating(s): Dressage - Level 5



# USEF Member To Do List:

Mow the fields.  JOHN DEERE Haul the hay.  USEF Auto Buying Program Paint the barn — and the


house.  SHERWIN WILLIAMS Re-order supplements  FarmVet and office supplies.

Office DEPOT Make sure we're covered  US Rider on the road and in the

ring.  LOUISIANA EQUICARE Get ready for the big competition.  MOXIE equine Win! Ship the trophy

home without a scratch.  ups Rent a car and drive to the coast.  Hertz

Take a vacation. Relax!  LifeLock Guarantee Your Good Name. You don't have to bet the farm to check

off this season's most important tasks. For details on how you can save big  USEF Member Perks

with USEF MemberPerks, visit  USEF [www.usef.org](http://www.usef.org) or call one of our Customer

Care agents at 859.258.2472.

## 2010 Oregon Dressage Society (ODS) Membership Application

ODS is a United States Dressage Federation Group Member Organization and our Members are automatically USDF Group Members. The ODS Regional Omnibus, Membership Roster and Test Booklet are mailed free to memberships applied on or before 12/31/2009. For memberships applied after 12/31/2009, publications will be mailed as long as supplies last only for those who include an additional \$10 for postage/handling. Membership year runs November 1st through October, 31st. Allow 6 weeks for processing including processing of USDF Group Membership and Flying Changes subscription.



Oregon Dressage Society—880 NE 25th Ave, Suite 2-173, Hillsboro, OR 97124  
 PH: 503-681-2337 - FAX: 503-681-3873 - EM: office@oregondressage.com - WEB: www.oregondressage.com

### Primary Member

\$60.00 Adult / \$50.00 Youth

#### Benefits of Membership

- All member benefits listed on the ODS website
- Includes all publications (*USDF Connection Magazine, Flying Changes Magazine, and ODS Publications if received by 12/31/09*)
- ODS Patron, Business upgrades available

New ODS Membership       Renewal ODS Member # \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business or Farm Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (Required for Junior/Young Riders, Optional for Others)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate/Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Classifications:

- Adult Amateur  
 Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_ or  General Member

#### Privacy:

- Please check the box if you do not want your name, address, telephone number or e-mail address given out for promotional purposes.  
 Please check the box if you do not want your name, address, telephone number or e-mail address listed in the ODS Roster.

#### Green Options—check the box to opt out of the following printed materials:

- Membership Card       Roster  
 Omnibus                   Test Booklet

### Additional Family Members

\$52.00 Adult / \$42.00 Youth

#### Benefits of Membership

- All member benefits listed on the ODS website except for:
  - No publications
  - No upgrades (i.e. Patron, Business)

#### List additional names—must be same household:

New       Renewal ODS Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_      Alt/Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

New       Renewal ODS Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_      Alt/Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

New       Renewal ODS Member # \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_      Alt/Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Services:

- Video  
 Trainer  
 Instructor  
 Tech Delegate  
 Judge approved for (circle) L, r, R, S, O or Please add me to a list of judges just for Practice Shows  
 Breeder (breed): \_\_\_\_\_

#### USDF Medal:

- Qualified Rider  
 Bronze  
 Silver  
 Gold

#### Profession:

\_\_\_\_\_

#### Order and Payment Details:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Member Dues  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Upgrade to Patron Member Add'l \$40.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Upgrade to Business Member Add'l \$65.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Upgrade to Lifetime Membership \$1000.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Additional Family Member Dues (from above)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ODS Publications after January 1, add \$10.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ODS Notebook (holds Omnibus/Roster), add \$10.00  
 \_\_\_\_\_ ODS Education Fund Contribution  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Winnie Heiney Fund Contribution  
 \_\_\_\_\_ **Total Due**

- Enclosed Check Payable to Oregon Dressage Society       Charge my Credit Card

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Expires: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Membership applications will be processed in order received, and will be backdated to postmarked date on envelope or recorded date on fax. Applications can take up to four weeks to be processed.**

For Office Use: Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Processed: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Method Paid:  Check/Number     Cash     Credit Card Authorization # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_  Packet     Database     Card     E-mail Database