

DEAN VALLEY

Winter Dressage Schedule

2019-2020

Class		Oct 27 th Sunday	Nov 24 th Sunday	Jan 26 th Sunday	Feb 23 rd Sunday	Mar 22 nd 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	Restricted Novice	Novice 27 2007	Novice 34 2009	Novice 30 2006	Novice 24 2010	Novice 28 2008
5	Open Novice	Novice 24 2010	Novice 27 2007	Novice 28 2008	Novice 30 2006	Novice 34 2009
6	Elementary	Elem 42 2008	Elem 49 2009	Elem 44 2002	Elem 50 2007	Elem 49 2009

Rules and Restrictions

- Classes 1, 2 & 4 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 5 & 6 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, post or leave your entry 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 Dressage Group 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 you can find someone to take your place. Complete withdrawals will only be accepted upon receipt of a vet certificate.

Times will be posted on the Dean Valley Dressage Group Facebook page or ring/text Lesley on 07957 732996 on the Friday evening (between 7pm and 9pm).

If the weather is deemed unfit by the Organisers, the competition will be cancelled & all entries will be transferred to the next date. It is up to the individual competitor to notify us if they cannot compete at the alternative date.

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 administration fees incurred.

In the event of the rider being injured, please provide a Dr's note, and the same terms apply as above (injuries on the day do not count).

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.