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PROUDLY PRESENTS THE

2026 WC Lower Grade Dressage And Freestyle Championships

SATURDAY, 14 NOVEMBER AND SUNDAY, 15 NOVEMBER 2026

ENTRIES CLOSE: FRIDAY, 6 NOVEMBER 2026

VENUE	**Europa Equestrian**
ADDRESS	**22 Rondeberg rd, Rondeberg**
DATE	**14 and 15 November 2026**
ENTRIES CLOSE	**Friday, 6 November 2026** Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organisers with an extra late entry fee of R200 per class entry. **REFUNDS:** No Refunds will be given after closing date of entries only entries withdrawn before close of date will be refunded. If however due to inclement weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances, should it necessitate cancelling the show, 80% of the entry fee will be refunded. The organisers reserve the right to combine the scheduled classes on one day due to predicted weather conditions, insufficient entries to host a two day show and/or availibity of judges.
ENQUIRIES	Miki van der Merwe 082 3381 396 email: mikivdm@mweb.co.za
ENTRIES	**ALL ENTRIES TO BE DONE ONLINE** on **www.dressagesa.com** Incorrect entries or those not accompanied by the correct entry fees will not be accepted. **Cash deposits are not accepted**. No refunds after closing date of entries.
BANKING DETAILS	**Burger Buster Investments (Pty) Ltd t/a Europa Equestrian** **FNB** **6261 8329 397** **Current account** **Green Point** Email proof of payment to: mikivdm@mweb.co.za reference rider full name. **Entries will only be processed with proof of payment.**
LIMIT ON ENTRIES	Only in exceptional circumstances due to oversubscription.
ENTRY FEES	**Composite Entry Fee for warm-up and Championships classes:** PR classes and Junior – R 550 per class Adult Training/Prelim classes – R 550 per class Adult Graded Novice classes – R 600 per class **Freestyle entry fee**: PR classes and Junior – R 280 Adult Prelim classes – R 280 Adult Graded Novice classes – R 300 **Inclusive of DSA levies as below** These entry fees include the following levies, all including 15% VAT: R32.00 DSA levy for Senior Preliminary and Training R70.00 DSA levy for other Senior Graded Classes R26.50 DSA levy for Junior, Children & Pony Riders Preliminary R26.50 DSA levy for other Junior, Children & Pony Riders Graded Classes R5.50 EDS levy all classes R5.75 DSA Travel Levy
OTHER FEES	Ground Levy R150 per horse/rider combination per day Officials Levy R150 per horse/rider combination per day
STABLING	Day stables R200 per day Overnight stabling – please contact Carminda 083 652 2280
ELIGIBILITY	All athletes and horses must be registered with DSA. Open to horse and rider combinations that DID NOT COMPETE AT THE 2026 WC Dressage and Freestyle Championships hosted by SDRC in October 2026
PROOF OF PAYMENT	Payment Receipts to be sent to mikivdm@mweb.co.za– NO ENRTY WILL BE CONFIRMED WITHOUT PAYMENT RECEIPT

PRIZE MONEY	All classes Rosettes for placings – 1 in 4 of entries per class Trophies as listed in the list of classes. Graded classes will receive prize money as per DSA rules bar **UNPAID ENTRIES AT CLOSING DATE WILL FORFEIT ALL PRIZE MONEY DUE!!!!**
DEFINITION OF A SENIOR AMATEUR RIDER	An adult who has never competed at medium level or higher An adult who engages in a study, sport, or other activity for pleasure rather than for financial benefit or professional reasons. An athlete who has never competed for payment or does not • Accept remuneration for riding or exercising any horse or pony, at home or at shows • Accept remuneration for training or instructing any rider on any horse or pony in any discipline • Conduct paid clinics or seminars • Accept remuneration and act as an agent in the sale of any horse or pony on consignment for the purpose of sale or training • Advertise one's equestrian services such as training or instruction • Accept remuneration for the use of his and her name, photograph, or other form of personal association as a horseman in connection with any advertisement or article (including but not limited to clothing product, equipment etc.) to be sold
QUALIFTYING CLASSES	Qualifying classes will run as warm-up classes unless more than 24 entries received in a grade. Non-qualifiers will be automatically entered in the relevant consolation class.
RULES AND REGULATIONS	**By entering this show you agree to acquaint yourself with, and abide by the relevant FEI, SAEF, DSA, Europa Equestrian, rules and regulations as they apply to this competition including:** • All classes **may be ridden with a whip** • All may have a caller. • **Identification Numbers** must be worn on the left-hand side of the bridle or numnah at all times - in warm up arenas as well as competition arenas. • **Spurs** are optional in all tests except Pony Rider/Children's Prelim • All horses may **enter the grade in which they are registered** with DSA or one grade higher as at closing date. • **NO CROSS ENTRIES ALLOWED** • **All latest tests and rules on the DRESSAGE SA website will apply**
EXCLUSION OF LIABILITY and INDEMNITY	Neither Europa Equestrian, nor SAEF, nor DSA nor their agents, sponsors, partners, employees, officers, officials, members, independent contractors, volunteers or any other persons associated herewith shall be responsible or may be held liable for any loss, damage or injury including consequential losses, suffered by or caused to any person or property on or about the property or premises on which any event, competition, match, practice or related activity or any other activity of whatsoever nature is held, whether or not such loss, damage or injury is occasioned by any act or omission of Europa Equestrian , it's agents, employees, officers, members, independent contractors, volunteers or any other persons associated herewith or for whose actions they or any of them would be liable in law, or by reason of *vis major casus fortuitus,* rain or other water, riot, strikes, theft or burglary with or without forcible entry, or by any reason or any condition on or off any grounds, building structures, premises or facilities on or about which any Europa Equestrian event, competition, function or meeting of whatsoever nature is held, or caused by any sporting activity, or by any other cause of whatsoever nature and howsoever arising.

	By entering or participating or officiating in any activity of the show, one agrees that all information and particulars supplied are correct, and one agrees to abide by all of the rules and regulations and one agrees that the decision of the organizers is final.
BEHAVIOUR TOWARDS OFFICIALS	Any person who attempts to harass or influence the Judges, Stewards or Officials, or who at any time uses contemptuous or abusive language at the venue, whether to any of the judges, stewards or officials, may forfeit his or her right to any prizes to which he or she may be otherwise entitled. Likewise, no abusive or aggressive treatment of horses will be tolerated. Such perpetrators will be reported to the President of the Ground Jury, judge at C, for his/her consideration
DRESS CODE	As per DSA rules, except Para Dressage athletes with specific dress classifications.
HORSE PASSPORTS	Passports with up-to-date Influenza vaccinations signed by a qualified veterinarian must accompany horses at all shows. Failure to produce a horse's passport upon request of the Organizing Committee of the show may result in a fine and possible elimination from the event.
FLU Vaccinations	Please remember to update your horse's vaccination details on the DSA website. When updating do not replace previous vaccination information ADD A NEW LINE No horse is allowed to compete within 7 days after any inoculation.
SADDLERY & BIT CHECK	Compulsory Saddlery and bit-checked for each competitor before and/or after competitors enter/leave the arena of the Championships tests.
AMENDMENTS to CLASSES	The organizers reserve the right to cancel, divide, postpone or combine classes provided such amendments are not in conflict with the rules.
SUBSTITUTIONS	As per DSA rules where applicable
OBJECTIONS and APPEALS	Will be as per current SAEF General Regs
SCHOOLING of HORSES	Under no account, and under penalty of disqualification, may any horse, except those ridden by Para Dressage athletes where allowed, take part in any class where the horse has been schooled under saddle by anyone other than the competitor concerned from the start of the 1st day of the show until the end of the show.
PRIZE GIVING CEREMONIES	All Prize-Giving Ceremonies may be mounted or un-mounted but correctly dressed. Failure to be present at the prize-giving ceremony without prior arrangement may result in disqualification and the forfeiting of all prize money.

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	ADULT CLASSES	
	WALK AND TROT	
Class 1	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
Class 2a	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Amateur)	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
Class 2b	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Open)	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
	PRELIMINARY	
Class 3	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 4a	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Amateur) Winner to receive the Michael de Bliquey Trophy	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 4b	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Open) Winner to receive the Cheval Dansant Stud Trophy	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 5	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Freestyle
	NOVICE	
Class 6	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 7a	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Amateur) Winner to receive the Market Toyota Trophy	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 7b	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION (Open)	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 8	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA Novice (First level) Freestyle
	JUNIOR CLASSES	
	WALK AND TROT	
Class 9	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
Class 10	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
	PRELIMINARY	
Class 11	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 12	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 13	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Freestyle
	NOVICE	
Class 14	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 15	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION Winner to receive the WPHS Clock Trophy	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 16	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA Novice (First level) Freestyle
	CHILDREN CLASSES	
	WALK AND TROT	
Class 17	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
Class 18	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
	PRELIMINARY	
Class 19	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 20	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 21	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Freestyle
	NOVICE	
Class 22	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 23	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 24	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA Novice (First level) Freestyle
	PONY RIDER CLASSES	

	WALK AND TROT	
Class 25	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
Class 26	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION	DSA A Walk and Trot (Introductory level) Test 3
	PRELIMINARY	
Class 27	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 28	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION Winner to receive the Harcourts Turner Floating Trophy	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Test 3
Class 29	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA A Prelim (Training level) Freestyle
	NOVICE	
Class 30	WARM UP/QUALIFIER	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 31	CHAMPIOSHIPS OR CONSOLATION Winner to receive the Slabbert Family Trust Trophy	DSA Novice (First level) Test 2
Class 32	FREESTYLE CHAMPIOSHIPS	DSA Novice (First level) Freestyle

SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON ENTRIES

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE:	
SATURDAY	**All warm-up and Championship classes** **If oversubscribed (number of tests per judge) all Walk and Trot classes will move to Sunday**
SUNDAY	**Freestyle classes**