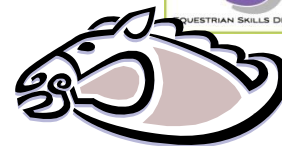




2019 ESD & OESS Dressage & Hunter Schooling Shows at

Centaur Riding School



OESS 2019

Welcome!

Again this year, competitors in the dressage portion of Centaur's 3 shows will be eligible for both the OADG and the OESS year-end awards.

ESD—(Dressage Show only) *Equestrian Skills Development (ESD)* these shows are approved and sanctioned by Ontario Equestrian at the schooling level. ESD competitions are the perfect place for horse and rider to gain show ring experience! In a more relaxed environment, competitors will obtain valuable experience and build their confidence in the show ring in turn helping them with any future competition endeavours. This means that officials must be approved by OE. By using qualified officials, competitors can be sure they will receive the same quality of judging as when they compete at EC Bronze or Silver level competitions.

OESS— (Dressage & Hunter) *Ottawa East Schooling Show (OESS)* This series is to provide a venue for the green rider and the green horse. Come and compete for great prizes while having fun with your horse in a relaxed atmosphere. This show encourages strong riding skills in dressage and hunter classes for students and school horses yet still offers a challenge for the more seasoned competitor.

DATES - Three shows in 2019!!

July 21, September 29, October 20

OFFICIALS

Judges: July 21	Dressage –SandraSt.Pierre	Hunter - TBA
Sept 29:	Dressage –SandraSt.Pierre	Hunter–Patrick Malone
Oct 20:	Dressage –Oswaldo Lazzuri	Hunter– Nancy Winfield

Show Secretary: Shirley Guertin 613835-2237, info@centaurridingschool.com

TIMES

- There will be 2 rings: a dressage ring and a hunter ring.
- Hunter Ring: Hunter Classes will start at 9:00.
- Show schedule and dressage riding times will be posted on the Horse Shows page of www.CentaurRidingSchool.com the day before show, or earlier.
- Warm-up o/f will be held at 8:00 with classes following. If necessary, warm-up time may be moved earlier. Newcomer & Intro Divisions will have their own warm-up.

DRESSAGE CLASSES

OESS and ESD CORE CLASSES

Count towards Centaur, OESS & OADG awards.

RIDING IN ONE CLASS, ELIGIBLE FOR 2 CIRCUITS – OESS + DRESSAGE ESD (OADG).

- Class 1 Walk/Trot Rider Dressage Test - 2019 USEF Introductory Walk-Trot, Test “B”
- Class 2 Walk/Trot Rider TOC – 20x40 ring
- Class 3 Walk/Trot Rider Equitation– group class.Walk / trot only
- Class 4 Novice Training Dressage Test –2019USEFEC Training Test 1
- Class 5 Novice Training Level TOC - 20x40 ring
- Class 6 Novice Training Level Equitation group class
- Class 7 Open Dressage TOC – Any level,20x40 ring
- Class 8 Open Dressage TOC - Any level,20x40 ring
- Class 9 Open Level Equitation group class –walk, trot, canter

Non-OESS Classes **Eligible For OADG/ESD points

- Class 25 Open 20x60 Ring TOC Dressage Test – TOC - Any level,20 x 60 ring
- Class 26 Open 20x60 Ring TOC Dressage Test – TOC - Any level,20 x 60 ring
- Class 27 Suitable To Become a Dressage Horse – group class. Walk/Trot only.

Awards of the DAY - Dressage Divisions

Walk-Trot Rider Champion & Reserve - Classes 1,2,3

Novice Training Level Rider Champion & Reserve – Classes 4,5,6

Open Level Rider Champion & Reserve – Classes 7,8,9,25,26 (2 tests + 1 flat)

Extra Information re: Dressage Classes:

- a) **Walk/Trot Division:** For riders who are in their first or second year of showing in dressage classes. May also enter any class which does not require cantering. May enter Open Division – as long as they enter ‘no cantering’ classes. Exception: allowed to enter Newcomer Hunter Division.
- b) **Novice Training Division:**
 - i) Who may ride: For riders - in their first or second year of showing at Training Level on any circuit, and/or is under age of 12
 - ii) Who May not Ride: Riders who have acted as a coach, or competed on the Silver or Gold circuit. Those riders must enter the Open Division. Any rider who is entering First Level or higher at this show must enter the Open division.
- c) **Open Division** – all riders are allowed. You may choose either ring size, but read all rules pertaining to this.
 - i) All levels are allowed, including PARA tests.
 - ii) Will be ridden in the 20x40 (7, 8) or 20 x 60 (25,26) ring
 - iii) For OADG Year-end awards: this is where ESD Walk/Trot and First Level horses may enter. First Level Riders who wish to earn points for ESD Year-end Awards should enter classes 25&/or 26.
For OESS year-end awards: classes 25, 26, 27 do not count
- d) Class 27 is for ESD Riders who want Walk/Trot Horse points for ESD year-end awards.
- e) All dressage tests can be found at [Equestrian Canada](http://EquestrianCanada.com). Additional TOC tests can be found at [Cadora](http://Cadora.com).Important Info for ESD Riders: TOC: Only Equestrian Canada tests are eligible for OADG Awards.
- f) Classes may be split if numbers warrant.

HUNTER CLASSES

OESS CLASSES

Count towards Centaur & OESS awards.

<p><u>NEWCOMER RIDER DIVISION X-RAILS</u> Class 10 Newcomer Hunter Equitation O/F Class 11 Newcomer Hunter Over Fences Class 12 Newcomer Hunter Equitation–Flat Walk, Trot only</p> <p>Newcomer: A competitor in their first season of showing in that specific discipline. Newcomers may not enter other divisions in same discipline other than Introductory Hunter Division. Riders may reapply for eligibility at the discretion of the show committee. May trot on course without penalty. Cross rails only.</p>	<p><u>PRE-NOVICE RIDER DIVISION 2'</u> Class 16 Pre-Novice Hunter Equitation Over Fences Class 17 Pre-Novice Hunter Over Fences Class 18 Pre-Novice Hunter Equitation – Flat</p> <p>Pre-Novice: A competitor in their first or second season of showing (other than Newcomer or equivalent) in competition in that specific discipline.</p>
<p><u>INTRODUCTORY HUNTER DIVISION 18"</u> Class 13 Intro Hunter Equitation Over Fences Class 14 Intro Hunter Over Fences Class 15 Intro Hunter Equitation – Flat</p> <p>Pre-Novice: A competitor in their first or second season of showing (other than Newcomer or equivalent) in competition in that specific discipline.</p>	<p><u>NOVICE RIDER DIVISION 2'3"</u> Class 19 Novice Hunter Equitation O/ F Class 20 Novice Hunter Over Fences Class 21 Novice Hunter Equitation – Flat</p> <p>Novice: A competitor in at least their second season of showing (other than Newcomer or equivalent) in competition in that specific discipline.</p>
	<p><u>OPEN HUNTER DIVISION 2'6"</u> Class 22 Open Hunter Equitation O/F Class 23 Open Hunter Over Fences Class 24 Open Hunter Equitation – Flat</p> <p>Open: All competitors other than Newcomers and Introductory may enter in the Open division. This includes any coaches or other professionals.</p>

Awards of the DAY - Hunter Divisions

Newcomer Rider Champion & Reserve - Classes 10,11,12
Introductory Chmpion& Reserve - Classes 13,14,15
Pre-Novice Rider Champion & Reserve – Classes 16,17,18
Novice Rider Champion & Reserve – Classes 19,20,21
Open Hunter Champion & Reserve – Classes 22,23,24

ENTRY FEES & CONDITIONS

- **FEES:**
 - Dressage Tests \$25.00/ class (20x40)
 - Dressage Tests \$35.00/ class (20x60)
 - Dressage Group Class: \$15.00/ class
 - Dressage Division: \$60.00 (3 classes) (20x40)
 - Dressage Division: \$80.00 (3 classes) (20x60)
 - Hunter Division: \$50.00 (3 classes)
 - Hunter O/F class: \$20.00 per class
 - Hunter flat class: \$15.00 per class
 - Warm-up: \$15.00 per round, to be paid on entry form
(Warm-up Hunter is only for horses already entered in "over fences" classes)
 - Admin fee \$15.00
 - Late/Post-Entry fee \$20.00
 - Scratch Fee \$35.00 or \$50 ** see below for conditions
 - Email transfer fee \$1.00

- **ENTRIES AND ALL FEES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 6:00 pm TWOWEDNESDAYS BEFORE THE SHOW.** (Submit by July 10 for the July 21 show; by September 18 for the Sept 29 show); by October 9 for October 20 show.
- Mail entries to 3845 Frank Kenny Rd., Navan, ON, K4B OC6
- **OR If hand-delivering**, please place in mailbox at the head of private laneway. Mailbox looks like a red barn and is labelled "Show Entries".
- Centaur Riders can deliver entries in usual mailbox in tackroom.
- Do not send entries by courier. Priority Post (no signature required) is acceptable.
- Entries will be limited. Enter early to avoid disappointment.
- Entries unaccompanied by payment will be considered incomplete & will not be accepted.
- HST is payable on all entry fees.
- **FAXED/ EMAIL/ PHONE ENTRIES** will be accepted under the following conditions:
 - Payment must be received within 12 hours
 - If any part of entry or payment is received after closing date, it will be considered late, and late fees will apply.
 - Email entries must send in a scanned copy NOT a photograph.
- **CHEQUES** should be made payable to Shirley Guertin. No post-dated cheques, please.
- **ETRANSFERS** should be sent to info@CentaurRidingSchool.com, using code word centaur
 - Please add \$1.00 for email transfer fees
- Entries delivered in any other way may be missed.
- A FEE of \$30.00, plus bank fees, will be charged for cheques returned from the bank for any reason.
- **POST AND LATE ENTRIES:** may be accepted, provided riding times have not been set up. Add \$20.00 flat fee for the show.
- **SCRATCH FEE:** Should a cancellation be necessary no refunds will be given unless the request for same has been given either:
 - before the riding times have been posted - \$35
 - or, between posting and 4:00pm the day preceding show date, \$50
 - Entries paid, less the scratch fee will be refunded to the rider on day of show.
- There are no refunds for "no shows".

PRIZES

SHOW PRIZES

- CLASS RIBBONS sponsored by **Centaur Breeding Farm and J.T. BRADLEY'S COUNTRY CONVENIENCE** will be given to fifth place; if class is large, more ribbons will be awarded.
- Centaur Division Prizes are sponsored by **Horse Canada, CASSIO Ribbons, OADG of Cadora, GreenHawk, Centaur Breeding Farm**
- Division CHAMPIONSHIP RIBBONS are sponsored by **HEP**. Ties will be broken as such: Dressage by highest dressage score; Hunters by best equitation o/f placing. Must be a minimum of 3 horses in a division for championship to be awarded.
- Point system used to determine Division Awards will be:
1st place= 6 points, 2nd place= 4 pnts; 3rd place= 3 pnts; 4th place=2 pnts; 5th place= 1 point.

OESS YEAR-END AWARDS on October 20

There will be special award ceremonies conducted throughout the day at the last show of the year – October 20 at Centaur - for each OESS division.

Year-End Points Calculations:

- Must attend a minimum of 4 shows
- Points at all shows will count (if you ride in all 6 shows, points from each show will count)
- Must be a minimum of 3 people entered in a division for Year-end medals and ribbons to be awarded

Top Ten eligible riders will receive awards. If you know you will be winning something, but cannot be present, please send a representative.

- Top Three will receive Medals – Gold – Silver - Bronze
- Top Ten will each receive a special ribbon
- Gold medal winner will also receive a special award.

Meet You On The Podium!



OESS YEAR-END AWARDS POINT SYSTEM

1st place = 6 pts; 2nd = 4 pts; 3rd = 3 pts; 4th = 2 pts; 5th = 1pt.
TOTAL = Placing points x # of entries in class

Points can be earned in all OESS-named classes at all six shows. All scores will be counted towards the year-end awards. Each division (3 dressage and 5 hunter divisions) will receive prizes and ribbons. Please check the OESS Facebook page for current results.

OESS GENERAL RULES & INFORMATION

- Divisions may be split or combined at show secretary's discretion
- In the hunter ring, performing a correct simple change of lead will score higher than a horse on the wrong lead.
- All distances will be on a 12' stride. Riders will not be penalized for adding a stride.
- SECOND refusal in the hunter ring = Elimination. Ask permission from judge to take a courtesy fence on way out of ring.
- Memberships: Owners & riders must be current members of Ontario Equestrian. Photocopies of current membership cards must be sent with entries. For info about OE go to <https://ontarioequestrian.ca/membership/>
- **Acceptance of Risk:** Neither Centaur Riding School, nor Riverview Stables, its volunteers, show organizers, helpers, staff members, or their families shall in any way be held responsible for any accident, injury, death, damage or loss of property of any competitor or visitor to show sites. An Acceptance of Risk form must be signed by each competitor and horse owner.
- Commonly accepted practices in each discipline will govern. Please ask horse show management if you have any questions, keeping in mind that some modifications may be made to allow for the inexperience of some competitors.
- A copy of a current year negative Coggins Test for each horse must accompany entries. No exceptions.
- Every person mounted on a horse must wear an ASTM approved riding helmet properly fastened at all times they are mounted on a horse, as well as proper riding footwear.
- Riders must wear their numbers at all times while riding.
- Only "legal" bits will be allowed.
- If a horse is observed to be lame, sick, unsound or in distress, the judge or the show organizer will excuse the horse from further classes.
- A rider falling off in the show ring is immediately excused. Re-mounting in the show ring is not allowed. This includes the warm-up round
- In order for show day to run quickly and efficiently rings will only be held for rider and horse conflicts. **Rings will not be held for Coaching conflicts.**
- It is the Rider's responsibility to enter divisions for which qualified. If incorrect division is entered and this is only noticed later on in season, all points earned in incorrect division will be forfeited.
- See the OESS Facebook page to keep up-to-date, and to see show results.
- Each year we have more children who are over-mounted at the shows. Probably their mounts are fine at home, but put them on the show grounds, away from home, with lots of other horses, AND their rider is nervous and we have had some close calls. This year we are asking judges and committee members to eliminate any riders we believe are unable to control their horses/ponies. This will be a very unfortunate situation for a child with all sorts of dreams. So TRAINERS/PARENTS please make sure that all riders are prepared for the show and suitably mounted. Let's make sure that all riders have a good time.
- These shows are geared towards non-professional riders. We encourage coaches, trainers and more seasoned competitors to enter the Open Hunter Division and Open Dressage Classes.

ESD GENERAL RULES & INFORMATION

- The dressage portion of this competition is a provincially sanctioned schooling.
- In order to qualify for OADG awards, both the rider and the owner of the horse (if different) must be members of the OADG by May 31 2018, or prior first show entered.
 - For awards: full information can be obtained on the OADG website: <http://www.ottawadressage.ca/awards>

CENTAUR GENERAL RULES & INFORMATION

- **STABLING:** The cost is \$45/day per stall. No stall sharing. No refunds in case of a scratch. Add \$20 for overnight fee if arriving after 5:00 pm on previous day.
- No Dogs please.
- Hors Concours entries may be accepted at Centaur's discretion. Please call ahead.
- A limit will be placed on the number of entries accepted. If you have entered late, please verify with the show secretary to ensure your entry has been accepted. Please **DO NOT ASSUME** that a faxed late entry will be automatically accepted.
- All fees must be paid before show closing date. This rule will be strictly adhered to. In case of rain, the show will still be held, with over fences classes being held indoors.
- In case of unforeseen circumstances necessitating the cancellation of the show, the show will be held on an alternate date and all entries will be automatically forwarded to said date. If rider needs to scratch see "Scratch rule".
- For questions about the Centaur shows, contact show secretary Shirley Guertin at 613-835-2237, or better yet email at info@centaurridingschool.com

WHERE TO FIND FURTHER INFORMATION

- www.CentaurRidingSchool.com in the horse shows Section
- The "Centaur Riding School" FaceBook page will have current information and messages regarding this and all Centaur shows. Pictures after the shows will also be posted on our FB page.
- The OESS FB page. Additional information, including Year-end OESS Standings, will be posted on the "Ottawa East Show Series" FB group - <https://www.facebook.com/groups/380823998673558/>.

For Centaur Riders

Please refer to the "2018 Showing Costs" price list for show fees (horse lease and coaching).

OESS SHOW DATES

Riverview Stables – May 5 June 2 August 18
Centaur Riding School – July 21 September 29 October 20

REFRESHMENTS ON SHOW GROUNDS

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ZAK'S GRAINCART

On the menu will be beverages (pop, tea, coffee, etc.), snacks (muffins, candy, cookies and other baked goods), as well as a couple of meal type items (chili, sausages, hotdogs, homemade sandwiches) (ZAK is for Zoe Ava Katy, the three young ladies who are fundraising and working hard to help support their horsey horse showing habit. Please support them)