



CELEBRATING DRESSAGE IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH OUR EVENT PARTNER

**OFF THE TRACK WA**

WE PRESENT

**“THE INVITATIONAL 2022”**

FOR HORSES AND PONIES FROM MEDIUM TO ADVANCED

AND THE

**OFF THE TRACK WA DRESSAGE CHALLENGE**

ALSO INCORPORATING THE

**2022 PENNY HILL PARK STUD RISING STAR AWARDS**

**AND THE 2022 FEI SHOWCASE**

Plus PARA EQUESTRIAN (FEI AND EA) CLASSES

**Saturday and Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022**  
**State Equestrian Centre Brigadoon**

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**ENTRIES CLOSE:**

**9pm WST Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2022**

ENTRIES VIA:

[www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)

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### PENNY HILL PARK, INVITATIONAL AND SHOWCASE CLASSES

1. 2022 Penny Hill Park Stud Rising Star Award – Novice 2C
2. 2022 Penny Hill Park Stud Pony Rising Star Award – Novice 2C
3. The Invitational Final Competitor Preliminary 1C
4. The Invitational Final Pony Preliminary 1C
5. The Invitational Final Competitor Novice 2C
6. The Invitational Final Pony Novice 2C
7. The Invitational Final Competitor Elementary 3C
8. The Invitational Final Pony Elementary 3C
9. The Invitational Final Competitor Medium 4C
10. The Invitational Final Pony Medium 4C
11. The Invitational Final Competitor Advanced 5C
12. The Invitational Final Pony Advanced 5C
13. FEI Showcase FEI Prix St George (inc Pony)
14. FEI Showcase FEI Intermediare I (inc Pony)
15. FEI Showcase Intermediate A
16. FEI Showcase FEI Grand Prix

### OFF THE TRACK WA CHALLENGE CLASSES

17. Off the Track WA Preparatory Test A
18. Off the Track WA Preparatory Test B
19. Off the Track WA Preliminary Test 1A
20. Off the Track WA Preliminary Test 1B
21. Off the Track WA Novice Test 2A
22. Off the Track WA Novice Test 2B

## PARA EQUESTRIAN CLASSES (FEI AND EA)

23. A. Grade I FEI Individual Test  
B. Grade I FEI Team Test
24. A. Grade II FEI Individual Test  
B. Grade II FEI Team Test
25. A. Grade III FEI Individual Test  
B. Grade III FEI Team Test
26. A. Grade IV FEI Individual Test  
B. Grade IV FEI Team Test
27. A. Grade V FEI Individual Test  
B. Grade V FEI Team Test
28. A. EA Grade 1 – Choose your 1<sup>st</sup> test  
B. EA Grade 1 – Choose your 2<sup>nd</sup> test
29. A. EA Grade 2 – Choose your 1<sup>st</sup> test  
B. EA Grade 2 – Choose your 2<sup>nd</sup> test
30. A. EA Grade 3 – Choose your 1<sup>st</sup> test  
B. EA Grade 3 – Choose your 2<sup>nd</sup> test
31. A. EA Grade 4 – Choose your 1<sup>st</sup> test  
B. EA Grade 4 – Choose your 2<sup>nd</sup> test
32. A. EA Grade 5 – Choose your 1<sup>st</sup> test  
B. EA Grade 5 – Choose your 2<sup>nd</sup> test

## ENTRY FEES & OTHER COSTS

Classes 1 and 2	\$45.00 (Inc GST) per test
Classes 3 to 12	\$55.00 (inc GST) per test
Classes 13 to 16	\$77.00 (inc GST) per test
Classes 17 to 22	\$40.00 (Inc GST) per test
Classes 23 to 32	\$65.00 (inc GST) per test

DDF Levy	\$8.80 per test to a max of \$14.40 (inc GST)
Volunteer Levy	\$40.00 (inc GST) per horse
Emergency Levy	\$7.70 (inc GST) per horse
Ground Fees	\$16.50 (inc GST) per horse per day

## ELIGIBILITY

### A. PENNY HILL PARK STUD RISING STAR AWARDS

For classes 1 and 2 – please refer to the eligibility criteria published on the Dressage Western Australia website under the Penny Hill Park Stud Rising Star Award. A list of qualified combinations will be published to the page – go to [www.dressagewa.org](http://www.dressagewa.org)

For Class 1 – a total of 18 places will be made available for entry. This will include 3 reserve combinations (details of which will also be published as above) and those combinations may enter the class (and are encouraged to do so) and will be called upon in order of qualification should other combinations not take up the opportunity to enter or scratch in the lead up to the Event.

If the reserve combinations are not called upon to take place in the Event – entries fees will be refunded in full by the Event Organiser.

### B. THE INVITATIONAL 2022 For Classes 3 to 12– please refer to the list of qualified combinations published on the Dressage Western Australia website – [www.dressagewa.org](http://www.dressagewa.org)

IMPORTANT NOTE – the last competition available to secure an invitation to this event will take place in Busselton on the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> November 2022 – final invitees will be published ASAP post this competition.

### C. FEI SHOWCASE AND PARA EQUESTRIAN For Classes 13 to 16 and then 23 to 32 – aside from eligibility requirements prescribed by the current FEI and Australian Dressage Rules to complete at a designated level, these classes are open to all entrants.

### D. OFF THE TRACK WA DRESSAGE CHALLENGE CLASSES For the Off the Track WA Classes 17 to 22 – all riders must be members of Equestrian Western Australia or hold a Equestrian Western Australia Adult Rider Club membership. All horses MUST hold an OTT passport and evidence of same to be provided at time of entry.



*PENNY HILL PARK*  
WARMBLOOD STUD

## PRIZES AND AWARDS

For Classes 1 and 2 (Penny Hill Park Stud Rising Star Award Finals):

- A. All entrants will receive finalist sashes;
- B. The winner and placegetters to 6<sup>th</sup> will receive a commemorative rosette/ribbon/sash;
- C. The winner will receive a commemorative embroidered rug;
- D. The runner up will receive a commemorative award to be confirmed prior to the Event;
- E. A Perpetual Trophy will be displayed at the Equestrian Western Australia Office with the names of the successful winners engraved on it; and
- F. Other prizes to be supplied by sponsors etc to be advised from time to time leading up to the Event.

For Classes 3 to 12 (The Invitational Finals – Competitor and Pony):

- A. All entrants will receive finalist stable plaques for The Invitational 2022;
- B. The winner and placegetters to 6<sup>th</sup> will receive a rosette/ribbon/sash;
- C. The winner will receive a commemorative embroidered rug (conditional upon receipt of at least 2 entries in each individual class);
- D. The runner up will receive a commemorative rosette or sash; and
- E. Other prizes to be supplied by sponsors etc to be advised from time to time leading up to the Event.

For Classes 13 to 16 (FEI Showcase):

- A. The winner and placegetters to 6<sup>th</sup> will receive a rosette/ribbon/sash;
- B. The winner will receive a commemorative embroidered rug (conditional upon receipt of more than 2 entries in each individual class);
- C. The runner up will receive a commemorative trophy; and
- D. Other prizes to be supplied by sponsors etc to be advised from time to time leading up to the Event.

For Classes 17 to 22 (Off the Track WA Dressage Challenge):

- A. A championship and runner up will be awarded at Preparatory, Preliminary and Novice levels (the championships to be calculated as per the current ADR);
- B. Each Champion will receive a rosette, \$100.00 cash and an Off the Track WA gift bag; and
- C. Each Reserve Champion will receive rosette and \$50.00 cash; plus
- D. Off the Track WA will offer a 30% rebate on registration costs for the Event for those Off the Track riders travelling 150 kms or more to reach the Event.

For Classes 23 to 32 (Para Equestrian Classes FEI and EA):

- A. The winner and placegetters to 3<sup>rd</sup> will receive a rosette/ribbon/sash.
- B. Other prizes to be supplied by sponsors etc to be advised from time to time by Para Equestrian Western Australia leading up to the Event.

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2022

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022

<u>TIME</u>	<u>CLASS(ES)</u>	<u>ARENA</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>CLASS(ES)</u>	<u>ARENA</u>
9:00am	FEI ParaEquestrian Classes 23 to 27	Indoor Arena	8:00am	Invitational Final Classes 4 & 9 – Novice 2C	International Arena
10:00am	EA ParaEquestrian Classes 28 to 32	Indoor Arena	8:30am	Invitational Final Classes 6 & 11- Medium 4C	Indoor Arena
10:30am	Arena Drag/Break	Indoor Arena	11:30am	Invitational Final Classes 3 & 8 – Preliminary 1C	International Arena
11:00am	Class 13 FEI Prix St George	Indoor Arena	Midday	FEI Intermediate 1 – Class 14	Indoor Arena
1:00pm	Penny Hill Park Riding Star Award Final	Indoor Arena	1:45pm	Invitational Final Classes 7 & 12 – Advanced 5C	Indoor Arena
4:00pm	Class 16 – FEI Grand Prix	Indoor Arena	2:30pm	Invitational Final Class 5 – Elementary 3C	International Arena
4:20pm	PRESENTATIONS (Penny Hill Park Rising Star Award Final – Mounted)	Indoor Arena	3:15pm	Invitational Final Class 10 – Elementary 3C	Indoor Arena
9:00am	Off the Track WA Classes 17 and 18 Preparatory Tests A and B	International Arena	9:00am	Off the Track WA Class 21 – Novice 2A	Grass Arena
Midday	Off the Track WA Classes 19 and 20 Preliminary Tests 1A & 1B	International Arena	Midday	Off the Track WA – Class 22 Novice 2B	Grass Arena

FINAL PRESENTATIONS FOR ALL CLASSES HELD ON SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER 2022 WILL BE HELD IN THE UPSTAIRS BAR AREA AT THE STATE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE FROM APPROX 4:30PM



## **VOLUNTEERS AND THE VOLUNTEER LEVY**

In 2022, Dressage WA are excited to present the inaugural Invitational Event. We hope to provide riders with a positive competition experience in a welcoming environment. To this end – we have retained our revamped volunteer levy and process from the 2022 WA State Dressage Championships given the positive feedback we received post this Event.

The volunteer levy for 2022 is \$40 per horse and is non-refundable.

This is to allow riders the option of focusing on the competition and their equine partner(s).

However – the Organising Committee will need a huge amount of volunteer assistance to deliver a professional competition to you, the riders. Volunteer positions are paid positions at \$20 per hour so your levy will cover the cost of these volunteers. Plus, you have the option of volunteering yourself and receiving a reimbursement of your levy. Plus ! Please encourage friends and family to volunteer as well. We will need pencilers, a marshall, manure collectors etc etc . A volunteer register will be published via the website prior to the Event and Dressage WA committee member, Georgia Grose will co-ordinate the allocation of helper duties.

## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

### **1. ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE:**

- 1.1 Initially – please refer to the Schedule Herein and to the Dressage WA website;
- 1.2 Horses and ponies may only compete in a maximum of 2 competitions per horse per day;
- 1.3 For classes 1 through to 12, the horse or pony may only be ridden in the Final by the rider that qualified the horse or pony for that class;
- 1.4 As classes 1 through to 12 are by invitation only, they are considered restricted (not official). Grading points will therefore not be available and it is permissible to compete the horse or pony at the level at which it is qualified even it may now have been graded out of that level.
- 1.5 In the event that a third party believes that any horse or pony is not entitled to be compete in any class, then a query **MUST** be filed with the Organising Committee (via email to [heidi@mackinlays.com.au](mailto:heidi@mackinlays.com.au)) within 48 hours of the Provisional Draw being published to the Dressage Western Australia website. Protests made during the Event will attract a protest fee of AUD\$150.00, which will only be refunded if the protest is upheld.

## 2. TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### RULES

Except where otherwise stated, the Event will be conducted in accordance with the current Australian Dressage Rules (and Regulations) ("the ADR"), Equestrian Australia General Regulations and all other Equestrian Australia policies and by-laws, the FEI Dressage Rules ("FEI Rules") and FEI Statutes, General Regulations and Veterinary Regulations.

Competitors are advised to be aware of the current Rules. The onus is on the rider to know the Rules under which they compete.

The ADR and Dressage Tests may be downloaded from the EA web site: <https://www.equestrian.org.au/Dressage-rules>

The FEI Dressage Rules and Tests can be downloaded from the FEI website: [www.fei.org](http://www.fei.org)

### BRIDLE NUMBERS

Two bridle numbers (as per listed competition number in program/draw), and stallion discs for stallions must be worn on each side of the horse (either on bridle or saddle cloth) at all times whenever the horse is out of the stable.

Riders are asked to provide their own bridle numbers.

### SWABBING

Swabbing may take place as per the ADR and the Equestrian Australian Medication Control Policy.

### IDENTIFICATION

In accordance with Equestrian Australia General Regulations Article 137 – Horse Registration and Identification – riders/owners must have with them at the Competition their Rider and Horse Registration Papers, as well as any current Height Certificates as appropriate.

### WITHDRAWALS

No competitor shall withdraw from any class within 8 hours of its commencement without permission of the Event Director.

A written statement giving reasons for the withdrawal must be handed to the Event Director prior to the commencement of the competition. Penalty for non-compliance - maximum fine of \$A200.00.

Because of reserve lists and possible distances to be travelled by reserve riders, all riders are asked to consider their fellow competitors and notify the Event Director as soon as possible of their intention to withdraw .

During the course of the Competition from 8:00am Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2022 to 5:30pm Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022, competitors who withdraw from a class or classes must complete a withdrawal form (available from the Volunteer Desk) and hand it to either the Volunteer Co-Ordinator or the Event Director prior to the class commencing.

### OBJECTIONS AND APPEALS

Protests and Appeals to the Ground Jury must be in writing and accompanied by a fee of \$150.00. Attention is drawn to Rule 1.5 of the ADR and the Equestrian Australia General Regulations 165/166. No deposit required for protests concerning abuse. FEI



appeals – refer FEI General Regulations Art 167, 170, 171. They must be in writing and accompanied by a deposit of 150 SFR (approx. \$200.00 Aud).

#### AWARDS AND PRIZES

See details herein.

#### PRESENTATIONS

Indoor Arena: Any presentations in the indoor arena will be mounted. Combinations must be in competition attire, white bandages or boots on horses for safety are permitted.

Bar Area adjacent to the Ocean Foam Room: These presentations will be un-mounted. Riders to present in full competition attire (boots and helmets required).

Riders must check their Event emails leading up to the Event for further details of the Presentation Schedule, the Score Board on the day and/or Event Website (DWA) for times and locations of presentations. The Volunteer Desk will also have details to the Presentation Schedule.

RIDERS MUST BE AVAILABLE FOR PRESENTATIONS unless you have received the express written consent of the Event Director not to be (ie for travel reasons or other serious considerations)

#### PRIZEMONEY AND PRIZES

In the case of a tie, prize money will be allocated as per the normal practice (eg =1st place - the amount of prize money allocated for 1st and 2nd place is added together and divided by two)

Prize Money will be paid to the owner/s of the prize winning horses and given out at the official presentation. It must be collected on the day, otherwise it will be forfeited to the Event. Prize money is GST inclusive Prizes are to the value of and may be cash/vouchers or product.

#### MEMBERSHIP and HORSE and PONY REGISTRATION

Save for horses and ponies entered in the Off the Track Challenge classes, all horses and ponies must be registered with Equestrian Australian and hold a current Competition Licence; owners and riders must be registered and financial with an Equestrian Australia State Branch.

Horses must compete under their full registered name. The Organising Committee has the right to abbreviate a horse's name for printing purposes. EA membership numbers must be shown on the entry form.

Registration numbers must be shown on entry form.

Horses entered in the Off the Track Challenge classes must hold a valid Off the Track passport and provide details of same at the time of entry via [www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au)

#### AGE

Riders must be 10 years of age and over on the day of competition, except for ponies where riders must be 8 years and over on the day of competition.

#### OTHER

Each horse entered must have the same rider as nominated on the entry form for all competitions.

No horse may compete with two riders.

Any change of rider must be notified to the Event Director at least 8 hours before the commencement of the Competition.

### EXEMPTION CARDS

Para-Equestrian entrants and/or entrants using modified equipment/gear or for exemption from sitting/rising trot, etc. must provide their Equestrian Australian Exemption Cards or Letters at time of entry. These must be carried by the Rider at all times.

### SADDLERY AND EQUIPMENT

As per the current ADR or FEI rules, where appropriate.

### HELMETS

Helmets must be worn at all times whilst mounted and must be clearly 'yellow' tagged as per the current ADR or FEI Rules.

### ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE/QUALIFICATION

For classes 13 to 16 and 23 to 32, horses or ponies may only compete at their graded level or higher.

Ponies are only eligible to compete in pony classes. **section herein.**

### ENTRIES

Your entry via [www.nominate.com.au](http://www.nominate.com.au) will deem you to have accepted the Terms and Conditions of this Event and you will be expected to abide by them prior due, during and post Competition.

### LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Riders and/or owners whose entries have been accepted will undertake to indemnify the Organisers against all claims, losses, suits, and damages made against or suffered by the Organisers by reason of any negligent act or omission on the part of any rider, trainer or attendant whilst he is attending, riding or otherwise handling a horse and agrees that act or omission on the part of such rider or attendant found in any action against the Organisers to be negligent, shall be deemed to have been negligent for the purpose of any claim under this indemnity

Entries and the competition program may be limited and revised at the discretion of the Event Director.

The Event Director reserves the right to cancel classes if insufficient entries are received

### REFUNDS

Entry fees will be refunded in full for withdrawals before the closing date of Competition entries;

Save for those entries received from the reserve riders in Class 1 - entry Fees will NOT be refunded after the closing date of entries unless a medical or veterinary certificate supporting the withdrawal from Competition is provided to the Event Director within 24 hours of the completion of the Competition. 70% of entry fees, the volunteer levy and an administration fee of \$10.00 will be retained by the Event Organisers.

### GENERAL INFORMATION—STABLING

For stable bookings – please contact the State Equestrian Centre.

Temporary yards of any kind are NOT ALLOWED for overnight stays.

Competitors must use the stable allocated by the State Equestrian Centre for their horse/s

Horses with behavioural problems in the stables—These MUST be outlined to the State Equestrian Centre management at the time of booking so that stables can be allocated accordingly. This is a risk management and safety matter.

Any obviously empty stables are NOT TO BE USED as feed/tack rooms or for any horse

for which stabling has not been booked.

No one is to enter the stable of another horse without the owner's permission and no one is to feed/water a horse that isn't theirs. If a person has concerns about another competitor's horse or pony, they should go directly to the Event office to report their concerns to the Chief Steward or the Technical Delegate.

#### HORSE FEED AND BEDDING

Horse feed is the responsibility of the competitor.

Contact the State Equestrian Centre for bedding availability/requirements.

CAMPING FACILITIES If you wish to stay on site – please contact the State Equestrian Centre to book a site.

#### ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation cannot be arranged, but the following are suggested:

- Vines Hotel and Resort
- Rose and Crown Hotel

#### CATERING FACILITIES

A food coffee van will be available each day.

#### LIVESTREAMING

Livestreaming may be conducted across various classes during the Competition. Entry of this Competition is deemed as your consent to same taking place.

#### SCOOTERS, ELECTRIC BIKES, BIKES

Are NOT permitted on the grounds of the Competition without the express written consent of the Event Organiser (save for approved mobility vehicles for those with disabilities etc) – consent is only likely to be granted for their use on medical or disability grounds.

#### DOGS AT THE EVENT

It is a State Equestrian Centre ruling that dogs must be on a leash at all times whilst on site. NO dogs are permitted in the Indoor Arena at any time. Please be sympathetic to your fellow competitors if you choose to bring your dog to the Competition as not all horses and ponies (or humans for that matter) are dog friendly.



The Invitational  
2022

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