



VADA/Nova Dressage Schooling and
Championship Show
November 11, 2012



Minimum qualifying scores and tests that will be ridden both to qualify and at the championship show:

Test	Minimum Score
Intro B	65%
Training 3	62%
First 3	60%
Second 3	60%
Third 3	58%
Fourth 3	58%
FEI Levels	58%
Musical freestyle (Training through Grand Prix and Pas de Deux)	63%

Rules for the Championship Class:

1. General VADA/Nova schooling show rules apply
2. All tests must be ridden from memory
3. Proper turn-out is expected, including braiding of horse
4. Whips may not be carried in championship classes
5. For Championship classes only—the warm-up ride can be the same test as the championship ride (i.e. can ride TR 3 as warm-up ride and also TR 3 Championship)
6. Championship classes will be pinned to 8th place.
7. **Horses competing in the championship classes cannot be ridden on the show grounds by anyone other than the rider, at any time during the show—violation of this rule will result in disqualification from the Championship**
8. Riders must receive a score of 55% or higher in order to receive a Champion or Reserve Champion ribbon. Otherwise a regular ribbon will be awarded

An awards ceremony will be held for all championship classes

Note that non-championship classes will also be offered at this show

Day stalls will be available for this show — contact show manager for information

2012 VADA/Nova Championship Schooling Show

Show Date: November 11, 2012
Opening Date: September 10, 2012

Place: Morven Park, Leesburg, VA
Entry Due: October 22, 2012
(NOTE earlier closing date)

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Judges: Susan Graham White (R), Marjorie Davis (r)

Entry Fees: Regular Classes: \$30/test VADA/Nova members, \$40/test non-members
Pas de Deux \$45/test

Championship Class Fees: \$35.00/class (members only) Pas de Deux \$55
Morven Park Grounds Fee \$20/horse

Please note that VADA/Nova member entries and those qualified for the Championship classes will be given priority for this show

If an entry comes in before the opening date, it will be considered received 3 days after the opening date.

Directions: From Beltway/I495: West on Rt. 7 to Leesburg. Take Rt. 15 Bypass north for 2.5 miles. Turn left onto Rt. 740 (Tutt Road). One half mile, turn left into Morven Park driveway.

From Fredericksburg and I-95: North to I-495 toward Dulles Airport. Exit onto Rt. 7 West. Follow directions above. **From Warrenton:** North on Rt. 29 to Rt. 15. Turn left onto Rt. 15 and continue to Leesburg. Take Rt. 15 bypass north. Follow directions above.

To participate in Championship Classes:

The horse/rider combination must meet the following qualifications:

1. Must be a VADA/Nova member at the time the qualifying score is earned
2. **For Intro level only**, must obtain one qualifying score, which **must** be earned at a VADA/Nova schooling show or licensed show—scores from listed shows or non VADA/Nova licensed shows **will not count**.
3. For Training level and above and MFS, must obtain one qualifying score, which **must** be earned at a VADA/Nova schooling show – scores from listed shows, licensed shows or other dressage schooling shows **will not count**.
4. Scores may be earned from January 1, 2011 – October 15, 2011
5. Riders who have qualified for the championship show will have priority in filling available slots at the show
6. Scores **can not** be earned at VADA/Nova licensed shows – this championship is for schooling shows ONLY

Additional qualifying notes:

- If a horse/rider pair has qualified at more than one level, they may only ride in one Championship class, which will be the highest level at which they qualified
- **The same horse/rider combination cannot compete at a level if they have previously won the schooling show championship at that level within the past 2 years**
- **FOR INTRO LEVEL**—Riders who have competed at second level and above are not permitted to ride in the Intro Level championship class