



SADDLE & CANTER

2025 Youth Dressage Championships

24th & 25th January 2025

**Fiber Fresh National
Equestrian Centre**
Rapids Rd Taupo

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NZ YOUTH DRESSAGE FESTIVAL & ESNZ NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2025

2025 Horse of the Year Qualifier

Friday 24th - Saturday 25th January 2025

Fiber Fresh National Equestrian Centre, Rapids Road, Taupo

Entries Close online at www.evoevents.co.nz

8pm Tuesday 7th January 2025

All levels of riders catered for:

Lead Rein Riders 8 yrs & Under (Non-graded - Open)

Youth Riders up to 25 yrs Levels 1-9 (Graded)

Children Pony Riders 12 yrs & Under (Non-graded - Open)

Rider Equitation Championships

Junior Riders 13-21 yrs (Non-graded - Open)

Para Equestrian Dressage Riders

Pony Riders Preliminary to Elementary

FEI Pony (Medium Level) (Graded)

** Note: Three tests per day maximum*



DRESSAGE

Schedule of Classes and Conditions

Event Rules & Conditions

It is the obligation of the Rider or Persons Responsible to read and understand the conditions for this event and abide by those conditions, and those of the waiver and agreement on the Evo Events online entry system. All participants / attendees should note Code of Conduct and Other ESNZ Important Policies for Members: [Please follow the link](#)

FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse: Follow the [link for the full Code of Conduct](#)
In all equestrian sports the horse must be considered paramount. The well-being of the horse shall be above the demands of breeders, trainers, riders, owners, dealers, organisers, sponsors or officials.

Classes & Stabling Allocation

The OC reserves the right to restrict classes to maximum numbers in all classes to ensure the smooth running of the event. Stables and covered yards will be allocated with a preference given to SI travelling horses, Elementary Grade and higher and then by date of entry **PAID**. It is strongly recommended that riders with ponies and horses in Preliminary & Novice and also a higher-grade horse or pony enter and pay as soon as possible if horses need to be together in covered yards. This will be at the discretion of the OC/Stable Manager. No portable stables will be available.

Official Start Time: The official event start time is **3pm Thursday 23rd January 2025**. This is the start time for the period of jurisdiction for all Equestrian Sport New Zealand (ESNZ) General Regulations, Veterinary Regulations and ESNZ Dressage/Para Equestrian rules. All horses and ponies on the grounds after the official start time of the event must be entered at the event or have express permission from the Organising Committee to be on site and will be subject to ground levy and yards fees. Please note Dressage NZ/Para Equestrian rules do not allow the use of prohibited gear from time of arrival on the grounds.

Official finish time: The official finish time will be sixty minutes after the completion of the last class or 60 minutes after the completion of all presentations for the event whichever is the later.

Protests & Complaints: Protests and complaints may be considered by the Ground Jury at an event in accordance with Art 137 of the ESNZ General Regulations. As a guideline only, protests must be lodged within 60 minutes of the completion of the competition to which the protest relates, and a complaint within 60 minutes of the completion of the event. The Ground Jury is the sole judge of time in both cases. For compete rules and official documentation required, please refer to <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/rules-regulations/>

Tests: All tests from the Dressage NZ Test book 2023 or FEI website unless stated otherwise.

Competition Draw: Draw will be available by email and at www.evoevents.co.nz If required, a revised draw and/or start times for the following day's competition will be available each evening in the Riders Area in the Indoor. The OC reserves the right to alter the program to ensure the smooth running of the event. It is the rider's responsibility to check any new times posted.

Rider Briefing: Thursday 23rd January 2025. 6.00 pm, in the Riders Area of the Indoor. All riders' attendance is strongly recommended.

Horse Identification, Yards & Accommodation

1. Horse/Pony ID Numbers (DR Art 477): Approved Horse/Pony official identification numbers must be worn on both sides of the horse/pony at all times during warm up and competition, and when being ridden or led in arena familiarization. ID Tag with Horse Name, Rider phone contact must be worn in or out of the stable/yard at all other times.
2. Please keep wash down bays clean at all times. Washing of horses is limited to wash bays only
3. Moving horses to unallocated yards/paddocks is prohibited.
4. Please use the skips provided for horse waste not rubbish, bins are provided for rubbish.
5. Temporary yards are not permitted.
6. All yards/stables are to be left properly mucked out. Muck skips will be located near the yards.
7. ALL horses/ponies are allocated stables, paddocks or yards. Horses not staying over night will only be allocated open yards.

Riders Assistance :Dressage NZ welcomes your assistance and support. Riders and/or their families or supporters are requested to advise with entries tasks that can be helped with to ensure the smooth running of the event. By completing the Online Volunteer information and contributing to the event means you go into the draw to receive a full entry refund (not including stabling or camping). Please state at time of entry if you can assist with the following tasks, we will take account of riding times.

- **Writer for a class**
- **Test sheet runner**
- **Managing manure indoor and Fiber arenas**
- **Provide Judges Vehicle**

Eligibility of Riders, Horses, Ponies & Combinations: This event is classified as a Regional event (RE) with the exception of the Pony (Medium level FEI Pony classes), Young Rider (FEI Small Tour Classes) and U25CH (FEI Grand Prix Classes) which are classified National Championships (NCH) NCH classes are open to any grade of pony/horse.

Downgraded horses/ponies are eligible to compete in RE classes in their downgraded level but ONLY with the rider specified in the downgrade application. Note that points may only be earned in the AMS Performance League by combinations where riders are an ESNZ Child or Full member and the horse/pony has an Annual Dressage Start.

Ponies competing in pony specific classes may be asked to present height certificates if not available on the ESNZ database.

• Lead Rein Rider 8 years and under.

(Non-Graded classes) Rider must be an ESNZ Child Member, Introductory member, or pay ESNZ Casual Membership online with entries. Riders are eligible from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn five (5) years until they reach the age of eight (8) years as at 24th January 2025. Lead rein ponies must be 138cm or under. Grade of pony unrestricted and may be ESNZ registered or unregistered. Lead rein riders and ponies cannot be entered in any other section of the show. Lead rein riders are those as yet unable to ride without assistance from a leader or attendant in any discipline competition. Rules for Competition (Refer page 17. Annexe 4 of ESNZ Dressage rules). Tests can be found at www.nzpca.org under First Start Competition.

• Child Pony Rider 12 years and under.

(Non-Graded classes) Rider must be an ESNZ Child Member, Introductory member, or pay ESNZ Casual Membership online with entries. Riders age of twelve (12) years at the 26th January 2024 and under are eligible. May only compete on a pony 148cm or under. Grade of pony unrestricted and may be ESNZ registered or unregistered. Riders may not enter in graded classes but may enter Equitation Class.

• Pony Riders.

(Graded classes). Rider must be an ESNZ Child or Full Member. Preliminary classes riders may have introductory membership. Riders are eligible from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn five (5) until they reach the age of sixteen (16) years, but if a rider turned seventeen (17) years on or after 1 August 2023 they may compete in this section. Pony must be ESNZ registered, and have Annual Dressage Start or pay \$5 per class Dressage Flexi start fee with online entry. Exception - Ponies in the Pony Championship (FEI Pony Classes <Medium level) must have a Dressage Annual Start.

• Junior Riders.

(Non-Graded classes) Rider must be an ESNZ Child, Introductory or Full Member or pay ESNZ Casual Membership online with entries. Riders thirteen (13) yrs as at 26 January 2024 until they reach the age of twenty-one years. If a rider turned 21 on or after 1 August 2023 they may compete in this section. May compete on a horse or a pony, which may be ESNZ registered or unregistered. Riders in this section may not compete in any graded class at the event. (Equitation classes are non-graded) Grade of horse/pony unrestricted and may be ESNZ registered or unregistered. If unregistered must pay ESNZ Horse Casual Registration fee online with entries

• Young Riders.

Rider must be an ESNZ Child, Introductory member (for Preliminary classes only) or Full Member. Riders must be on horses except riders who exceed the pony rider age eligibility may compete on a pony in this section. Riders are eligible from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn twelve (12) years until they reach the age of twenty-one (21). If a rider turned 21 on or after 1 August 2022, they may compete in this section. Horse/Pony be ESNZ registered and have Annual Dressage Start or pay Dressage flexi start fee of \$5 per class.

• Youth Riders.

Rider must be an ESNZ Child, Introductory member (for Preliminary classes only) or Full Member. Riders must be on horses except riders who exceed the pony rider age eligibility may compete on a pony in this section. Riders are eligible from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn twelve (12) years until they reach the age of twenty-five (25). If a rider turned 25 on or after 1 August 2023, they may compete in this section. Horse/Pony be ESNZ registered and have Annual Dressage Start or pay Dressage Flexi start fee of \$5 per class.

Equal Placings

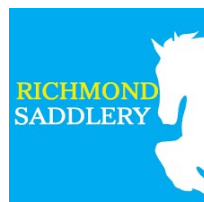
1. In the case of equality in any qualifying class, the higher collective marks will determine the higher placing
2. If the competitors are still equal then the higher co-efficient marks will determine the placings
3. If there is still an equality of points, the competitors are given the same placing
4. In Freestyle competitions the higher artistic marks will determine the higher placing. If there is still an equality of points, the competitors are given the same placing

Presentation of Prizes

1. There will be no prize money awarded at the event.
2. Rosettes will be awarded in all classes 1st to 4th place.
3. Rosettes will not be awarded to riders that do not attend scheduled prize giving. Presentation times will be advised in the riders notes. No Rosettes/Championship sashes/covers will be posted after the event

Championships Presentations & Points

1. Lead Rein 8 years and Under Champion & Reserve Sashes and Rug for Champion.
2. 12 years and Under Champion & Reserve Sashes and Rug for Champion.
3. Pony Champions Rug / Sash for Champions & Reserve Sash plus Hyland Trophy for FEI Level Pony National Champion
4. Junior Rider 13 years to 21 years Champion & Reserve Sashes and Rug for Champion.
5. Young Rider/Youth (Combined): Rug/Sash for Champions & Reserve Sash (all grades)
6. Waldebago Trophy Top placed Young Rider in Small Tour and KH Arvan Trophy for Top Place Combined Youth/Young Rider in Grand Prix.
6. Classes marked Q in the schedule of classes will count for level championship.
7. Points will be awarded, 1st 20, 2nd 18, and so on down to 10th place.
8. In the event of a tie the horse with highest % in the 'b' test will be the winner - except for Small/Med/Big Tour where classes 701, 801, 902 will be the decider, 13 for the Child pony rider (sec 11), 22 for Lead rein, and 606 for FEI Junior Rider. If there is still a tie the highest average percentage wins.



Event Conditions

1. All competitions will be run under current ESNZ GR's, VR's & ESNZ Rules for ESNZ Dressage/Para Equestrian.
2. Riders in graded classes may not enter any non-graded class. Exceptions: Equitation classes
3. The OC reserves the right to alter the programme/schedule within the ESNZ GR's/ESNZ Dressage rules.
4. Horses/Ponies may only be entered for qualifiers for one Level of Championship
5. Registered horses and ponies - ESNZ identification numbers must be worn at all times, including warmup. Non registered ponies will be issued a saddle blanket number which must be displayed on both sides of the horse/pony.
6. ID Tag with Horse Name, Rider phone contact must be worn in or out of the stable/yard at all other times. Any persons responsible must be on the grounds at all times, otherwise an alternative person responsible must be notified to the Office in penalty of elimination.
7. Stallions & Handlers/Owners/Persons Responsible must comply with ESNZ Article 133 and stallions must be housed in stable at all times when not being ridden or hand-walked.

Rider Equitation Championships

These classes will be judged based on the riders' ability to influence the horse's way of going, effectiveness of the aids, accuracy, security of seat, balance and position.
Open to any pony/horse and rider age 25 years and under (registered or not)

Tests

- **Fledgling** - 12 years and under. Test - British Dressage Fledgling Rider Test 1 (2005) equivalent DNZ Preliminary.
Riders twelve (12) years and under as at 26 January 2024.
- **Junior** - 13 years - 21 years. Test - British Dressage C Squad Rider Test 1 (2010) equivalent DNZ Level Novice. Riders thirteen (13) years as at 26 January 2025 until they reach the age of twenty-one years. If a rider turned 21 on or after 1 August 2024 they may compete in this section.
- **Intermediate** - Riders 25 years and under who have never earned grading points higher than Medium level at date of close of entries. Test - British Dressage B Squad Rider Test 2 (2011) equivalent DNZ Elementary. Riders are eligible from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn twelve (12) years until they reach the age of twenty-five (25). If a rider turned 25 on or after 1 August 2024, they may compete in this section.

Tests available from Angela Nobilo u25dressage@gmail.com

Conditions

1. May compete on a horse or pony
2. Riders may compete on downgraded ponies/horses
3. Only one entry per rider
4. Only 20 entries will be taken in each level and in the case of excessive entries balloting may occur
5. Tests may not be commanded
6. Must be ridden in a snaffle bridle

North/South Island Teams Event Sponsored by **Richmond Saddlery** For the York Corporation Challenge Trophy, Riders selected by ESNZ Dressage Selectors.





Pony, Young & Youth Rider Performance League Conditions 2024-2025

Eligibility

ESNZ Rider Membership Requirements for Series: Entries will not be accepted without registration as follows

Preliminary: Riders must have an ESNZ Introductory, Child or Full Competitive registration.

Novice and Above: Riders must have an ESNZ Full Competitive registration.

ESNZ Horse Registration Requirements for Series

Participating horses and ponies must be ESNZ registered and have an Annual Dressage Start (purchased on Horse Reg).

Downgraded horses/ponies may only compete in their original grade (refer DG rules eff 1 August 2024).

Horses/ponies may be entered in any level for which they are eligible as per the grading rules.

Riders who are not eligible to compete in any pony division may compete in the Young Rider or Youth section on a pony.

Riders may only enter one section on the same mount but can contest more than one level within that section. A rider 16yrs or under may enter a horse in the horse division and a pony in the pony division

Entries & Conditions

Riders must nominate which levels they wish to enter on www.evoevents.co.nz by 1 December 2024.

Combinations may contest more than one level at an event.

Riders may contest the league on more than one mount.

National Sections – you may only enter one section but can contest more than one level within that section.

1: Pony Rider Levels - 16 years or under at 31 July 2024

Preliminary

Novice

Elementary

Medium and above combined

National Pony League Champion – all combinations entered in Pony Rider Section

2: Young Rider Levels - 20 years or under at 31 July 2024

Preliminary

Novice

Elementary

Medium

Advanced Medium

Advanced

Small Tour

National Young Rider League Champion – all combinations entered in Young Rider Section

3: Youth Rider Levels

Preliminary to Small Tour

Riders must be 21 to 25yrs at 31 July 2024

Medium Tour & Grand Prix

Riders must be 16 to 25yrs at 31 July 2024 National Youth Rider League Champion – all combinations entered in Youth Rider Section

Scoring

Points will be allocated from all graded classes at Premier League Events and the NZ Under 25 Championships /Youth Festival

Maximum 10 best combination scores will count for the final league points.

Combinations competing in more than one level will have their top 10 scores across all levels carried forward for final points classification for determining the National winner. Eg if a combination scores 16 pts in Preliminary and 16 pts in Novice their total score of 32 will determine the national winner. The points will remain at 16 in each grade for the purpose of determining the level winner.

In the event of a tie at any level, the combination with the highest average percentage from the top ten scores will be deemed the winner.

In the event of a tie for the national awards the highest level will be deemed the winner.

League Points will be allocated as follows.

Percentage	Points:	Medium—Advanced Medium	Advanced - Grand Prix
	Preliminary—Elementary		
Less than 57%	4	5	6
57 – 59.99%	5	6	7
60 – 64.999%	6	7	8
65 to 69.999%	7	8	9
70% plus	8	9	10

PRIZES:

Pony Riders

Preliminary, Novice, Elementary, Medium and above combined Winners - Winner's sash and \$100 AMS Saddlery Voucher for every level.

National Winner - The combination with the highest points wins a \$150 AMS Voucher, Trophy and Sash.

Young Riders

Preliminary, Novice, Elementary, Medium, Advanced Medium, Advanced, Small Tour Winners - Winner's sash and \$100 AMS Saddlery Voucher for every level

National Winner - The combination with the highest points wins a \$150 AMS Saddlery Voucher, Trophy and Sash.

Youth Riders

Preliminary to Small Tour combined and Medium Tour & Grand Prix combined Winners - Winner's sash and \$100 AMS Saddlery Voucher for every level

National Winner - The combination with the highest points wins a \$150 AMS Saddlery Voucher, Trophy and Sash.

Presentations

The National Pony, Young Rider and Youth Rider presentations will be made at the Dressage NZ Awards Dinner 2025. Date and venue to be confirmed.

Area Teams Event

1. Open to teams from areas affiliated to Equestrian Sports NZ.
2. Riders on borrowed horses may compete in Area Teams
3. If any area cannot nominate a full team, they may nominate a combined area (or Island) team using a rider from outside of their area (providing that rider is not required for their own area team)
4. Team entry must be submitted by 5pm 16th January 2024 by email to angela:
u25dressage@gmail.com
5. Teams must be nominated by area dressage groups and entry form signed by an area official.
6. Ungraded teams can be made up of four riders from any area and level.
7. For full conditions see entry form page 14.

Best Performed Hanoverian Awards

1. Two awards - Levels 1-4 and Level 5 and above, will be presented at the Championships.
2. Award open to horses registered with the NZ Hanoverian Society
3. Winners must be Champion or Reserve Champion in their grade and must be nominated at time of entry.

Sponsors

We ask that all competitors spend some time to thank our sponsors that support Dressage and Para Equestrian, either in writing (Sponsors contact details will be listed on the event program) or in person during the show. Without the generous sponsorship we receive, the cost to competitors would be considerable.

Event Reception Opening Hours

The Event Reception is in the Indoor, all queries to this area.

Thursday 23rd January 12.00pm - 6.00pm

Friday 24th January 7.30am - 6.00pm

Saturday 25th January 7.30am - 4.00pm

Competition Arena Use & Familiarization

All competition arenas are closed at all times except as stated below. Check Rider notes with draw for any revised times.

Thursday 24th January 3.00pm - 5.30pm

Friday 25th January 7.00am - 7.30am

Horses may be hand walked or ridden at walking pace around the exterior of the competition arenas unless advised otherwise by the Technical Delegate. No horses in these areas outside of these times. Designated warm up arena is open 7am - 7pm. Horses may only be schooled in the designated warm up arena. Any person leading a horse in an arena familiarisation, must be wearing a correctly fitting yellow tagged helmet. All horses being lead must be wearing a bridle with a permitted bit, and with two bridle numbers. A newmarket lead may replace the reins for this purpose.

Contact Phone Numbers

For Emergencies Dial 111

Medical - Taupo Medical Centre Ltd, 117 Heu Heu Street, Taupo 3330, (07) 378 4080

Local Vet - Taupo Veterinary Centre, 3 Oruanui Street, Taupo, 07 378 5433

Farrier - Please see Event Office

Feed Supply - Taupo Equestrian Supplies, 55 Titan Way, Rotokawa, Taupo - (07) 377 8370

Event Manager - Angela Nobilo 0273130020
Stable Manager - Jos Gresham 0273 221 717

Venue Rules

1. Competitors and spectators attending this event do so at their own risk
2. No smoking/vaping in any buildings or in yard/stable areas
3. Neither the National Equestrian Centre, ESNZ, Dressage NZ, ESNZ Para Equestrian or nor any representative of these bodies, accepts any liability for any loss, damage, injury or illness to horse, pony, rider, spectators, land, vehicles or any personal property whether caused by their negligence or breach of contract in any way.
4. The National Equestrian Centre, ESNZ, Dressage NZ or ESNZ Para Equestrian shall not be liable for the safety of any goods/equipment or the loss of, or damage to such goods and equipment, brought in/stored at the venue, during the period of use.
5. Any damage to the National Equestrian Centre facilities to be reported immediately to the Event Office.
6. ESNZ Tagged safety helmets must be worn at all times when schooling and competing.
7. All horses and ponies on the grounds must be entered at the event unless prior arrangement has been made with the Organising Committee.

Dogs

1. Dogs must be kept in the truck park at all times
2. No dogs are allowed in any stable or yarding areas, warm up, competition areas or buildings
3. Dogs may be exercised on the cross country course only
4. Failure to adhere to these rulings will result in a complete dog ban for 2024
5. The dog must be on a lead at all times
6. The owner of the dog will be responsible for the cost of any damage/harm caused by the dog at the competition.

Camp Sites

1. Parking and camping areas may be defined.
2. Limited powered sites are available in the truck park.
3. Any persons found plugging their truck/float/camper into power sockets in the ablution block or other illegal connection will be asked to leave the venue
4. Please be tidy and use bins for all rubbish

Vehicles & Motorbikes - including bicycles, ebikes and scooters

1. Speed limit for all vehicles 15 kph.
2. Motorbikes may not be used after 8.30 pm and must be used in accordance with normal road rules. Any competitor contravening these rules will be fined and immediately eliminated from any further participation in the show.
3. Helmets must be worn in accordance to road rules.
4. Joy riding on any part of the grounds at any time will not be tolerated. Junior drivers (under 16yrs) must only use motorbikes and ebikes under parental supervision

Interislander Travel

Please go to Equestrian New Zealand website for special rates
www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/join/member-benefits/interislander

Entries & Entry Fees

Entries close on: **Tuesday 7th January 2025**. (8pm)
Enter online at: www.evoevents.co.nz - Only online entries will be accepted.

Payment Method

Payment must be made prior to close of entries **Tuesday 7th January 2025** By Internet Banking to Account **15 3950 0471176 01**
Use Reference - riders name and Evo Events entry number or entry will not be accepted.

Equestrian Sports New Zealand Membership.

All competitors must be an ESNZ Member. www.nzequestrian.org.nz ESNZ Horse/Pony/Rider Registration must be current at time of entry and until 25th January 2025 or entries will not be accepted (with the exception of horse/pony registration for Lead Rein, Under 12 and Junior classes).

Additional fees for all Competitors:

Rider Event Levy	\$65 per rider - Non Refundable.
NEC Horse Facility Fee	\$48 per horse for the event includes arrival day
NEC Horse Accommodation Fees (arriving Thursday, leaving Saturday)	
Stables	\$60 for the event (\$30 per additional day)
Covered Yards	\$52 for the event (\$26 per additional day)
Uncovered Yards	\$24 for the event (\$12 per additional day)
Paddocks	\$32 for the event (\$16 per additional day)
NEC Camping Fees	
With power	\$50 for the event (\$25 per additional day)
Without power	\$30 for the event (\$15 per additional day)

Please state arrival and departure days at time of entry. NEC Health & Safety requirement that ALL horses/ ponies at events are allocated stables, paddocks or yards and tying to trucks or floats is not permitted (except for saddling up etc, but must not be left unattended). Horses not staying overnight will only be allocated open yards (day yards).

Yards will be notified in a separate email.

Powered Camping Sites will be allocated on a first paid basis

Professional Services

1. Equine Therapists and Treatment
 - a. Any equine therapists or practitioners who are not veterinarian and intend to provide therapeutic treatment to equines in any capacity at this event in a private or commercial basis must notify the Organising Committee of any treatment prior to the event.
 - b. All practitioners must also comply with the Conditions applicable to this event set out in the Schedule of classes.
 - c. Riders who own their equipment (eg Equissage, Cyclossage or similar) are only permitted to treat their own horses with these systems at the event.
 - d. Any practitioner receiving financial or other gain from providing therapies at the event will be required to pay a trade exhibitor fee at the discretion of the Organising Committee.
2. Other Professionals including freelance grooms
 - a. Any other professional intending on providing services at this event must obtain prior agreement from the Organising Committee - this excludes professionals Dressage Coaches assisting in the warmup of competitors and grooms that are in part or full time employment of a competitor.

Level	Level & Sponsor	Class Numbers & Tests Entry			Fee per class	Rosettes/Ribbons
		Friday	Saturday			
<i>Champions in Sections 1-9 Awarded Rug/Sash and prize - Reserves Awarded Sash & prize</i>						
1	Preliminary	1.A	1.B Q		1.C Q	
	Young Rider/U25	101	102		103	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
	Pony	111	112		113	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
2	Novice	2.A	MFS L2 Q		2.B Q	
	Young Rider/U25	201	202		203	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
	Pony	211	212		213	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
3	Elementary	3.A	MFS L3 Q		3.B Q	
	Young Rider/U25	301	302		303	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
	Pony	311	312		313	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
4	Medium	4.A	4.BC Q		MFS L4 Q	
	Young Rider/U25	401	402		403	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
	<i>Hyland Trophy</i> ESNZ National Pony Championship, Medium Level (Open to all Grades)	FEI Pony Individual 411	FEI Pony Team Q 412		FEI Pony MFS Q 413	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
5	Advanced Medium	5.A	5.B Q		MFS L5 Q	
	Young Rider/U25	501	502		503	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
6	Advanced	6.A	6.B Q		MFS L6 Q	
	Young Rider/ U25	601	602		603	\$30 Rosettes 1st - 4th
7	U25 Smal Tour Championships	FEI YR Individual Test Q			FEI Young Rider FS Q	
	<i>Waldebago Trophy</i> ESNZ National Title Awarded to Top Placed Young Rider(21yrs) (DR Art 462)	701			702	\$35 Rosettes 1st - 4th
8	U25 FEI Medium Tour	FEI Inter B Test Q			FEI Inter A/B FS Q	
	Young Rider/U25	801			802	\$35 Rosettes 1st - 4th
9	U25 Grand Prix	FEI Grand Prix MFS Test 2023 Q			FEI Grand Prix 16 - 25yrs Q	
	<i>KH Arvan Memorial Trophy</i> ESNZ National Title U25 Grand Prix	901			902	\$35 Rosettes 1st - 4th

Level	Level & Sponsor	Class Numbers & Tests Entry				Fee per class	Rosettes/Ribbons
		Friday	Saturday				
<i>Champions in Sections 11-13 Awarded Rug/Sash and prize - Reserves Awarded Sash & prize</i>							
10	Equitation	Fledging	Junior	Inter			
	Rider Equitation <i>British Dressage Tests</i>	5	6	7		\$25	Rosettes 1st - 4th
11	Children - Ponies only	O.B	O.C Q		O.D Q		
	Riders 12 years and under at date of event. (Grade of Pony Unrestricted)	11	12		13	\$25	Rosettes 1st - 4th
12	Junior - Horses & Ponies	1.A	1.B Q		1.C Q		
	Rider 13 up to 21 yrs (Grade of Pony/Horse Unrestricted)	15	16		18	\$25	Rosettes 1st - 4th
13	Lead Rein	NZPCA First Start Lead Rein 1	NZPCA First Start Lead Rein 2 Q		NZPCA First Start Lead Rein 2 Q		
	Rider—5yrs up to 8 yrs (Grade of Pony Unrestricted)	21	22		23	\$25	Rosettes 1st - 4th

14	FEI Junior Rider Championship	FEI Junior Individual Test (Q)	FEI Junior FS Q		
	Awarded to Top Placed Junior Rider 14-18yr (In calendar year riders turns 14 until end of the calendar year rider turns 18)	605	606	\$35	Rosettes 1st - 4th
Champion Rug & Sash / Reserve Sash Combinations may not enter other sections.					



Para-Equestrian Youth Rider Championships 2025

Entries Close

Tuesday 7th January 2025. Enter online at www.evoevents.co.nz. No postal entries.

Enquiries & Information

Dressage NZ Event Secretary – Angela Nobilo – 0273130020 U25dressage@gmail.com

Conditions

It is the Rider or Persons Responsible, obligation to read and understand the conditions for this event.

Rider Age

Riders are eligible until they reach the age of twenty five (25) years. If a rider turned 25 on or after 1 August 2024 they may compete in this section.

Horse/Pony

Horse/Pony must be ESNZ registered and have paid annual dressage start or pay flexi fee.

Schedule of Classes

Friday 24th January	<i>Denote Rider Para Grade & Test on Entry Form</i>
Class 51	National test 1 or 2 or FEI Grade Test
Saturday 25th January	<i>Denote Rider Para Grade & Test on Entry Form</i>
Class 52	National test 1 or 2 or FEI Grade Test

ENTRY FEE \$30 per test

Horse accommodation & camping as per booking form on the DNZ schedule. Please identify yourself on this form as Para even if also entering Able Bodied classes.

Payment Method

Payment must be made by close of entries Tuesday 9th January 2024 or entry will not be accepted.

All competitions will be run under ESNZ GR's, VR's & ESNZ Rules for ESNZ Dressage/Para Equestrian.

1. This event is run under the ESNZ Para-Equestrian Rules 2022 and the DNZ rules where applicable
2. All riders must be current, full or Child members of ESNZ at time of entry.
3. All horses must be registered with ESNZ. And have annual start or flexi start paid per test.
4. No prior qualification applies; however all P-E riders must have a current FEI or ESNZ ID card, a copy of which must be included with entries and to be carried while riding.
5. Riders must wear the orange P-E ID discs on both sides of their saddle blankets at all times while mounted.
6. A horse may not be shared by different riders between P-E & AB classes.
7. A horse may be shared by riders of different Grades in Para classes as per Article 125.
8. While every effort will be made to accommodate riders wishing to compete in both P-E & AB classes and to accommodate P-E riders with more than one horse, the smooth running of the event is paramount and should there be excessive entries or timetabling issues, then riders may be asked to nominate which horse/discipline they want to compete in.
9. The draw will be available at www.evoevents.co.nz
10. All classes will be eligible for para grading points.
11. There will be one overall Champion. The rider who achieves the highest combined percentages in any grade, over all tests will be the 2024 Para-Equestrian Youth Rider Champion.

Withdrawals & Refunds

Applications for refund must be submitted in writing stating rider name, ESNZ registrations and horses name/s to Angela Nobilo : u25dressage@gmail.com. Final date for refund applications - Friday 7th February 2025.

Conditions of withdrawal form the event before close of entries.

- Competitors that withdraw prior to close of entries are still liable for online entry fees plus \$25 admin fee on entry fees. If no fees have been paid at time of withdrawal these fees still apply. If withdrawal fees are not paid by date of close of entry, an unpaid note will be added to the Rider Issues page on the entry system and further entries may be declined by organising committees until paid
- All camping/stabling fees/ ground fees and any other misc fees will be refunded.
- The Rider Event Levy is non Refundable.

Conditions of withdrawal from the event after close of entries.

- No refunds will be made for any rider who does not officially withdraw prior to 5pm Thursday 23rd January 2025
- If a doctor or vet certificate is provided by Mon 5th February fees will be refunded less \$25 plus per class online entry fees and the Rider Event Levy.
- If vet certificate provided, only the horse to which the certificate applies will receive a refund.
- If doctors certificate provided fees for all horses for that rider will be refunded
- All Stabling and camping fees will be refunded.
- Competitors unable to provide a vet or doctors certificate will only receive camping & stabling fees refunded
- Special applications for refunds can be presented to the OC for consideration by Monday 3/2/2025

Horse/s	
Rider	
Postal Address	
Class Numbers	
Total Entries Paid \$	
Total \$	
Less \$20.00/35.00	
Stabling & Camping Paid \$	
Total Refund \$	
Office Use	
Transaction Number	

NZ Dressage Youth Festival Area Teams Event Entry Form Nomination Form

Area:

No.	Competitor Name	Horse Name	Class Nos.
1			
2			
3			
4			

Signed Area Official:

Name & Position:

Conditions:

1. Open to teams from areas affiliated to Equestrian Sports NZ.
2. Teams consist of four riders. At least three of the horses must compete in different grades.
3. All team riders must be full members of ESNZ and be competing in graded competitions
4. One rider may only compete on one horse, unless an area only has three riders, in which case one rider may compete on two horses.
5. All horses and riders in each team must be from the same area, except that, if an area has insufficient riders competing at the Championships, up to two volunteer combinations from another area may be used provided they are not already in a team.
6. The Opposite Island may compete as an island team if it doesn't have enough competitors to make an area team. (exception NI vs SI Team Challenge).
7. Graded Championship Classes marked Q will count for teams event points
8. Points allocated are 10 for 1st, 9 for 2nd down to 1 for 10th. Lower placings don't score.
9. In the event of a tie, the combined points of the two highest placed horses in each team will count
10. Teams entries must be submitted at the event office by 5pm 25th January 2024.
11. Teams must be nominated by area groups and entry form signed by one area official.
12. An area may enter more than one team.
13. Combinations may only compete for one team.
14. In the event of a team member scratching from the event a substitute horse and rider may be included in the team.
15. Entries must be sent to **U25dressage@gmail.com** by Thursday 10th January 2025.



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