

Super 5 Dressage League 2023-2024

Island finals at all levels will be run at the National Dressage Championships 2023 and the South Island Festival of Dressage. Scores will be taken from both events to determine the Super 5 Champion at all levels.

Tests at Premier League & National Events:

Vetpro Preliminary – Dressage NZ Preliminary B Test 2023

Matthews Hanoverians Novice - Dressage NZ Novice B Test 2023

Animal Therapeutics Elementary – Dressage NZ Elementary B Test 2023

Dunstan Horse Feeds Medium - Dressage NZ Medium B Test 2023

Back on Track Advanced Medium – Dressage NZ Advanced Medium B Test 2023

Kiwi Arena Rakes Advanced - Dressage NZ Advanced B Test 2023

Custom Logistic Services Small Tour - FEI PSG and/or FEI Intermediate I (See note below)

Andrea Raves Medium Tour - FEI Intermediate A or FEI Intermediate B

Superior Rubber Surfaces Grand Prix - Grand Prix or FEI Grand Prix Special

All FEI tests are the current versions on the FEI Website, please check for updates after 1 January 2024. Copies of the FEI tests can be downloaded from https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/dressage/tests

Conditions

- 1. Participants must be annual competitive members of ESNZ and all participating horses and ponies must be registered and have an Annual Dressage Start.
- 2. Horses/Ponies may start in in more than one level of Super 5 League classes if eligible as per Article 410
- 3. Horses/ponies downgraded as schoolmasters are eligible to compete in the qualifiers and Island Championships but cannot gain series points. Points will be allocated to the next combination.
- 4. Super 5 classes must be ridden from memory.

Super 5 Dressage League Points – North & South Islands

1. Super 5 League Points will be allocated as follows for the top five placed riders:

Scores of 70 plus % - gain 10 points

Scores of 65 to 69.999% gain 7 points

Scores of 60 - 64.999% gain 5 points

Scores of 57 – 59.99% gain 3 points.

- 2. Top 5 best scores will count for points from Premier League, Island and National Championships
- 3. Custom Logistic Services Small Tour Both PSG and Inter I can be offered at the show, but points will be awarded to the highest % only if both tests ridden. Points will be allocated to the next combination.

 The FEI PSG will used at the National Dressage Championships 2024.
- 4. Bonus points will be added at the South Island Festival of Dressage 2024 and the Bates National Dressage Championships 2024 2 extra points per placing.
- 5. In the event of a tie the combination with the highest place the South Island Festival of Dressage 2024 for South Island League and the Bates National Dressage Championships 2024 for the North Island League will be deemed the winner. If there is still a tie, the average of the top 5 percent will define the winner.

- **6.** Combinations earn points in their island of origin league regardless of the venue of the competition. Eg any SI based combination competing and earning points in the NI will earn points toward the SI Rider League and NI riders competing in the SI will earn points toward NI league.
- **7.** South Island combinations that contest league classes in the North Island after 6th February 2024 will be ineligible for any additional points.

Presentations

- 1. National Super 5 League Champions at all levels will be awarded Champion Sashes, Trophy and \$200. Highest average percentage of a combinations top three scores ridden will be deemed the winner. Presentations to be made at Dressage Awards Dinner 2024.
- 1. GP Youth Rider will receive a sash at the Dressage Awards Dinner 2024.
- 2. Super 5 Dressage League North and South Island series winners will each be awarded a presentation rug, with rider sashes to 5th place. These presentations will be made at the South Island Festival 2024 of Dressage and the National Dressage Championships 2024.
- 3. Super 5 League Rosettes provided for $1^{st} 5^{th}$ place in all levels at Premier League Events.

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