



Super 5 Dressage League 2025-2026

Island finals at all levels will be run at the National Dressage Championships 2026 and the South Island Festival of Dressage 2026. 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
Equus Veterinary Reproduction & Consultancy - Dressage NZ Advanced B Test 2023
Custom Logistic Services Small Tour – FEI PSG or FEI Intermediate I
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 2026. Copies of the FEI tests can be downloaded from <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/dressage/tests>

Eligibility

1. **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 membership.
 - **Novice and Above:** Riders must have an ESNZ Child or Full Competitive membership.
2. **ESNZ Horse Registration Requirements for Series**
 - Participating horses and ponies must be ESNZ registered and have an Annual Dressage Start.
3. Horses/ponies downgraded as schoolmasters are eligible to compete in the qualifiers and Island Championships but cannot gain series points.
4. Super 5 classes must be ridden from memory.

Super 5 Dressage League Points – North & South Islands

1. Points are attributed to combination not the horse.
2. Points will be allocated from the Super 5 classes at Premier League, Island and National Championships as follows:
 - 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.
3. The FEI PSG will be used at the National Dressage Championships 2026.

4. Bonus points will be added at the South Island Festival of Dressage 2026 and the Bates National Dressage Championships 2026 - 2 extra points per placing.
5. In the event of a tie the average of the percentages from the combinations top 5 scores 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 8th February 2026 will be ineligible for any additional points.

Presentations

1. 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 2026 of Dressage and the National Dressage Championships 2026.
2. Super 5 League Rosettes provided for 1st – 5th place in all levels at Premier League Events.
3. The following national presentations to be made at Dressage Awards Dinner June/July 2026. Date and venue to be confirmed.
 - National Super 5 League Champions levels will be awarded Champion Sashes and \$200. The combination across both islands with the highest total league points in each level will be deemed the winner. If there is a tie the average percentage of a combinations top five scores will be deemed the winner.