

**I. DENOMINATION OF EVENT**

VENUE: Williamsburg, MI (Traverse City)

DATE: 30 July - 4 August 2024

NF: USA

Indoor:  Outdoor:

- CDI1\*     CDI2\*     CDI3\*     CDI4\*     CDI5\*     CDI-W
- CDIO1\*     CDIO2\*     CDIO3\*     CDIO4\*     CDIO5\*     -NC
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- CDIAm     CDIYH
- Championship     Games

**II. GENERAL CONDITIONS**

- FEI Statutes, 24<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 21<sup>st</sup> November 2023.
- FEI General Regulations, 24<sup>th</sup> edition, 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020, updates effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024.
- FEI Veterinary Regulations, 15<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023, updates effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024.
- **FEI Dressage Rules (26<sup>th</sup> edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024) and if applicable the FEI Dressage World Cup™ Rules 2023/2024 and 2024/2025 and FEI Dressage Nations Cup™ Rules 2024.**
- Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMR), 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021.
- FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), based upon the 2021 WADA Code, effective 1<sup>st</sup> January 2021.
- All subsequent published revisions, the provisions of which will take precedence.

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Approved by the FEI, Lausanne, on 22/03/2024.



**Ronan Murphy**  
FEI Dressage Director.

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### **III. THE FEI CODE OF CONDUCT FOR THE WELFARE OF THE HORSE**

The Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) expects all those involved in international equestrian sport to adhere to the FEI's Code of Conduct and to acknowledge and accept that at all times the welfare of the horse must be paramount and must never be subordinated to competitive or commercial influences.

1. At all stages during the preparation and training of competition horses, welfare must take precedence over all other demands. This includes good horse management, training methods, farriery and tack, and transportation.
2. Horses and athletes must be fit, competent and in good health before they are allowed to compete. This encompasses medication use, surgical procedures that threaten welfare or safety, pregnancy in mares and the misuse of aids.
3. Events must not prejudice horse welfare. This involves paying careful attention to the competition areas, ground surfaces, weather conditions, stabling, site safety and fitness of the horse for onward travel after the event.
4. Every effort must be made to ensure that horses receive proper attention after they have competed and that they are treated humanely when their competition careers are over. This covers proper veterinary care, competition injuries, euthanasia and retirement.
5. The FEI urges all involved with the sport to attain the highest levels of education in their areas of expertise.

A full copy of this Code can be obtained from the Fédération Equestre Internationale, Chemin de la Joliette 8, CH-1006 Lausanne, Switzerland. Telephone: +41 21 310 47 47. The Code is available in English. The Code is also available on the FEI's website: <http://inside.fei.org/>

## **IV. GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **1. ORGANISER**

Name: Traverse City Horse Shows LLC  
Address: 15355 DeHavilland Court, Wellington, FL 33414  
Telephone: 941.744.5465  
Email: info@mmg.management  
Website: www.traversecityhorseshow.com

#### Contact Details Show Ground:

Address: 6535 Bates Road, Williamsburg, MI 49690  
Telephone: +1.941.744.5465  
GPS Coordinates: 44.780474500 - 85.445213200

Accessibility details (directions by road, nearest airport/train station):

Follow US31 North to Acme. At Acme turn right (east) on M-72 towards Williamsburg. 3

miles turn left onto Bates Road. Flintfields Horse Park is 1/2 mile on the left.

Nearest airport: : Cherry Capitol Airport - commercial and private jet service.  
Located 25 minutes to Flintfields Horse Park.

### **2. ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

Honorary President: na  
President of the event: Michael J. Morrissey  
Show Secretary: Andrea Davenport  
Press Officer: Lindsay Brock

### **3. EVENT DIRECTOR**

Name: Thomas Baur  
Address: Geschwister-Scholl-Str. 19, D-88400 Biberach  
Telephone: +1561-727-0229  
Mobile: +491713311267  
Email: acm.baur@t-online.de

**V. OFFICIALS**

Please note that the schedule has been approved under the provision that all appointed Officials have successfully passed the on-line FEI Competency Evaluation Test, and that the appointed VSM fulfils the requirement of being listed as Level 1 OV before the start of the event.

	Panel	Function	FEI ID	Name	NF	Level
1	Ground Jury	President Juniors	10051974	Elke Ebert	GER	4/YH
		President Young Riders	10026162	Kari McClain	USA	3/YH
		President U25	10038239	Christof Umbach	LUX	4/YH
		Member	10024777	Gabriel Armando	ARG	3/YH
		Member	10147117	Agnieszka Majewska	POL	3/YH
		Member	10052677	Brenda Minor	CAN	3/YH
2	Foreign Technical Delegate	Foreign Technical Delegate	10050036	Gotthilf Riexinger	GER	
3	Chief Steward	Chief Steward	10052067	Gerald Kuh	HKG	3
4	Assistant Stewards	Assistant Steward	10304575	Matthew Himel	USA	1
		Assistant Steward	10052444	Jean Kraus	USA	3
		Assistant Steward	10112956	Walter Nef	USA	1
5	FEI Veterinary Delegate	Veterinary Delegate				
		Additional Veterinary Delegate				
	FEI Veterinary Commission	Veterinary Commission President	10104987	Wade Tenney	USA	3
		Foreign Veterinary Delegate	10094282	Lorena Guerra	CRC	3
		Veterinary Commission Member	10049752	Rick Mitchell	USA	3
6	Veterinary Services Manager / Treating Veterinarian	Veterinary Services Manager	10053608	Dr. Duncan Peters	USA	3
		Permitted Treating Veterinarian (one for every 200 horses)	10094088	Dr. Lori Bidwell	USA	
		Permitted Treating Veterinarian (one for every 200 horses)	10154680	Dr. Kyle Clark	USA	
7	Doctor/Medical Service	Doctor/Medical Service		Staffed Ambulance on grounds		
8	Farrier	Farrier		James Anderson		
9	NF Delegate	NF Delegate (if applicable)	10200970	Erin Keating	USA	

## **VI. INVITATIONS**

Number of NFs invited:	NFs of FEI Groups IV & V
State which NFs are invited:	All NFs of Countries in North America, Central America, Caribbean and Bermuda. Each Province of Canada and each USDF Region.
Reserve NFs:	na
Total Number of Athletes:	approx 100 (JR/YR/U25)
Number of home Athletes:	na
Number of Athletes per NF:	na
Number of horses per Athlete:	1
Athletes are invited by the Organiser through their NF.	
One (1) groom per Athlete.	

All Juniors, Young Riders and U25 of FEI Group IV and V who have achieved the minimum qualification criteria and are entered through their NFs.

Teams: Teams will always be composed of Athletes from the same nation.

Teams will consist of either three or four Athletes. Where there are four, the three best will count for the final classification. Each N.F., Canadian Province or USDF Region may send a team of four, maximum of one groom per Athletes. If you are not able to field teams, the following options are available:

May send one or two individual Athletes. If USDF Regions and Canadian Provinces can only field individuals (i.e. do not have enough Horse/Athletes combinations to make up a team) they may be combined by the respective NF and accepted by the OC.

## **VII. ENTRIES**

- You must use the FEI Entry System for all categories of this Event: [https://entry.fei.org/index.php?page=PFO\\_Entries\\_NF\\_EventSearch](https://entry.fei.org/index.php?page=PFO_Entries_NF_EventSearch)
- You will find additional documentation on: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-platforms/fei-entry-system>
- All Athletes and Horses participating in any International Competition must be registered with the FEI.
- Athletes and/or Horses present at the Event without having been entered through the FEI's Online Entry System will automatically be disqualified unless compelling circumstances warrant otherwise.

**1. ENTRY DATES AND FEES:**

**Deadlines for entries**

Nominated Entries: 02/07/2024  
Definite Entries: 09/07/2024  
Last date for substitutions: 30/07/2024, at the latest two hours prior to the horse inspection.

Entries have to be in accordance with the FEI Dressage Rules and the FEI General Regulations.

**Entry fee per horse:** \$750  
**VAT:** N/A  
**Total fee per horse:** **\$750**

**2. NO-SHOWS/LATE WITHDRAWALS:**

**NB:** In the case of withdrawals after the date of definite entries or no-shows the Athletes or the respective NF will be held liable to reimburse the Organiser for the actual financial loss incurred by the Organiser (i.e., stabling and hotel expenses) as a result of the late withdrawal or no-show.

Amount charged: \$750

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES/CHARGES BY ORGANISING COMMITTEE:**

All other fees must be listed hereunder with the details of the amounts to be charged and approved by the FEI. (refer to FEI Dressage Rules) Only fees approved by the FEI and listed in the approved Schedule can be charged by the Organiser.

EADCMP Fee:

Included in compulsory entry fee  Not included in compulsory entry fee

Lower-Level Events (CIMs) CHF 18 per horse per event  
(For definition of CIMs see Appendix E of the FEI General Regulations)

Higher-Level Events CHF 25 per horse per event  
(All other events not defined as CIM)

Stabling fee per horse: \$375  
Manure disposal: \$45  
Hay: \$30 per bale (price will be at market value)  
Straw: \$25 per bale (price will be at market value)  
Shavings: \$20 per bale (price will be at market value)  
Health/customs documents per horse: \$75 (if requested by the Athletes).  
Lorry Parking: N/A per lorry (if requested by the Athletes).  
Electricity hook-up: N/A per lorry (if requested by the Athletes).  
NF Athletes \$35  
NF Drug/Med \$33



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Admin Fee

\$75

**All aforementioned amounts are including VAT.**

VAT Number of the Organiser: N/A

**4. DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY – FLOORPLAN GRAND PRIX FREESTYLE**

DoD will be used.                       DoD will not be used.                       Not Applicable.

Athletes are required to login using their own credentials on to <http://dressagefreestyle.fei.org> to create or assign their Grand Prix Freestyle floorplan at the latest 2 hours prior to:

the horse inspection.

the draw of the Grand Prix 16-25.

**VIII. TIMETABLE**

**Competitions must not start before 08:00 and must not finish after 23:00 unless prior approval is granted by the FEI.**

**The current edition of Dressage Tests at the date of the show will be used and all tests must be ridden from memory.**

<https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/dressage/tests>

	<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>
<b>Opening of stables</b>	Monday	29/07/2024	10:00am – 2:00pm
Earlier Arrival is possible, Chefs please contact Tom Blankenship for arrival time. No access to the FEI stable before Monday 10.00 am, <a href="mailto:tomblank@bellsouth.net">tomblank@bellsouth.net</a> or +18432694737			
<b>Horse Inspections</b>			
CH-N.Am Juniors	Tuesday	30/07/2024	9:00am
CH-N.Am U25	Tuesday	30/07/2024	4:30pm
CH-N.Am Young Riders	Wednesday	31/07/2024	4:30pm
CH-N.Am U25 - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Horse Inspection	Saturday	03/08/2024	2:30pm
CH-N.Am Juniors - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Horse Inspection	Saturday	03/08/2024	3:15pm
CH-N.Am Young Riders - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Horse Inspection	Saturday	03/08/2024	4:00pm
Declaration of Starters	Not later than one (1) hour after the horse inspection.		
<b>Chef d'Equipe Meetings, Draws, Familiarizations and Sound Checks:</b>			
Welcome Meeting	Monday	29/07/2024	2:30pm
Meeting and Draw Comp. 1,2 and 7	Tuesday	30/07/2024	6:00pm
Meeting and Draw Comp. 4,5 and 8	Wednesday	31/07/2024	5:30pm
Meeting and Draw Comp 3 and 6	Saturday	03/08/2024	3:45pm
Official familiarization Juniors	Tuesday	30/07/2024	12:00pm
Official familiarization Young Riders	Tuesday	30/07/2024	8:00am
Official familiarization U25	Tuesday	30/07/2024	4:00pm
Sound Check Juniors	Saturday	03/08/2024	3:00pm
Sound Check Young Riders	Saturday	03/08/2024	4:30pm
Sound Check U25	Friday	02/08/2024	4:30pm
Meeting and Draw Competition 9	Friday	02/08/2024	4:30pm

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<b>Competitions CH-N.Am Juniors:</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Prize Money</b>
01. Juniors Team	Wednesday	31/07/2024	8:00am	-
02. Juniors Individual	Friday	02/08/2024	8:00am	-
03. Juniors Freestyle	Sunday	04/08/2024	8:00am	-
<b><u>Total Prize Money</u></b>				-
<b><u>Prizes in Kind</u></b>				-

<b>Competitions CH-N.Am Young Riders:</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Prize Money</b>
04. Young Riders Team	Thursday	01/08/2024	8:30am	-
05. Young Riders Individual	Saturday	03/08/2024	8:00am	-
06. Young Riders Freestyle	Sunday	04/08/2024	12:00pm	-
<b><u>Total Prize Money</u></b>				-
<b><u>Prizes in Kind</u></b>				-

<b>Competitions CH-N.Am U25:</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Prize Money</b>
07. Intermediate II	Wednesday	31/07/2024	2:30pm	-
08. Grand Prix 16-25	Friday	02/08/2024	2:30pm	-
09. Grand Prix Freestyle	Saturday	03/08/2024	6:00pm	-
<b><u>Total Prize Money</u></b>				-
<b><u>Prizes in Kind</u></b>				-

**GENERAL CLASSIFICATION AT THE END OF THE COMPETITIONS:**

Leading Athlete award –	na
Best foreign Athlete-	na
Best home Athlete –	na
Team awards –	na

**IX. COMPETITIONS DETAIL**

**FIRST DAY: Wednesday**

**DATE: 31/07/2024**

**COMPETITION No 1**

**North American Juniors Championship**

Test: FEI Juniors Team  
Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations entered  
Starting Order: Draw according to Article 417.7 (draw for FEI Championships)  
Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best teams

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**COMPETITION No 7**

**FEI North American U25 Championship**

Test: FEI Intermediate II  
Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations entered  
Starting Order: Draw according to Article 417.7 (draw for FEI Championships)  
Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best teams

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**SECOND DAY: Thursday**

**DATE: 01/08/2024**

**COMPETITION No 4**

**FEI North American Young Riders Championship**

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Test: FEI Young Riders Team  
Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations entered  
Starting Order: Draw according to Article 417.7 (draw for FEI Championships)  
Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best teams

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**THIRD DAY: Friday**

**DATE: 02/08/2024**

**COMPETITION No 2**

**FEI North American Juniors Championship**

Test: FEI Juniors Individual  
 Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
 Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations who previously completed in the Team Competition  
 Starting Order: Art 417.7.2 Open Draw  
 Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

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**COMPETITION No 8**

**FEI North American U25 Championship**

Test: FEI Grand Prix 16-25  
 Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
 Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations entered  
 Starting Order: Draw according to Article 417.7.2 (draw for FEI Championships)  
 Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

**FOURTH DAY: Saturday**

**DATE: 03/08/2024**

**COMPETITION No 5**

**FEI North American Young Riders Championship**

Test: FEI Young Riders Individual  
 Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
 Open to: All Athletes/Horse combinations who previously completed in the Team Competition  
 Starting Order: Art 417.7.2 Open Draw  
 Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

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**COMPETITION No 9**

**FEI North American U25 Championship**

Test: FEI Grand Prix Freestyle  
 Number of horses per Athlete: 1  
 Open to and compulsory for the best 18 Athletes/Horse combinations from the Grand Prix 16-25  
 Starting Order: Art 417.7.3. reverse order of the Grand Prix 16-25 competition in group 5. Top 18 Athletes/Horse combinations, in groups of 5 starting with Athletes placed 16<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>, then 11<sup>th</sup> through 15<sup>th</sup> and then within the group of Athletes placed 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup>. A maximum of three Athletes per entered team may participate.

Breakdown: No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

All U25 Athletes must upload their Freestyle Music to their Performance Dashboard of the FEI. <https://performancedashboard.fei.org/>

The upload can be done from Sunday 28/07/2024 until Friday 02/08/2024, 12:00pm

The floorplan must be uploaded till the start of the horse inspection.

**Fifth DAY: Sunday**

**DATE: 04/08/2024**

### **COMPETITION No 3**

#### **FEI North American Juniors Championship**

Test: FEI Juniors Freestyle

Number of horses per Athlete: 1

Open to and compulsory for the best 18 Athlete/Horse combinations from Juniors individual

Starting Order:

Art 425.5 in reverse order of the Juniors Individual competition in groups of 5. Top 18 Athletes, in groups of 5 starting with Athletes placed 16<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>, then 11<sup>th</sup> through 15<sup>th</sup> and then within the group of Athletes placed 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>. A maximum of three Athletes per entered team may participate.

Breakdown:

No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

All Junior must upload their Freestyle Music to their Performance Dashboard of the FEI. <https://performancedashboard.fei.org/>

The upload can be done from Sunday 28/07/2024 until Friday 02/08/2024, 12:00pm

### **COMPETITION No 6**

#### **FEI North American Young Riders Championship**

Test: FEI Freestyle Young Riders

Number of horses per Athlete: 1

Open to and compulsory for the best 18 Athlete/Horse combinations from Young Riders individual

Starting Order:

Art 417.7.3 in reverse order of the Young Riders Individual in groups of 5. Top 18 Athlete/Horse combinations, in groups of 5 starting with Athletes placed 16<sup>th</sup> through 18<sup>th</sup>, then 11<sup>th</sup> through 15<sup>th</sup> and then within the group of Athletes placed 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup>. A maximum of three Athletes per entered team may participate.

Breakdown:

No prize money, FEI medals to the three best Athletes

All Young Riders must upload their Freestyle Music to their Performance Dashboard of the FEI. <https://performancedashboard.fei.org/>

The upload can be done from Sunday 28/07/2024 until Friday 02/08/2024, 12:00pm

## **X. FACILITIES OFFERED**

### **1.ATHLETES**

#### **Accommodation.**

Hotel: Grand Traverse Resort

for more accomodations go to <https://traversecityhorseshows.com/plan-your-trip/>

Address: 100 Grand Traverse Blvd, Acme MI 49610

Telephone: 231-534-6000

At the expense of the Organiser  or the Athletes

#### **Meals.**

At the expense of the Organiser  or the Athletes

Meals provided from 30/07/24 to 04/08/24

### **2.GROOMS**

#### **Accommodation.**

Requests for accommodation must be sent with entries.

At the expense of the Organiser  or the Athletes

#### **Meals.**

At the expense of the Organiser  or the Athletes

Meals provided from 30/07/24 to 04/08/24

**N.B.** Organisers must provide proper sanitary conditions. The showering facilities should be sufficient for both male and female grooms with hot and cold water. Shower facilities as well as restrooms should at all times be in a state of cleanliness.

As much as possible in accordance with the Organisers Guide, Point 4.7.2 - Facilities, Services & Conditions for Grooms"

<https://knowledgebase.fei.org/index.php?action=artikel&cat=11&id=132&artlang=en>

## **XI. LOGISTICAL/ADMINISTRATIVE/TECHNICAL INFORMATION**

### **1.DRAW**

Location of the draw: Press Center see individual competitions for draw specifics

### **2.COMPETITION ARENA(S)**

Total dimensions: 30m. 70m (Competition arena - dimensions: 20 x 60 m)

Type of Footing: Ebb & Flo synthetic sand mix

### **3.PRACTICE ARENA(S)**

Total dimensions: 20m x 60m (Competition arena - dimensions: 20 x 60 m)

Type of Footing: Ebb & Flo synthetic sand mix

### **4.STABLES**

Size of boxes: All permanent 3 m x 4 m (at least 3m x 3m)

An adequate number of stables must be at least 4m x 3m to accommodate the larger Horses.

designated FEI complex with schooling
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### **5.PAPERLESS JUDGING**

It is compulsory to have a certified software/solution in order to offer Paperless Judging at FEI Dressage Events.

Will you use a FEI Certified Paperless Judging Software/Solution to manage judging at your Event? (The list of Certified Service Providers is available here: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list>)

Yes

Name of Company: Blackhorse One

FEI Certified Service Provider ID number: GV91B111AKSCI

Contact person at Event:

Name: Daniel Goehlen

FEI ID number: 10055662

Contact email: daniel@blackhorse-one.com

### **6.SCORING PROVIDER/TIMING PROVIDER**

Will you use a FEI Certified Service Provider to manage the scoring and timing at your Event? (The list of Certified Service Providers is available here: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/it-providers/list>)



Yes

Name of Company: Hippodata GmbH

FEI Certified Service Provider ID number: GT21V808AKSCH

Contact person at Event:

Name: Mario Cron

FEI ID number: 10175009

Contact email: mc@hippodata.net

The FEI may require to be provided with real time results data feed of your Events according to FEI requirements; in this case you and your provider will be informed accordingly.

### **7.AVERAGE SCORE/OPEN SCORING**

Average Score and Open Scoring: Yes  No

### **8.OTHER TECHNOLOGY/SERVICE PROVIDER(S)**

Will you use other technology/service provider(s) at your Event?

No

### **9.PRIZE GIVING CEREMONY**

The number of Athletes required to present themselves for the prize giving ceremony of each competition is Three Teams and Eight Individuals

### **10. ADVERTISING ON ATHLETES AND HORSES**

The Athletes are authorised to carry the logo of their personal sponsor. The Chief Steward will check that the advertising and publicity on Athletes and horses complies with the FEI General Regulations.

### **11. TICKETING**

Are you selling ticket for spectator to attend your event: Yes  No

Name of your ticketing provider: Traverse City Horse Shows LLC

Web address to buy ticket: [www.traversecityhorseshow.com](http://www.traversecityhorseshow.com)

### **12. BETTING**

Betting will be authorised by the Organiser: Yes  No

### **13. TRANSPORT REIMBURSEMENT HORSES/PONIES**

Transport expenses to be paid by the Organiser  at \_\_\_\_\_ per km or to be paid by the Athletes

### **14. WELCOME**

The time and date of arrival of Athletes, horses and their means of transport must

be given to the Organiser in order to facilitate them on arrival.

**15. LOCAL TRANSPORTATION - ARRANGEMENTS FROM HOTEL TO SHOWGROUNDS**

If paid by the Athletes, approximate cost per round trip Public transport is not available

Taxi  to be paid by the Organiser  or the Athletes

If paid by the Athletes, approximate cost per round trip Taxi Service is not available.  
Yes to Uber or Lyft

Shuttle service is available from Grand Traverse Resort

**16. ENTRY RIGHT TO SHOWGROUNDS/ACCREDITED PERSONS**

Entry right to the stable areas according to the FEI Veterinary Regulations.

NUMBER ACCREDITED PERSONS:

Athletes: 1

Partner: 1

Groom: 1

Horse Owner: two (2) accreditations per horse acc. to FEI Passport

Other: Stable passes will be allocated accordingly per Team

1 Chef d'Equipe (as listed on entry form)

Teams may submit requests in advance for:

1 Paid credential allocated by the Chef d'Equipe

1 Coach

1 Veterinarian

1 Farrier or Physio

For additional accreditations there will be a charge of \$50 US

For any replacement/lost accreditations there will be also a charge of \$50 US

**17. SUSTAINABILITY**

Please consider the environment when organising an FEI Event. Please find useful information on FEI Sustainability here:

<http://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/organisers/handbook>

## **XII. VETERINARY MATTERS**

### **1. CUSTOMS FORMALITIES**

Name: Brook Ledge Horse Transportation  
Address: 2810 Newtown Pike, Lexington, KY 40511  
Telephone: 859-255-2706  
Email: info@brookledge.com

### **2. HEALTH REQUIREMENTS**

#### **GENERAL**

In accordance with the FEI Code of Conduct for the Welfare of the Horse it is imperative that all Horses at FEI Events are physically fit, free from infectious disease and meet the FEI's health requirements before being allowed to compete.

#### **ENTRY OF HORSES**

Required health tests and vaccinations: see US requirements [www.usda.gov](http://www.usda.gov)  
Quarantine period: see US requirements [www.usda.gov](http://www.usda.gov)  
Specimen Import Licence applied: see US requirements [www.usda.gov](http://www.usda.gov)

### **3. NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

See USEF General Rule: GR844 Vaccinations - <a href="http://www.usef.org">www.usef.org</a>
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### **4. PONIES**

Ponies must be in compliance with the Veterinary Regulations to be eligible to compete in pony events.

### **5. INJURY SURVEILLANCE**

FEI Veterinary Regulations: Horses participating in FEI Events are subject to injury surveillance protocols; and in the event of fatality, a post-mortem examination.

### **6. TRANSPORT OF HORSES**

Horses must be fit to travel and be transported in suitable vehicles. Any government requirements for infectious disease testing and control must be requested well in advance, to ensure that the horse is in compliance by the time of arrival at the border of the country where the Event is taking place. Athletes, or their representatives, have the responsibility to comply with national legislation in both their country of origin and the host nation of the Event. Where necessary Athletes must contact local government authorities or veterinary advisors for information regarding animal health requirements and transport legislation. Within the European Union (EU), this includes EU Council Regulation (EC) No

1/2005 concerning the protection of animals during transport within the Member States of the EU.

## **7. VENUE ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FITNESS TO COMPETE**

### **7.1 PASSPORTS. FEI General Regulations.**

**For all issues relating to FEI Horse Passports/FEI Recognition Cards please contact your National Federation.**

All Horses competing at FEI Events must be registered with the FEI.

FEI Passports or FEI Recognition Cards (for those Horses with a national passport approved by the FEI) are compulsory for FEI Events.

NB: Horses entered in CIMs in their country of residence are not required to have an FEI Passport or FEI Recognition Card but must be properly registered with the FEI and identifiable (FEI General Regulations).

Athletes who do not present a Horse's Passport and/or Recognition Card, or one that is not correctly validated or fail to meet other passport requirements will be **subject to Sanctions in accordance with the FEI Veterinary Regulations** and may not be allowed to compete.

**NB** for Horses permanently resident in a Member State of the European Union: all Horses must have a national EU passport in compliance with EU Regulations to which a FEI Recognition card is applied. The exception to this being Horses in possession of an FEI passport which has been continually revalidated without interruption.

### **7.2 VACCINATIONS - EQUINE INFLUENZA.**

Horses competing at FEI Events must comply with the requirements for Equine Influenza vaccination in accordance with the Veterinary Regulations.

All FEI registered Horses intending to compete at FEI Events (including CIMs) must be vaccinated against Equine Influenza in accordance with these Veterinary Regulations. The exception being if the applicable domestic legislation prevents the use of Equine Influenza vaccines within the relevant territory.

### **7.3 EXAMINATION ON ARRIVAL.**

On arrival at an Event venue, all Horses must undergo an examination by an FEI veterinarian to confirm their identification from their passport and microchip (where present), their vaccination status and meet the FEI's health requirements to access the FEI Stables Area. To protect all horses attending events, any Horse with a questionable health status concerning vaccination, infectious disease or other concerns, must be stabled within the isolation facilities provided by the Organising Committee pending a decision on entering the venue. PRs must fulfil the Horse Health Requirements via the FEI HorseApp in advance of the event which will be checked at the Examination on Arrival.

**7.4 HORSE INSPECTIONS.**

All Horses will be assessed for their fitness to compete during the Horse Inspection. Any Horse demonstrating questionable fitness may be referred to the Holding Box for further veterinary examination. Horses not deemed fit to compete by the Inspection Panel will not be permitted to compete.

**7.5 LIMB SENSITIVITY EXAMINATION.**

Horses may be subject to examination under the protocol for abnormal limb sensitivity throughout the period of an Event. For Jumping that includes, but is not limited to, between rounds and before the Jump Off. For Endurance that includes, but is not limited to, pre-ride, during the ride and after the ride. Horses may be examined once or on multiple occasions during the Period of an Event. Horses may be selected for examination under the protocol randomly or they may be targeted. All Horses selected to be tested must submit promptly to the examination or are subject to immediate disqualification. There is no obligation to examine any specific number of Horses at an Event.

**8. EQUINE ANTI-DOPING AND CONTROLLED MEDICATION PROGRAMME (EADCMP).****8.1 SAMPLING.**

All horses competing at FEI Events may be subject to sampling for the presence of Prohibited Substances in accordance with the Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Regulations (EADCMRs). Horses may be selected for sampling in accordance with obligatory testing, targeted or random sampling procedures. Refer to FEI Financial Charges for details of fees relating to Equine and Human Anti-Doping program (EADCMP), which OCs/NFs have the right to charge to the Athletes (applicable for all FEI events worldwide).

**8.2 ELECTIVE TESTING.**

Elective Testing may be carried out prior to an Event to check for the presence of Prohibited Substances. Please refer to <https://inside.fei.org/fei/cleansport/horses> for information and details.

**XIII. HUMAN ANTI-DOPING**

Athletes can be tested at any FEI Event, by the FEI or by other Anti-Doping Organisations with Testing jurisdiction. Organisers will have the responsibility to provide facilities and staff/volunteers to facilitate such Testing if requested by the FEI as outlined in the FEIs' Anti-doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA).

The ADRHA rules are published on the FEI's website at <http://inside.fei.org/content/anti-doping-rules>

## **XIV. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

### **1. INSURANCES AND NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

Equestrian sports involve inherent dangerous risks. To the greatest extent permitted by law, the FEI and the FEI Event Organiser shall NOT be liable for any damages relating to loss of property or injury of any kind to Athletes, Owners, Support Personnel or Horses at or in connection with an FEI Event and the FEI expressly excludes all such liability.

#### **1.1 ATHLETES, OWNERS AND SUPPORT PERSONNEL**

##### **1.1.1 Personal Accident and Health Insurance**

It is your responsibility as an Athletes /Owner/ Support Personnel to ensure that you have adequate personal accident insurance in place to cover your participation at FEI Events and in particular to insure against any personal injury or medical expenses arising from an accident, injury or illness which may occur at a FEI Event.

You should check with your National Federation to confirm if your National Federation's insurance policy (if any) covers personal accidents and/or illnesses which may occur when you are attending at/participating in FEI Events.

If your National Federation does not have a personal accident/health insurance policy or if the National Federation's insurance policy does not cover personal accident or health claims, then you should obtain your own personal accident and health insurance policy to cover your attendance/participation at FEI Events.

##### **1.1.2 Personal Property Insurance**

You should also ensure that you are insured against property loss, theft or damage which may occur at an FEI Event.

Again, the advice is to check with your National Federation to confirm if they have an insurance policy in place which would cover you in case of such property loss, theft or damage. If not, then you should obtain your own personal property insurance to cover such situations.

##### **1.1.3 Press Equipment**

Press equipment and other items left in the Press workroom, Press lockers, the Press Tribune or anywhere on the showgrounds are left entirely at the owner's risk. The Organising Committee does not accept any responsibility for any loss or damage to such equipment or items. Members of the Press are advised not to leave any equipment or personal items unattended.

#### **1.2 ATHLETES AND OWNERS**

##### **1.2.1 Third Party Liability Insurance**

As an Athletes /Owner you are personally responsible for damages to third parties

caused by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses. You are, therefore, strongly advised to take out third-party liability insurance providing full coverage in relation to FEI Events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The FEI and the Organiser will NOT be responsible for any damage caused to third parties by you, your employees, Support Personnel, your agents or your Horses.

### **1.2.2 Additional Liability Information**

- a) To the greatest extent permitted by law Traverse City Horse Shows LLC, Morrissey Management Group LLC, Flintfields Horse Park LLC, Flintfields Entertainment LLC, USEF, USDF and their officials, sponsors and employees will not be held responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to any exhibitor, spectator, guest, athlete, groom, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at all of the shows listed in this publication.
- b) Traverse City Horse Shows LLC, Morrissey Management Group LLC, Flintfields Horse Park LLC, Flintfields Entertainment LLC, USEF, USDF and their officials and employees will not be held responsible for any lost, stolen or damaged packages received / delivered to the show grounds.

### **1.2.3 Horse Insurance**

As an Owner you should ensure that your Horses are adequately insured against any injuries or illnesses they may sustain while participating at a FEI Event.

## **2. PROTESTS/APPEALS**

To be valid, all Protests and Appeals must be made in writing and accompanied by a deposit of CHF 150.- or equivalent, as mentioned in the FEI General Regulations: <https://inside.fei.org/content/general-regs-statutes>

## **3. DISPUTES**

In the event of any discussion concerning the interpretation of the schedule (in translated languages), the English version will be decisive.

## **4. MODIFICATION TO SCHEDULE**

In exceptional circumstances, together with the Approval of the Chefs d'Equipe, host NF delegate, if any, and the Ground Jury, the OC may change the schedule in order to clarify any matters arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. Any such changes must be notified to all Athletes and Officials as soon as possible and they must be reported to the FEI by the Foreign Judge.

## **5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FROM THE ORGANISER**

See Great Lakes Equestrian Festival Prize List for General Rules  
[www.traversecityhorseshow.com/compete](http://www.traversecityhorseshow.com/compete)

**DEDUCTIONS FROM PRIZE MONEY AT COMPETITIONS:**

Full details of any deductions from prize money must be outlined in the schedule. This includes government taxes. If it is necessary for Organisers to deduct such taxes, they must provide participants with an official form indicating the amount of tax deducted.

The tax form must be provided to the athletes upon arrival and returned to the Organiser prior to departing.

All competitors are required to fill out a W-9 form when entering the competition

**IMPORTANT**

**The total amount of prize money shown for each Competition in the schedule must be distributed. (FEI General Regulations)**

The value of the 1<sup>st</sup> prize must not exceed 1/3 of the total prize money announced for the competition. Distribution of prize money: distributed to 25 % of participants. If there are between 5 and 19 athletes in the competition, min 5 prizes must be distributed.

If there are 4 or less athletes in the competition, the table below applies.

Number of Starters	1	2	3	4	From 5 and above
1 <sup>st</sup>	33%	33%	33%	33%	All the prize money scheduled must be distributed among all placed athletes.
2 <sup>nd</sup>		25%	25%	25%	
3 <sup>rd</sup>			20%	20%	
4 <sup>th</sup>				15%	
Total distributed	33%	58%	78%	93%	

The amount to be given to each athletes must be stated in the schedule.



## **XV. ANNEXES**

### **1. FEI ENTRY SYSTEM**

Please fill the form below in order to provide you and the other members of your committee or your IT Providers access to the FEI Entry System.

**FEI ID<sup>1</sup>:** 10063735  
**Name\*:** Baur  
**First Name\*:** Thomas  
**E-Mail\*:** acm.baur@t-online.de  
**Access Rights\*:**  Admin<sup>2</sup>  Consult<sup>3</sup>

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**FEI ID<sup>1</sup>:** 10197653  
**Name\*:** Blankenship  
**First Name\*:** Tom  
**E-Mail\*:** tombank@bellsouth.net  
**Access Rights\*:**  Admin<sup>2</sup>  Consult<sup>3</sup>

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**FEI ID<sup>1</sup>:** 10286864  
**Name\*:** Davenport  
**First Name\*:** Andrea  
**E-Mail\*:** FlightLineShows@gmail.com  
**Access Rights\*:**  Admin<sup>2</sup>  Consult<sup>3</sup>

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- 1) If already have an FEI user account.  
2) Provide you the required access to manage entries and substitutions and download entries/lists.  
3) You are just able to consult and download the entries/lists.  
\*) Mandatory Fields

## **2. RESULTS**

In order to proceed with the results publication and for qualification purposes the FEI requires results to be uploaded directly on the FEI Database within two days after the conclusion of the event.

All relevant information, file format and tutorial can be found on this page:  
<https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/results/dressage-results-forms>

If you or your provider are unable to produce the required files, results will be accepted by e-mail to [dressageresults@fei.org](mailto:dressageresults@fei.org) in the proper XML format immediately after the event.

Please refer to compulsory format for CDIs; the file can be downloaded using the following link: <https://inside.fei.org/fei/your-role/it-services/xml-format>

All results must include FEI Passport Registration number of horses and FEI ID number of athletes.

Please note that as per the FEI Regulations: OCs of International Events must inform the FEI and NFs whose teams or individuals have taken part, of the results and prize money paid to each placed athletes and team, within two (2) days following the Event for all disciplines managed by an online entry system and five (5) days for all other discipline(s), unless otherwise specified for qualification and ranking reasons as communicated by the FEI.

Failure from organisers of International Events to provide the FEI with the appropriate result(s) and/or prize money information by the aforesaid deadline and/or in the aforesaid format shall entail a warning for the first violation and thereafter a fine of CHF 1'000.- per violation.