

HOPEFULS DRESSAGE – WALK ONLY PATTERN

RIDER JUDGED ON:

- Accuracy in performing the figures
- Communication & control of horse
- General Presentation
- Horsemanship

Hopefuls is set up for those not yet ready for dressage & those who ride horses not trained in dressage. Designed to test the rider's horsemanship skills & introduce the layout of the dressage arena. Harmony between horse and rider, smoothness of transitions & accuracy are all a part of horsemanship. In Hopefuls the rider is judged, not the horse. Side-walkers are permitted and tests may be called. Those riding in Hopefuls may not cross enter into any other division.

	TEST
A	Enter walking down center line
X	Circle right 10 meters (to B & back to X)
X	Circle left 10 meters (to E & back to X)
X	Continue at walk to C
C	Track left
H	Go between H & cone
H to K	Continue weaving cones
K to F	Continue at walk
FXH	Change rein across diagonal at walk
M to G	half circle Right 10 meters to G
G	Halt & Salute

Leave arena at walk. Exit at A.