



Gisborne Championships

Gisborne Showgrounds – Main Rd, Gisborne
17th - 18th November 2018

Entries Close - **Midnight Friday 26th October 2018** at www.equestrianentries.co.nz

Important Information

All enquiries

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Responsibility: It is the rider, or person responsible, obligation to read and understand the conditions for this event as published in Equestrian Entries.

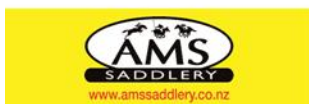
ESNZ Registration for Graded Classes: Entries will not be accepted without ESNZ rider and horse registrations current to the 18th November 2018. Annual Dressage start only needed for to enter all DNZ Series, Island or National Championships, Horse of the Year, and international events. Other classes may be entered using a flexi start.

ESNZ Resistration for Non Graded Classes: All Riders must be an introductory member or pay a Casual membership. No horse registration required.

Non-graded Classes: Horses and Ponies maybe registered or non registered. Classes open to ESNZ members or a \$10 per day casual membership fee applies.

Rules: Gisborne Premier League competitions will be run under the current (2018) ESNZ GR's, VR's & ESNZ Rules for Dressage.

Qualifiers: Premier League Shows are qualifiers for the Bates National Dressage Championships and Horse of the Year. Points can be gained for the Super 5 League, Zilco Musical Freestyle Series, Prestige Futures Prize, AMS Pony Young Rider Performance League. Riders wishing to accrue points in any Dressage NZ Top 10 League must register online at Equestrian Entries prior to 1st December 2018.



Event Conditions

1. **Amendments:** The organising committee reserves the right to alter the programme/schedule and/or prize money within the ESNZ and DNZ Rules.
2. **Presentation of Prizes and Prize Money:** See DNZ Rule article 485.
 - a. All riders must attend advertised presentations. The organising committee reserves the right to withhold prize monies should a placegetter not attend an advertised prize giving.
 - b. The organising committee reserves the right to substitute prize money with goods to the equal value.
 - c. All prize money will be paid at the event. Prize Money forfeited if not collected prior to end of show.
 - d. Prize Givings: Unmounted for Champions & Reserves. Unmounted - Super 5 League and Zilco Musical Freestyles. All other classes collect from reception. (A photographer will be available for mounted photos after the prize giving)
3. **Equal Placings:** In the case of equality in any qualifying class, the higher collective marks will determine the higher placing. If the competitors are still equal, then the higher co-efficient marks will determine the placings. If there is still an equality of points, the competitors are given the same placing.
4. **Riders with more than 2 horses:** The OC will make every effort to ensure that riders have at least 60 minutes between rides. However, if this is not possible owing to the scheduling of classes, the maximum time possible between rides will be allocated.
5. **Helmets:** ESNZ approved riding helmets must be worn at all times, at all levels, during the competition.
6. **Non Competing Horses:** All horses and ponies on the grounds after the official start time must be entered at the event unless the organising committee gives permission otherwise.
7. **ESNZ Para-Equestrian** rules will apply from arrival at the venue. Para riders must wear identifying orange discs on saddle cloths (for stewarding purposes) when riding.
8. ESNZ identification numbers must be worn at all times, including warm-up.
9. All horses/ponies staying on the grounds must have an ID tag at all times with rider details and contact number.
10. **Liability:**
 - a. Competitors and spectators attending this event do so at their own risk.
 - b. Dressage NZ or Dressage Gisborne 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 whatsoever.
 - c. Dressage NZ or Dressage Gisborne shall not be liable for the safety of any goods/equipment or the loss of, or damage to such, brought in/stored at the venue, during the event.
11. **Health & Safety:**
 - a) Dressage NZ and Dressage Gisborne is committed to providing and maintaining a safe and healthy event for all participants, and to providing the information, training and supervision needed to achieve this.
 - b) Competitor or Exhibitor must comply with the appropriate Legislation and Health & Safety at Work Act 2015.
 - c) Each Competitor and/or exhibitor must supervise and control their animals at all times and shall be liable for any hazard created, accident, illness or damage caused by the action of themselves at the venue of the Event
 - d) All competitors and associated staff/visitors to the venue must abide by the ESNZ/Dressage NZ Rules, the Dressage Gisborne Health & Safety Policy's
 - e) Copies of the event Health & Safety policy can be found at the event office.
 - f) Any incident or near miss must be reported to event office and an incident form completed.
 - g) Any hazards identified must be reported to event office.
 - h) Competitors will be responsible for their safety at all times and must observe safe practices and following event rules and officials' instructions at all times, ensuring that others are not put a risk by their actions.
12. **ESNZ Concussion Policy:** Dressage Gisborne is required to run all events under the ESNZ Concussion Policy Guidelines.

Entry Conditions

1. Entries Close for Gisborne Dressage Championships Friday 26th October 2018
2. Entry is not accepted until payment is made.
3. Enter online at www.equestrianentries.co.nz.
4. Late Entries & Changes - Please contact Kyla Newton for enquiries. Tel: 021 168 0303 or email gisbornedressage@gmail.com. May be accepted if entries allow or placed on waiting list until draw is posted.
5. Late penalty fee of \$5.00 per class will apply and proof of payment before entry accepted.
6. Direct credit/Cheque payments must be made by close of entry for entry to be accepted.
7. Direct Credit account number 123170 0017212 00 with rider's name as reference.
8. Cheques posted to, Kyla Newton, 55 Lytton Road, Riverdale, Gisborne, 4010.
9. Draw will be available at www.equestrianentries.co.nz
10. Horses and ponies are restricted to 2 starts per day. Riders are limited to 3 horses.
11. Withdrawals and Refunds – REFUND POLICY – full refund up to close of entries, otherwise 75% of entry fee refunded upon notification of scratching prior to event. Refund requests must be confirmed in writing or email within 7 days of event. 100% of stabling and camping fees will be refunded.

Awards Eligibility

1. **Kevin Hollis Young Rider Award:** Open to riders on horse or pony. Rider must be 20yrs or under as at 1st August 2018. **Please state at time of entry to be eligible.**
Championship points are allocated as below.
In the event of a tie, combination with the highest average % will be the winner. If there is a further tie, the horse contesting the highest level will be the winner.

Percentage	Points		
	Levels 1-3	levels 4-5	Levels 6-9
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

2. **Hanoverian Society Award:** Two awards presented Level 1-3 and Level 4 and above. The award will be presented to the highest-level Hanoverian champion, if no champion then the reserve. If there is neither the Sash will lapse for that grade this year. Horses must be registered with NZ Hanoverian Society. **Please state at time entry to be eligible.**
3. **Masters Award:** Riders must be aged 50 years or over as at 1st August 2018. **Please state on entry to be eligible.**
4. **AMS Saddlery Pony and Young Rider Performance League** – Points for this series will be calculated from the “Super 5” test for each level. Refer to the ESNZ website for conditions and rider eligibility.
5. **BEYOND THE BARRIERS THOROUGHBRED CHALLENGE AWARD** – Open to ESNZ registered and non-registered horses. To be eligible to contest this award your horse must to be a registered thoroughbred with the NZ thoroughbred racing and provide the following information at time of entry: Registered race name, Sire, Dam and DOB. The Champion and Reserve prize will be awarded to the best performed TB at the show which will be the horse with the highest average percentage gained over the 4 tests that you ride. **Please state on entry to be eligible.**
6. Combinations are eligible for one level of Championship only.

Championship Points Levels 1-9

1. Championship points are allocated 10 for 1st, to 1 for 10th.
2. Champions and Reserves: The horse with the highest aggregate allocated points from specified classes will be the Championship winner. In the event of a tie, the combination with the highest place in the final qualifier is the winner. If there is still a tie, the combination with the highest aggregate collective marks in

the final qualifier will be the winner. If there is a further tie, the combination with the highest average % in two qualifiers will be the winner.

3. Para music classes are allocated x1.5.

Competition Arena Use & Familiarisation

1. Arena familiarisation is not intended to be used as a full schooling session.
2. Riders need to be considerate of other riders wishing to familiarise their horses.
3. Lunging is permitted only on all weather surface please see steward
4. Horses may be hand walked or ridden at walking pace around the exterior of the competition arena unless advised otherwise by the Technical Delegate.
5. **Familiarisation Times for Indoor Arena** Friday 16th November 2018 4:00-5:00pm, Saturday 17th November 2018 7:00 – 7:30am

Sponsors & Volunteers

We ask that all competitors spend some time to thank our sponsors and volunteers that support Dressage in NZ, either in writing (Sponsors contact details will be listed on the event programme) or in person during the show. Volunteer thanks can be directed to the event office or event manager. Without the generous support we receive from these individuals and businesses, the cost to competitors would be considerably increased.

Horse Identification, Venue, Stabling, Accommodation Conditions

1. Approved Dressage NZ Horse/Pony identification numbers must be worn at all times when competing.
2. When not competing, it is compulsory that horses/ponies are identified with ID tags also that include, person responsible name and mobile phone contact number.
3. All yards and stables are to be left properly mucked out. If not a fee of \$50 will be charged
4. Please keep wash down bays clean at all times.
5. Moving horses to unallocated yards or stables is prohibited without permission of the Stable Manager.
6. Please use the skips provided for horse waste not rubbish.
No smoking in any buildings or stable areas.
7. Any damage to the RDA or Poverty Bay A&P Assn yards, stables and facilities to be reported immediately to the OC.

Dogs

1. Poverty Bay A&P states that dogs are not allowed on the showgrounds.

Camping & Power Sites

1. Trucks and Campervans requesting power must have a valid electrical certificate and under no circumstances will allow other vehicles to connect to their vehicle via extension cords.
2. Please be tidy and use rubbish bin for all rubbish.



Links to ESNZ/DNZ Rules and DNZ Series Conditions

ESNZ Rules & Regulations https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/rules-regulations/esnz-rules/Dressage_NZ

ESNZ Concussion Policy <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/safety/concussion/>

Dressage NZ Rules <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/rules-regulations/dressage-rules/>

Dressage NZ Young and Developing Horse Rules <https://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/esnz/rules-regulations/dressage-rules/>

Links to DNZ Series Conditions and National Competitions

Zilco Musical Freestyle, Super 5 League all Dressage Top 10 Leagues

<http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/disciplines/dressage/competition/dressage-series-classes/>

Elite Equine Young Hores Championships & National Amateur Championships at the Bates National Championship

<http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/disciplines/dressage/competition/dressage-series-classes/>

Prestige Dressage Futures Prize & AMS Saddlery Pony & Young Rider and Performance League

<http://www.nzequestrian.org.nz/disciplines/dressage/competition/dressage-series-classes/>

Entry & Event Fees

Horse Accommodation - Fees for the event

Stallion Box \$25

Covered \$25

Uncovered Yards \$10

Admin/Ground Fee (per horse)

\$15 for event

Camping Fees – For 2 Nights

With power \$40.

Without power \$20.

Extra Night with Power \$20

Extra Night without Power \$10

Non Graded Classes (24-29 & 55-57)

\$12 per test – Ribbons only

Graded and Para Classes

L1-4: \$15 per test (PM \$40/30/20/15)

L5 & Above: \$20 per test (PM \$50/35/25/20)

Class 20: \$30 (PM \$100/80/50/30)



Schedule of Classes

Class	Saturday	Class	Sunday
1	Pony 1A	31	Pony 1D
2	Pony 1C	32	Pony 1B
3	Pony 2A	33	L2 Pony Freestyle to Music
4	Pony 2C	34	Pony 2B
5	Horse 1A	35	Horse 1D
6	1C Vetpro (Super 5)	36	Horse 1B
7	Horse 2B	37	L2 Zilco Freestyle to Music
8	2C Matthews Hanoverians (Super 5)	38	Horse 2D
9	3B	39	3D
10	L3 Zilco Freestyle to Music	40	3C Heritage Equine (Super 5)
11	4B	41	L4 Zilco Freestyle to Music
12	4C Dunstan Horsefeeds (Super 5)	42	4D
13	5B	43	5D
14	L5 Zilco Freestyle to Music	44	5C Fiber Fresh Feeds (Super 5)
15	6A	45	Hobson Horsecoaches (Super 5) FEI PSG
16	L6 Zilco FEI YR Freestyle to Music 2017		
17	7A	46	L7 Custom Logistic Services (Super 5) FEI Int I
18	L7 Zilco FEI Int I Freestyle to Music 2017		
19	L8 Zilco FEI Int A/B Freestyle to Music	47	L8 AR Dressage (Super 5) FEI Int B
20	Zilco FEI Grand Prix Freestyle to Music	48	L9 Superior Rubber Surfaces (Super 5) Grand Prix
	PARA EQUESTRIAN CLASSES		PARA EQUESTRIAN CLASSES
Class	Saturday	Class	Sunday
21	FEI III Championship Test 2017	49	FEI III Freestyle Test 2017
22	FEI IV Championship Test 2017	50	FEI IV Freestyle Test 2017
23	FEI V Championship Test 2017	51	FEI V Freestyle Test 2017
24	VI Test NZ – 601	52	VI Test NZ - 602

NON GRADED CLASSES		NON GRADED CLASSES	
Class	Saturday	Class	Sunday
	Category CN (No Grading Points)		Category CN (No Grading Points)
25	Introductory OA	53	Introductory OA
26	Introductory OB	54	Introductory OB
	Category CN (No Grading Points)		Category CN (No Grading Points)
27	Introductory OC	55	Introductory OD
28	1A	56	1B
	Category C1-3		Category C1-3
29	Introductory OC	57	Introductory OD
30	1A	58	1B