

## GENERAL RULES

1. Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book. Equine Canada's website is [www.equinecanada.ca](http://www.equinecanada.ca).
2. Entry fees will not be refunded after the closing date unless a veterinary or doctor's certificate is provided within 10 days.
3. Conestoga CADORA regrets that refunds cannot be issued for classes cancelled due to unsafe weather conditions.
4. Parents and guardians are entitled to sign their children's entry forms without being EC members or holder of a Sport License, provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties contained in the Rule Book. If anyone else is signing as Person Responsible they must hold a current OEF membership and provide proof of their membership with the entry form.
5. A \$20.00 administration fee will be charged for any changes made after the entry closing date.
6. Hors Concours entries will be accepted if there is space in the class.
7. A junior is a rider who is 17 years of age or younger as of January 1st of the current year
8. Horses are allowed to compete in a maximum of three tests with a maximum of two riders BUT cannot perform the same test twice with riders in the same division. Any horse/rider combination competing in more than one test must ride consecutive tests. Samples are as follows:
  - Walk-Trot, Walk-Trot Equitation, Training Level Test #1
  - Training Level Test #1, #2, #3
  - Training Level Test #1, #2 & Training Level Freestyle
  - Training Level Test #3, First Level Test #1 & Training or First Level Freestyle
9. Any horse-rider combination that has achieved 3 scores of 60% or higher in the same show season at a Bronze show prior to the current year may not compete at or below the test for which that score was achieved. Also, any horse-rider combination that has achieved 3 scores of 60% or higher at Silver or Gold shows in the current or previous seasons will no longer be eligible to receive a Conestoga Cadora Year End Award for the test for which that score was achieved. (i.e. rider receives 3 scores over 60% at Silver shows at First Level Test 2, in order to be eligible for year end awards the horse-rider must compete at First Level Test 3 or higher at the Bronze shows).
10. **DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON THE SHOW GROUNDS!**
11. Competition numbers must be worn and visible at all times in the schooling and exercise areas as well as in the competition ring.
12. All riders must be wearing ASTM/SEI or BSI approved headgear while mounted.
13. For the safety of all competitors, longeing of your horse is not permitted in the warm up ring. Please consult the show office for the designated longeing area.
14. For insurance reasons, all visiting horses must be registered with the show secretary prior to the show date, pay a class fee, get a number and provide a copy of the owner's and rider's current OEF card.
15. All protests must be submitted in writing to the show secretary on the day of the show. A \$10.00 deposit must be submitted with the protest and will be forfeited if the protest is not sustained.
16. Two Board Members are appointed as representatives to attend each show. In the event of a dispute or emergency they will render the appropriate decisions.
17. Conestoga CADORA, host farms and all their volunteers and employees will not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury incurred to person or animal while on the show grounds.