



# AUCKLAND MANUKAU DRESSAGE GROUP INC

## 2011 SPRING SERIES DAY 4 at Clevedon Showgrounds

Updated 25 October



### Cushionride Dressage Series Accumulator Show

**Sunday 11 December 2011**

Entries close: Friday 25 November 2011

**Graded Classes: For ESNZ Members and Registered Horses**

Class 1	Level 1	1.2	(Open and restricted awards – restricted for CN & C1 riders – see conditions)
Class 2	Level 1	1.6	(Open and restricted awards – restricted for CN & C1 riders – see conditions)
Class 3	Level 2	2.2	(Open and restricted awards – restricted for CN, C1 & C2 riders – see conditions)
Class 4	Level 2	2.6	(Open and restricted awards – restricted for CN, C1 & C2 riders – see conditions)
Class 5	Level 3	3.2	
Class 6	Level 3	3.6	
Class 7	Level 4	4.2	
Class 8	Level 4	4.6	
Class 9	Level 5	5.2	
Class 10	Level 5	5.6	
Class 11	Level 8	8.1	<i>Cushionride Quest</i> (see conditions) – open to any advanced level horse
Class 12	Level 6/7	FEI TOC	

(state test on entry)

**Non-Graded Classes: Newcomer Cushionride Quest (Conditions apply)**

Class 13	Training	1.2
Class 14	Training	1.6

**Para Equestrian:**

Class 15	Grade of choice	FEI Novice 2010
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**Non-Graded Classes: Open to ESNZ Training Members & non-members but restricted to C2 and below riders and training registered or unregistered horses. Other riders/horses may compete H/C in non-graded classes if desired. NOTE IF YOU HAVE RIDDEN NOVICE HORSE TRIALS OR HIGHER YOU ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE (but may enter HC)**

**Para Equestrian Tests: Grade of choice ride the test stated for your grade. Please state your PE grade on your entry form, and include your classification etc as per condition 11 below. Grade IV in 20 x 60, other grades 20 x 40**

**All levels 1 & 2 classes have Open and "Restricted (C1 & C1/C2)" Divisions (see condition 6,7)**

**Newcomer Cushionride Quests (Most points/day winner Rug)**

**Class 11 Graded Cushionride Quest (\$800PM + winner rug)**

**Classes 1-12 count towards Graded Cushionride Accumulator**

**Non-graded Classes 13-14 count towards Cushionride Newcomer Accumulator**

**Cushionride Accumulator Final and Presentations: at the end of season May Show**

**Post Entries to: Jaydene Rowlands, 4 Percy Graham Drive Tuakau, 2121.** No phone or email entries and must be on current ESNZ member form or non-member form.

Entry fees: incl gst \$20 per graded class, non-graded classes \$15 per class (gst no. 55-279-888)

Entry fees/Facility fees may be paid by cheque, on-line banking or direct credit. If paying on line or by direct credit deposit the amount you owe to the bank account and print out your proof of payment AND SEND PROOF OF PAYMENT WITH YOUR ENTRY FORM.

In the reference details use your surname and the date of the show you enter. Eg smith21Aug

Bank Account Details: Auckland Manukau Dressage Group 03 0399 0150472 00

Entry forms must be posted with your cheque or printed deposit receipt.

**Facility Fees:** Non-AMDG members add \$15 Facility fee per horse. AMDG members enclose work levy sticker or \$10 per rider. Non-member/Unregistered entry form may be downloaded from the AMDG website [www.AMDG.org.nz](http://www.AMDG.org.nz)

**Late Entries:** entries received after the closing date are classified as late entries and will incur a penalty fee of \$10 per class, which MUST be paid before you ride. Late entries will only be put into the draw if space permits.

**Overnight and day yards/ overnight camping:**

Day or overnight yard use: \$20 covered yards, \$10 uncovered yards, per yard for the show.

Overnight Camping fee \$10 per truck or float. Please include all yard and camping fees with entries.

Stables are available within 5 minutes of the grounds : \$20 per horse per night :Apply to Carole Davis: Ph. 09 292 8928 for details.

**Scratchings/ Queries:** Please email (preferable): [aucklanddressage@gmail.com](mailto:aucklanddressage@gmail.com) or phone: 0273721079

For Scratchings please include rider's & horse's name, bridle number and classes entered.

#### Prizes:

Prize money paid for graded classes only (open section).

Rosettes to 6<sup>th</sup> place in all classes (graded, non-graded and para), and restricted divisions.

Level 1 and 2: C1 & C2 riders may get rosettes in the restricted division and Prizes in the overall (open) division.

To qualify for prize money in graded classes, riders must have gained 57% levels 1-5; 55% levels 6-9.

Prize money will be allocated proportionally (1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup>)

Total amount paid per class will be	\$45 (1-5 starters)
	\$80 (6-10 starters)
	\$105 (11-15 starters)
	\$125 (16-20 starters) plus \$20 for every additional 5 riders

Cushion ride Quest graded classes: Prize money: \$800 allocated \$300, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50 + Dress rug to winner.

All graded classes awarded points 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> for accumulator series which ends May 2012. Cushionride Graded Accumulator Prize pool \$1000 allocated \$500, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50 + Dress Rug and Trophy to Accumulator winner.

Cushion ride Quest Non graded classes: One dress rug to highest points (calculated over both classes) all shows (see cushionride conditions).

All Non-graded Newcomer classes awarded points 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> for accumulator series which ends May 2012. Cushionride Non-Graded Newcomer Accumulator Prize pool \$1000 allocated \$500, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50 + Dress Rug to winner.

For full Cushion ride Quest and accumulator conditions **refer to the website** [www.amdg.org.nz](http://www.amdg.org.nz).

#### Show Conditions:

1. All classes run under ESNZ rules. The committee reserves the right to cancel any event or alter the programme or prize money.
2. A maximum of three starts per horse, per day.
3. Refunds considered only if scratching notified before the start of the show and the refund request form is received by the treasurer along with vet, farrier, or doctor's letter within seven days of the show. All refunds less 20% administration charge. Refund forms available on the website.
4. Incorrect entry forms will be returned. Please send a separate entry form **AND** a separate cheque for each show day.
5. The draw will be available on the AMDG website [www.AMDG.org.nz](http://www.AMDG.org.nz). Send SAE (double self sealing) if you want draw posted.

#### Graded Classes

6. **Restricted Level 1 and 2 Riders:** Riders who qualify (see condition 7 below) will be awarded rosettes only 1st to 6th place in addition to any overall class placings.  
Any qualifying Restricted rider will be eligible for grading points as per their % gained and will also be eligible for placings and prize money in the overall class placings.  
Any qualifying Restricted rider must clearly state this and their rider category on their entry form otherwise they will be deemed to be in the open class only.
7. Restricted Level 1 is restricted to riders that are category CN or C1  
Restricted Level 2 is restricted to riders that are category CN or C1 or C2
8. Bridle numbers MUST be worn in all graded and Para classes.
9. **Riders in class 12 please state FEI test** (level 6-7) you wish to ride, on your entry form.
10. AMDG members only: **Spring series trophies** for all levels based on points gained over all four Spring series shows. Must be financial members of AMDG as at 11<sup>th</sup> September 2011.
11. Para Equestrian Tests – open to ESNZ classified para-equestrian riders according to their classification grade. Please include your classification and allowed aids with your entry. **You enter at your own risk understanding the following about our venue: there is no ramped mounting block currently available at AMDG. Arenas and warm up are not enclosed – the competition area is a wide open space. Warm up will be with able bodied competitors but your class will be at the beginning or end of the day to reduce numbers of other competitors in warm up. Competition arena needs to be shortened and/or lengthened by your helpers. The horse yards and float/truck parking areas are approximately 200m from the competition arenas and clubrooms along a gravel road.**

#### Non-Graded Newcomer Classes:

1. Horses MUST be identified by bridle number (if you have them) or AMDG arm bands (\$5 refundable deposit to be paid on day - not with entry). Please collect armband from field secretary in the clubroom.
2. Horse may be ESNZ training registered or unregistered.
3. Open to ESNZ training member and non-member (“unregistered”) riders but restricted to riders of category C2 or below (ie never to have had a placing at L3 graded dressage or competed at novice HT on any horse).
4. ESNZ non-member entry forms are available on the website.
5. Horse and rider combinations who are not eligible to compete (eg ESNZ member rider, C3+ non-ESNZ member riders, registered horses) may ride H/C.

***Please note that if you are placed in the Cushionride Quest class or win the non-graded quest, you must be present for the prizegiving on the day or notify a nominated person to collect your award or it will be awarded to the next placed rider. (See Cushionride conditions overleaf)***



## ***Cushionride Quests and Accumulator Series Conditions***

### ***Non graded Classes – Newcomer Quests and Accumulator***

1. Cushionride quest non-graded classes will be held on the following dates:  
Sept 11, Oct 2, Oct 30, Dec 11 February 26, March 25, April 15, May 6.  
One Cushionride rug will be awarded to the highest pointed horse and rider combination over both tests combined on each day.  
The rug can only be won once by a horse and rider combination. Should the same combination be the highest on more than one occasion, the rug will be given to the next highest combination that has not previously won a rug.
2. Eligibility for entry: Horse is unregistered or training registered. Riders may be ESNZ non-members or Training (non-graded) members but must have never gained grading points on any horse in the past above level 2 or competed novice HT (Rider category C2).
3. Points will be awarded 1st – 6th place in every class held on the above dates (plus non-graded classes at the Dressage Festival on 29, 30 and 31 January and on the final day 6<sup>th</sup> May), and accumulated throughout the season. On the final day (May 6<sup>th</sup> 2012) a rug will be awarded to the highest pointed combination in the accumulator, and the prize pool of \$1000 allocated \$500, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50.
4. If a horse and rider combination starts in the non-graded section and transfers to the graded section before the Festival of Dressage on January 29th, they may take any points earned in the non-graded accumulator over to the graded accumulator.
5. If a horse and rider combination starts in the non-graded section and transfers to the graded section after the dressage festival (ie 1 Feb onwards), any points earned in the graded accumulator may be counted towards the non-graded accumulator.
6. A horse and rider combination may only gain an award in one accumulator. If a combination places in both graded and non-graded accumulator the rider must elect which to award to accept.
7. Accumulator points will only be awarded for two tests per competition day.
8. The winning rider at the show must be present to collect the prize for the Newcomer Cushionride Quest: winner mounted, Failure to attend will result in forfeiture of prize to the next placed rider.
9. Riders must be present to collect prizes for Cushionride accumulators on the final day (6<sup>th</sup> May 2012) or provide a nominee to collect awards. Winner or nominee must be mounted, place getters correctly attired. Failure to attend (or provide a nominee) will forfeit award to the next placed rider.
10. Para equestrian classes are not part of the cushionride quest or accumulator series.
11. Double points will be awarded on the last show in May.

### ***Graded Classes***

Sep 11, Oct2, October 30, Dec11, January 29/30/31, February 26, March 25, April 15, May 6.

1. On each of the above dates (other than the Festival of Dressage Jan 29-31 and May 6) one class will be designated a Cushionride Quest class with each level having one quest through the season . Each of these classes will be awarded a Cushionride rug to the winner and \$800 prize pool will be allocated \$300, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50.
2. Points will be awarded 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> place in every graded class held on the above dates, and accumulated throughout the season. On the final day a dress rug will be awarded to the highest pointed horse and rider combination and \$1000 prize pool allocated \$500, \$200, \$100, \$80, \$70, \$50 + dress rug and trophy to the winner.
3. To gain accumulator points, a horse and rider combination must have gained 57% in levels 1-5, 55% in levels 6-9.
4. Accumulator points will only be awarded for competitor's two highest placed tests per competition day.
5. Riders must be present to collect prizes for Cushionride Quests on the day of the competition: winner mounted, place getters unmounted and correctly attired. Failure to attend will result in forfeiture of prize to next placed rider/s.
6. Riders must be present to collect prizes for Cushionride accumulators or provide a nominee to collect awards. Winner or nominee must be mounted, place getters correctly attired. Failure to attend (or provide a nominee) will forfeit award to the next placed rider.
7. Double points on the last show in May.
8. Points will be awarded in proportion to the numbers in the classes.