

## MUSICAL FREESTYLE EXHIBITION APPLICATION

This application and proof of scores must be submitted with your entry.

This Musical Freestyle Exhibition class in not recognized by USEF or USDF. Entry fee is \$125.00.

Musical freestyle is an exciting combination of the technical and artistic aspects of a highly trained horse.

Open to exhibitors competing at this show in;

- a. English Dressage First Level or above with a minimum score 63% for Training Level through Fourth Level and 60% for FEI levels in the declared freestyle level. Proof of scores is required with this application.
- b. Western Dressage First Level or above with a minimum score 60% in the declared Freestyle level. Proof of scores is required with this application.

Will be limited to 15 rides on a first come basis based on post mark or electronic date of the application. Official entry into the class is also required once application is accepted.

**Limited to 1 entry per owner. Rider may only ride 1 horse.** If 15 time slots are not filled then it will be open to; 1 Entries on a waiting list and 2. Entries with duplicate riders and/or duplicate owners.

## The helmet rule is in effect. Whips are permitted.

Music is mandatory and must be in an mp3 file format submitted by September 1 to NationalEvents@Arabianhorses.org

The maximum time limit for English freestyle is 5 minutes. Grand Prix level ride the time limit is 6 minutes. For Western freestyle the maximum time limit is 6 minutes. There is no minimum time requirement. There will be no signal (bell or whistle) at the end of either the 5 or 6 minutes. If movements are performed after the time limit has elapsed, it will not be scored. One (1) point will be deducted from the total for artistic impression for exceeding the time limit. A 10-second grace period should be given before a deduction is taken. The program is timed from the horse's move-off after the initial halt in the center of the ring facing the judge(s) and salute and ceases at the final salute at the center of the ring facing the judge(s).

The rider must signal the sound engineer within 45 seconds of the entry into the ring or be eliminated. The rider must enter the arena within 30 seconds of the start of the music, or they may be eliminated at the discretion of the Judge(s). Exceeding 75 seconds before entering the arena after the bell has sounded will entail elimination. Must perform all normal gaits and may include collected and extended gaits.

Will be judged on music and interpretation of the music, choreography and use of the arena, inventiveness, degree of difficulty, technical execution, rhythm & harmony between horse and rider.

50% for Artistic impression & 50% for technical execution of gaits and movements.

Horses Name:		Reg.#	
Owner Name:			AHA #
Riders Name			AHA #
Phone#:	Level Of Musical Ride		
Email			
Horse & Rider Bio.			