

The EAADA Proudly Presents

the Thirteenth Annual

**Sparkle and Spurs
EC Gold and AEF
Wild Rose Provincial
Circuit Show**

August 23th - 24th, 2025

**Amberlea Meadows
Edmonton Alberta**



Best of success to all entrants

**The Edmonton Area Alberta
Dressage Association in
collaboration with the
Canadian Eventing
Development Foundation
proudly presents**

**AEF Wild Rose
Schooling Show**

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THE EDMONTON AREA ALBERTA DRESSAGE ASSOCIATION (EAADA)

MISSION STATEMENT



The EAADA is committed to:

- ✚ Building a fiscally responsible and supportive community for dressage enthusiasts.
- ✚ Promoting high standards of accomplishment through diverse educational and competitive opportunities.
- ✚ Connecting members to local, national, and international dressage events.
- ✚ Advocating for equine wellness through education and adherence to national standards.
- ✚ Cultivating youth participation through our Youth Ambassador initiative.
- ✚ Upholding the seven True Sport principles

**TRUE
SPORT**
LIVES HERE

The EAADA is a member of True Sport and upholds their 7 principles. The EAADA expects competitors, grooms, parents, volunteers, and spectators to do the same.

- i. **Go For It - Rise to the challenge** – always strive for excellence. Discover how good you can be.
- ii. **Play Fair - Play honestly** – obey both the letter and spirit of the rules. Winning is only meaningful when competition is fair.
- iii. **Respect Others** - Show respect for everyone involved in creating your sporting experience, both on and off the field of play. Win with dignity and lose with grace.
- iv. **Keep It Fun** - Find the joy of sport. Keep a positive attitude both on and off the field of play.
- v. **Stay Healthy**- Place physical and mental health above all other considerations – avoid unsafe activities. Respect your body and keep in shape.
- vi. **Include Everyone** - Share sport with others. Ensure everyone has a place to play.
- vii. **Give Back** - Find ways to show your appreciation for the community that supports your sport and helps make it possible.

The Sparkle & Spurs Dressage Show would like to thank all our sponsors and volunteers for their support. The show would not go on without them. Please acknowledge them and show your appreciation during the show.





Thank you
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VOLUNTEERS

The 2025 Edmonton Area Alberta Dressage Association encourages all our competitors to give back through the act of volunteering. Volunteering for our Sparkle and Spurs AEF Wild Rose and EC Gold Dressage is beneficial for our entire community, because it creates friendships, boosts self-esteem, and fosters physical health." It also aligns with the True Sport Principle "Give Back."

You can sign up to volunteer through Compete Easy. The volunteer positions available are, set up on August 21, tear down on August 23, and gate for August 23 and 24.

EAADA members who volunteer 3 or more hours in 2025 at ADA events (any chapter) are eligible for 2025 EAADA Education and Clinic [subsidies](#). The show is a great way to complete those hours. Other area groups have similar programs, so check them out.

SHOW SCHEDULE

Ride Times and Result are available on [CompeteEasy](#)

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SHOW OFFICIALS

SPARKLE AND SPURS EC GOLD AND AEF WILD ROSE PROVINCIAL CIRCUIT SHOW

Judges: Joanne Bouwhuis, CAN, EC Senior, FEI 2/Para 2/YH
Jayne Essig, CAN, EC Senior
Margaret Boyce, CAN, EC Medium

Stewards: Linda Miller – EC Senior Status, Canada
Tracy Dopko – EC Medium Status, Canada

AEF WILD ROSE SCHOOLING SHOW

Judges: Amanda Enmark, AEF Judge

Course Designer Brian Vicars

Show Secretary: Catherine David
showsecretary.eaada@gmail.com
780-919-9794

Competition Manager: Kristen Landerl-Hughes,
sparkleandspursshowmanager@gmail.com

Medic: Cate Fox
250-219-2529

On Call Vet: Delaney Veterinary Services
24-hour number: 780-922-3647



On Call Farrier: Megan Weber of Spot On Equine,
780-213-1156

Photographer: Jessica Mayfield
(www.jessmayfield.com)



SHOW LOCATION

Amberlea Meadows
6645 156 Street SW
Edmonton, AB T6Y 0C1

Directions From Edmonton:

Take Hwy QE2 to 41 Ave S.W.
West on 41st Ave S.W. for 3.2 km (2 miles) to 156th Street.
South for 2.4 km. (1.5 miles) on 156th Street
Amberlea Meadows is on the left hand side

Alternatively:

From Hwy 2, west on Hwy 19 for 2.4 km. (1½ miles)
North on Range Road 253 for 3.2 Km. (2 Miles)
Follow the sign - West for .2 Km. (1/8 mile)
North on Range Road 252 for .8 Km. (½ mile) -
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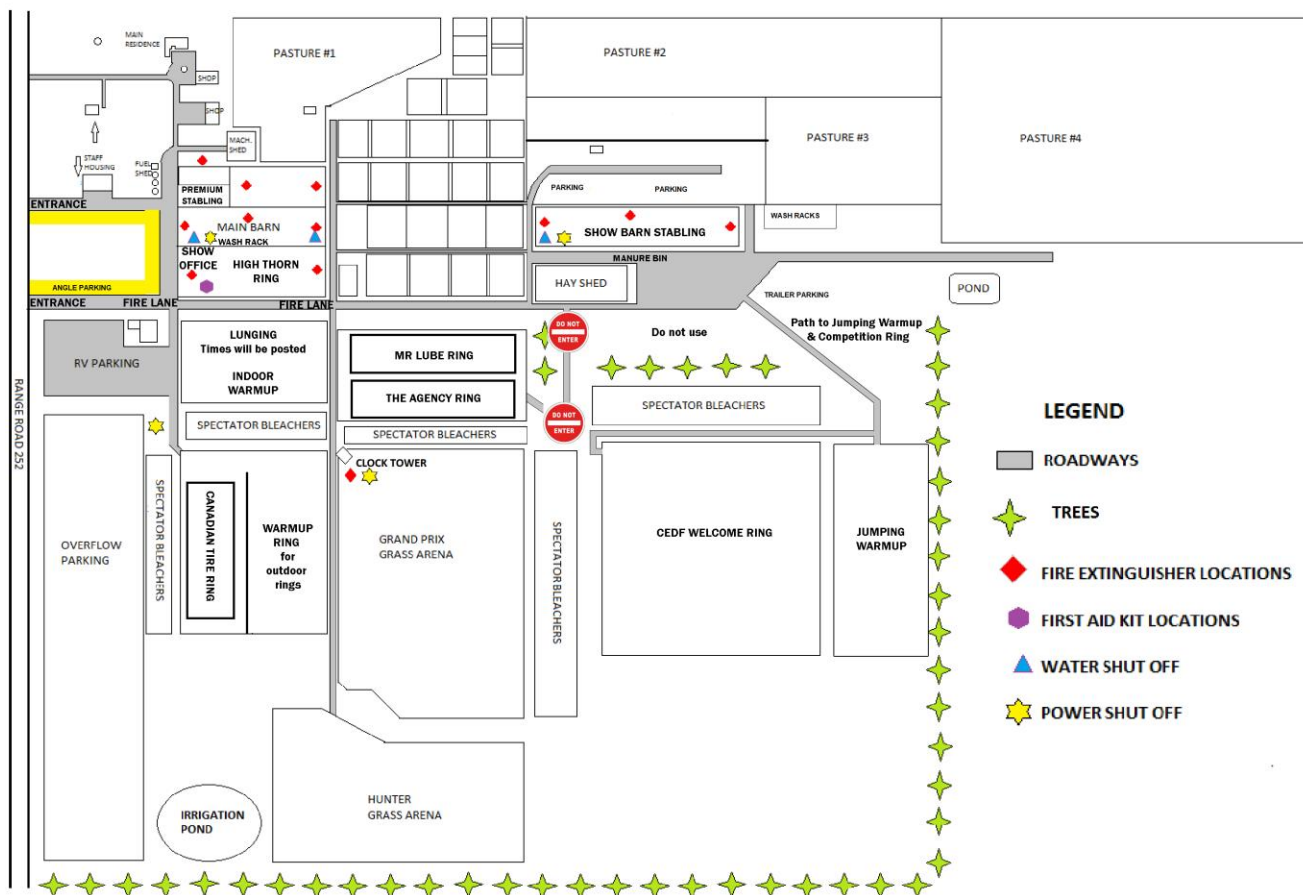


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MR LUBE
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MR. LUBE+TIRES

SITE MAP

Amberlea Meadows Site Map



WARM UP AND LUNGEING

Warm-up in the show rings is allowed on Friday 22 from 1:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Horses that are not stabled on the grounds may also haul in on Friday and school in the rings. On Saturday and Sunday, warm-up rings will be open for one hour before the start of classes each day and for one hour at the end of classes each day. Lungeing will be allowed in a designated area if space permits.

VENDOR VILLAGE

In case you forget something, or feel like treating yourself or your horse to something special, there will be several vendors on site on the front lawn.



**THE ROVING LECTURE COMMITTEE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE
YOU TO THE NEXT
ROVING LECTURE**

FRIDAY AUGUST 22, 2025 7pm start Time at Amberlea Meadows

ARE YOU COMPETING AT THE SPARKLE AND SPURS SHOW? WOULD YOU LIKE TO
COMPETE IN THE FUTURE, BUT ARE UNSURE?

Then... this presentation is for you! "From the Judge's Perspective"

Meet our judges, enjoy refreshments wine, snacks and visit with your fellow
judges and equine enthusiasts.

Attention all youth riders!

Your Youth Ambassadors, Alexa and Maya, would love to meet you!

Join them 30 minutes before the roving lecture for a fun Q&A session and a
chance to win a prize.

We can't wait to see you there!

Roving Lecture Mission Statement:



Sharing Knowledge, building community



Bringing the Alberta Equestrian community together through educational
opportunities that foster ideas and growth for the horse and rider.



Thank you
KAREN BERNECKER
For your Generosity

STABLING

- Show stalls are available from noon on Friday 22, 2025 (please **do not** arrive before this time) until the end of the Show on Sunday August 24, 2025. See Fee Schedule for prices.
- Horses must be put in assigned stalls only. No bedding may be removed from unoccupied stalls. No horse will be placed in an unassigned stall without approval from management.
- No smoking in the barn or hayshed.
- The stable area must always be kept clean and aisles unobstructed. Please deposit all manure and hay in manure bins.
- Absolutely no use of nails in Tack Stalls.
- All fans in the show barns must be unplugged by 9pm.

| N O R T H | Pasture | | | Hay Shed | |
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| | 218 | 217 | 136 | 135 | |
| | Colleen Dickson | Tara Johnson | Drug Testing | Emilie Andersen | |
| | 220 | 219 | 134 | 133 | |
| | Monika Rumsey | J. Worthington Tack | Quinn Assinger Tack | J Hoogendoorn | |
| | 222 | 221 | 132 | 131 | |
| | Melissa Matiko | Jayne Worthington | Quinn Assinger | Donna Bassett Tack | |
| | 224 | 223 | 130 | 129 | |
| | Katherine Oster | Marilyn Napper Tack | Rylee Ste Croix | Donna Bassett | |
| | 226 | 225 | 128 | 127 | |
| | Kadia Wagner Tack | Marilyn Napper | Mackenzie Saker | Kate Mackintosh | |
| | 228 | 227 | 126 | 125 | |
| | Kadia Wagner | Colleen Painter | Lori Keeler | Kate Mackintosh Tack | |
| | 230 | 229 | 124 | 123 | |
| | Jocelyn Stewart Tack | Colleen Painter Tack | Lori Keeler Tack | Cathy MacDonald | |
| | 232 | 231 | 122 | 121 | |
| | Jocelyn Stewart | Jan Armstrong Tack | Brittany DesCotes | Cathy MacDonald Tack | |
| | 234 | 233 | 120 | 119 | |
| | Alexa King Tack | Jan Armstrong | | | |
| | 236 | 235 | 118 | 117 | |
| | Alexa King | Calla Gross | Karen Heathcote Tack | Cassidy Beres | |
| | 238 | 237 | 116 | 115 | |
| | Kelly Kowalchuk | Calla Gross Tack | Karen Heathcote | Trinitie Beres | |
| | 240 | 239 | 114 | 113 | |
| | Tanya Grondzil Tack | Rene Girard | Jane Price | Alix Wellwood Tack | |
| | 242 | 241 | 112 | 111 | |
| | Tanya Grondzil | Kim Sokil | M. Besuijen Tack | Alix Wellwood | |
| | 244 | 243 | 110 | 109 | |
| | Niki Borden | Tracey Stock | Margaret Besuijen | Sandra Pippus | |
| | 246 | 245 | 108 | 107 | |
| | Rachel Pederson | Jodie Kupchenko | Casey Dermott | Ainsley MacLean | |
| | 248 | 247 | 106 | 105 | |
| | Kenna Seaton Tack | Jodie Kupchenko | Casey Dermott Tack | Casey Dermott | |
| | 250 | 249 | 104 | 103 | |
| | Kenna Seaton | Amberley Marsden Tack | Sophia Scherer-Brown | C. Champigny Tack | |
| | 252 | 251 | 102 | 101 | |
| | Maya Dugas | Amberley Marsden | Carolynne Champigny | Carolynne Champigny | |

| PREMIUM STABLING | | |
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| Lesson Barn | | |
| Tack | | Pump Room |
| P01 Brandi Macrae | | P11 Brandi Macrae |
| P02 Brandi Macrae | | P12 Brandi Macrae Tack |
| P03 Aynsley Foss | | P13 Curtis Lindballe |
| Tack | | Alleyway |
| P04 | | P14 Farrier |
| P05 Jane Scansen Tack | | P15 Farrier |
| P06 Jane Scansen | | P16 Avery Chandler |
| P07 | | P17 Layla Hughes Tack |
| P08 Sue Nielsen | | P18 Layla Hughes |

RV PARKING

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| | | | Rylee Ste Croix |
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| | | | 13 |
| | | | Donna-Maria Bassett |
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| | | | Lori Keeler |



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PARKING (VEHICLE/HORSE TRAILER/MOTORHOME)

- Due to limited power, electrical hook-ups directly at the Show Barn are not permitted. No motorhomes, trailers or vehicles with propane tanks may park within 50 feet of any building to avoid the risk of fire damage from a propane explosion.
- Parking is not allowed on any lawn areas. The fire lane (see facility map) must always be kept clear to allow for emergency vehicles in case of emergency.
- General parking for vehicles is available in front of the indoor arena or at the back on the north side of the show barn.
- Please be courteous when loading and unloading, DO NOT block the entrance to the show barn (west end) for any longer than necessary. You can also unload on the north side through the centre aisle.

WASH RACKS

Wash racks with cold running water are available on the east end of the show barn. There are wash racks in the main barn with hot and cold running water.

FOOD TRUCK

There will be a food truck on site on Saturday and Sunday.



EC GOLD SHOW and AEF WILD ROSE PROVINCIAL CIRCUIT SHOW
HORSE WELFARE

1. All participants shall be bound by the Horse Welfare Code of Conduct.
2. The inhumane treatment of an equine by any individual (competitor, owner, trainer, etc.) will not be tolerated anywhere on the grounds, under any circumstances.
3. Cruelty can be defined as intentionally causing pain or unnecessary discomfort to an equine. The standard by which such conduct will be measured is the determination of cruel, excessive, or inhumane treatment by a reasonable person who is informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and procedures.
4. Anyone confirmed of abuse will be eliminated or disqualified and reported to the appropriate governing body.



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**WESTHILLS EQUINE
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AND
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YASTREBOVA)
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HELEN PARKER
For your Generosity



Thank you
ALEXA KING AND
MAYA DUGAS
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Thank you
SANNA
MACFARLANE
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FABRICATION
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**You must take and log the temperature of your horse twice a day while on the show grounds.
You must provide a copy of the log when requested.**

You must have a copy of your vaccine certificate or exemption letter.

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Horses that have exemption letters must provide a log of temperatures for the 7 days prior to the show when requested.

You must report any horse with an elevated temperature to the show office. If the show office is closed, contact the Show Manager. The show organizers and Amberlea will enact the Bio Security – Sick Horse Protocol.

Amberlea Meadows is committed to providing a safe and healthy environment for all exhibitors and their horses. All show participants are requested to practice good disease prevention practices. Travelling and showing horses are at an increased risk for spreading and contracting contagious diseases.

To provide a safe environment, the following measures must be adhered to:

- Entries that do not have proof of vaccinations (Influenza/EHV1-4) as per the Equine Vaccination Section of the prize list will not be accepted.
- All horses entering the show grounds must not have been in contact with any sick horses within the last 14 days. They must not exhibit any sign of illness.
- All horses coming on to the grounds must have a copy of valid Equine Influenza and EHV vaccinations (vaccinations must be administered within the last 6 months, but not within 7 days of arrival to the grounds). Proof of vaccination must be signed by a vet, on vet letterhead. The name on the vaccination MUST MATCH the name on the entry to be acceptable. Please have certificate records available upon request from Amberlea Meadows Staff.
- In the case of a horse that is unable to receive either of the vaccinations due to a history of adverse reactions, the exhibitor must provide a letter from the veterinarian on official letterhead stating that the horse in question cannot be vaccinated due to medical concerns. The name on the letter MUST MATCH the name on the entry to be acceptable.



Please have the letter available upon request from Amberlea Meadows Staff. Additionally, a log of temperatures taken twice daily for the seven days prior to entering the competition grounds must be available upon request from the Amberlea Staff.

- All horses on the grounds must have their temperatures taken and recorded twice daily. Please have temperature records available upon request from Amberlea Meadows Staff.
- Please avoid direct and/or indirect contact between horses, especially nose-to-nose contact.
- **Competitors are required to notify the show office at the first sign of illness or elevated temperature. If the show office is closed, the show manager is to be contacted. The show organizers and Amberlea will enact the Bio Security Sick Horse Protocol to minimize the risk to other horses.**



Thank you

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HOOFIN' IT

Sponsored by area farriers, this fun class is open to both Wild Rose and EC Gold show entries, and is bound to be a very fun time for all involved. Exceptional prizes for competitors in this TWO-PART class!

Part 1 – Ridden: Entrants will pick 4 movements from a list and perform them on horseback.

Part 2 – Running: Entrants will pick 4 movements from a list and perform them on their own two feet!

Pair up with a fellow competitor OR do both sections on your own! Extra points will be given for *FLAIR*, costumes or music, and other *FUN* you can bring to your tests!

Enter with your show entry for *FREE*, or post enter up to the day of for \$5.

Movements Sheet, Test Sheet to Fill Out, and Team Entry Sheet will be available in July to those entered, and available at the show office for those post entering.

SPONSORS

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DEB MERAW
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Footloose & Freestyles Social

After the Freestyles on Saturday Afternoon

Participate or Watch the Hoofin' It Fun Class

BBQ

Tickets can be purchased in the show office. They are \$5

Bar

Tickets can be purchased in the Show office



Live Music By
Kolton Potts

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SPOT ON EQUINE
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AWARDS



EAADA Sparkle & Spurs Gold Show Specialty Awards!!

Jan Simmonds,

\$200 Prize Sponsored by Deb Meraw

Karen Harries

\$500 Prize sponsored by Wilma Jackson

,and Colin Crone

\$125 Prize

Freestyle Prizes Presented by Equibrado Equestrian



Freestyle Gift Certificates of \$125 will be awarded to the **Champions** of the EC Gold Show Freestyles in the Junior, Adult Amateur and Open Divisions

Freestyle Gift Certificates of \$50 will be awarded to the **Reserve Champions** of the EC Gold Show Freestyles in the Junior, Adult Amateur and Open Divisions

The Robinson LLP Award of Excellence in Dressage



Robinson LLP is pleased to present the annual "Award of Excellence in Dressage" for outstanding show results. The yearly winner will receive their name on a trophy displayed in the Robinson LLP Building, a crystal trophy and \$1,000.00.

Full details can be found at <https://www.robinsonllp.com/robinson-llp-dressage-award>

The award is made at conclusion of the EAADA's Annual Sparkle and Spurs Show

EAADA FEI Para Dressage Award

\$125 Prize

True Sport Excellence Award

Adult Amateur True Sport Award

\$125 Sponsored by Just Breathe Massage Therapy

Youth True Sport Award

\$125 Prize Sponsored by Alexa King and Maya Dugus

1. There are four Sparkle and Spurs EC Gold Show awards. A presentation schedule will be posted in the show office. The Jan Simmonds, Karen Harries, Colin Crone, and EAADA Para Dressage award winners should be in show attire for the presentations. We ask that the horse be presented with a bridle for photos and rider in show attire.

EAADA Jan Simmonds Junior High Point Award -

\$200 Prize Sponsored by Deb Meraw



Criteria: Awarded by the EAADA for the highest average of 2 scores for a Junior rider from the Sparkle & Spurs Gold Show. Scores must be from the same level and must be technical tests only. No Young horse tests. Competitors are considered a Junior if they are 18 years of age or less or, if they have turned 18 during the current competition season, they may still compete as a junior rider.

Jan was instrumental in the development of the Alberta Dressage Association. She was president of ADA for many years and a past chairperson of the ADA's annual casino fundraiser. She is also a cherished past president of the EAADA and could always be found doing multiple volunteer tasks at Edmonton dressage shows, often scribing and preparing gift baskets for the judges. She orchestrated the club's merchandising program and, with her artistic skills, created the beautiful EAADA logo which remains a proud symbol that embodies the love Jan has for the club, and the sport she loves. She also contributed to the EAADA Newsletter and the organization of educational sessions.

She was awarded an EAADA "Lifetime Membership" for her dedication to the sport of dressage and the area group. Jan embodies the true spirit of volunteerism. Nationally, Jan managed group memberships for USDF for interested dressage people. Jan was honored by being chosen the Equestrian Canada Dressage Volunteer of the Month for June 2017. A Personal Note: Jan is also a dedicated horsewoman. In December 2016 she lost Sky, her beloved equine partner of 36 years.

EAADA Award for Adult Amateurs in Memory of Karen Harries

\$500 Prize sponsored by Wilma Jackson



Criteria: Awarded by the EAADA for the highest average of 2 scores for an Adult Amateur rider from the Sparkle & Spurs Gold Show. Scores must be from the same level and must be technical tests only. No Young horse tests.

Competitors must have the Adult Amateur designation on their Equestrian Canada Sports License to be eligible.

Karen Duncan Harries (November 16, 1953 – November 7, 2013)

Karen was born in Edmonton. In the '70s while Karen was teaching in Quebec, she decided to take riding lessons along with a friend. That triggered her lasting enthusiasm for riding. She returned to Edmonton where she taught in junior and senior high schools and began to take riding lessons at Amberlea Meadows on lesson horses.

Karen became active in the dressage world, helping with the organizing of clinics and shows, writing as a scribe for the judges, and serving for several years on the EA/ADA executive. She continued to ride horses that, were available, took lessons, and attended clinics.

Karen became a horse owner. She loved riding – it gave her the exercise she needed and freedom from the cares and stresses of life beyond the horse world. Her horses were willing and kind but unfortunately each one developed medical issues.

In 2013, while riding her own new mare, Karen succumbed to injuries sustained while enjoying her favorite pastime.

EAADA Open Award in Memory of Colin Crone - \$125 Prize



Criteria: Awarded by EAADA for the highest average of 2 scores for an Open rider from the Sparkle & Spurs Gold Show. Scores must be from the same level and must be technical tests only. No Young horse tests.

Colin Crone (July 1, 1933 – July 3, 2008)

In 1988, Colin bought Killerney Farms (formerly Tom Budd's, Abbey Stables and Hubbard Stables) and combined the stable and his construction company into Killerney Group.

Shortly afterwards, Colin entered the dressage scene, donating his facility for his first EAADA Wild Rose Schooling Show on July 7, 1990, (20 horses entered) and he continued to do so almost every year until 2008. In December 1990, he reported to the EAADA executive the progress of meetings planning the fate of the Whitemud Equine Centre. In 1991 he put on his first Killerney Stables Dressage Show.

Colin made a lasting impact with our dressage community and that is why the Edmonton Area Alberta Dressage Association continues to honor his memory and dedication to the sport of dressage.

EAADA FEI Para Dressage Award – \$125 Prize

Criteria: Awarded by the EAADA for the highest average of 2 scores for a FEI para dressage rider from the Sparkle & Spurs EC Gold Show. Scores must be from the same level and must be technical tests only.



Adult Amateur True Sport Award

\$125 Sponsored by Just Breathe Massage Therapy



TRUE SPORT PRINCIPLES

**ARE YOU AN ADULT AMATEUR RIDER? DO YOU DEMONSTRATE ONE OR MORE OF THE TRUE SPORT PRINCIPLES? IF SO
YOU COULD BE OUR NEXT TRUE SPORT ADULT AMATEUR WINNER!**

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A True Sport nomination form can be found in your Rider Bag. EAADA Youth Ambassadors will come around to collect your nomination forms to find the next True Sport adult Amateur Award Winner!

Winners will be announced Sunday August 24 during the lunch break.

Youth True Sport Award

\$125 Prize Sponsored by Alexa King and Maya Dugus



TRUE SPORT PRINCIPLES

**ARE YOU A YOUTH 18 YEARS OR YOUNGER? DO YOU DEMONSTRATE ONE OR MORE OF THE TRUE SPORT PRINCIPLES? IF SO
YOU COULD BE OUR NEXT TRUE SPORT YOUTH WINNER**

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The EAADA in conjunction with the KWPN North America will be offering a High Point Dutch Award for KWPN and KWPN-NA registered horses.
You must supply your KWPN papers to be eligible for this award.



Alberta Dressage Association Medal Program

Give your “Journey” a new personal goal

CATEGORIES

Rider Performance (Wild Rose and all EC shows)

Bronze (Wild Rose and all EC shows)

Silver, Gold, Platinum (all EC shows)

Freestyle tests (from 2023+)

Para-Dressage Medal & Performance

Details on Category Requirement under “ADA Medals” at: www.albertadressage.com

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EC 2025 National Dressage and Para Dressage Western Championships

Sept 26-28, 2025

Thunderbird Show Park, Langley BC

The qualifying score requirements can be found on the EC website

Scores from the Sparkle & Spurs EC Gold Show can be used as qualifying scores

The ADA is sending a team. Reach out to teamadressage@gmail.com for information

Thank you
WILMA JACKSON
For your Generosity



New for 2025!!

Alberta Dressage Association Ranking List

The ADA has introduced a ranking list for 2025 based on scores received at EC Gold & Platinum Shows in the Province.

Awards will be presented at the inaugural annual Awards Gala to the top-ranked horse/rider combinations. See the ADA/AEF website for more information

Alberta Equestrian Federation Ranking List

The AEF has introduced a ranking list for 2025 based on scores received at AEF Wild Rose Provincial Circuit Dressage Shows.

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Protocol.**

Heat Stress in Equines

The most important means of dissipating heat for a horse is the evaporation of sweat. Therefore, humidity can become a more significant consideration than temperature.

Prevention of heat stress/stroke:

- Pre-cool equines by hosing them to lower demands on the equine's cooling systems while they work.
- Abbreviate warm-up times.

- After exercise, cool the equine by hosing with cold water, place in shaded area, use fans on the equine,
- Encourage hydration of the equine with cool, clean water and electrolytes.

Signs of equine heat stress/stroke may include the following:

- High Temperature 41-43C (105-107F)
- Rapid breathing/rapid pulse
- Stumbling, weakness, depression
- Refusal to eat or work
- Dry skin and dehydration.
- In severe cases, an equine may collapse or go into convulsions or a coma

Treatment for heat stress/stroke:

- Call a veterinarian
- Run cold water over the entire body of the equine. May need to be hosed with 2 hoses for 20 to minutes.
- Place the equine in the shade, preferably in a grassy area and not on pavement or dark-coloured ground.
- If there is no breeze, use a fan
- Allow the equine to drink water to offset dehydration.
- Electrolytes may also be given orally.

Air Quality and Equines

Competitors should monitor their equines closely and retire from competition if symptoms of respiratory distress occur. This is particularly competitors with high-risk equines. High-risk equines include older and younger equines and equines with pre-existing respiratory conditions.

Common Signs of Respiratory Distress

- Respiratory rate remaining over 30 breaths per minute at rest (normal rate is 12-20 per minute).
- Shortness of breath with possible wheezing sounds.
- Nostrils obviously flaring and anxious expression.
- Very labored breathing with exaggerated movement of chest wall and flanks.
- Possible repetitive, deep cough.
- Possible nasal discharge.

Call the on-call vet if you suspect an equine is experiencing respiratory distress. Or their own vet.



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GENERAL INFORMATION

LIABILITY WAIVER

It is a condition of entry that the Edmonton Area Alberta Dressage Association, Organizing Committee, or Amberlea Meadows will not be held responsible in any way for damage, injury, or loss to persons, horses or property of spectators or competitors.

Sparkle & Spurs EC Gold Dressage

- The 2025 Sparkle & Spurs EC Gold Dressage Show is sanctioned as a Gold competition member of Equestrian Canada c/o House of Sport 2451 Riverside Drive, Ottawa, Ontario, K1H 7X7 and is governed by the Rules of EC (A602.1).
- It is the rider's responsibility to be familiar with the EC rules and regulations. They can be found at <https://equestrian.ca/compete/athlete-resources/rulebooks/>
- As per Article A801, it is the responsibility of all to know the EC rules. Section A – General, and Section E – Dressage and Para-Dressage rulebooks can be found at <https://equestrian.ca/compete/athlete-resources/rulebooks/>
- It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC-sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition.

EC STATEMENT OF PRINCIPLES – HORSE WELFARE (from the EC Code of Conduct and Ethics)

EC requires adherence to humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction. All participants shall be bound by the Horse Welfare Code of Conduct. EC is committed to:

- upholding the welfare of the horse, regardless of monetary value, as a primary consideration in all activities;
- requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect, and the compassion that they deserve, and that they never be subjected to maltreatment.
- ensuring that owners, trainers, and exhibitors and their agents exercise appropriate care and responsibility in the handling, treatment, and transportation of their horses, as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose;
- providing for the continuous wellbeing of the horse by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort, and safety;
- continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- requiring owners, trainers, and exhibitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competitions; and,
- reviewing, revising, and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horse.

AEF WILD ROSE PROVINCIAL CIRCUIT SHOW

- The 2025 Sparkle & Spurs AEF Wild Rose Provincial Circuit Show is sanctioned as an Alberta Equestrian Federation Wild Rose Provincial Circuit competition of Alberta Equestrian Federation and will be run in accordance to the AEF Wild Rose Competition Rulebook.
- It is the responsibility of all to know the AEF rules. They can be found at <https://www.albertaequestrian-events.com/competitions>
- The competition is required to ensure all athletes, owners, lessees and person(s) responsible for an entry hold a current AEF membership to ensure each entry is protected by their own individual liability coverage.

Exceptions: Out-Of-Province competitors are not required to hold AEF membership provided they are members of their respective PTSO and are in good standing. A parent or guardian are not required to have an AEF membership if signing as the person(s) responsible for an entry that is a minor/junior competitor.

AEF WILD ROSE SCHOOLING SHOW

- The 2025 Sparkle & Spurs AEF Wild Rose Schooling Show is sanctioned as an Alberta Equestrian Federation Wild Rose schooling competition of Alberta Equestrian Federation and will be run in accordance to the AEF Wild Rose Competition Rulebook.
- It is the responsibility of all to know the AEF rules. They can be found at <https://www.albertaequestrian-events.com/competitions>

AEF WILD ROSE SCHOOLING SHOW RULES

- All athletes, regardless of age or level of competition, must wear properly fitted and fastened safety approved protective headgear including a chin strap (specified for equestrian sports) at all times when mounted. Protective headgear must be certified under one of the following standards: ASTM (American Society for Testing Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute, Inc.); BSI/BS EN (British Standards Institution); EN (European Union Standards); AS/NZS (Australian/New Zealand Standards); or CE VG1 01.040 2014-12 (provided they are BSI Kitemarked).
- Exhibitors must be ready to compete when scheduled.
- It is compulsory for the horse's assigned competition number to be worn by the horse or rider/handler when the horse is outside the stall from the time that the number is issued until the end of the competition so that officials can identify the horse. Exception: Horses stabled permanently on the competition site are exempt unless competing. Failure to display this number will incur a warning for the first offence and, in the case of second or subsequent offences, possible elimination or disqualification at the discretion of the ground jury.
- Test readers are allowed. You must provide your own reader.
- Riders are responsible for providing their own numbers (i.e.: use their own bridle numbers).
- Competitors are responsible for checking their ride times as they may change.
- Open fires are not allowed on the grounds.
- Photography. We have an official show photographer. If you wish to photo/video a specific ride, please be courteous to our official photographer and do not stand in front of them.
- Do not ride or graze your horse on the front lawn.
- Dogs must be kept on leash, please pick up after your dog.
- Horses exhibiting heat stress are to be given priority to the wash bays for cooling purposes.
- Everyone entering or exiting the stabling areas must use hand sanitizers. Either those provided or their own.



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EQUESTRIAN CANADA BIOSECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COMPETITORS

- Stall Labels must be completed for each horse, including the horse name and 24-hour emergency contact information, and placed on the horse's stall door.
- You must check your horse's temperature twice a day and record it on the Horse Temperature Chart. A normal horse temperature is between 37.2 – 38.3° C. Any temperature over 38.8° C (102° F) must be reported to the horse show office and/or horse show veterinarian.
- Do not share feed/water containers or buckets between horses and do not use communal water troughs. While filling a bucket, do not let the hose end touch the bucket or the water in a bucket.
- Sharing tack and equipment puts horses at risk and is not recommended. If tack/equipment must be used by multiple horses, be sure to clean/disinfect it between uses by different horses.
- Observe good hygiene around all horses on the grounds, and especially after handling a teammate's horse prior to touching your horse.
- Wash hands immediately with soap and water, or use disinfectant hand solution after handling horses, especially after contact with the mouth, nose or feces.
- Hand sanitizers are available. Please use them and indicate the importance of their use to your friends, family and casual visitors.
- All stalls have been cleaned of all manure and bedding, and disinfected. Feel free to sanitize your assigned stall prior to bringing your horse in.
- Do not allow nose-to-nose contact between horses.
- Do not permit your horse to lick or sniff surfaces in common areas. If this does occur, please use a disinfectant wipe on the area.
- If sharing a wheelbarrow, please do not bring it into your horse's stall. Leave it in the aisle.
- Please dispose of manure in designated areas only. Do not put trash in manure pile.
- If your horse develops a fever or signs of illness, contact the show veterinarian or steward immediately.
- Following the competition, it is recommended that all horses be isolated at their home facility for 21 days prior to reintroduction to other horses. If this is not possible, be sure to observe all horses carefully for 21 days.
- Following the competition, all horses should have temperatures taken twice a day for four days, and be observed for abnormal behavior and signs of cough, nasal discharge, discomfort or lameness.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Competition Organizer directly. They are available to assist you with any biosecurity concerns during the competition.

Information Sources: Alberta Equestrian Federation, Alberta Veterinary Medical Association, CFIA Biosecurity Standard for the Equine Sector

Hoofin' It

Pick from the list below FOUR movements to perform on your horse and FOUR movements to perform on your own two feet. The ridden portion will be performed in a 20x60 arena. The human performance will be in a much smaller "dressage arena" setup. Once you've picked your movements, please fill out your test sheet and hand in to the office, for judging. The chosen Test Portion begins after "X Halt Salute" - proceed at any applicable gait.

| Movement | Point Range |
|---|--------------------|
| 20m Circle (any gait) | 1 to 7 |
| 15m Circle (any gait) | 1 to 7 |
| 10m Circle (any gait) | 1 to 7 |
| 20m Trot Circle Stretching Forwards and Downwards | 1 to 7 |
| Trot Serpentine | 1 to 7 |
| Medium Trot Long Side/Diagonal | 1 to 7 |
| Leg Yield | 1 to 7 |
| Medium Canter Long Side/Diagonal | 1 to 7 |
| Free Walk Long Side/Diagonal | 1 to 7 |
| Counter Canter Loop | 3 to 8 |
| Trot Loop | 3 to 8 |
| Turn on the Haunches | 3 to 8 |
| Serpentine with Simple Lead Changes | 3 to 8 |
| Counter Canter Serpentine | 3 to 8 |
| Half Pass | 3 to 8 |
| Trot Zig Zag | 3 to 8 |
| Flying Change | 3 to 8 |
| Simple Change | 3 to 8 |
| Extended Trot Long Side/Diagonal | 3 to 8 |
| Shoulder In Long Side | 3 to 8 |
| Haunches In Long Side | 3 to 8 |
| Extended Canter Long Side/Diagonal | 3 to 8 |
| Passage | 4 to 10 |
| Pirouette | 4 to 10 |
| 2 OR 3 Tempis | 4 to 10 |
| Canter Zig Zag | 4 to 10 |
| Piaffe | 4 to 10 |

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