



Schooling Horse Trials ~ July 13th **AND September 6th 2025!**

Location:	Meadowvale Farm, 1247 Corkery Road, Carp, ON
Closing date:	Saturday July 5th, 2025 Saturday August 30th, 2025
Entries:	Entry forms are online and posted on the Meadowvale Farm Website Late entries (if accepted): add \$30
Payment:	Send e-transfer to elainecalvert@live.ca Password: Shows2025
Awards:	Ribbons will be awarded to 6 th place. Divisions will be divided between senior and junior if entries warrant. (Junior is age 18 and under)

Levels

Cross rails (combined test) \$100 | EV 60 (2' - Pre-Novice) \$140 | EV 70 (2'3" - Novice) \$140 |
EV 75 (2'6" - Pre-Entry) \$140 | EV 85 (2'9" - Entry) \$150 | EV 90 (3'0" Pre training) \$150

This is a schooling horse trials with 3 phases dressage, stadium & cross country:

***NOTE cross rails does not include the cross country portion ***

- 1) **Dressage** will take place in a 20 by 40 m dressage ring.
 - Cross rails will use **CADORA W/T Test A**
 - EV 60 (Novice) to EV 85 (Entry) will use **EC Eventing test EV85 Test 1**
 - EV 90 (Pre - Training) will use **EV 90 Test 1**
- 2) **Stadium** course will take place in a grass ring and consist of approximately 8-12 jumps.
- 3) **Cross country** (vests required) - no cross country phase for cross rails.

Attire & Tack

Dressage:

- EC rulebook to be used as guideline / standard.
- Snaffle bits. No martingales. Boots will be allowed
- Rider attire should be neat and tidy. Whips no longer than 120 cm

Stadium:

- Tack as permitted in EC rulebook.
- Riders and horses may be in cross country attire for the show jump phase. Crop no longer than 75 cm

Cross Country:

- As per EC Rulebook.
- Cross country vests are mandatory. Crop no longer than 75 cm

Scoring & Penalties

Dressage:

- **Marks:** Each movement is scored from 0 to 10.
- **Calculation:** Total marks are converted into a percentage and then subtracted from 100 to yield penalty points.



- **Errors:** First error incurs 2 penalty points; second error is 4 penalty points.

Stadium:

- **Knockdown:** 4 penalties.
- **First Disobedience (refusal/run-out):** 4 penalties.
- **Second & Third Disobedience:** 8 penalties each
- **Fourth Disobedience:** Elimination (rider may be permitted to continue riding if deemed safe)
- **Fall of Horse or Rider:** Elimination.
- The stadium jumping phase will not be timed

Cross country:

- **Optimum Time:**
 - EV 60 & EV 70 (Pre-Novice & Novice): 325 m/min
 - EV 85 & EV 75 (Entry & Pre-Entry): 350 m/min.
 - EV 90 (Pre-Training): 375 m/min.
- **Speed Fault Time:** Completing the course faster than this time results in penalties.
- **Time Limit:** No time limits will be imposed but riders must move off the course if the following rider is approaching and may continue after letting them pass.
- **Refusals/Run-outs/Circles:**
 - First, second & third refusal on the course (at different obstacles): 20 penalties each.
 - Second refusal at the same obstacle: 40 penalties.
 - Fourth refusal: Elimination (rider may be permitted to continue the course for schooling purposes if deemed safe).
- **Falls:** Fall of rider or horse: Elimination.
- **Time Penalties:**
 - Exceeding optimum time: 0.4 penalties per second.
 - Speed faults (going too fast): 1 penalty per second under speed fault time.
- **Elimination:** Dangerous riding, abuse of horse, lack of safety vest, going off course, may result in elimination.

FINAL SCORE:

- **Total Score:** Sum of penalty points from all three phases; the competitor with the lowest total wins.
- **Ties:** Resolved by:
 - Best cross-country score (including time penalties).
 - Closest to optimum time in cross-country.
 - Best show jumping score.
 - Fastest show jumping time.
 - Best dressage score.
 - If still tied, the tie stands.

Additional information may be posted on the Meadowvale Farm website at www.meadowvalefarm.ca