



2018 Preliminary North American Championships

Omnibus Information

SECTION 1

Please note: this is a dedicated form for N.A. Championships only

SECTION 2

Competition Name: Hickory Knoll CDE

Championship Venue Name and Address: Hickory Knoll Farm, 438 Highway M, Fitchburg, WI.

Website: hickoryknoll.net

Competition Date: July 20 through 22, 2018

USE ADS Combined Driving Entry Form

Entries Open: April 1, 2018

Entries Closed: July 8, 2018

Method of Accepting Entries: All qualified entries will be accepted

Turnout: Singles, Pairs, Four-In-Hand, Tandem, Unicorn

Classes: VSE, Small Pony, Pony, Horse

Prize List? No Use Omnibus plus show newsletter/emails

Organizer(s): The Hickory Knoll Fund, Inc. 5438 Highway M, Fitchburg, WI 53575 608-835-7473, frei@chorus.net

Secretary: John Freiburger, 5438 Highway M, Fitchburg, WI 53575 608-835-7473, 608-212-0804, frei@chorus.net

Mail Entries to: Secretary

Electronic Entry (give website or E-mail address): frei@chorus.net

Section 3

Officials (As per Article 987.1.6)

President of the Jury: Boot Wright

President of Appeals: Mary Ruth Marks

2nd Judge: Lisa Singer **3rd Judge:** Mary Ann Boyden **4th Judge:** Muffy Seaton (depending on number of entries)

Technical Delegate: Erika Matulich

Course Designer: John Freiburger

Veterinarian: Irongate Equine 608-333-4070

WI Large Animal Rescue: 608-333-4070

EMT Service: Fitchburg Fire Dept. EMS

Scorer: Therese Aschkenase and Kia Block

Program used: Score-tab 2016

Section 4**Fees**

Championship Entry/Class Fees: \$150.000 **Post Entry Fees:** \$200.00

Entry Fee Refund Policy: Entry refunded with vet or doctor letter.

Stall Fee: \$125.00 **Stall Deposit:** none **Separate Check?** No

Stall Refund Policy: Stall refunded if taken by person on waiting list, less \$25 office fee.

Other Fees: none **Make Checks Payable to:** The Hickory Knoll Fund Inc.

Section 5**Tentative Schedule**

Stable Opens: Main stable: Wednesday July 18 at 4:00 Early arrival stalls are available: email frei@chorus.net to reserve.

Secretary's Office Opens: Date and Time Thursday July 19 at noon

First Inspection: Date and Time Thursday July 19 at 4:00

Course Walk and Briefings: Date and Time Friday July 20 at 4:30, Section 1 will be toured by truck. No ATVs on Section A.

Presentation on the Move:

Dressage: Date and Time Dressage begins 8:30 Friday July 20

Marathon: Date and Time Marathon begins 8:30 July 21

Cones: Date and Time Cones Begin 9:00 July 22

Social Events: Date and Time: Friday night BBQ to follow course tour (free) Sunday awards party 4:00 (free)

A Saturday night dinner may also be offered. All competitors will be informed.

Section 6**Dressage**

Test(s): Preliminary Test 2 POM (Singles & Pairs), Preliminary Test #5 POM (Multiples)

Ring/Warm-up area Footing: Grass / Grass **Arena Sizes:** 40x80m & 40x100m(Multiples)

VSE Ring Sizes: 30 x 60 Other **Dressage Info:**

Section 7**Marathon**

Terrain: **Section A:** 1 k asphalt, then grass trails and farm roads, gentle rises, one area of gravel farm trail is stony, but well-marked

Walk Section: smooth asphalt, slight downgrade for part

Section B: grass trails and lanes, Preliminary : six obstacles,

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Cones

Ring/Warm-up area Footing Type: Grass / Grass

Bridge: Yes

Water Obstacle: No

Size of Arena: 100 x 140 m

Electronic Timing and Display: Yes **Preliminary Championship Cone Clearance:** Standard clearance

Other Information

Veterinary/Health Requirements: Negative Coggins within 1 year of show date , flu/rhino vaccination within six months of show date.

Stabling Information: Temporary stalls located in tents, all competitors must take stalls unless given permission to show from trailer in advance. VSEs and small ponies may share a stall.

Grooms may navigate for two competitors in different divisions if the schedule allows, but must navigate the NAC entry first.

Misc. Show info: Friday and Sunday parties for whips and grooms are free. Dogs must be leashed at all times.

Awards Offered: Ribbons 1 to 6, Divisional Championships, Best Conditioned, Best Dressage, The Max Award

Food Available on the Grounds: Yes

Accommodations: Wyndham Garden Fitchburg Room Block at \$89.00 per night

<https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/wyndham-garden/fitchburg-wisconsin/wyndham-garden-fitchburg-madison>

Early Arrival: available by contacting Secretary for arrangements. Stalls or paddocks will be available for long distance arrivals a week early as necessary in the permanent guest barn.

Camping Available: Yes, on grounds, limited hook-up, reservations are required; email frei@chorus.net

Directions: From Illinois: Take I-90 north to first Madison exit. Go west on Hwy. 12/18 to Hwy. US 14 east (actually goes south), go 6 miles to Oregon exit. Stay on exit ramp until you can turn right (west) on Hwy. M. Go 2 miles to Hickory Knoll Farm. From Minneapolis: Take I-90 south to exit Hwy. 12/18 west, which is well marked. Go west on 12/18 to Hwy. US 14 east (actually going south) go 6 miles to Oregon exit. Stay on the exit ramp until you turn right (west) on Hwy. M. Go 2 miles to Hickory Knoll Farm. From Eastern Wisconsin: Take US 151 or I-94 to I-90 south then follow directions above. From Iowa: Take US 151 to Verona. Exit at Hwy. PB, take PB right one block, then left (east) on M. Go 5 miles to stop sign. Continue straight 1/2 mile after stop sign to Farm.

Hickory Knoll Fund Inc. is a charitable foundation making grants in natural resource and equine education with a focus on access for the disabled.

Event profits, if any, remain with the foundation. To help sponsor the event or the foundation, please email the secretary.

****By completing this application, the Organizer(s) agree to conduct this competition in accordance with the rules, regulations and directives of the American Driving Society.***

***** I have sent this application to our TD for review and Input prior to sending it to the ADS. Name of Technical Delegate***
Print TD Name here if He/ She Approves this Application ***Name of Organizer*** Print your name here if you agree to the above conditions

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