



H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship 2022/2023



Rules for - Sh.Noora Bint Hamad Dressage Championship 2022/2023

1. CHAMPIONSHIP PRINCIPLES & GENERAL

- Participating RIDERS: All registered Dressage riders in the Kingdom Of Bahrain.
- Dates: DECEMBER 2022 to March 2023
- Number of Events/Competitions / **4 (3+ final)**
- The Dressage Championship 2022-2023 consists of a minimum of three and a maximum of four Events/competition per season **including a Final** to be organized at the end of the Championship.
- All the dressage shows to be held at the BDF Equestrian Arena.

2. DRESSAGE CLASSES

- ✓ Intro junior
- ✓ Intro senior
- ✓ Prelim junior
- ✓ Prelim senior
- ✓ Novice open
- ✓ Elementary open
- ✓ Music Class PYO (Final)



3. Dates of shows: -

	Event	Date
1	National Day Dressage Championship	23/12/2022
2	H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship	20/01/2023
3	H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship	10/02/2023
4	H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship Final	03/03/2023

4. Entry Fee:-

Proposed Entry fee per test :- 5bd per test.

5. General Rules :-

- ✓ Jacket is mandatory for elementary class.
- ✓ For the end of season final / a PYO music freestyle class will be introduced.
- ✓ Riders that have achieved the percentage of 66% or above at the prelim or above are not able to enter the Intro Level.

6. 2022/2023 Points League System

- H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship 2022/2023 will be using a points league system for all the competitors. points will be earned on the riders percentages as shown below:-

50 - 51.99% = 1 point
52 - 53.99% = 2 points
54 - 55.99% = 3 points
56 - 57.99% = 4 points
58 - 59.99% = 5 points
60 - 61.99% = 6 points
62 - 63.99% = 7 points
64 - 65.99% = 8 points
66 - 67.99% = 9 points
68 - 69.99% = 10 points
70 - <+% = 11 points



- Riders will compete to earn the most points at each level throughout the season. Each level will have their own points league and at Intro and Prelim it will also be split into junior and senior to match the classes run at a Bahrain Dressage event. At the end of the season riders with the most points will be placed from 1st to 6th, this will be announced at the Season Championship final in March.

7. H.H Sh. Noora Bint Hamad Al Khalifa Dressage Championship 2022/2023 Qualifications.

- This season Bahrain dressage riders will have to qualify to enter our Championship final show at the end of the season.
- To qualify horse and rider: -
- As combinations, will have to compete a minimum of 2 times throughout the season at the level they want to enter at the championship final.
- Riders that qualify will be notified which level they have qualified in February 2022.
- Horses and riders combinations at any level that are placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd with the percentage of 68% or above at the championship show will have to move up a level for the next show/season.

Proposed Prize Money Distribution:

Prize money for Final Show:	Prize money qualifying shows:
Intro junior:	
1 st - 150bd, 2 nd -100bd, 3 rd -50bd	1 st -40bd, 2 nd - 30bd, 3 rd -20bd
Intro senior:	
1 st - 300bd, 2 nd -200bd, 3 rd -100bd	1 st - 70bd, 2 nd -50bd, 3 rd -30bd
Prelim Junior:	
1 st -200bd, 2 nd -150bd, 3 rd -100bd	1 st - 50bd, 2 nd -40bd, 3 rd -30bd
Prelim Senior:	
1st-400bd, 2nd-300bd, 3rd-200bd	1 st - 90bd, 2 nd -70bd, 3 rd -50bd
Novice open	
1st- 700bd, 2nd- 600bd, 3rd- 500bd	1 st -150bd, 2 nd -130bd, 3 rd -110bd
Elementary Open:	
1st- 1000bd, 2nd -900bd, 3rd- 800bd	1 st -200bd, 2 nd -180, 3 rd -160bd
Freestyle PYO	
1st-1000bd, 2nd 900bd, 3rd 800bd	NA
Total: 9450Bd	Total: 1500Bd Per Show

Total prize money = 13950bd



8. Stabling

- ✓ Stabling at BDF centre outdoor temporary stables for the show will be free of charge but they will have to provide their own bedding and hay for each box.
- ✓ All horses have hay and water, this will be stewarded to ensure that the horses welfare is taken into account.

9. Catering

Catering will be provided by an external party to allow the competitors and public to purchase refreshments.