

NODA's Schooling Show Medal Program

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[Northern Ohio Dressage Association - Schooling Shows \(wildapricot.org\)](http://www.wildapricot.org)



NODA Schooling Shows - Rider Medal Program



NODA schooling shows - Bronze Medal Requirements

- Classical Dressage riders must earn at least 65% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Intro level and earn at least 65% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Training Level.
- Western Dressage riders must earn at least 65% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Intro level and earn at least 65% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Basic Level.



NODA schooling shows - Silver Medal Requirements

- Classical Dressage riders must earn at least 62% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at 1st level and earn at least 62% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at 2nd level.
- Western Dressage riders must earn at least 62% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Level One and earn at least 62% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Level 2.



NODA schooling show - Gold Medal Requirements

- Classical Dressage riders must earn at least 60% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at 3rd level and at least 60% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at 4th level.
- Western Dressage riders must earn at least 60% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Level Three and at least 60% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows at Level 4.



NODA schooling show - FEI Medal Requirements

- Classical Dressage riders must earn at least 60% at 4 separate NODA schooling shows. Scores must be earned in two or more FEI levels (Prix St. Georges through Grand Prix).

Details:

- You can earn medals in any order.
- Scores count for the rider- you may ride one or multiple horses to earn your scores.
- You may ride any test in that level to count for the medal.
- Your scores do not expire; they continue to count over the years. You do not have to earn your medal in one year.
- If you wish, with your current horse, to show for a medal score 2 or more levels below where you currently show, you must show in the **OPEN division**. (ex: 1st level rider returning to Intro for a medal score)
- You are responsible for keeping track of your scores and submitting them to NODA board member overseeing the NODA Schooling Show Medals Program. See the application for current contact information.
- Medals are issued at our annual banquet in November. To receive your medal(s) at the banquet, please submit your application by November 1st.
- **This program starts with the 2020 schooling show series - scores are not retroactive.**



Northern Ohio Dressage Association

AWARDS PROGRAM

1. Awards are open to all NODA members and will be presented at the annual banquet. Only scores earned after your NODA membership has been renewed will be considered for the awards. The owner of a horse ridden by a Professional must also be a NODA member at the time when scores are earned for both Recognized and Unrecognized competitions.
2. Submission of scores for 2022 **MUST BE POSTMARKED** by **OCTOBER 15, 2022**. Scores must be sent on the official report form (available on the NODA website) and must include either copies of the test fronts or a USDF score check.
3. Separate forms and proof of scores must be submitted for each level of competition for the scholarship awards and for every eligible trophy. Whether applying for one award or many, you only need to submit **FOUR (4) NODA BUCKS** that you have earned in the current Award year for every horse you have nominated for the awards.
4. If submitting a score from a panel of judges the combined average must be submitted. It is still permissible to use different scores, earned at that same show or another, from a judge who had been on that panel of judges.
5. Scores earned in Opportunity classes offered at Recognized competitions may only be submitted for Unrecognized (Schooling) show Year-End Awards. They will be treated the same as scores earned at non-NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows. Scores from the opportunity classes at NODA's annual Recognized Shows cannot be used as substitutions for the two scores that must be earned at NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) shows.

6. Scores from non-NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows may be submitted if the following criteria are met: 1). The show is open to all NODA members and has been advertised in the NODA newsletter and/or website. 2). The judge must hold a current USEF dressage judge license OR have held a card in the past OR is a graduate of the USDF "L" program.
7. In the case of a tie for scholarship and/or ribbon, equal awards will be bestowed, and the next ribbon will be skipped. In the case of a tie for a trophy or other award, the rider with the single highest individual score submitted for that award will be declared the winner.
8. All association trophies are rotating unless otherwise noted. Winner may have possession for eleven months, at which time the trophy must be returned in the same condition as received, to NODA. NODA reserves the right to present additional awards or to replace trophies withdrawn by sponsors.

RIBBONS & SCHOLARSHIPS

I RIBBONS & SCHOLARSHIPS - USEF/USDF RECOGNIZED SHOWS

Year-end Championship Ribbon and Scholarship in the amount of \$100 will be awarded to the horse/rider combination with the highest average score in each of the listed levels and divisions. Ribbons will also be awarded to tenth place. One (1) score from four (4) different judges is required. If the test score is from a panel of judges, the combined average score is the only score that can be submitted. Freestyles, Rider or Young Horse tests and equitation classes may not be used for these awards. Starting in 2015: a horse/rider combination may win a championship three times at any level before becoming ineligible to apply for championships at that level or any lower level.

Training Level - Professional, Jr/YR, Adult Amateur

First Level - Professional, Jr/YR, Adult Amateur

Second Level - Professional, Jr/YR, Adult Amateur

Third Level - Professional, Jr/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined)

Fourth Level - Professional, Jr/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined)

PSG - Professional, Jr/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined)

Intermediaire I - Professional, Jr/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined)

Intermediaire A/B/ II/Grand Prix - Prof, Jr/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined) (**)

(**) Scores from different levels may be combined

Musical Freestyle Championship Ribbon and Scholarship

in the amount of \$100 will be granted to the horse/rider combination with the highest average based on one score from three (3) different judges at any single level of freestyle competition. Ribbons to tenth place. Classical Dressage only.

Dressage Seat Equitation Championship Ribbon and Scholarship

in the amount of \$100 will be granted to the rider with the highest average based on one score from three (3) different judges. Ribbons to tenth place. Classical Dressage only

II RIBBONS & SCHOLARSHIPS - UNRECOGNIZED (Schooling) SHOWS

Year-end Championship Ribbons and Scholarships

in the amount of \$75 will be awarded to the horse/rider combination with the highest average score in each of the listed levels and divisions. Ribbons will also be awarded to tenth place. One (1) score from four (4) different judges is required (For the Equitation divisions and Second Level and above, one (1) score from three (3) different judges is required). Two (2) of the scores must be from two (2) different judges earned at two (2) separate NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows. If submitting a score from a panel of judges, the combined average score must be submitted. Unless otherwise indicated, scores must be submitted from the same level of competition. Freestyles scores may not be used for these awards. Also starting in 2015 a horse/ rider combination may win a championship three (3) times at any level before becoming ineligible to apply for championships at that level or any lower level. NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) competitions rewards three (3) divisions of competitors (Jr/YR, AA & Open.)

Introductory Level - Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Training Level - Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

First Level - Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Second Level - Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Third Level - Junior/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined), Open

Fourth Level- Junior/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined), Open

FEI (PSG—GP)-Junior/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined), Open

Western Seat Equitation -Junior/YR, Adult Amateur

Dressage Seat Equitation- Junior/YR, Adult Amateur

Western Intro Level- Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Basic Level-Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Western Level One-Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Western Level Two-Junior/YR, Adult Amateur, Open

Western Level Three - Junior/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined), Open

Western Level Four - Junior/YR & Adult Amateur (Combined), Open

TROPHIES

III. TROPHIES for RECOGNIZED DRESSAGE SHOWS

Scores from different levels may be combined. *A horse and rider combination may apply for **no more than three (3) trophies**. This applies only to trophies in section III, IV, & V and not to scholarships*

The Michael von der Nonne Trophy given by Dagmar Zimmerman in memory of a dressage pioneer in Northeast Ohio, to the rider/horse (rider may be amateur or professional) with the highest median score at First Level using one (1) score each from three (3) different judges at **Recognized** competitions. Classical Dressage only.

The Richard Gascoigne Memorial Trophy given by Bitsy Gascoigne and Ann Gascoigne Nixon in memory of Richard Gascoigne. Awarded to the adult amateur rider/horse with the highest average at Second level or above in **Recognized** competition, based upon one (1) score each from four (4) different judges at recognized dressage competitions. Classical Dressage only.

The Richter 5 Memorial Trophy given by Maggie Ball to the Arabian or half Arabian horse, with the highest average based upon one (1) score each from four (4) different judges at any level at **Recognized** dressage competitions. Scores from different levels of competition may be combined. A copy of the registration papers or written verification of lineage must accompany the submitted scores. Classical Dressage only.

The Jane Grey Memorial Trophy given by Lisa Gorretta in memory of her Thoroughbred mare, Jane Grey aka "She's Long Gone." Awarded to a "second career" Thoroughbred that raced and then competed in dressage with the highest average based upon one (1) score each from four (4) different judges in **Recognized** competition at 2nd Level or above. Scores from different levels of competition may be combined. A copy of the registration papers AND documentation of a racing record must accompany submitted scores. (**) Classical Dressage only.

The Alessandria Memorial Trophy given by Lisa Gorretta and The Paddock Saddlery in memory of her Swedish Warmblood mare, "Alessandria,." Awarded to the horse/rider with the highest average score at the FEI levels (PSG through Grand Prix combined) using one (1) score each from four (4) different judges. Classical Dressage only.

The Fabian Schoolmaster Trophy sponsored by owner, Regina M. Sacha-Ujczko and long-term lessee, Heather Soones Booher of Saddles 101, in the name of Oldenburg Gelding, Fabian. Created to encourage leasing or lending of valued dressage schoolmasters, and to honor those owners who seek to provide these mounts to aspiring riders, which contributes to the advancement of amateur riders in dressage. Schoolmasters are tolerant, priceless, and invaluable to the future of dressage. This award recognizes the generosity of the owners of these horses. The recipient of this award will be the owner of the esteemed schoolmaster (and not the rider). The owner of the horse must be nominated by the current rider of the schoolmaster. The rider must be a JR/YR or AA submitting four (4) scores from Recognized competitions at Training Level or higher from four (4) different Judges at the same level of competition. Both the nominated owner and the rider of the schoolmaster must be NODA members. Schoolmaster must have previously been shown in Recognized competitions at 3rd level or higher and

earned a score of 60% or higher. Proof submitted may be a copy of the test or a score report sheet from the USDF/USEF. As part of the application process, submit a 150 to 200 word paragraph detailing the learning and influence gained from the schoolmaster relationship and the generous leasing or loaning of the experienced dressage mount. We reserve the right to publish this essay and read it as part of the Awards Process. Classical Dressage only

IV. TROPHIES for UNRECOGNIZED (Schooling) SHOWS

Scores from different levels may be combined. A horse and rider combination may apply for no more than three (3) trophies. This applies only to trophies in section III, IV, & V and not to scholarships

The Laddie Andahazy Memorial Trophy sponsored by The Paddock Group on behalf of NODA and in memory of Gretchen Singleton, who recognized Laddie Andahazy's contributions as a longtime member, judge, and driving force in the equestrian community, perhaps most noticeably at Lake Erie College. Awarded to the amateur dressage rider with the highest average score in his or her first year of showing, based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges. At least two (2) scores must come from the NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Show series; other scores may come from any NODA approved Unrecognized (Schooling) shows. Scores from two (2) consecutive levels may be submitted. This is a permanent trophy. Classical Dressage only.

The Rowdy Memorial Trophy donated by Cheryl Lee to recognize outstanding effort by an amateur competitor.

The award is based upon the combined average score obtained at the NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Show. Championship plus the highest score earned by the same entry at the same level at a NODA Unrecognized (Schooling Show). Classical Dressage only.

The Sweeter Trophy donated by Janeen Grava to recognize outstanding effort by a junior rider, 14 years of age and under.

The trophy is given to a junior rider who has not reached their 14th birthday by November 30th of that calendar year. The trophy is based upon the combined average obtained at the NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Show Championship plus three (3) scores earned from the same level of competition from NODA schooling shows. This award is a non-rotating trophy that is awarded permanently to the recipient. Classical Dressage only.

The Fox Smith Trophy donated by Lynn Fry in memory of Fox Smith of Red Raider Camp to recognize outstanding achievement in Walk-Trot and/or Dressage Seat Equitation.

The award is given to the equitation rider with the highest average percentage from three (3) equitation classes: one (1) score each from two (2) different judges at NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows and one (1) from the NODA Championship Show. Some proof of score from each show must be submitted. (See website). List show name, judge, percentage, and have the show secretary sign to verify. Classical Dressage only.

The Giving Spirit Trophy is sponsored and donated by friends of English Oak Stable in memory of longtime NODA member and friend, Laura Wolf.

The Trophy is to be given to the Junior or Amateur, horse and rider combination, with the highest median score in Training Level Test 2 and/or Test 3. One (1) score each from three (3) different judges, earned at NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows must be submitted. Classical Dressage only.

V. TROPHIES for RECOGNIZED & UNRECOGNIZED (Schooling) SHOWS A horse and rider combination may apply for no more than three (3) trophies. This applies only to trophies in section III, IV, & V and not to scholarships. Scores from different levels may be combined.

The Cattail Run Trophy in Memory of Dianne Justice, donated by Sara Justice-Ziemer. Dianne was a lifelong breeder, trainer, and coach of AQHA, APHA, & ApHC horses. She loved watching her young stock excel in all events, but she especially loved watching them show dressage. Open to any rider (Professional, AA, or JR/YR) of a AQHA, APHA, or ApHC registered horse. Four (4) scores from 4 different judges, 1 score from a NODA show required. Levels may be combined. Scores can be from Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows or Recognized Shows. Must submit copy of registration photos papers and show name must match the name on the papers (or show proof of change of name for shows) Classical Dressage only

The Joan Rapp Trophy given by Gail Patton in memory of Joan Rapp, founding president of NODA, who taught at Red Raider for many years. It is awarded to the horse trained and ridden by a non-professional who best demonstrates that dressage training benefits a horse in all disciplines. In addition to sending one (1) score each from three (3) different judges (from Recognized, NODA or NODA approved Unrecognized (Schooling) shows, evidence of winning three (3) ribbons (1st, 2nd, or 3rd place) in one or more riding disciplines other than dressage must be submitted. Driving classes may count. If combined training results are included, placing must be from the entire event, not just the dressage phase. Classical Dressage only.

Gretchen Singleton Vintage Trophy given by Kathy Dennis and Sally Gries in honor and memory of Gretchen Singleton, is awarded to the high scoring amateur rider who was 50 years of age or older when scores were earned. Award is based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges from Recognized or Unrecognized (Schooling) competitions and can be a combination of scores from multiple levels. Birth date must be submitted.

The Gallant Lad Trophy given by Margaret McElhany of Valley Riding, Inc. recognizes the outstanding performance by the vintage horse (15 years or older) shown by the same or multiple riders (AAs or Junior/Yrs). Scores may come from any Recognized Dressage Competition, or NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) shows. Award is based upon one (1) score each from three (3) different judges at any level of competition. Scores from different levels of competition may be combined. A copy of registration papers or a letter stating the horse's age must be submitted with the scores. Classical & Western Dressage.

The Sindarin Trophy given by Dale Lappert in memory of her Thoroughbred stallion Sindarin. Awarded to the Thoroughbred or half-Thoroughbred horse with the highest average based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges at any level at Recognized dressage competitions, or NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows. Scores from different levels of competition may be combined. A copy of the registration papers or letter verifying lineage must accompany the submitted scores. Classical Dressage only.

The Moody Mare Trophy given by Kimberly Moody. This award is for a Baroque or Baroque-Cross Horse (Andalusian, Friesian, Lipizzaner, Lusitano) shown by an Adult Amateur, Jr/Young Rider, or Professional. Scores may be from Recognized or Unrecognized (Schooling) shows at any level of competition. The award will be given to the highest average score based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges from the same or combined levels of competition. A copy of registration papers must accompany the submitted scores. Classical Dressage only.

The Full of Grace Trophy given by Leslie Grimm. This award is for Draft or Draft- Cross horse (does not include Friesians) shown by owner. Owner can be an Adult Amateur, Jr/Young Rider or Professional. Trophy is based upon one (1) score each from three (3) different judges at any level of Recognized or Unrecognized (Schooling) competitions. One (1) score must come from a NODA sponsored show. Scores from different levels of competition may be combined. A copy of registration papers or a letter verifying the horse's lineage must accompany the submitted scores. Classical Dressage only.

WESTERN DRESSAGE

Western Dressage Champion Trophy sponsored by NODA. Awarded to the horse/ rider combination earning the highest average score based on one (1) score each from (4) different judges at any Western Dressage level at Recognized or Unrecognized (Schooling) competitions. At least two (2) scores must be from two (2) separate NODA shows. Scores from different levels may be combined. This trophy is a non-rotating trophy and is awarded permanently to the recipient (open to Jr/YR, AA or Pro). Western Dressage only

NODA Western Dressage Junior Trophy sponsored by Kathleen Allen. Awarded to the junior rider with the highest average score based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges in Western Dressage tests. At least two (2) scores must come from NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows; other scores may come from any shows that meet the NODA criteria as found in the prize list. The award is for a youth rider who hasn't reached their 18th birthday by November 30th of that calendar year. Scores from different levels may be combined. This is awarded permanently to the recipient. Western Dressage only.

NODA Vintage Western Dressage Rider Trophy sponsored by Judy Jacobsen in honor of her first horse, Colby. It is given to the rider with the highest average score based on one (1) score each from four (4) different judges in Western Dressage tests. At least two (2) scores must come from (2) separate NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows; other scores may come from any shows that meet the NODA criteria as found in the prize list. The rider must be 50 years of age or older (must supply DOB) when scores are earned. The rider may be either an adult amateur or a professional. Scores from different levels may be combined. Western Dressage only.

The BaR S Western Dressage Versatility Trophy sponsored by Barbara Soukup. Awarded to a horse and rider team where the horse, primarily trained and ridden by an amateur rider, best demonstrates that Western Dressage training benefits a horse in other western riding disciplines. Applicant must submit one (1) Western Dressage score (excluding Western Dressage Equitation) from three (3) different judges. Western Dressage scores must include one (1) score from at least two (2) separate NODA Unrecognized (Schooling) Shows; other scores may come from any shows that meet the NODA criteria as found in the prize list. Scores from different levels may be combined. In addition, evidence of winning three (3) ribbons at 1st, 2nd, and/or 3rd place in

one or more western riding disciplines other than dressage must be submitted. Western Dressage only.

VI. SPECIAL TROPHIES

NODA's Lifetime Achievement Trophy to recognize and honor individuals who have devoted countless hours of service to NODA in the pursuit of excellence both to NODA and to our sport of Dressage. This is to recognize those individuals both in our spotlight and the ones in the trenches quietly just doing the work. These would be the people you think of when you want something done, or who would remember how it has been done in the past, or who served years doing our committee work. It could even be those individuals who might not be active anymore but helped to create the NODA we enjoy today. When we discuss the beginnings of NODA, their names will often be mentioned. These are important people who should be remembered and honored. Requirements and forms are available on the NODA Website in the Awards section.

The Edy Ujczko Horse Partnership Trophy awarded annually by Regina Sacha-Ujczko to an individual who provides outstanding emotional, grooming, ground, or economic support to a NODA rider. The individual must be a tireless supporter of a rider's dressage pursuits, who is an essential "behind the scenes" caregiver to horse and rider, offering encouragement, motivation, and assistance. This award is for Classical Dressage Only. To apply for this award please compose a short essay as to why the individual is being nominated according to the mentioned criteria and email it directly to Regina at regina.sacha@sbcglobal.net by the awards deadline.

VII.

OTHER AWARDS

Lead Line Achievement Sponsored by Serendipity Sporthorses, this is a special ribbon to be awarded to each child who completes three (3) NODA Unrecognized Schooling Show lead line classes. Please use the Competition Report Form to submit proof of completion. New for 2018

Events/Horse Trials - Recognized: A Scholarship in the amount of \$50 and ribbons to 6th place will be awarded to the horse/rider combinations with the best averages earned in the dressage phase of Recognized USEF/USEA events or horse trials. One (1) score each from three (3) different judges at any level is required. A copy of the entire score sheet showing points earned (not just penalty points) including judge's signature must be submitted.

Events/Mini-Trials - Unrecognized: Ribbons to 6th place will be awarded to the horse/rider combination with the best average scores earned in the Dressage portion of a "Mini-Trials Event." One (1) score each from three (3) different judges at any level is required. A copy of the entire score sheet showing points earned (not just penalty points) including judge's signature must be submitted. The judge must meet the NODA criteria for Unrecognized (Schooling) Dressage Competition.

Achievement Certificates will be given to any rider/horse combinations with three (3) scores of 60% or better at any level from three (3) different judges at either Recognized or Unrecognized (Schooling) competitions who have not placed in any of the previously listed Ribbons/ Scholarships or Trophies. Scores from different levels of competition may be

USDF Region 2 - Catherine B. Jacob Schooling Show Year-End Awards Program

Eligibility requirements and registration forms can be found on USDF Region 2 website, www.usdfregion2.org. "Awards" page, or NODA website, www.nodarider.org on the Awards page, or contact Catherine B. Jacob at Cathyjacob5@gmail.com or call (513) 335-0009.

Additional Shows and Awards Information

Volunteers & NODA Bucks

In order to be eligible for annual scholarships and/or trophies, riders must donate 4 hours of their time during the competition year of October 15, 2021 through October 15, 2022. Members earn their NODA Bucks by volunteering their time. Hours can be earned by working at NODA's shows and clinics, by submitting articles, helping with mailings or doing committee work.

RIDE Times - NODA Schooling Shows

Ride Times are posted on NODA's web site www.nodarider.org by the Wednesday prior to the show.

New NODA Awards or Award Revisions

In the event that new awards or revisions to the Awards Program should become available during the competition year, complete information and eligibility requirements will be published in the NODA newsletter and on the official website at www.nodarider.org.

****IMPORTANT Schooling Shows Disclaimer****

Neither NODA, the host stables, nor the show committee shall be held responsible for any damages, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of exhibitors or spectators.