

EDRC Spring Dressage Competition

Cousland Park Training & Livery Centre,
Cousland, Midlothian
EH22 2PD
On

Saturday 21st March 2026

A Warm Welcome Awaits

EDRC is delighted to invite members and non-members to our **Spring Dressage Show**

This is a friendly competition with a calm atmosphere, supportive stewards & a welcoming Riding Club feel.

Ideal for:

- Riders stepping out for the first time
- Horses gaining experience
- Those moving up the levels

No pressure

Classes

British Dressage Tests (2024) - EDRC Members: £15 Non-Members: £18

Class 1 – BD Intro 2

Horse not to have won at Prelim or above and/or three firsts at Intro (No spurs please)

Class 2 – BD Preliminary 2

Restricted – horse & rider not to have won three firsts at Restricted Prelim or above

Class 3 – BD Preliminary 1 - Open

Class 4 – BD Novice 1

Restricted – horse & rider not to have won three firsts at Restricted Novice or above

Class 5 – BD Novice 2 - Open

Class 6 – BD Elementary 2

Class 7 – BD Medium 1

 *Please don't leave entries until the last minute*

 **Online entries only:** <https://horsemonkey.com/uk/>

 **Entries close:** Tuesday 17th March at 5.00pm

 **Times published:** EDRC Facebook & www.edrc.org Thursday 19th March (evening)

Respect the Venue

We are proud to use Cousland Park with Lauren Demarco kind permission and kindly ask all competitors to help us by:

- Parking considerately
- Removing all droppings, hay and litter
- Leaving the venue exactly as found

 Thank you for helping us protect this venue for future shows 

Rules

- 1) All horses to be age 4yrs and over and **all riders to be aged 16 years or over.**
- 2) Horses may not be entered in more than **3** classes (including HC).
- 3) A horse/rider combination entering Class 1 cannot enter Classes 5 or above (and vice versa).
- 4) A horse/rider combination entering Class 2 cannot enter Class 6 or 7 (and vice versa).
- 5) Strictly no dogs.
- 6) This competition is run under British Riding Club rules 2026.
- 7) Rider must wear 'Protective headwear' (a hard hat) which meets one of the following standards:
PAS 015: 2011 provided they are BSI Kitemarked; or
VG1 01.040: 2014-12 provided they are BSI Kitemarked or Inspec IC marked;
ASTM F1163: 2004a or 04a onwards provided they are SEI marked; or
SNELL E2016 (must have official SNELL label and number; or
AS/NZS 3838: 2006 onwards provided they are SAI global marked
***From 1 January 2023 the PAS 015: 1998 and SNELL E2001 are no longer be accepted**
- 8) Neither the organisers of this event, nor any person acting on their behalf, the owners of the showground or agents acting on their behalf, accept any liability for any loss, damage, accident, injury or illness to horses, riders, spectators or any other persons or property whatsoever.
- 9) Rosettes to 6th place in all classes.
- 10) EDRC members will receive placing and % points for the EDRC dressage league. Note; If entered in multiple classes, members will only receive points from the higher two class levels.
E.g. if entered in Prelim, Novice (restricted) and Novice (open) you will only receive points from the two Novice classes.
- 11) The judge's decision is final. Any complaints must be made in writing to the secretary within 24 hours of results being published.
- 12) No refunds after entries close, unless the show is cancelled by EDRC. An administration fee may be taken from each competitor.
- 13) Riding Club rules for area competitions apply, dressage tests may be read.
- 14) Cantering is allowed only in practice and competition areas.
- 15) The organisers reserve the right to combine or split classes according to entries with results determined on a percentage basis.
- 16) There will be a limited number of entries available in each class.
- 17) Spurs are not allowed in Intro tests.
- 18) Horses /ponies should be vaccinated against Equine Flu according to BRC rules.

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Full rules apply regarding eligibility, class compatibility, vaccination, dress, equipment and refunds.