Event: FEI Dressage World Challenge 2022 Hong Kong

Place: Beas River Equestrian Centre, Sheung Shui

Date: 10 December 2022 (Sat)

GENERAL CONDITIONS

The event will be run in accordance with:

FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. TYPE OF EVENT

Status: Dressage Event

Date: 10 December 2022 (Sat)
Place: Beas River Equestrian Centre

Country: Hong Kong

2. ORGANISER

Name: The Hong Kong Equestrian Federation

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Shatin Racecourse, Shatin, N.T.

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3. ORGANISING COMMITTEE

President of the Event: Mr. Michael Lee Show Director: Ms. Angela Kong

Show Secretaries: Mr. Yung Lai, Ms. Yuki Tsang

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II. OFFICIALS

1. GROUND JURY

President of Ground Jury: Ms. Wan Ming Ong (MAS)

Member of Ground Jury: Ms. Possum Richards (HKG), Dr. Danny Tong (HKG)

Mr. Boris Yue (HKG), Ms. Angela Kong (HKG)

2. STEWARDS

Chief Steward: Ms. Alice Mak (HKG)

Stewards: TBC

3. FEI VETERINARY DELEGATE

Name: Dr. Adrian Farrington (HKG)

4. EVENT TREATING VETERINARIAN

Name: Dr. Krish Someshwar (HKG)

5. FIRST-AID SERVICE

Service Provider: HKJC Medical Team

III. TECHNICAL CONDITIONS

Dressage

Type of ground:	Sand	
Arena size	119 x 38 x 49m	
	(20 x 60m)	

IV. COMPETITION DETAILS

• The event is open to a maximum of 40 starters in total.

V. HORSE INSPECTION

Horse inspection for all horses taking part in the FEI Dressage World Challenge 2022 Hong Kong will be held on 9 December 2022 (Fri) 4:00 p.m. at the Competition Arena of Beas River Equestrian Centre. Any riders who are not able to attend the horse inspection should obtain prior approval.

The HKEF is delighted to share with you our trot-up video starring Hong Kong rider Patrick Lam and demonstrating a correct trot-up at horse inspection of FEI event.

YouTube link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=thrsWKdbHFE

VI. COMPETITIONS

Horses entered in the FEI Dressage World Challenge (competition no. 1- 5) are not allowed to participate in the HKEF Local Autumn Dressage classes (competition no. 6 - 8) on 10 December 2022 (Sat). (See Article 2.8 in the FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022)

For enquiries, please contact Show Secretaries, Yung Lai or Yuki Tsang at 2966 5078.

Saturday DATE: 10 December 2022

COMPETITION No 1 – FEI Dressage World Challenge Youth Class

Test: FEI Children Team Competition Test

(Edition 2020 - update 2022)

Arena Size: Arena 20m x 60m

Riders: Open to all HKEF Members / who born between 2006 and 2010

(12 to 16 years of age) - (FEI DWC Rules Art 2.3)

Horses: Open to all horses and ponies with minimum of 6 years of age

(FEI DWC Rules Art 2.7 and 2.12)

Number of horses/ponies per rider 2 Number of athletes per horse/ pony: 1

Dress and Saddlery: FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 4

Prizes: See section VII

COMPETITION No 2 - FEI Dressage World Challenge Senior I Class

Test: FEI Children Individual Competition Test

(Edition 2020 - update 2022)

Arena Size: Arena 20m x 60m

Riders: Open to all HKEF Members / who born in 2006 or before

(16 years of age or above) - (FEI DWC Rules Art 2.3)

Horses: Open to all horses and ponies with minimum of 5 years of age

(FEI DWC Rules Art 2.7 and 2.12)

Number of horses/ponies per rider 2 Number of athletes per horse/pony: 1

Dress and Saddlery: FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 4

Prizes: See section VII

COMPETITION No 3 - FEI Dressage World Challenge Senior II Class

Test: FEI Junior Team Competition Test

(Edition 2009 - update 2022)

Arena Size: Arena 20m x 60m

Riders: Open to all HKEF Members / who born in 2006 or before

(16 years of age or above) - (FEI DWC Rules Art 2.3)

Horses: Open to all horses and ponies with minimum of 6 years of age

(FEI DWC Rules Art 2.7 and 2.12)

Number of horses/ponies per rider 2 Number of athletes per horse/ pony: 1

Dress and Saddlery: FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 4

Prizes: See section VII

COMPETITION No 4 - FEI Dressage World Challenge Prix St-George Class

Test: FEI Prix St-George Test

(Edition 2009 - update 2022)

Arena Size: Arena 20m x 60m

Riders: Open to all HKEF Members / who born in 2006 or before

(16 years of age or above) - (FEI DWC Rules Art 2.3)

Horses: Open to all horses and ponies with minimum of 7 years of age

(FEI DWC Rules Art 2.7 and 2.12)

Number of horses/ponies per rider 2 Number of athletes per horse/pony: 1

Dress and Saddlery: FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 4

Prizes: See section VII

COMPETITION No 5 - FEI Dressage World Challenge Intermediate Class

Test: FEI Intermediate Test

(Edition 2009 - update 2022)

Arena Size: Arena 20m x 60m

Riders: Open to all HKEF Members / who born in 2006 or before

(16 years of age or above) - (FEI DWC Rules Art 2.3)

Horses: Open to all horses and ponies with minimum of 7 years of age

(FEI DWC Rules Art 2.7 and 2.12)

Number of horses/ponies per rider 2 Number of athletes per horse/ pony: 1

Dress and Saddlery: FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 4

Prizes: See section VII

VII. PRIZE AND PRIZE GIVINGS

• Best Presentation Award will be selected by the Judges and the Veterinarians during the Horse Inspection.

• There will not be any prize giving following the Competition. Rosettes and trophies will be distributed to all winners after the competitions.

Trophies:	Distribution	
For Competitions No. 1 – 5:	1 st to 3 rd place;	
	Trophies will be awarded to the best 25%	
Rosettes:	Distribution	
For Competitions No. $1-5$:	ons No. $1-5$: 1^{st} to 6^{th} place;	
	If more than 24 combinations start in a class,	
	Rosettes will be awarded to the best 25%;	

VIII. PARTICIPATION

According to **FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022 Art. 2.12**, an Athlete or Horse is allowed to start maximum twice in the Challenge classes, as below:

Starting possibilities:

i. Athlete/Horse combination*:

An Athlete/Horse combination is allowed to start in two different classes but with no more than one level difference, i.e.: Youth - Senior I, Senior II, Senior II - PSG or PSG - Intermediate I.

ii. Athlete:

An Athlete is allowed to start twice:

- in the same class but with two different Horses
- in two different classes but with two different Horses

iii. Horse*:

A Horse of 5 yrs of age may only start once

A Horse of 6 yrs of age is allowed to start twice:

- Once in Youth and once in either the Senior I, Senior II class.
- Twice in the Youth class.

A Horse of 7 yrs of age and above is allowed to start twice:

- Once in Youth and once in either the Senior I, Senior II, PSG or Intermediate I class.
- Twice in the Youth class.

A Horse can only be ridden once in each of the following classes: Senior I, Senior II, PSG or Intermediate I.

*As an exception to Art.422.1.5, a horse may be ridden twice but it is only recommended in the lower level classes and an adequate break (rest time) is to be given between both tests. If a horse is being ridden twice in the higher classes (Inter I + PSG) a minimum break of 3 hours between tests MUST be scheduled in the programme (running order of classes). This exception ONLY applies if horses are not competing in another event (CDN or CDI) organised within the framework of the Dressage Challenge.

In cases where horses taking part in the FEI Dressage World Challenge are entered to compete in a CDN over the next days, then this exception does not apply and horses may ONLY compete in ONE test per day.

IX. ENTRIES

Closing Date for entries:

Definite Entry	6 December 2022 (Tue) 6:00 p.m.
Entry Fee per horse and Class	HKD 500
Late Entry Charge	50% extra

Entry Cancellation – Entries cancelled after closing time must be verified with a Veterinary Certificate or Medical Certificate.

Online Entry From can be found at following link. Please discuss with your riding school and instructor on how to enter the competitions. You will be required to complete an entry per combination https://www.hkef.org/chi/competitions/entryform/fei-dressage-world-challenge-2022-and-hkef-local-dressage-competition-2022.html

You may also refer to our tutorial video at https://drive.google.com/file/d/11FCRMDfkMhqtqfYNAoBrIO3Em-bMrXgc/view?usp=sharing

X. REGISTRATION OF RIDERS AND HORSES

Horses and Riders Registration Fees

	Services	Annual Subscription
1.	Rider Registration Fee for local affiliated shows**	HK\$ 400
2.	Horse Registration Fee for local affiliated shows**	HK\$ 400
3.	FEI Rider Registration Fee***	HK\$2,000
4.	FEI Horse Registration Fee****	HK\$400

^{**} Any member who wishes to compete in local ranking competitions of affiliated shows from 1st September to 31st August will be required to pay a Rider Registration Fee of HK.\$ 400 and a Horse Registration Fee of HK.\$400 for his or her competition horse before the start of the local ranking competition in which he or she has submitted entries to the OC. Affiliated shows refer to shows organized by the HKEF or other riding schools in accordance with HKEF Rules, or in the case of international competitions, under the Rules of the FEI.

^{***}Any member who wishes to compete in FEI competitions from 1st January to 31st December will be required to pay a Rider Registration Fee of HK\$ 2,000 and a Horse Registration Fee of HK\$ 400 for his or her competition horse before the start of the FEI competition(s) in which he or she has submitted entries to HKEF. FEI competitions refer to shows organized by the HKEF or other organizers in accordance with the Rules of the FEI.

**** FEI Horse Registration is required for any horse competing in FEI competitions.

Athletes and Horses participating in the FEI Dressage World Challenge do NOT need to be registered with the FEI (FEI Dressage World Challenge Rules 2022) but need to be registered for local affiliated shows. For Riders and Horses' registration and enquiries, please contact Yung Lai from HKEF at 2966 5078.

XI. VIDEO / DISCUSSION SESSION

A one-on-one video or discussion session to review the score sheets with our Foreign Judge will be offered to all competitors of competition 1-5 at the venue after the competition but pre-registration is required. Please indicate your interest to join the video or discussion session when you submit your entry to us.

XII. OTHER REGULATIONS

1. Liabilities

All athletes will participate in the Event at their own risk. By participating the athlete acknowledges that in case of any accident during the Event or at a training session held associated with the Event they disclaim any civil rights arising under any enactment against other athletes participating in the Event or the training session.

Photos & videos taken during the competition will be used for HKEF Media / Promotion purpose upon athletes' consent.

The OC/HKEF is not responsible for the following liabilities:

- Any injuries, diseases, and accidents to the horses, athletes and officials during the time of transportation or during the competition period.
- Any loss or damages to any third party caused by the participating athletes and horses during the time of transportation or during the competition period.

2. EVENT'S ORGANISATION (HKEF Rules Art. 101)

The HKEF reserves the right to modify the schedule in order to clarify any matters or matters arising from an omission or due to unforeseen circumstances. All modifications made to the schedule prior to the event must have the approval of the President of HKEF (or his authorized representative). Modifications during the event may only be made by the Ground Jury.

Approved by HKEF Signature:

Hong Kong, on 7 November 2022

Ms. Angela Kong Secretary General

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