DRESSAGE IRELAND

NOVICE TEST N21 (2021)

Number_____ Horse _____

Rider_____

Date_____ Venue_____ Judge______

ARENA SIZE: 20 x 60

AVERAGE RIDE TIME: 5:35 minutes (from entry at A to final halt) Suggest adding at least 2 min. for scheduling purposes

Test	Test		Directives	Max Marks	Judge's Mark	Remarks
1.	A C	Enter working trot and Proceed down centreline Track left	Regularity and quality of trot; straightness; bend and balance in corner	10		
2.	E-X	Half circle left 10m, returning to track at H	Regularity and quality of trot; shape and size of half circle; bend; balance; straightness	10		
3.	B-X	Half circle right 10m, returning to track at M	Regularity and quality of trot; shape and size of half circle; bend; balance; straightness	10		
4.	C Before C C	Circle left 20m in rising trot, allowing the horse to stretch forward and downward on a long rein Retake the reins Working trot	Forward and downward stretch over the back into a light contact, maintaining balance and quality of trot; bend; shape and size of circle; willing, clear transitions	10 x 2		
5.	H-P P	Change rein, show some Medium trot strides Working trot	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride; regularity and quality of trot; straightness; consistent tempo; willing, clear transitions; bend and balance in corner	10		
6.	A	Medium walk	Willing, clear transition; regularity and quality of walk; bend and balance in corner; straightness	10 x 2		
7	V-R R	Change rein, free walk on a long rein Medium walk	Regularity and quality of walks; reach and ground cover of free walk allowing freedom to stretch the neck forward and downward; straightness; willing, clear transitions	10 x 2		
8.	M C	Working trot Working canter left	Willing, clear transitions; regularity and quality of paces; bend and balance in corner	10		
9.	H-V	Show some Medium canter strides	Willing, clear transition; moderate lengthening of frame and stride; regularity and quality of canter; straightness; consistent tempo	10		
10.	V	Circle left 15m Develop working canter in first half of circle	Willing, clear transition; regularity and quality of canter; shape and size of circle; bend; balance	10		
11.	FXH X	Change rein Working trot	Willing, clear transition; regularity and quality of paces;	10		

			bend and balance in corner;				
12.	С	Working canter	straightness Willing, clear transition;	10			
12.	C	right	regularity and quality of canter; bend and balance in corner	10			
13.	M-P	Show some	Willing, clear transition; moderate lengthening of frame	10			
		Medium canter	and stride; regularity and quality				
		strides	of canter; straightness; consistent tempo				
14.	Р	Circle right 15m	Willing, clear transition;	10			
		Develop working	regularity and quality of canter; shape and size of circle; bend;				
		canter in first half of circle	balance				
15.	А	Working trot	Willing, clear transition;	10			
			regularity and quality of trot; straightness; bend and balance in				
			corner	10			
16.	K-R	Change rein, show some Medium trot	Moderate lengthening of frame and stride; regularity and quality	10			
		strides	of trot; straightness; consistent				
	R	Working trot	tempo; willing, clear transitions; bend and balance in corner				
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17.	E	Half circle left 10m	Bend and balance in half circle; regularity and quality of trot;	10			
	X G	Down centreline Halt, Salute	willing, clear transition;				
	0	That, Salute	straightness; attentiveness; immobility (min. 3 seconds)				
Leave	e arena at free	walk where appropriate					
Collective Marks					Collective Comments		
18.	WALK (Freedom and regularity)						
19.							
20.	CANTER (Fr	eedom and regularity)		10			
21	IMPULSION (Desire to move forward; elasticity of the steps;						
22.	suppleness of the back; engagement of the hindquarters) 2. SUBMISSION (Willing cooperation; harmony; attention and						
22.			ds; straightness; lightness of	10 x 2			
	forehand and ease of movements)						
23.	RIDER'S POSITION AND SEAT (Alignment; posture; stability; weight						
	placement; following movement of the horse) RIDER'S CORRECT AND EFFECTIVE USE OF AIDS (Clarity;						
24.							
			Sub total	(290)			
			Total				
<u> </u>		rs of the course and omig	Percentage				

To be deducted Errors of the course and omissions are penalised

1st Time = 2 marks

2nd Time = 4 marks

3rd Time = Elimination

Non-cumulative errors (dress/tack) = -2 marks/error

Signature of Judge _____