

Rusty Knees Farm Horse Trials

September 1, 2019

Opening Date: August 1

Closing Date: Postmark August 24
(must arrive by August 26)

Location:

Rusty Knees Farm
43 Anderson Road
Dover-Foxcroft, ME
04426

Judge: Jessica Dion-Buzwell

Organizers: Beth & Dennis Ruksznis

Secretary:

Beth Ruksznis (207) 717-7743 (cell)
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04426 **Text Cell or Email**

Divisions:

Introductory	2019 USDF Introductory Level Test B	Max: 18"
Elementary	2019 USDF Introductory Level Test C	Max: 2'
Beginner Novice	2018 USEF Beginner Novice Test B	Max: 2'7"
Novice	2018 USEF Novice Test A	Max: 2'11"
Training/Novice	2018 USEF Training Test A	SJ Max: 3'3" XC: Novice

• *All divisions may be divided into SR/JR or Open/Adult Amateur if entries warrant*

Awards: Ribbons 1-8

Entries: \$75 per rider, check to Beth Ruksznis. Mail check to secretary with entry.

Separate check made out to MeCTA for \$15 non-member fee.

Please email photo of signed entry form to secretary when sending via snail mail to ensure arrival by Monday, August 26. Very much appreciated.

Refunds: Medical/Veterinary reason minus \$10 office fee

Vaccine Requirements: Coggins within 3 years in state or 12 months if horses have traveled out of state

Times: Available August 29 on MeCTA Website & FB or riders may call

Tentative Schedule: Dressage 9 AM, SJ (in XC attire) 11 AM, XC 30 mins after SJ

Dressage: Grass or sand ring **SJ:** On grass

XC: Permanent and portable fences on 30 acres of hay fields and pastures. Banks, ditches, drops, as appropriate to level. Introductory division is all Logs, good first time out. Your ride timed if you would like to know your meters per minute.

XC Course Schooling: Open for clinics, lessons and schooling with your insured instructor.

Contact Organizer 207-717-7743 let us know when you'd like to come!

Course closes: Monday, August 26. Plan ahead, come before that date. No schooling after we flag the course, in the name of fairness.

Work for your Entry fee: Help with preparations for the Horse Trials, and earn \$10/hour towards your entry. Build a new xc fence, Trim brush, paint SJ fences, weed whacking, dressage arena set up, SJ course set up all earn \$ on your entry and provide much appreciated help with putting on this event! Text Beth 207-717-7743 and make her day!

Volunteers needed for the day of the Horse Trials as Fence Judges, Ring Stewards, Score Runners, Pinney collectors, Jump Crew. If you would like to volunteer, please let us know what job you'd like. Volunteers earn scrumptious lunch by Barbara M.S.Bentley, in the house kitchen.

Directions: GPS 43 Anderson Road, Dover-Foxcroft ME