

Palm Beach International Equestrian Center

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PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL EQUESTRIAN CENTER



Palm Beach International Equestrian Center Main Grounds

Palm Beach International Equestrian Center is considered the most recognizable equestrian sporting venue in the United States. It encompasses a total of 500 acres, and the competition rings alone cover over 80 acres. PBIEC has two core facilities containing over 18 competition arenas, including one derby field and the largest covered arena in the world. Both show grounds are operated by Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC (ESP). Equestrian Sport Productions owns and operates 42 weeks of United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) rated horse shows from September through June at the Palm Beach International Equestrian Center in Wellington, Florida.

The Main Show Grounds house 256 permanent stalls, wash racks, horse trails, pedestrian paths, and golf cart tracks, along with dedicated shopping

areas like Vendor Village, Hunter Hill, The Bridge, and International Shoppes.

The 18 arenas with adjoining schooling rings all feature state-of-the-art footing from Equestrian Services International. The feature of PBIEC is the International Arena (357'x256') that is surrounded by VIP box seating, general admission seating, and hospitality pavilions. It is highlighted by the famous bridge arching over the in-gate, where horses enter into the arena, and serves to welcome everyone to the best equestrian facility in the world.

Spectator Entrance: 3400 Equestrian Club Drive, Wellington, FL 33414.

Competitor Entrance & Administrative Offices: 14440 Pierson Road, Wellington, FL 33414.

PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL EQUESTRIAN CENTER



Palm Beach International Equestrian Center The Stadium

The Stadium, built on almost 60 acres, features a beautifully manicured grass derby field with natural obstacles adjacent to the new Adequan® Global Dressage Festival grounds, which house a main arena surrounded by grandstand seating and the Global Pavilion, 200 permanent stalls, the Wellington Equestrian Realty Arena that can fit three regulation-size dressage arenas, and one of the world's largest covered arenas (360'x210'), the Van Kampen Arena.

In addition to the new facility being home to worldclass dressage, it will also host exciting jumper derbies and grand prix events, horse exhibitions, and equestrian clinics. It is the home to The Palm Beach Riding Academy, where everyone is welcome to take lessons or make a weekend experience at PBIEC. Horses are available for lease to ride and to show.

Spectator and Competitor Entrance: 13500 South Shore Blvd., Wellington, FL 33414.



WINTER EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL



About The Winter Equestrian Festival (WEF)

The Winter Equestrian Festival (WEF) is the largest and longest-running circuit in horse sport, a 12-week show jumping competition for hunters, jumpers, and equitation held annually commencing January of each year. WEF is produced and managed by Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC. (ESP).

Each show week starts on Wednesday and concludes on Sunday, with major competitions showcased in the International Arena daily and on Saturday nights.



WEF Facts

Riders from 33 countries and all 50 U.S. states are represented.

Exhibitors compete for more than \$9 million in prize money, the largest purse offered in the world.

WEF hosts the nation's premier events for children, juniors, adults and amateurs; for riders aged from 2 to 70 years old in more than 70 unique divisions of competition.

More than 5,000 horses with a net value of well over half a billion dollars compete within the circuit.

More than 100 food and retail vendors generate tens of millions of dollars of commerce on the property.

Thousands of spectators visit each week, enthralled by the competition.

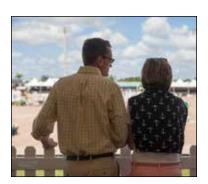
Families share activities and enjoy pony rides, petting zoos, fun entertainment and live music during the "Saturday Night Lights" events.

Over 250,000 people attend the show over the 12-week circuit.

WINTER EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL







Watching The Equestrian Action

Daily Highlights

Visit WEF during the day from Wednesday through Sunday and watch 12 arenas with everything from adorable pony hunters to Olympic show jumpers.

Stroll the grounds at your leisure, grab a bite to eat and shop till you drop at our unique boutiques, art galleries, jewelers, high-end fashion and so much more.

Saturday Night Lights

The evening not only consists of the most celebrated show jumping of the week in the International Arena, but an exciting array of entertainment. In addition, families can spend time at the children's fair, having fun in the bounce houses, visiting the petting zoo, riding the genuine Venetian Carousel or pony rides. There will also be a band, a variety of performers, shopping, food, and more.



Fun Things To Do At the WEF

Shopping Around The Show Grounds:

You are invited to shop in a variety of locations throughout the PBIEC, including the Vendor Village, Hunter Hill, and The Bridge Deck. These boutiques offer fashion for men, women and children, jewelry, home design, fine art, photography, horseware and more.



Shop at the WEF Boutique

Located on the South Bridge deck overlooking the International Arena and in the Vendor Village. Find the perfect WEF clothing, posters, or souvenirs.





Grab a Bite to Eat

A variety of Food Vendors are located throughout the property, including:

Tito's Tacos: Margaritas, Tacos, Burritos, Chips, Salsa

Tiki Hut: Grilled Chicken, Variety Burgers, Grilled Fish, Salads

Oasis Cafe in the Vendor Village

Take a Lunch & Tour

See the world-renowned equestrian competition, vendors, stables and various venues that Palm Beach International Equestrian Center has to offer, followed by a catered lunch with your group. Your tour will allow you to explore twelve of the competition rings, the stabling area where horses prepare for competition, and a stroll through Vendor

Village. The tour will be both exciting and informative, and there is a good chance you will see some Olympic riders gearing up for competition! Equestrian Lunch & Tours are available by appointment only, Wednesday through Sunday during the WEF season. Call 561.793.5867 to book your tour.

WINTER EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL







Great Charity Challenge presented by Fidelity Investments® and Community Outreach

The Great Charity Challenge presented by Fidelity Investments® (GCC) was founded by Mark Bellissimo and his daughter Paige in 2010 as a way for the equestrian community to give back to Palm Beach County.

In the last six years, the GCC has distributed over to \$7.5 million to 150 plus Palm Beach County Charities.

The 2016 event will be held during the fourth week of the Winter Equestrian Festival on Saturday, February 6, 2016, at the Palm Beach International Equestrian Center.

Gates will open at 5:30p.m. with the first horse on course at 6:30p.m. Parking is located at 13421 South Shore Blvd. Wellington, FL, 33414.

The Great Charity Challenge is a relay style equestrian jumping competition with teams consisting of two junior/amateur riders combined with one Olympic or world-class rider. The 34 rider teams are randomly paired with 34 charities that serve Palm Beach County. Some features of the GCC event include:

- 100% of all proceeds go straight to benefit charities
- The winning team of riders will be awarded \$150,000 for its charity
- Every charity selected will win a guaranteed minimum of \$15,000
- If your charity is not selected for the GCC, don't worry. Along with selecting 34 charities to pair with teams, there are also random drawings and grants awarded to deserving charities.

Every charity selected to compete in the Great Charity Challenge is guaranteed to win a donation to support their cause. All participating charities are required to utilize 75% of their funds in Palm Beach County, so these donations directly impact the community. To view the complete list of charities and donations received since the beginning of the Challenge, please visit the event website: www.areatcharitychallenge.com.

Equestrian Sport Productions, which produces the event, wishes to thank all the generous individuals, families and corporate sponsors who donate to what has become the largest single-day net charity event in the state of Florida..

For more event information, please contact: acv@greatcharitychallenge.com

WINTER EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL









Events throughout Winter Equestrian Festival

Grand Prix Show Jumping provides a level of excitement that is unmatched in most sports and is the highest level of this Olympic discipline.

FEI Nations Cup is one of the most exciting events of the season where nations are represented by teams that compete for national pride.

Hunt seat or hunter competitions are based upon elegant traditions arising from the foxhunt. Hunters differ from jumpers in that they are judged on the style, movement, and technical proficiency of the horse and rider within the constraints of the set course design

The \$500,000 Rolex Grand Prix during Week 12 is the culminating event of the season where the top show jumpers in the world compete for the circuit's largest single-class prize money.

Leadline class, home of our Future Olympians - bring your kids to watch our kids!

The Great Charity Challenge presented by Fidelity Investments® gives back over \$1,000,000 to the community - support & cheer on your Charity team.

The **Battle of the Sexes** is a fun, action-packed exhibition that has teams of men vs. women in exciting classes like match races, a speed class, and a six-bar.

The **Jumper Derby** takes stamina and precision when horses and riders must gallop around a course on the grass derby field and tackle unique obstacles like the Devil's Dyke, the bank, liverpools, and more.

2016 Tentative Schedule of Events*

Licensed by Equestrian Show Holdings, LLC & Wellington Equestrian Productions LLC & Managed by Equestrian Sport Productions, LLC Held at Palm Beach International Equestrian Center, Wellington, FL

WEF 1 Premier "AA" January 13-17

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round I \$75,000 WEF 1 Grand Prix \$75,000 "Battle Of The Sexes" Exhibition Class \$25,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 2 Marshall & Sterling Insurance CSI 2* Premier "AA" January 20-24

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round II \$86,000 Marshall & Sterling Insurance Grand Prix CSI 2* \$25,000 Artisan Farms Under 25 Grand Prix presented by Equine Couture/Tuffrider \$35,000 Suncast® Championship Classic

WEF 3 Adequan® CSI 3* Premier "AA" January 27-31

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round III \$130,000 Adequan® Grand Prix CSI 3* \$35,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 4 Ariat® CSI 4* Premier "AA" February 3-7

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round IV \$216,000 Ariat® Grand Prix CSI 4* \$25,000 Artisan Farms Under 25 Team Event Grand Prix presented by the McNerney Family \$35,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic 7th Annual Great Charity Challenge presented by Fidelity Investments®

WEF 5 Fidelity Investments® CSI 5* Premier "AA" February 10-14

Featuring: \$130,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round V \$380,000 Fidelity Investments® CSI 5* Grand Prix \$86,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 6 WCHR CSI 3* Premier "AA" February 17-21

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round VI \$35,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic \$130,000 WEF 6 Grand Prix CSI 3* \$50,000 Grand Prix \$25,000 Artisan Farms Under 25 Grand Prix presented by EnTrust Capital USHJA/WCHR Peter Wetherill Hunter Spectacular

WEF 7 Suncast® CSI 5* Premier "AA" February 24-28

Featuring: \$130,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round VII \$380,000 Suncast® Grand Prix CSI 5* \$86,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 8 CSIO 4* Premier "AA" March 2-6

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round VIII \$216,000 Lugano Diamonds CSIO 4* Grand Prix \$150,000 FEI Nations Cup

Hollow Creek Farm Jr/Child/YR Nations Cup CSIO-YRJ \$25,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 9 Douglas Elliman CSI 5* Premier "AA" March 9-13

Featuring: \$130,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round IX \$380,000 Douglas Elliman Grand Prix CSI 5* \$25,000 Artisan Farms Under 25 Grand Prix Semi-Final presented by Seabrook, LLC \$86,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 10 Horseware Ireland CSI 3* Premier "AA" March 16-20

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round X \$130,000 Horseware Ireland Grand Prix CSI 3* \$35,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic

WEF 11 Artisan Farms CSI 4* Premier "AA" March 23-27

Featuring: \$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round XI \$130,000 Engel & Völkers Grand Prix CSI 4* \$86,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic 9th Annual George Morris Excellence In Equitation Class \$50,000 Artisan Farms Under 25 Grand Prix Final presented by Equiline

WEF 12 Rolex CSI 5* Premier "AA" March 30-April 3

Featuring: \$500,000 Rolex Grand Prix CSI 5*
WEF High Point Circuit Awards
Presentations on Saturday Evening April 2nd
\$50,000 USHJA International Hunter Derby
\$35,000 Ruby et Violette WEF Challenge Round XII
\$35,000 Suncast® 1.50M Championship Classic Final
\$10,000 Gut Einhaus Young Jumper Classic 5 Year Old
\$15,000 Adequan® Young Jumper Classic 6 Year Old
\$20,000 Adequan® Young Jumper Classic 7 Year Old

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WINTER EQUESTRIAN FESTIVAL VENDORS



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Burgess and Clark Coffee

PONY ISLAND

Silva's Mexican Food

BARN 18

Scott's Café

ADEQUAN® GLOBAL DRESSAGE FESTIVAL







About The Adequan® Global Dressage Festival (AGDF)

The Adequan® Global Dressage Festival (AGDF, January 14-April 2, 2016) is one of the world's largest international and national dressage circuits featuring seven CDI events. Included are four FEI World Cup qualifiers, one 4* and one 5*, the only non-championship CDIO Nations' Cup in the Western Hemisphere, as well as weekly U.S. National events. The AGDF is offering more than \$600,000 in prize money for the seven international competitions, making it one of the richest circuits in the world. The Stadium, built on almost 60 acres, features a beautifully maintained grass derby field

with natural obstacles next to the new Global Dressage Festival grounds. The facility houses a main arena surrounded by grandstand seating, 200 permanent stalls, the Wellington Equestrian Realty arena that can fit three regulation-size dressage arenas, and one of the world's largest covered arenas (360'x210'), the Van Kampen Arena.

In addition to the new facility being home to world-class dressage, it will also house exciting jumper derbies and grand prix events, horse exhibitions, and equestrian clinics.

The Stadium at PBIEC also houses the Palm Beach Riding Academy.

AGDF Facts

At this year's Adequan® Global Dressage Festival, riders from many countries such as Australia, Canada, Colombia, Denmark, Dominican Republic, the United States, and more will be competing for top scores in the internationally rated "CDI" competitions, which are events sanctioned by the International Equestrian Federation (FEI). At four of the CDI events offered here, points are earned for world rankings and for standings to qualify for the FEI World Cup Finals, which is the only annual global championship for dressage and will be held in Gothenburg, Sweden, at the end of March 2016. Riders will also get a chance to gain scores for representing their teams at the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Dressage is one of three equestrian disciplines in the Olympics (the other two are jumping and eventing.) All three have been part of the Games held once every four years since 1912. Dressage is a sport that is beneficial for all equestrian activities as it is the ultimate in training.

Dressage riders must complete fixed patterns, similar to the technical performances in gymnastics and ice skating competitions. The performances are assessed by a panel of judges that award marks ranging from 10 for excellent to 0 for not performed. Grand Prix is the highest level of the sport, and riders compete in the Grand Prix, Grand Prix Special, and Grand Prix Freestyle classes.

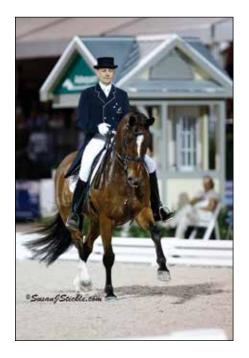
The AGDF is also one of the few events in the United States to hold a CPEDI, a qualifying event for Para-Equestrian Dressage. Para-Equestrian Dressage is the only Equestrian discipline that is included in the Paralympic Games, where it has been a regular fixture since 1996. With the idea of creating opportunities for all people with disabilities to compete and achieve their goals in equestrian sport, athletes are classified according to the level of their disability/impairment so as to provide for meaningful competition.







FRIDAY NIGHT STARS









Friday Night Stars

The AGDF highlights the musical freestyle event on "Friday Night Stars," held on each Friday night of the CDI events. Some of the best dressage combinations in the world will complete their own test to music choreographed especially for them and their horse. Spectators will hear everything from classic orchestral pieces to the latest Top 40 pop hits.

The musical freestyle in which horse and rider "dance" to their own choreography in a routine about six minutes in length has become the most popular entertainment of the sport with top combinations drawing large crowds and is the feature of "Friday Night Stars" at the AGDF.

In addition to top level sport, the AGDF hosts the entire range of classes available for pony, junior, and amateur dressage riders in four USEF-rated National events.



ADEQUAN® GLOBAL DRESSAGE FESTIVAL



International Dressage Competition

The AGDF is a proving ground for the United States Equestrian Team, as well as other international teams, and serves as host of observation trials and qualifiers for such important international events as the Fédération Equestre Internationale (FEI) World Cup Finals, the Olympic Games and World Equestrian Games.

In addition to Olympic and World Class competition, the breadth of competition provides an opportunity for the entire family to participate in the sport together, creating a lifestyle environment unique in the world.



2016 Tentative Schedule of Events*

January 7-10:

Para-Equestrian CPEDI, presented by Mission Control, Mane Stream courtesy of Rowan O'Riley, Adequan®, and Nutrena

January 14-17:

AGDF 1 CDI-W and FEI Grand Prix Freestyle, presented by AMCI Group to Benefit Brooke USA FEI Grand Prix & Grand Prix Special, presented by MTICA Farm; FEI Small Tour, presented by The Axel Johnson Group

January 21-24:

Para-Equestrian CPEDI, presented by Mission Control, Mane Stream courtesy of Rowan O'Riley, Adequan®, and Nutrena

January 28-31:

AGDF 3 CDI-W and FEI Grand Prix Freestyle, presented by U.S. PRE Association; FEI Grand Prix & Grand Prix Special, presented by Yeguada de Ymas; FEI Small Tour, presented by Chesapeake Dressage Institute

February 6-7:

AGDF 4 National Show

February 11-14:

AGDF 5 CDI 5* and FEI Grand Prix Freestyle, presented by Diamante Farms; CDI 3* presented by Wellington Equestrian Realty; CDI 1*, presented by Kirk Arabians

February 18-21:

AGDF 6 National Show

February 25-28:

AGDF 7 CDI-W 3* and FEI Grand Prix Freestyle, presented by Axel Johnson Group FEI Small Tour, presented by Engel & Völkers

March 3-6:

AGDF 8 Palm Beach Dressage Derby CDI-W/1* and FEI Grand Prix Freestyle presented by Everglades Dressage; FEI Grand Prix & Grand Prix Special, presented by Today's Equestrian & Diane and George Fellows; FEI Small Tour, presented by Peacock Ridge Farm

March 17-20:

AGDF 10 CDI 4* and FEI Grand Prix CDI 4*, presented by Havensafe Farm; CDI 3* presented by The Dutta Corporation; CDI 1*, presented by Mike & Roz Collins

March 30-April 2:

AGDF 12 CDIO 3* featuring the Stillpoint Farm FEI Nations Cup, and FEI Large Tour, presented by Stillpoint Farm; CDI 3* presented by Harmony Sporthorses; CDI 1*, presented by YellowBird Farm

ADEQUAN® GLOBAL DRESSAGE FESTIVAL

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PALM BEACH RIDING ACADEMY

Palm Beach Riding Academy

The Palm Beach Riding Academy offers horse enthusiasts the opportunity to experience first-hand the excitement of Wellington horse sport at the country's premier equestrian facility.





Specializing in Equitation, Hunters and Jumpers, the Academy provides certified instruction to beginner riders, advanced competitive riders and everything in between.

Our roster consists of the safest, most suitable horses and ponies for riders to pursue their equine ambitions in a proven, progressive development focused curriculum.

Whether you're a full-time Palm Beach County resident or vacationing here in our little piece of paradise, we have a program specifically tailored to your needs.

Our packages include everything from weekly lessons to highly competitive six-day per week programs. We also offer short term leases during the WEF season on veteran show horses, for those who are visiting our area and would like to experience the thrill of showing without the cost and burden of needing their own horse.

Ever dreamed of competing at the world's most prestigious horse show in the winter horse show capital of the world? Take the reins and contact us for more details at (561) 784-4275.

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PALM BEACH INTERNATIONAL EQUESTRIAN CENTER

Host of the world-famous Winter Equestrian Festival, Adequan® Global Dressage Festival, and the Great Charity Challenge presented by Fidelity Investments®

The equestrian industry has an annual impact of \$220 million on Palm Beach County*



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Sponsorship



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Free General Admission and Free General Parking at 13500 South Shore Blvd, Wellington, FL 33414. at PBIEC - Daytime Valet Parking Service \$10 (Wednesday-Sunday)

FRIDAY NIGHT STARS DRESSAGE

Premium Parking Per Carload (\$10) and Valet Available (\$20).

SATURDAY NIGHT LIGHTS SHOW JUMPING

Premium Parking Per Carload (\$20) and Valet Available (\$30) at 3400 Equestrian Club Drive, Wellington, FL.

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The Spectator's Guide to **Equestrian Competition**

GRAND PRIX SHOW JUMPING

Jumping is the best known and is also one of the three Olympic equestrian sports, along with Dressage and Eventing. As in all Equestrian sports men and women compete on equal terms. The Olympic sport of Grand Prix show jumping is the highest and most challenging level of jumping competition. Men and women compete as equals over a set course of obstacles that can be as tall as 1.60 meters (5.25 feet) in height. They must clear all of the fences without knocking down a rail and within the time allowed in order to return for the second round, also known as the "jump-off," and be the fastest with the least faults to win.

GUIDE TO SHOW JUMPING SCORING

Penalties in show jumping competitions are referred to as "faults." Knocking down a rail or a pole on a jump is 4 faults, as is putting a foot in the water jump or the first refusal. In all jumper classes, falls and going off-course result in elimination, as does a second refusal.

SHOW JUMPING FAULTS AND PENALTIES

Knocking over a jump: 4 faults Refusing a jump: 4 faults Two refusals: Eliminated Rider falls off: Eliminated

Over the time allowed: 1 fault for every second or

portion thereof over the time allowed.

HUNTERS

Hunt seat competitions are based upon elegant traditions arising from the foxhunt. Hunters differ from jumpers because they are judged on the style, movement, and technical proficiency of the horse and rider within the constraints of the set course design. Hunters should display jumping ability, manners, style, an even pace, and quality.

EQUITATION

Equitation competition is offered for junior and amateur riders and is judged based on the style and form of the rider. Horses are not judged in this discipline, but successful riders will ensure that their horses are well behaved. Riders can be judged over fences or on the flat.

DRESSAGE

Dressage is a competitive equestrian sport, defined by the International Equestrian Federation (FEI) as "the highest expression of horse training." The rider will be relaxed and appear effort-free while the horse willingly performs the requested movement. In modern dressage competition, successful training at the various levels is demonstrated through the performance of "tests", which include a prescribed series of movements ridden within a standard arena. Dressage is considered the most artistic of the equestrian sports and can be traced back centuries. It is the highest expression of horse training. The Freestyle is especially choreographed and performed to music.

FEI

Fédération Equestre Internationale is based in Lausanne, Switzerland and is the governing body for all Olympic equestrian disciplines.

CONCOURS DE SAUT INTERNATIONAL - CSI

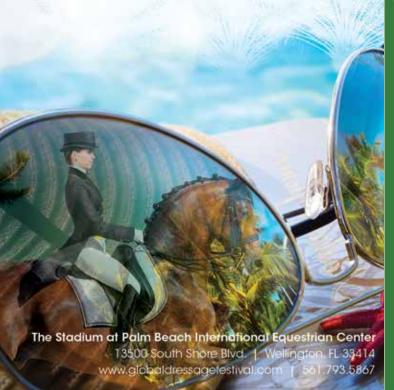
The ranking system for show jumping. CSI is broken down into a starring system, the higher the prize money the higher number of stars: e.g. CSI 5* prize money over \$500,000. CSI-W is a show jumping world cup competition.

CONCOURS DE DRESSAGE INTERNATIONAL - CDI The ranking system for dressage with the same starring system as for show jumping.

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