



2 3/4 PHASE EVENT ... GROWING UP!

SRC's first "2-3/4 Phase Event" of the season has expanded this year to a two-day event, with dressage on the Saturday (dressage ring) and Stadium and Cross-country phases on the Sunday (stadium in the new McCutcheon ring, cross-country ... everywhere!).

The following divisions are offered in both Jr/Int and Senior categories:

- Starter** (Entry Test A/2'3")
- Pre-Green** (Entry Test B/2'6")
- Newbie Green** (Entry Test B/2'9")
- Green** (Pre-Training Test A/2'9")
- Open Green** (Pre-Training Test A/Cross Country 2'9" with 3' options/Stadium 3')

You can also enter as a team (of three riders in the same division) and be eligible for additional awards!

The Newbie Green Division is for riders who have not competed at Green level previously. More details are available on the prize list, which is available on the SRC website or at the clubhouse. Dressage tests are available on the www.horsetrialsbc.com website. Note that for this event, entries need to go to Entry Secretary Mirna Topic (address on entry form), not the SRC Office.

Entries close on Saturday, June 20 at 7:00 p.m. Because of scheduling requirements, no late entries will be accepted after the closing date.

Vancouver Pony Club will be having their Mini Show for Junior and beginner riders at the Club on Sunday, June 14. Please contact Pony Club directly for their prize list.

WHAT'S GOING ON: June

- 10** **Chris Irwin Clinic/Demo**
"Evolve Your Horsepower"
Indoor Arena 7-10 p.m.
- 14** **VPC Mini Show**
- 21** **Dogwood Dressage IV**
EC Bronze Show
- 28** **2 3/4 Phase Event**
June 27 & 28

Coming Next Month ...

- July 8-12**
Southlands Summer Classic H/J Show
- July 25-26**
Dogwood Dressage Finale

WELCOME TO NEW SRC MEMBERS!

SRC welcomes the following new and re-joining members:

- Kelly Auger, Elizabeth Seaton – Senior
- Brooke Saunders – Student



SUMMER CLASSIC COUNTDOWN!

The Southlands Summer Classic – our biggest show of the year – returns on July 8-12 this year. Entries close June 12, so don't delay! The prize lists are available now on the SRC website and at the Clubhouse.

This year the Summer Classic will be a Bronze show, which means that all owners, riders and trainers must be current, paid up members of Horse Council BC and hold a minimum Bronze EC membership. Competitors will be able to purchase temporary EC memberships at the show, good for the duration of the Summer Classic only (not annual Bronze licences). You will still be able to purchase a Horse Council membership at the show office.

Spectators are welcome! Highlights include the Teams of Three Costume Hunter Class on Friday evening, the Mini-Prix and modified Grand Prix on Saturday afternoon, and the Derbies on Sunday.



GUEST RIDING REMINDER

Please note that any non-members wanting to ride on the property MUST sign a waiver, pay the guest fee and get their wristband before they come onto the property. If the guest is a minor their parent or legal guardian has to also sign the waiver. The waivers are available on the Club website www.southlandsridingclub.com or in the clubhouse foyer cabinet.

GROUNDS REPORT

It looks like we are finally heading into the good weather! Our cross country course will be closed intermittently if the ground conditions get too beaten up. Please watch for "closed to horses" signs, and when these are up do not use the cross country area.

We are going to add the McCutcheon ring into the jump course rotation. Starting on June 4 we will be putting in a course of eight fences, with one jumping lesson being allowed per time slot. The jumps will taken out the following Monday and then on Thursday the course will be set back up again.

Our grounds staff are starting to prepare for our Summer Classic. The grass field is now flagged off for the grand prix area. We will start to use the hose reel sprinkler on the field very soon.

The berm between the McCutcheon ring and Covered ring has been seeded so please do not walk across it.

Please note that the Indoor arena will be closed on Wednesday, June 10 from 5:00 to 10:00 p.m. The arena has been rented for a demonstration/workshop on Equine Assisted Personal Development: "Evolve Your Horsepower" with Chris Irwin. If you are interested in attending this workshop (\$20 to audit) please contact Chris Irwin directly at www.chrisirwin.com or 1-877-394-6773 for registration information.



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Deadlines

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