



Nkangala Dressage & Showing Series Qualifier 2

(Hosted by Nkangala Equestrian Club in collaboration with Pienaardam Resort, the Show holding Body)

Dates for Qualifiers:

Q1 – 01 February; Q2 - 14 June; Q3 – 18 July; Q4&Championship – 01 November

Championship rules and scoring criteria:

Rider and horse team must attend 3 of the 4 qualifiers to qualify for Dressage & Showing Series Champion.

- **PRELIM TO ELEMENTARY** – Average of the two best scores (Test 2) from the qualifiers = 50%
- **MEDIUM ADVANCED PSG** – Average of two best scores (Test 2) from the qualifiers = 50%
- **Q4 & Championship Score (Test 3)** = 50%

PANEL	FUNCTION	OFFICIAL
	Show Holding Body	Pienaardam
DRESSAGE JUDGE	Dressage	Janine Viljoen
SHOWING JUDGE	Showing	TBC
COURSE DESIGNER	Course Designer (Working Hunter & Working riding)	Leigh Gudmanz
PARAMEDIC SERVICES	Paramedics	Gavin Cooper 074 125 9723
ANNOUNCER	Announcer	TBC

VENUE	Pienaardam Resort, Middelburg
VENUE ADDRESS	Plaas, Vaalbank-B, Middelburg, 1050
DATE:	14 June 2026
CLOSING DATE	7 June 2026 (late entries fee – R100)
ENTRIES TO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All Recreational & Graded entries are to be done on DSA & SASA online. All Training entries on Pienaardam website https://www.pienaardam.co.za/ . Dressage training entries https://form.jotform.com/261384238632560 • Payment receipts must be sent to: event1@pienaardamresort.co.za • Any payments made after the closing date will be considered as a LATE ENTRY and a fee of R 100 will apply • Only entries with proof of payment will be accepted.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The organisers reserve the rights to combine classes if entries warrant.
ENTRY FEES	<p>Dressage - R380 Graded & Recreational + Training R340 per classes Inc all Levies</p> <p>Showing – R300 Graded classes, Ungraded and In Hand Classes R250 per classes Inc all Levies</p>
REFUNDS	No Refunds will be given after closing date of entries. Entries withdrawn before close of date will be refunded for less admin fees R50.00. However, due to inclement weather conditions or other unforeseen circumstances, should it necessitate cancelling the show, 80% of the entry fee will be refunded.
BANK DETAILS	<p>Pienaardam Leisure Resort Nedbank, Acc nr: 1468033395, Branch code: 198765</p> <p>PLEASE email proof of payment to venessa@pienaardamresort.co.za ; nkangalaclub@gmail.co.za ; event1@pienaardamresort.co.za</p>
PRIZE MONEY	<p>Graded Rosettes & sponsored prizes if available.</p> <p>Recreational & Training: Rosettes only.</p>
SHOWING LEVIES	Show Levies: Affiliated Classes R 50.00 Non-Affiliated Classes R 33.00, Levies In Hand R10, EDTF Levies per Class R 6.00 Ground & Admin levy R50 + Medic R50
DRESSAGE LEVIES	<p>Graded Levy - Adults (Graded Novice to Big Tour classes) R70</p> <p>Non-Graded Levy - Graded & Ungraded Adult Prelim Classes, Ungraded Adult Novice Classes and Ungraded Adult Walk & Trot Classes R32</p> <p>Graded Levy - Pony Rider, Children & Junior: Graded Pony Rider & Children Novice to Medium Classes and Graded Junior Novice to Big Tour Classes R26.50</p> <p>Ungraded Levy - Pony Rider, Children & Junior: Graded & Ungraded Prelim Classes, Ungraded Novice Classes and Ungraded Walk & Trot Classes R26.50</p> <p>R5.75 Travel Levy R5.50 DSA EDS levy + Medic R50.00 & Ground & Admin levy R50</p>
EVENT DIRECTOR	N/A
ENQUIRIES	<p>Petro: 082 765 9727 nkangalaclub@gmail.co.za</p> <p>Venessa: venessa@pienaardamresort.co.za 082 563 5631</p> <p>https://www.pienaardam.co.za/</p>
DRESS	All Riders must be correctly dressed for all classes, according to the respective discipline requirements. ALL MOUNTED RIDERS MUST WEAR HARD HATS. As per Article 256 Dress and Headgear (FEI Jumping regulations)
PASSPORTS	All competitors must have their up-to-date horse passports at the event for inspection at any time. Horses whose passports do not fully comply with the current Government, FEI, and General regulations may be refused permission to compete and asked to leave the venue as well as fined.
HORSE WELFARE	All horses are limited to 2 classes a day per horse for Dressage classes and 4 ridden classes per horse for ridden Showing.
AFRICAN HORSE SICKNESS & EQUINE FLU	<p>All horses must be vaccinated with AHS vaccine and with Equine Influenza and in accordance with the regulations laid out in the equestrian rules. Horses that do not comply may be refused permission to compete and can be asked to leave the show grounds. FINES IN RESPECT OF PASSPORT VIOLATIONS</p> <p>In Respect of Omission of a Mandatory Requirement R250.00</p> <p>In Respect of Inoculations against Equine Influenza R250.00</p> <p>More than the allowed days out of date Cancellation of Entries</p>
RIDER CONDUCT	Any owner or rider who attempts to interfere with or influence judges, officials or stewards, or who at any time on the show grounds uses any contemptuous or abusive language to any of the judges, officials or stewards will forfeit his/her rights to any prizes to which they might otherwise be entitled and will receive a yellow card which will require them to remove themselves and their horse from the grounds pending a disciplinary enquiry
INDEMNITY RESPONSIBILITY	All persons participating at this event do so at their own risk and will have no claim against Pienaardam Resort, Nkangala Equestrian Club, South African Equestrian Federation (SAEF), SASA (South Africa Showing Association) SAE (South African Eventing) including any officials, employees, members, affiliated bodies, show-holding bodies or sponsors of PIENAARDAM RESORT, or SAEF, for any damage or loss of property or death or injury of persons suffered during or in connection with this event from any cause whatsoever. No minor may participate in this event without the permission of his/her guardian, who indemnifies, PIENAARDAM RESORT, and SAEF (including all other persons and bodies) against any such claims by such minors
CATERING	Will be available on the premises
STABLING	<p>Book stabling on Pienaardam Show form link. https://form.jotform.com/260131769712052</p> <p>Or the stable form attached.</p> <p>14 x Brick Stables R450 per stable for Weekend (first come first service)</p> <p>43 x Temporary Stables R300 per stable for Weekend</p> <p>No Bedding, bedding will be available to purchase at R50 per bag.</p>

	<p>The allocation of stabling accommodation is carried out by the Show Holding Body and under no circumstances may any competitor change his/her stabling accommodation or alter the stabling list without prior consultation with, and approval.</p> <p>Failure to comply could involve disqualification of the horse concerned.</p> <p>Brick Stables will be allocated to Stallions. Please phone before booking a brick stable and it will strictly be on a first come first paid basis.</p> <p>Competitors wishing to be stabled with others should indicate this on their stable booking form, however, please bear in mind that if the person you are wanting to be stabled with has booked early and you have booked late or vice versa this allocation may not be possible as stables are allocated strictly on a first booked and paid for basis.</p> <p>No private holding camps/ paddocks are available. Please bring own camps / paddock set up to put up in designated area at own risk. <i>Horses are not allowed to stay overnight in these holding camps.</i></p>
NO DOGS	<p>DOGS ARE NOT WELCOME AT SHOWS.</p> <p>Fines of R50 WILL be imposed on the owners if dogs are found loose and proceeds will be donated to the charity of choice of name of Pienaardam Resort</p>
TERMS & CONDITIONS OF ENTRY	<p style="text-align: center;">Affiliated to DSA, SASA, SAEF and FEI run under 2025 FEI Jumping Rules and SASJ 2025 Rules and Appendices</p> <p>GENERAL CONDITIONS</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This event is organized in accordance with: 2. SAEF General Regulations & Veterinary Regulations 3. 2025 FEI Jumping Rules 4. 2025 FEI Dressage Rules 5. 2025 FEI General Regulation 6. 2025 FEI Veterinary Regulations 7. Equine Anti-Doping and Controlled Medication Rules (EADCMR), 2nd Edition, effective 1 January 2023. 8. FEI Anti-Doping Rules for Human Athletes (ADRHA), (WADA) as found on the FEI Website – www.fei.org 9. SAEF, DSA, Pienaardam Resort, and their representatives shall not be held responsible for any loss, damage, theft, injury, or death sustained by horses, riders, appointed officials, the public, or their property. All persons participating in this event do so at their own risk and will have no claim against Pienaardam Resort, MP Show Jumping, MP Eventing, or the SAEF, including any officials, employees, members, affiliated bodies, show-holding bodies, or sponsors for any damage, loss of property, or injury/death sustained during or in connection with the event. No minor may participate without the permission of a guardian, who indemnifies all parties listed above against any such claims. 10. ALL MOUNTED RIDERS MUST WEAR HARD HATS. As per FEI Article 256.1.4, it is compulsory for all persons to wear properly fastened protective headgear with a three-point retention harness at all times when mounted. Competitors must wear the correct dress for competition. 11. Any requests for a specific riding order MUST be emailed to the SHB. It is the competitor's responsibility to confirm their entry has been received. 12. Any athlete not available to ride his/her test or class at the allotted time must contact the Show Organiser or Senior Judge to reschedule, or they will be eliminated. 13. While every effort will be made to adhere to the schedule, the organisers reserve the right to change the order of classes. 14. The organisers reserve the right to fine, warn, suspend, and/or eliminate offenders. SAEF rules regarding excessive use of whips will be enforced. 15. The abuse of horses is strictly prohibited. 16. All stallions must wear a yellow disc on both sides of the bridle or a yellow ribbon in the tail. They must also have a yellow tag on their halter. 17. Stallions remain the responsibility of their owners and riders at all times and must have public liability cover. 18. Equine flu vaccinations must be administered within 6 months + 21 days before the event. No horse may compete within 7 days after receiving a vaccination. AHS vaccinations must be up to date. 19. Horses from outside the AHS Surveillance Area must have valid AHS vaccinations (within 12 months) and a current Certificate of Movement. 20. The athlete undertakes NOT to bring any horse or pony to the event that has an infectious disease, notifiable or otherwise. 21. If a horse is deemed unfit to compete and a veterinary examination is required, the cost is to be borne by the owner or athlete. 22. It is the owner/athlete's responsibility to ensure their horse has enough grass, water, and feed during their stay. 23. Horses stabled at Pienaardam Resort are kept at the owner's own risk. Health and care remain the owner/athlete's responsibility. 24. Horsebox parking is at the owner's own risk. 25. All protests must be submitted in writing to the ground jury with a deposit of R400 for provincial classes, within the required time. Verbal protests will not be accepted. Download protest forms from the discipline websites. 26. As per Section 4.1.2.a, only competitors may school horses entered in Equitation classes anywhere on the venue during the event. 27. Any rider or horse fall must be reported to the Show Office. A Rider/Horse Injury Report must be submitted before the rider is permitted to continue competing. 28. Neither Pienaardam Resort, SAEF, FEI, nor their representatives will be held responsible for any loss, damage, theft, or injury sustained by horses, riders, appointed officials, the public, or their property.

COMPETITION CLASSES	All classes will be run under the applicable FEI Rule unless otherwise stated in the
HORSE VACCINATIONS	It is the Athlete/Owners responsibility to ensure that they comply with the control measures of AHS and EQUINE FLU as per SAEF Regulations and are in the horses' passports which must always accompany the horse/pony
MICROCHIP NO's	Microchip numbers must be in the horse's passport and Online System
LIABILITY	The FEI, SASJ, SAEF, The OC/SHB, Venue, Officials and sponsors shall in no way be held responsible for any damage, loss, theft, or injury sustained by owners, riders, competitors, horses, members or the public or any other person or their property whatsoever. E&OE
CHANGES TO CLASSES	The organizing committee reserves the right to combine, handicap, divide or cancel classes should this be necessary, always provided such amendments are not in conflict with the rules. Where necessary, classes may be restricted to qualifications. 80% of entry fees will be refunded should the class/s be cancelled due to inclement weather conditions or unforeseen circumstances.

	Changes made at/during the show will be at the SHB's discretion in consultation with the Ground Jury. This also applies to adverse weather conditions. Entry Fees will not be refunded to any competitor in the event of any competition being changed to a different time, day, or different arena. The onus is on the rider to ensure their contact details are correct on the Database to receive any emails, and to check the Website for any changes to the schedule/programme. Any changes made to the programme once the final programme is published will be published on the website and circulated to entrants.
STALLIONS	All stallions should have a yellow disc on both sides of the bridle or have a yellow ribbon in the tail.
GROOMS	Riders are requested to provide sleeping accommodation for their grooms as there are no facilities for this purpose. Please note that the lighting of fires or smoking in the stable areas is strictly forbidden. Kindly inform your grooms. Ablutions are available in the stable area for grooms. There are electricity outlets at the stable area. Water is precious – please be aware of water wastage and help us to conserve water where possible



PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE

	Arena A Big Sand	Arena B Small Sand	Arena C Big Grass
Sunday	08h00 Training & Graded Dressage Walk Trot to Medium Tour	Warm Up	08h00 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training & Graded Showing Classes • Training & Graded Working Riding • Training & Graded Working Hunter

DRESSAGE | Sunday

Enter training on Pietermaritzburg Show form link | Enter graded on Dressage SA Website <https://www.dressagesa.com/>

TRAINING CLASSES

EVENT	CLASS	TEST	CLASS	TEST
TRAINING WALK TROT TEST	200	WALK TROT TEST 2	207	WALK TROT TEST 3
TRAINING PRELIM PONY RIDER & CHILDREN	201	PRELIM 2	208	PRELIM 3
TRAINING PRELIM JUNIOR	202	PRELIM 2	209	PRELIM 3
TRAINING PRELIM ADULTS	203	PRELIM 2	210	PRELIM 3
TRAINING NOVICE PONY RIDER & CHILDREN	204	NOVICE 2	211	NOVICE 3
TRAINING NOVICE JUNIOR	205	NOVICE 2	212	NOVICE 3
TRAINING NOVICE ADULTS	206	NOVICE 2	213	NOVICE 3

GRADED CLASSES

EVENT	CLASS	TEST	CLASS	TEST
GRADED PRELIM PONY RIDER	214	PRELIM 2	215	PRELIM 3
GRADED PRELIM CHILDREN	216	PRELIM 2	217	PRELIM 3
GRADED PRELIM JUNIOR	218	PRELIM 2	219	PRELIM 3
GRADED PRELIM JUNIOR	220	PRELIM 2	221	PRELIM 3
GRADED NOVICE PONY (1 ST Level)	222	NOVICE 2	223	NOVICE 3
GRADED NOVICE CHILDREN (1 ST Level)	224	NOVICE 2	225	NOVICE 3
GRADED NOVICE JUNIOR (1 ST Level)	226	NOVICE 2	227	NOVICE 3
GRADED NOVICE ADULT (1 ST Level)	228	NOVICE 2	229	NOVICE 3
GRADED ELEMENTARY PONY (2 ND Level)	230	ELEMENTARY 2	231	ELEMENTARY 3

GRADED ELEMENTARY CHILDREN (2 nd Level)	232	ELEMENTARY 2	233	ELEMENTARY 3
GRADED ELEMENTARY JUNIOR (2 nd Level)	234	ELEMENTARY 2	235	ELEMENTARY 3
GRADED ELEMENTARY ADULT (2 nd Level)	236	ELEMENTARY 2	237	ELEMENTARY 3
GRADED MEDIUM JUNIOR (3 RD Level)	238	MEDIUM 2		
GRADED MEDIUM ADULT (3 RD Level)	239	MEDIUM 2		



SOUTH AFRICAN
SHOWING
ASSOCIATION

The event will be run under SASA and SAEF rules unless otherwise stated.

1. Competitors may only ride one horse in each class, except in the Working Classes, where they may ride up to three horses.
2. All Riders and Horses must be registered with a Club, SAEF and SASA. For Membership see the SASA website www.showingsa.co.za or from admin@showingsa.co.za.
3. SASA will pay entry fees for SASA EDTS competitors in a maximum of 4 Ridden classes per day. The competitor must be an EDTS member of SASA. Membership is free. EDTS application forms, Rules and Conditions are available at www.showingsa.co.za or contact admin@showingsa.co.za for more information. EDTS competitors will earn EDTS Victor Ludorum points.
4. Working Hunters will be required to jump a course of approximately 8-12 fences, one of which will be a combination.
5. Should a competitor qualify more than one horse for the championship, he may nominate another rider, who must be a paid-up member of SASA, to show the horse in that championship. However, the competitor must do the individual test required in the Championship.
6. All classes will be run under SASA Rules Edition 26 effective 1st January 2026
7. EVERY COMPETITOR ENTERING THIS SHOW DOES HEREBY INDEMNIFY ANY JUDGE REGISTERED WITH SASA, OFFICIATING AT THIS SHOW, AGAINST ANY CLAIM OF ANY NATURE FROM ANY CAUSE WHATSOEVER.
8. Registered SASA Instructors will earn Victor Ludorum points for pupils.
9. Open Horses may be ridden by the Judge
10. Heights of Horses and Ponies must be stated in the SASA passport.
11. The minimum age of horses shown under saddle shall be 3 years.
12. All competitors, owners and sponsors shall be registered with a club in whose area of jurisdiction they have their principal place of residence, SAEF and SASA and shall be re-registered on 1 January each year. Membership forms may be obtained on the SASA website www.showingsa.co.za
13. Newcomers are open to riders who have never competed in graded classes in any age group. No cross entry with Graded Classes.
14. **Showing Class Criteria:**
 - a. Tiny Tots Lead Rein 2-4 years,
 - b. Young Riders - Lead Rein 4-8 years old,
 - c. Lead rein Ponies must not exceed 1.37m,
 - d. Off the lead/ First ponies: 4-10 years old,
 - e. NEWCOMERS: Open to riders who have never competed in Graded Classes in any age group, No cross entry allowed between Newcomers and any other Graded (Novice or Open classes)
15. Horses shall be registered with SAEF and SASA.
16. The horse and rider combination will compete as a member of the province where the rider is resident.

GRADED SHOWING | Sunday

Enter all classes on SA Showing Website <https://web.showingsa.co.za/>

PONY CLASSES - NEWCOMERS (UNGRADED)

1	SHOW PONY
2	SHOW RIDING PONY
3	SHOW HUNTER PONY

4	WORKING HUNTER PONY (60 CM)
5	WORKING RIDING PONY
PONY CLASSES – NOVICE	
6	SHOW PONY
7	SHOW RIDING PONY
8	SHOW HUNTER PONY
9	WORKING HUNTER PONY (70 CM)
10	WORKING RIDING PONY
PONY CLASSES – OPEN	
11	SHOW PONY
12	SHOW RIDING PONY
13	SHOW HUNTER PONY
14	WORKING HUNTER PONY (90 CM)
15	WORKING RIDING PONY
JUNIOR CLASSES - NEWCOMERS (UNGRADED)	
16	SHOW HACK
17	SHOW RIDING
18	SHOW HUNTER
19	WORKING HUNTER (70 CM)
20	WORKING RIDING
JUNIOR CLASSES – NOVICE	
21	SHOW HACK
22	SHOW RIDING
23	SHOW HUNTER
24	WORKING HUNTER (80 CM)
25	WORKING RIDING
JUNIOR CLASSES – OPEN	
26	SHOW HACK
27	SHOW RIDING
28	SHOW HUNTER
29	WORKING HUNTER (90 CM)
30	WORKING RIDING
ADULT CLASSES – NOVICE	
31	SHOW HACK
32	SHOW RIDING
33	SHOW HUNTER
34	WORKING HUNTER (80 CM)
35	WORKING RIDING
ADULT CLASSES – OPEN	
36	SHOW HACK
37	SHOW RIDING
38	SHOW HUNTER
39	WORKING HUNTER (90 CM)
40	WORKING RIDING
ADULT CLASSES – NEWCOMER	
49	SHOW HACK
50	SHOW RIDING
51	SHOW HUNTER
52	WORKING HUNTER (70 CM)
53	WORKING RIDING

In Hand/ Halter Classes:

UNGRADED	
41	IN HAND SHOW PONY
42	IN HAND SHOW HACK
43	IN HAND SHOW HUNTER
44	IN HAND – BEST FILLY UNDER 2 YEARS
45	IN HAND – BEST COLT UNDER 2 YEARS
46	IN HAND – BEST MARE OVER 2 YEARS

47	IN HAND – BEST STALLION OVER 2 YEARS (ADULT HANDLER ONLY)
48	IN HAND – BEST GELDING OVER 2 YEARS

