

# Kent County Youth Fair Walk - Trot Dressage Test



<b>Rider Name:</b>				Maximum Possible Points: 140		<b>Date:</b>	
<b>Rider Number:</b>				Coefficient			
	<b>Test</b>	<b>Directive Ideas</b>	POINTS		TOTAL	Remarks	
A	Enter working trot rising.	Straightness on centerline, quality of trot and smoothness of transitions.					
X	Halt through medium walk. Salute. Proceed working trot rising.	Straightness on centerline, quality of gaits and smoothness of transitions.					
C	Track left.	Balance and smoothness of turn, quality of trot.					
E	Circle left 20 meters.	Quality of trot, roundness of circle.					
E	Straight ahead.	Quality of trot.					
A	Medium walk.	Quality of transition, quality of medium walk.					
F X H	Free walk.	Quality of free walk, straightness and freedom of free walk		2			
H	Medium walk.	Quality of medium walk and transition.					
C	Working trot rising.	Balance and smoothness of transition, quality of trot.					
B	Circle right 20 meters.	Quality of trot, roundness of circle.					
B	Straight ahead.	Quality of trot.					
A	Down centerline.	Quality of turn at A, straightness on centerline.					
X	Halt through medium walk. Salute.	Quality of transition and halt.					

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All trot to be ridden rising. Transitions from walk, to trot, to walk, may be performed through sitting trot with the objective of performing a smooth transition.

<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	
ERRORS (-	)
<b>TOTAL POINT</b>	

**THE HALT** - horse should stand attentive, engaged, motionless and straight with weight evenly distributed over all four legs.

**THE WALK** - is a marching pace in which the footfalls of the horse's feet follow one another in "four time", well marked and maintained in all work at the walk.

**MEDIUM WALK** - a clear, regular and unconstrained walk of moderate lengthening. The horse, remaining on the bit, walks energetically but calmly with even and determined steps, the hind feet touching the ground in front of the footprints of the forefeet. The rider maintains a light, soft and steady contact with the mouth.

**FREE WALK** - is a pace of relaxation in which the horse is allowed complete freedom to lower and stretch out his head and neck.

**THE TROT** - is a pace of "two time" on alternate diagonal legs separated by a moment of suspension. The trot, always with free, active and regular steps, should be moved into without hesitation.

- 10 Excellent
- 9 Very Good
- 8 Good
- 7 Fairly Good
- 6 Satisfactory
- 5 Sufficient
- 4 Insufficient
- 3 Fairly Bad
- 2 Bad
- 1 Very Bad
- 0 Not Performed

