Schooling Show Letterman Jacket Program

Purpose: To award the student enrolled in school that is an equestrian athlete for their perseverance in their riding endeavors. This program wishes to acknowledge these Young Riders' hard work and Achievements throughout the levels.

Categories
- Schooling Show Dressage: Introductory Level through Second Level
- Schooling Show Combined Training: Amoeba through Training
- Schooling Show Eventing: Amoeba through Training

Qualifications
1. Applicant must be a current GDCTA member at the time that the scores are earned.
2. Applicant is a Young Rider; age 22 or under as of December 31 of the year scores are earned.
3. Applicant is currently enrolled in school/college with a **minimum of a B or 3.0 grade average**. Proof of enrollment in school and grades are required. (i.e., report card)
4. Applicant must volunteer 8 hours at any non-profit, horse show, etc. Note that hours volunteered at GDCTA **Hosted** events will count double hours.
5. Scores will be collected through the GDCTA show season which runs from October 1 – September 30 each year.
6. Dressage Requirements:
   a. Four scores achieved at any two GDCTA **recognized** schooling shows from two different judges.
   b. Qualifying scores are as follows:
      i. Introductory Level: Minimum scores of 66%
      ii. Training Level: Minimum scores of 65%
      iii. First Level: Minimum scores of 64%
      iv. Second Level: Minimum scores of 63%
7. Combined Training Requirements:
   a. Two Scores achieved from any two GDCTA **recognized** events.
   b. Qualifying scores are as follows:
      i. Completed event with no Eliminations, Retirements, MR's etc.
      ii. Amoeba: Maximum score 34
      iii. Tadpole/Starter: Maximum score 34
      iv. Beginner Novice: Maximum score 35
      v. Novice: Maximum score 36
      vi. Training: Maximum score 42
8. Eventing Requirements:
   a. Two scores achieved from any two GDCTA **recognized** events.
   b. Qualifying scores are as follows:
      i. Completed the event with no Eliminations, Retirements, MR.s, etc.
      ii. Finished scores are with zero cross country jump faults. (Time faults are allowed.)
      iii. Amoeba: Maximum score 34
      iv. Tadpole/Starter: Maximum score 34
      v. Beginner Novice: Maximum score 35
      vi. Novice: Maximum score 36
      vii. Training: Maximum score 42
9. Double Threat Requirements: Achievements earned in both Dressage and Eventing (CT excluded). *Does not have to be earned in the same year.*

GDCTA Youth Schooling Show Letterman Jacket Application

Name: _____ GDCTA#_____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip:_____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Name of Current School: _____ Current Grade: _____

I, _____ have a "B" average or 3.0 GPA or above as is
confirmed with my attached report card. (June or December report cards are acceptable)

GDCTA SANCTIONED SCORES SUBMISSION
(Include score, judge, & facility name)

Dressage level: (circle one) Attach copies of tests for score and judge verification.

Intro	**Training**	**First**	**Second**

Qualifying Score #1: _____

Qualifying Score #2: _____

Qualifying Score #3: _____

Qualifying Score #4: _____

Combined Training: (circle one) Attach copies of final results to verify qualifications.

Amoeba	**Starter**	**Beginner Novice**	**Novice**	**Training**

Qualifying Score #1: _____

Qualifying Score #2: _____

3 Phase Eventing: (circle one) Attach copies of final results to verify qualifications.

Amoeba	**Starter**	**Beginner Novice**	**Novice**	**Training**

Qualifying Score #1: _____

Qualifying Score #2: _____

Double Threat: Achievements in both Dressage and 3 phase   Y   N

JACKET ORDERING INFORMATION

Jackets come in Men's and Women's. Size (circle indicating sex and size):

Men's   **- or -**   **Women's**

X-Small   **Small**

Medium   **Large**

X-Large   **2 XL**

Spelling of First Name Only on Front of Jacket (Please Print): _____

APPLICATIONS AND SCORES MUST BE RECEIVED BY

November 30, 2023

Prices:

First Time Jacket: $100 (Includes one achievement)

Embroidery Achievement: $10 per award (including double threat)

Total Owed: _____

*Jackets purchased for prior year awards may be turned in to add embroidered achievements for current year.
**Jackets must be clean when sent in to add embroidered achievements on.

It is the responsibility of the parent/applicant to get existing jackets to the SS Letterman Program chair by the stated due date. Any jackets not picked up at the GDCTA Awards Banquet can be mailed to the recipient by paying a shipping fee.

Mail in ONE packet please:
Application Form
Grades
Score Sheets
Volunteer Hours

Mail To: **Email to:**
GDCTA   **joannemorse1@yahoo.com**
c/o Joanne Morse   **(Please scan documents for clarity)**
324 E Davis Bridge Road
Villa Rica, GA 30180

A link to pay online will be emailed out after applications have been received.

GDCTA Volunteer Requirements

- 8 Hours of volunteering are **Required.**
- Hours earned at GDCTA **HOSTED** events earn double hours and only 4 are required.
- Volunteer hours are encouraged to be equestrian in nature but outside non-profits are allowed.

I, _____volunteered _____ hours for

_____ show on (date) _____/_____/_____.

Show Manager/Volunteer Coordinator Signature: _____

I, _____volunteered _____ hours for

_____ show on (date) _____/_____/_____.

Show Manager/Volunteer Coordinator Signature: _____

A copy of the voucher earned for volunteering is acceptable to satisfy this requirement. Voucher must state number of hours worked.