

USDF Announces "Art of Dressage" Contest Results

September 1, 2006 (Lexington, KY.) - The United States Dressage Federation (USDF) announced the results of the 2006 USDF Art of Dressage Youth Arts Contest. USDF received 94 entries in 14 divisions of photography, art, and writing from USDF youth members. The USDF Art of Dressage Contest was designed to encourage creativity and the involvement of youth riders in the sport of dressage outside the realm of riding.

The winning entries will be published in the 2006 USDF Yearbook and will be displayed at the USDF Annual convention. The winners and second place finishers will receive a trophy and prizes.

PHOTOGRAPHY - POSED 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Claire Cox	Woodenville, WA
Second Place	Lauren Nelson	Naperville, IL

PHOTOGRAPHY - POSED 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Katherine Groesbeck	Wilton, CA
Second Place	Emma Perkuhn	Norfolk, MA

PHOTOGRAPHY - CANDID 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Kayla Hoppe	Rochester Hills, MI
Second Place	Lindsay Salyards	Sacramento, CA

PHOTOGRAPHY - CANDID 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Emma Perkuhn	Norfolk, MA
Second Place	Amanda Harlan	Oakville, CA

ART - COLOR 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Ellen Cook	Tucson, AZ
Second Place	Kate Barnwell	Greenville, SC

ART - COLOR 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Kristina Pepper	Largo, FL
Second Place	Brittany Wilcox	Waxhaw, NC

ART - BLACK AND WHITE 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Victoria Grape	Danville, CA
Second Place	Leigh Shultis	Beasley, TX

ART - BLACK AND WHITE 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Carrie Graves	Hayden Lake, ID
Second Place	Brittany Wilcox	Waxhaw, NC

WRITING - NONFICTION 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Yancy Zoe Shook	Charlotte, NC
Second Place	Claire Cox	Woodenville, WA

WRITING - NONFICTION 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Suzanne DiNello	Rougemont, NC
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WRITING - FICTION 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Margot Benedict	Shaftsbury, VT
Second Place	Julia Peacock	Edmond, OK

WRITING - FICTION 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Laura Aber	Basking Ridge, NJ
Second Place	Carrie Graves	Hayden Lake, ID

WRITING - POETRY 15 & UNDER DIVISION

First Place	Andrea Lawrence	Clarkston, MI
Second Place	Molly Cain	Seaford, DE

WRITING - POETRY 16-21 DIVISION

First Place	Catherine Sharp	Yarmouth, ME
Second Place	Laura Aber	Basking Ridge, NJ