PARA DRESSAGE NATIONAL TEAM PROGRAM

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A Squad

Performance Objective

A Squad (formally the National Squad) athletes have a top 8 objective at the World Equestrian Games and Paralympic Games.

Performance Requirements

The following two (2) qualifying scores at the FEI international level are the minimum performance requirements for A Squad (formally the National Squad) eligibility:

- Two (2) Technical (Grand Prix A or Grand Prix B) Tests of 68% or higher at international (FEI/Platinum) CPEDI3* competitions.

  or

- Athletes who were members of the most recent Paralympic or World Championship team qualify for inclusion in the national team program for the two years immediately following the respective Games or Championships. These athletes are not eligible for AAP Carding nomination, unless they have achieved the score requirements as outlined in the national team program criteria and meet the requirements of the AAP Carding Criteria.

Rank	Athlete	Grade	Hometown	Horse	Owner	%
1	Jody Schloss	I	Toronto, ON	EL COLORADO	Jody Schloss	71.528
2	Roberta Sheffield	II	Lincolnshire, UK	NARDANDO	Roberta Sheffield	70.569
3	Eleonore Elstone	V	Langley, BC	SZECRECY HP	Rachel Blaney	70.500
4	Laura Hall	IV	Ladysmith, BC	ISTRANO	Laura and Andrew Hall	69.976
5	Austen Burns	II	Newry, IE	HAPPY FEET 3	Lucinda Blakiston Houston	2024 Paralympic Games

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B Squad

Performance Objective

B Squad (formally the Development Squad) athletes have a top 5 objective at CPEDI competitions.

Performance Requirements

The following two (2) qualifying scores are the minimum performance requirements for B Squad (formally the Development Squad) eligibility:

- Two (2) Technical (Grand Prix A, Grand Prix B, Intermediate A or Intermediate B) Tests of 65% or higher at international (FEI/Platinum) CPEDI competitions,

  or

- Two (2) Technical (Grand Prix A, Grand Prix B, Intermediate A or Intermediate B) Tests of 67% or higher at the Canadian National Dressage and Para Dressage Championships

Rank	Athlete	Grade	Hometown	Horse	Owner	%
1	Joelle Trudeau	IV	Hudson, QC	FRIDAY IV	Joelle Trudeau	66.940
2	Madison Lawson	V	Bonfield, ON	LAGUNA	Madison Lawson and Daniel Garcia	66.694
3	Ella Gieselmann	III	Vancouver, BC	HENDRIX	Antoinette Giesen	66.334

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Talent ID Squad

Performance Objective

The Talent ID Squad athlete objective is to progress to the international FEI competition level.

Performance Requirements

The following two (2) qualifying scores at the national or international level are the minimum requirements for Talent ID Squad eligibility:

- Two (2) Technical (Grand Prix A, Grand Prix B, Intermediate A or Intermediate B) Tests of 64% or higher at national (Gold) or international (FEI/Platinum) competitions,

Rank	Athlete	Grade	Hometown	Horse	Owner	%
1	Jennifer Angus	III	Whistler, BC	DAY-LIGHTS SOULMATE	Jennifer Angus	81.000
2	Calla Gross	IV	Saskatoon, SK	LADY LARK	Calla Gross	71.900
3	Kaitlynn Lappan	I	Kingston, ON	SATINKA	Kaitlynn and Kourteney Lappan	71.854
4	Sharon Buffitt	II	Pointe Claire, QC	L'ETOILE	Sharon Buffitt	70.833
5	Lauren Barwick	III	Reddick, FL	SANRDINO	Lauren Barwick	69.4165
6	Wanda Jamieson	IV	Merrickville, ON	GERARD XXII HCI	Wanda Jamieson	69.028
7	Elexis Dana Ortlieb	V	Edmonton, AB	FRIDAGOLD T	Elexis Dana Ortlieb	68.781
8	Elexis Dana Ortlieb	V	Edmonton, AB	SHANGHAI	Elexis Dana Ortlieb	68.717
9	Alexandra Vadnais	I	Laval, QC	ALASKA DU FJORDS	Alexandra Vadnais	68.438
10	Jody Schloss	I	Toronto, ON	EL COLORADO	Jody Schloss	67.604
11	Natasha James	V	Nanaimo, BC	PANTERA	Natasha James	67.596
12	Maura Weston-Lee	IV	Victoria, BC	BRAVISSIMA	Nikita Lee	67.545
13	Austen Burns	I	Newry, UK	GERONIMO	Wendy Christoff	67.396
14	Kim Scott	III	Sooke, BC	DOMINION	Stella French	67.125
15	Marley Crosby	V	Toronto. ON	ARPEGGIO	Steven Mock	67.0815
16	Maura Weston-Lee	IV	Victoria, BC	DONNER GLORY	Maura Weston-Lee	65.500
17	Marley Crosby	V	Toronto. ON	TRISTAN	Abbie Darling	65.470
18	Kyla Sorensen	IV	Waterdown, ON	GANDALF	Kyla Sorensen	65.304