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Dressage4Kids Calendar

<https://dressage4kids.org/news-events/event-calendar.html>

June

June 13-14 D4K Kundrun TEAM Clinic with Lendon Gray at Broad Park Equestrian Center in Gray, Maine

June 16-18 D4K Horsemastership Clinic with Ali Brock at Hilltop Farm in Colora, Maryland

June 20-21 D4K Kundrun TEAM Clinic with Lendon Gray at Riding Right Farm in Buskirk, New York

June 26-27 D4K Kundrun TEAM Clinic with Lendon Gray at Lake Erie College Equestrian Center in Painesville, Ohio

July

July 2-29 D4K Summer Intensive Training Program

July 8-10 D4K Horsemastership Clinic with Robert Dover at Bel-Aire Farm in Millbrook, New York

July 13-14 D4K Kundrun TEAM Clinic with Lendon Gray at the USPC Festival at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington, Kentucky

Are you interested in hosting a D4K TEAM Clinic? Contact Mary at d4k.org@gmail.com.

D4K Horsemastership Clinic with Ali Brock

We're thrilled to welcome Ali Brock for a Dressage4Kids Horsemastership Clinic!

June 16-18, 2026

Hilltop Farm
Colora, Maryland

Auditors are Welcome!

Auditors must rsvp in advance by latest June 11th - email Mary at d4k.org@gmail.com. The auditing fees are as follows:

- Dressage4Kids Participating Auditor (open to Dressage4Kids TEAM members only): \$75 for the duration (3 days) and includes fully participating with the riders in all activities, including lectures and lunches
- General Auditor, ages 25 and under: free of charge and includes auditing of the lessons and lectures (as space permits) on June 17 and 18; does not include lunch
- General Auditor, ages 26 and over: \$25 per person per day and includes auditing of the lessons and lectures (as space permits) on June 17 and 18; does not include lunch

D4K Horsemastership Clinic with Robert Dover

We're thrilled to welcome Robert Dover for a Dressage4Kids Horsemastership Clinic!

July 8-10, 2026

Bel-Aire Farm
Amenia, New York

Auditors are Welcome!

Auditors must rsvp in advance by latest July 1 - email Mary at d4k.org@gmail.com. The auditing fees are as follows:

- Dressage4Kids Participating Auditor (open to Dressage4Kids TEAM members only): \$75 for the duration (3 days) and includes fully participating with the riders in all activities, including lectures and lunches
- General Auditor, ages 25 and under: free of charge and includes auditing of the lessons and lectures (as space permits); does not include lunch
- General Auditor, ages 26 and over: \$50 per person per day and includes auditing of the lessons and lectures (as space permits); does not include lunch

D4K Lendon's Youth Dressage Festival Entries are Open

Entries are open!

D4K Lendon's Youth Dressage Festival
August 7-9, 2026
Horse Park of New Jersey

ALL levels - from Walk/Trot to FEI, and with Horseless options as well, we welcome you to join us for Lendon's Youth Dressage Festival!

[Click here for the Prize List and Competitor Handbook.](#)

USDF and Dressage4Kids Partner for USDF/Dressage4Kids U-13 Regional Merit Awards

The United States Dressage Federation™ (USDF) and Dressage4Kids™ (D4K) are pleased to partner to establish the new USDF/Dressage4Kids U-13 Regional Merit Awards. These awards, presented at each of the nine Great American/USDF Regional Championships, will recognize the highest and second highest placing juniors, aged 13 and under, in the Training and First Level Junior/Young Rider Championship classes, for four awards total per region.

[Click here to learn more.](#)



Elena Moffitt and Diano; 2025 Great American/USDF Region 1 First Level Junior/Young Rider Champion, Second Level Junior/Young Rider Champion, and USDF Dressage Seat Semi-Finals 13 and Under Champion; photo by Liz Crawley Photography

D4K ACT at the HERD Foundation's Fundraiser

Recently, the D4K ACT Program volunteered at the HERD Foundation's fundraiser in Delray, Florida. Volunteers assisted in parking directions and welcoming guests to the fundraiser. The HERD Foundation's "... mission is to provide equine-assisted services as a prevention program designed to empower individuals to achieve personal development through connected relationships between humans and horses." ACT will continue to work with HERD and support their program in the future with a volunteering partnership. Thank you to all of our ACT volunteers!

[Click here for more information about the D4K ACT Program.](#)

[Click here for more information about the HERD Foundation.](#)

USDF New Youth Partnership Program

The United States Dressage Federation™ (USDF) announced today the launch of its new Youth Partnership Program, designed with the goal of providing USDF Group or Participating Members, aged 18-28, with an intensive, personal experience to understand the needs of managing and officiating competitions, while encouraging future involvement in all aspects of the sport. To this end, selected participants will be invited to shadow competition management and officials in their briefings, experience their decision-making processes, learn the methods of scoring, and receive one-on-one instruction from some of the most experienced officials and managers in the country.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

Maryal and Charlie Barnett Continuing Education for Dressage Instructors Fund

The Maryal and Charlie Barnett Continuing Education for Dressage Instructors Fund provides grants to attend the USDF Instructor/Trainer Development Program. Funding is available for up to eight individual grants annually.

Amount of Grants: \$1,500 - \$2,000

Application Deadlines: February 1 and July 1

The Maryal and Charlie Barnett Continuing Education for Dressage Instructors Fund was established in 2011 to make it possible for present and future dressage instructors to obtain quality education through the USDF Instructor/Trainer Development Program.

[Click here to learn more.](#)

Congratulations to Short List for 2026 World Championships

Congratulations to all the riders and horses selected to the U.S. Dressage Team Short List for the 2026 World Championships. We're especially excited to cheer on D4K alumna Meagan Davis as she continues her journey on the international stage.

Behind every rider and horse is an incredible team - congratulations as well to the breeders, owners, grooms, coaches, farriers, veterinarians, and support teams who help make moments like this possible.

The Dressage Foundation Grants

The Dressage Foundations offers a wide range of grants and programs to meet the needs of dressage enthusiasts across the board, including adult amateurs, breeders, instructors, judges, technical delegates, FEI/High Performance, para-equestrian, show management, Western Dressage, and youth and young adult riders.

To access their grant calendar, go to: <https://www.dressagefoundation.org/grants-and-programs/>

About Dressage4Kids

Dressage4Kids, Inc. is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization incorporated for the express purpose of providing educational and competitive opportunities for youth riders and the adults who support them.

<https://dressage4kids.org>

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