

***WDAMI is proud to offer a new program in which riders can earn Bronze, Silver, and Gold Medals to recognize their riding achievements based on scores received at WDAA Recognized Schooling Shows and/or USE(USEF) Western Dressage Lite Shows and/or USE(USEF) Recognized Shows open to all riders and horse breeds.
(includes Recognized Online Shows)***

To earn a Bronze Medal:

- ❖ three (3) percentage scores of 63% or above at Basic Level and one of the scores must come from the highest test in Basic Level
- ❖ three (3) percentage scores of 63% or above at Level 1 and one of the scores must come from the highest test in Level 1.
- ❖ Basic and Level 1 scores must come from three (3) different USE(USEF) Western Dressage “r” or “R” judges at three (3) WDAA Recognized Schooling Shows and/or USE(USEF) Western Dressage Lite Shows and/or USE(USEF) Recognized Shows, open to all riders and horse breeds.

To earn a Silver Medal:

- ❖ three (3) percentage scores of 63% or above at Level 2 and one of the scores must come from the highest test in Level 2. Tests must be judged by a USE(USEF) Western Dressage “R” judge.
- ❖ three (3) percentage scores of 63% or above at Level 3 and one of the scores must come from the highest test in Level 3. Tests must be judged by a USE(USEF) Western Dressage “R” judge.
- ❖ Level 2 and 3 scores must come from three (3) different USE(USEF) Western Dressage “R” judges at three (3) WDAA Recognized Schooling Shows and/or USE(USEF) Western Dressage Lite Shows and/or USE(USEF) Recognized Shows, open to all riders and horse breeds.

To earn a Gold Medal:

- ❖ three (3) percentage scores of 63% or above at Level 4 and one of the scores must come from the highest test in Level 4. Tests must be judged by a USE(USEF) Western Dressage “R” judge.
- ❖ Level 4 scores must come from three (3) different USE(USEF) Western Dressage “R” judges at three (3) WDAA Recognized Schooling Shows and/or USE(USEF) Western Dressage Lite Shows and/or USE(USEF) Recognized Shows, open to all riders and horse breeds.
- ❖ Once achieved, you may purchase a gold medal buckle from WDAA by contacting the WDAMI President for the WDAA form.

ADDITIONALLY:

You must be a member in good standing with WDAMI and WDAA at the time of your application for a medal.

You may earn scores over time, in any order, and on multiple horses.

You may submit current tests or scores from past WDAA Recognized Schooling Shows, USE(USEF) Western Dressage Lite Shows and/or USE(USEF) Recognized Shows, open to all riders and horse breeds provided the scores came from USE(USEF) Western Dressage “r” or “R” judges and you were a WDAMI/WDAA member at the time the score was earned and you can provide your test face sheet with complete information.

You pay the processing fee of \$25 per medal.

Medals are awarded each year at WDAMI Award Banquet Luncheon. The deadline for submission is December 1 to receive the award at the Annual Award Banquet Luncheon.

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