

OMNIBUS

Nature Coast CAC Driving Trial and Combined Test

January 14-15, 2017

Use **CAC Entry Form** only: <http://blackprong.com/pdf/CACEntry-NC2017.pdf>

Entries Open: December 1, 2016 **Entries Close:** January 4, 2017.

Method of Accepting Entries: Use the *CAC Entry Form* for each driver/horse combination. Entries must be complete, legible, signed, and include applicable fees, deposits and copies of membership and horse papers. Must be received by January 4 or post entry fee applies.

Divisions: Training, Preliminary, Intermediate, Intermediate-II

Classes: Horse, Pony, Small pony, VSE

Turnouts: Single, Pair, Tandem, Four-in-hand

Special Qualifications: This is a CAC format event (described under 901.10.6)

Drivers have the option to select all competitions in the same division or cross-enter between divisions.

Driver must be eligible for each division/competitions entered (see 913.3).

Driving Trial entry – select any one Dressage test, any one Marathon, and one Cones competition.

Combined Test entry – select any one Dressage test, “none” Marathon, and any one Cones competition.

Entry limit - drivers may enter either two DT, two CT or one DT and one CT – use separate *CAC Entry Forms*.

Second entry, if same horse/pony/VSE at this event: Dressage must be different tests or second as H/C; Marathon one competition only; Cones must be different class or second as H/C.

Organizer(s): Black Prong Equestrian Center, 450 SE CR 337, Bronson, FL 32621; **W:** (352)486-1234;

Fax: (352)486-3709; **e-mail:** blackprongcenter@aol.com

Secretary: Simon Rosenman; **H:** (604)857-1905 **Show:** (352)486-1234; **e-mail:** simon8892@gmail.com

Mail or hand deliver entries to: Black Prong Equestrian Center ATTN: “Nature Coast 2017 CAC Entry”
450 SE CR 337, Bronson, FL 32621

Officials

President of the Jury: Sara Schmitt **Ground Jury:** Sue Rogers **Cones:** Linda Bennett

Technical Delegate: Erika Matulich **Course Designer:** Marc Johnson

Veterinarian: Dr. Natalie Lamneck; **Phone:** (612)965-1327; **EMT Service:** SOS, Inc. **Phone:** (386)931-8711

Fees

Entry/Class Fee: Training division classes only: \$195; All other DT divisions or CAC combinations: \$245. Combined Test (any combination of Dressage and Cones divisions): \$175. (Entry fees includes \$5 ADS competition fee).

Membership: Driver must be current ADS member or EC Sport License holder. For all others, non-member fee \$30.

Post Entry Fees: Late or changes to entry details after January 4, 2017 closing date, additional \$50.

Entry Fee Refund Policy: With doctor’s letter or veterinary certificate: prior to closing date = entry fees only; after closing date = entry fee less \$50.

Stall Fee: \$140; **Special requests:** arrange through office: (352)486-1234. **Stall Refund Policy:** No refunds.

Stall Deposit: \$30; **Separate Check?** Yes. Deposit returned if stalls left clean and undamaged.

Grounds fee: (if not stabled on site): \$75/equine.

Make Checks Payable to: Black Prong Equestrian Center.

Organizer reserves the right to: refuse any entry; modify the schedule; combine or cancel any classes.

Tentative Schedule

Stable Opens: Friday, 9am. Stall assignments posted at show office. **Secretary's Office Opens:** Friday, 9am. **Briefings:** Friday, 5pm. **Course walk:** self-guided. **Presentation:** judged on the move. **Dressage:** Saturday, 9am. **Marathon:** Sunday, 9am. **Cones:** Saturday following Dressage (same order of go). **Social Events:** Friday, 5pm welcome reception and briefing; Saturday, 6:30pm informal bonfire, potluck and dressage/cones Awards presentation.

Competition Details

This is a CAC event. Eligible Athletes (see 913.3) may choose to drive any division for each individual competition.

Division/classes offered	Competitions		
	Driven Dressage tests offered	Marathon (maximums)	Cones classes
Training	ADS Training 2 POM (80m)*	5 obs; 3 gates; <7 km	Standard Cones setting: 973.1.8 Speeds: 975.9.5
	ADS Training 4 POM (80m)*		
Preliminary	ADS Preliminary 2 POM (80m)*	6 obs; 4 gates, <8 km	
	ADS Preliminary 4 POM (80m)*		
Intermediate	ADS Intermediate 7 (100m)	7 obs; 5 gates, <9 km	
Intermediate II	FEI 3*B HP1		Standard Cones setting: 974.1. Speeds: 975.9.5
	FEI 3*B HP2		
	FEI 3*B HP4		

* Tandems and four-plan-hands in 100m arena; VSE classes plan 30m x 60m arena.

Dressage arena / warm-up area footing: Grass arena / grass, packed sand

Safety check: All entries must turn in completed *Safety Checklist* to Safety Inspector 15 min. before Marathon start.

Marathon terrain: Flat tracks, grass, discarded bedding on some wooded trails, compacted sand/dirt roads

Marathon course: Section B only, all divisions/classes. Shortened course for Training VSE and Small Pony entries.

Cones arena / warm-up area footing: Grass paddocks.

Other Information

Twice around limitations: Any shared combination of driver/groom/navigator/carriage may participate maximum twice on Marathon and be indicated clearly on both driver's CAC entry forms.

Special needs, sharing and scheduling requests: Must be indicated clearly on CAC entry form before closing date to be considered. Subsequent additions/changes after closing date subject to post entry fee charges.

Equine Health Requirements: Confirm expiry dates with your Veterinarian. Equines must be accompanied by valid:

1. equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhino pneumonitis) vaccinations within six months;
2. negative Coggins test within 12 months of January 16, 2017;
3. health certificate (for out-of-state horses) within 14 days.

Dogs must be on leash at all times while on site. Nuisance or loose dogs will be impounded; retrieval fine: \$50.

Awards: All entries are eligible for 1st place ribbons for each division/turnout/class. Dressage and Cones presented at Saturday evening bonfire. 1st place Marathon and Overall awards to 6th place for eligible entries completing all three competitions in the same division presented in the Pavilion approximately one hour after Marathon.

Food Available on the Grounds: Mobile concession open Friday through Sunday.

Local services: shaving/bedding sales delivered on site \$9/bale; Golf cart rental reservations: (352)528-0998.

Feed supplies: Rocking H Farm & Feed Supplies, 2991 SE CR337, Bronson, FL 32621; (352)486-6429.

Accommodations: Bayer B & B (352)486-4314; Chiefland, FL: Days Inn, (888)205-7322; Quality Inn, (352)493-0663

Camping On Grounds: Basic \$75. Full camping \$125 (water and electric). Call for reservations: (352)486-1234.

Directions to Show: From I-75 North: At Gainesville, exit onto Highway 24 West (Archer Road) to Bronson. Go 19 miles, turn left at light on Alt. US 27, go .4 miles turn right on CR 337, Black Prong is 8.5 miles on the right.

From I-75 South: At Ocala, turn left on US 27 North. Go 7.2 miles and turn left on CR 464B West (across from Shell Station on right) Go 8.5 miles, turn right on US Highway 41 North. Go 2.5 miles turn left on CR 326 West. Go 8.5 miles and turn right on CR 337 North. Black Prong is 2.5 miles on the left.

Event text alerts Free sign up: www.rainedout.com Search for "Nature Coast CAC" Select listing and follow sign up procedure for important pre-event and competition information by cell or email.