Veterinary/health requirements:

Flu/Rhino in past 6 months, negative coggins in past year. Out of state equines additional require current health inspection.

Stabling:

Indoor and covered outdoor stalls. Haul in daily allowed. Shavings available for \$13/ bag or bring your own.

Hotel Accommodations: In Parker—Holiday Inn 303-248-2147, Hampton Inn 303-841-2977, Lazlo Hotel 720-572-1910, Springhill Suites 303-841-6700, Super 8 720-851-2644 In Castle Rock—Holiday Inn 303-688-0888, Best Western Plus 303-814-8800, Comfort Suites 303-814-9999, La Quinta Inn 303-660-2230, Hampton Inn 303-660-9800, Days Inn 303-814-5825, OYO Hotel 360-762-6264.

<u>Full RV Hookup:</u> Casey's RV Hideaway (full hookup) - 4189 Hwy 86, Elizabeth, CO 303-646-3599

Schedule:

Stabling opens – Friday
(contact Secretary if you wish to arrive earlier)
Office opens – Friday at 1 pm
Event briefing & Welcome Party - Friday at 5 pm
Dressage & Cones competition (CT & DT) – Saturday
CT competition awards - Saturday
Marathon course walk – Saturday, following cones
Competitor & Friends dinner – Saturday, after course walk
Marathon competition – Sunday
DT Awards —Sunday following Marathon

Questions: ColoradoDrivingSociety@gmail.com or call Pat at 303-429-7525 or Susie at 303-882-2462
All forms/Info: ColoradoDrivingSociety.com
Donations & Sponsors are greatly appreciated!



Colorado Pure Silver CT/DT

July 29 & 30, 2023

ADS Recognized



Messer Arena & Event Center

Come enjoy this unique Colorado driving venue, visit with friends and win .99% pure silver!

25 entries from 5 states joined us last year

Dear Competitor,

We would like to invite you to participate in the Colorado Pure Silver Combined Test and Driving Trial on Saturday and Sunday, July 29 and 30, 2023. Entries open May 1st and close July 7.

Dressage will take place in the indoor arena on Saturday, July 29th. This 50,000' arena will have packed firm but resilient footing, measuring 70 x 40. Cones will take place immediately following on the outside cones course. The marathon course is set on 120 acres composed of grassy terrain with some areas of sand and hills.

We will be offering the option of competing in either the combined test (CT) of Dressage & Cones on Saturday or the full Driving Trial (DT) of Dressage, Cones on Saturday and Marathon on Sunday, or both with different equines. This event is ADS recognized and can count toward the 1 of 3 events required to compete in the Preliminary National Championships in California in October or the Intermediate National Championships in South Carolina in November. We are excited to welcome our judge, Hannah Polson from Pennsylvania and TD, Keith Yutzy from Texas.

Driver/grooms will be permitted no more than twice around on marathon, as scheduling permits. No carriage/harness may be used on more than two entries. Please include information about sharing on your entry form, and be sure you have enough staff to make a quick turnout change near the start gate.

There is a permanent barn with new 10' x 10' stalls or outdoor covered stalls for overnight stalling. Hauling in for the day is also permitted. Many local restaurants and grocery stores are within a few miles. There are several hotels in the Parker & Castle Rock area. Dry camping is \$10/night on-site at the venue. There is a RV

campground close by with full hook-up, if

you prefer.

Come join us for a wonderful summer driving adventure. We look forward to seeing you here!

The Colorado Pure Silver Committee

Mail entries to:

Pat Lamprey, Secretary 6810 W 84th Circle, Unit 53, Arvada, CO 80003

Phone: Pat at 303-429-7525

coloradodrivingsociety@gmail.com

Awards:

Ribbons for 1st – 6th place with .99% pure silver coins for 1st place drivers. Special awards for the overall division winner of Training, Preliminary & Intermediate.

Fees:

Entries: CT \$125, DT \$175

ADS Competition Fee: \$5 or ADS Non-Member Fee: \$30

Late entry fee: \$50

Stabling: \$40/night. Stall cleaning deposit: \$50 as separate check

that will be returned, if stall is stripped.

Welcome party, Friday at 5 pm: Free

Competitor dinner, Saturday night (after course walk): \$30

Checks payable to: Colorado Driving Society RV camping: \$10/night onsite (dry camping)

Refunds:

Full refund (less \$50 office fee) if requested BEFORE closing date (7/7/2023). After closing date, all fees except entry fee will be refunded

Messer Arena & Event Center Address:

33955 County Road 37, Kiowa, CO 80117 Between Denver & Colorado Springs, east of Castle Rock

ADS Standard Dressage tests: Training - Test B

Preliminary – Test A Intermediate – Test A

Marathon:

Training – up to 4 obstacles, up to 6 K Preliminary – up to 5 obstacles, up to 6 K Intermediate – up to 5 obstacles, up to 6 K