

Region 9 Annual Report- 2019  
Central Plains Dressage Society  
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Established August, 2017

**Membership:**

We have 144 members listed with USDF. Several new members in June.

**Activities:**

Goal is to sponsor affordable and fun activities.

Schooling Shows divided into two areas, east and west.

- 14 west shows, including 3 with working equitation, 1 Arab show, 7 with WDAA points available
- 6 east shows, 2 cancelled because of flooding
- Six recognized shows (11 days of shows)
- Nine clinics
- Janet Foy New test Symposium in October, 2018
- Freestyle Festival with AGM and Awards

Volunteer workshop to recruit new volunteers.

Live stream most shows- approximately 350 viewers per show

Monthly Newsletter

Use Facebook and e-blasts for communication of events

Board meets monthly via skype and every third meeting is face-to-face.

**Finances:**

About \$3000 in accounts.

Receiving grants from Conoco-Philips about \$2500

Have received our 501c-3 status

**Moving forward:**

Continue with ambitious schedule of activities (shows, clinics) 2020 has 6 recognized, 15+ schooling shows, five Western dressage, 1 Arab show.

Continue to maintain and improve communication to members.

Fun, Friendly, Forward thinking.