

SWDC report August 2017.

Please check the website. There have been some rule change proposals which include raising qualifying scores. Proposals are listed on the website, [swdressage.org](http://swdressage.org). Proposals will be voted on at the SWDC meeting on Friday night at the championships.

We could use some more sponsors for this year if you mail a check quickly I can get your name in the 2018 Omnibus. If you would like to use a charge card, email me and I will email you an invoice that you can pay through PayPal. Act quickly as I need to get the OMNIBUS copy in soon.

Patch sponsorship is a minimum of \$100, class sponsorship is \$500. We also need one classic combination open sponsorship. You will be listed on the website, and in the Championship program.

Because we would like to get shows listed on our calendar early in the year, we are instituting a new procedure. This coming year if you need SWDC recognition for your show...The fee for recognition is still \$40 for applications mailed through January 31, 2018. The fee will increase to \$50 for all but new shows after that date. The late fee will still apply if you apply for recognition less than 60 days before show date.

The 2018 SWDC Championship has been awarded to HDS to be held in conjunction with the USDF championship.

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