

WED and WAVE Tournament Qualification Tournament for the German Championship 2026

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Cattle Officer:	Mitja Hinzpeter																																								
Competition Classes:	The classes WE, WA, WL and WM will be conducted in accordance with the currently valid national rules of Working Equitation Deutschland e.V. (WED). (https://www.wed-ev.com) The classes WL and WM include the Cow Trial. The classes WM-Juniors, WM-Young Riders and Masterclass Seniors will be conducted in accordance with the currently valid international WAVE Regulations. (https://www.wave-workingequitation.com/) The Young Riders and Masterclass Seniors classes may optionally be ridden as a Team competition including the Cow Trial.																																								
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Publication of the Schedule:	The final schedule will be published approx. one week before the show on https://www.equi-score.de . Event link: https://results.equi-score.de/event/2026/32940																																								
Entries Closing Date:	Monday, 01 June 2026, 6:00 p.m. Entries can be submitted via https://wintermuehlentrophy.gradl-lackermaier.de/ .																																								

Late Entries / Changes:	Late entry fee before the start of the event per start / rider amendment / horse amendment	35.- €
	Change of horse and/or rider	20.- €
	Classes WE, WA	
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Passport Control:	On arrival, the horse passport with vaccination records must be presented at registration without being requested.	
Parking:	The instructions of the staff must be followed at all times. All horse trailers and two-horse transporters must, without exception, be parked in the designated parking area.	
Arenas & Facilities:	Dressage Arena:	20 x 60 m outdoor arena, competed in a 20 x 40 m arena (sand)
	Maneability / Speed Arena:	approx. 50 x 80 m outdoor arena (sand)
	Cattle Arena:	20 x 60 m indoor arena (sand)
	Warm-up Arena	approx. 20 x 50 m indoor arena (sand)
Eligibility:	For riders resident in Germany: in national classes, entries from class WA onwards are permitted only for WED members or holders of a trial license; the classes WL and WM require a valid cattle certificate. These requirements do not apply to riders resident outside Germany. Additional special ranking: For members of Cavalo Lusitano Deutschland e.V., an award will be presented for “Best Lusitano” (classes WA, WL and WM); please make sure your entry explicitly includes “PSL/Lusitano”. Participation in the classes WM-Juniors, WM-Young Riders and Masterclass Seniors is only possible for rider/horse combinations approved by WAVE with a paid WAVE license.	
Tack / Requirements:	National: In accordance with the current WED rules (https://www.wed-ev.com/) International: In accordance with the current WAVE Regulations (https://www.wave-workingequitation.com/)	
Starting Order:	Competitors in the national classes (competitions 1–4) will start according to the stated initial letter of the horse’s name. Competitors in the international classes (competitions 5–9) will start by draw in the first trial. The draw will take place after the Veterinary Inspection. Competitors wishing to compete with different horses in one or more competitions, please note: changes to the starting order are not possible. However, we will try to plan the schedule, where possible, so that sufficient time is available between rides; no guarantee can be given where different competitions are involved.	
Music:	Instructions for music upload are available at https://wintermuehlentrophy.gradl-lackermaier.de/ .	
For foreign competitors:	The TRACES certificate (Reg. (EU) 2022/497, 2021/403) EQUI-INTRA-CON or EQUI-INTRA-IND with 30 days validity is recommended, as it is also valid for the return journey and no re-issue is required. Further information can be obtained from the official veterinarian. Note: If a 10-day TRACES certificate is used, a new document is required for the return journey (cost: 50.00 EUR). This information must be provided to the organizer by the Monday before the show; payment is made at the Show Office.	

Horse Stall (tent stabling):	Horse stall	(price Wednesday to Monday)	210.- €
	straw:	Incl. initial bedding with straw and final cleaning. Self-mucking out throughout the entire stay.	
	Horse stall	(price Wednesday to Monday)	240.- €
	shavings:	Incl. initial bedding with shavings and final cleaning. Self-mucking out throughout the entire stay.	
Please bring your own feed and water buckets.			
Hay and shavings may be brought by the competitor or purchased on site.			
	Shavings		20.- €
	Straw		10.- €
	Hay		15.- €
Concentrated feed must be brought by the competitor. No refund will be given for stables already paid for but not used.			
Paddocks:		Wednesday to Monday	55.- €
Fencing materials must be brought by the competitor. Overnight stay is permitted. Bedding is not permitted. Mucking out on departure is not required.			
Camping	Camper/caravan/tent (Wednesday–Monday)		50.- €
Power connection	Per camper/caravan/tent (Wednesday–Monday) (Schuko)		100.- €

Competition Classes:

Competition 1: WE – Introductory Level

Trials: Dressage Trial and Maneability Trial

Rules: WED e.V.

Dressage Test: WE; the test may be read; no reader will be provided.

Horse age: Horses must be at least 4 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WED Regulations.

Entry fee: 80.- €

Starting order: Dressage Trial and Maneability Trial according to the horse's name (initial letter V).

Competition 2: WA – Beginner Level

Trials: Dressage Trial and Maneability Trial

Rules: WED e.V.

Dressage Test: WA; the test may be read; no reader will be provided.

Horse age: Horses must be at least 4 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WED Regulations.

Entry fee: 80.- €

Starting order: Dressage Trial and Maneability Trial according to the horse's name (initial letter H).

Competition 3: WL – Novice Level with Cattle

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial, Speed Trial and Cow Trial

Rules: WED e.V.

Dressage Test: WL

Horse age: Horses must be at least 5 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WED Regulations.

Entry fee: 200.- € (incl. Cattle Charge: 40.- €)

Starting order: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Cow Trial according to the horse's name (initial letter R); Speed Trial in reverse order of the preliminary overall result; Cow Trial by draw.

Competition 4: WM – Intermediate Level with Cattle

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial, Speed Trial and Cow Trial

Rules: WED e.V.

Dressage Test: WM 1

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WED Regulations.

Entry fee: 200.- € (incl. Cattle Charge: 40.- €)

Starting order: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Cow Trial according to the horse's name (initial letter D); Speed Trial in reverse order of the preliminary overall result; Cow Trial by draw.

Competition 5: WM – Juniors – Individual Competition

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Speed Trial

Rules: WAVE

Dressage Test: Juniors

Rider age: max. 16 years

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WAVE Regulations.

Entry fee: 200.- €

Starting order: Dressage Trial by draw (draw after the Veterinary Inspection); Maneability Trial and Speed Trial in reverse order of the overall individual ranking.

Competition 6: WM – Young Riders – Individual Competition

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Speed Trial

Rules: WAVE

Dressage Test: Young Riders

Rider age: max. 21 years

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WAVE Regulations.

Entry fee: 200.- €

Starting order: Dressage Trial by draw (draw after the Veterinary Inspection); Maneability Trial and Speed Trial in reverse order of the overall individual ranking.

Competition 7: WM – Young Riders – Team Competition incl. Cow Trial

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial, Speed Trial and Cow Trial (Team)

Rules: WAVE; however, there is no national team requirement or nationality restriction.

The Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Speed Trial will be ridden together with the riders from Competition 6: WM – Young Riders – Individual Competition.

Participants in this competition automatically participate in Competition 6.

Rider age: max. 21 years

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WAVE Regulations.

Teams: Free formation without considering nationality.

Entry fee: 280.- € (incl. Cattle Charge: 40.- €)

Cow Trial starting order: Teams by draw; team riders as determined by the team leader; cattle by draw.

Competition 8: Masterclass – Seniors – Individual Competition

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Speed Trial

Rules: WAVE

Dressage Test: Master Class

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WED Regulations.

Entry fee: 200.- €

Starting order: Dressage Trial by draw (draw after the Veterinary Inspection); Maneability Trial and Speed Trial in reverse order of the overall individual ranking.

Competition 9: Masterclass – Seniors – Team Competition incl. Cow Trial

Trials: Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial, Speed Trial and Cow Trial (Team)

Rules: WAVE; however, there is no national team requirement or nationality restriction.

The Dressage Trial, Maneability Trial and Speed Trial will be ridden together with the riders from Competition 8:

Masterclass – Seniors – Individual Competition.

Participants in this competition automatically participate in Competition 8.

Horse age: Horses must be at least 6 years old as of 1 January of the competition year.

Bridling: See the current WAVE Regulations.

Entry fee: 280.- € (incl. Cattle Charge: 40.- €)

Cow Trial starting order: Teams by draw; team riders as determined by the team leader; cattle by draw.

Special ranking:

Award "Best Lusitano" (Cavalo Lusitano Deutschland e.V.)

Eligible: Lusitanos owned by a member of Cavalo Lusitano Deutschland e.V.

Ranking: Award for the best Lusitano (owned by a member of Cavalo Lusitano Deutschland e.V.) based on the respective overall ranking in classes WA, WL and WM (Competitions 2–4).

Entry: Please explicitly indicate "PSL/Lusitano" in the entry for horses competing for this special ranking.

Note: The ranking includes all Lusitanos that are owned by a member of Cavalo Lusitano Deutschland e.V. at the time of the award ceremony.

The organizer reserves the right to cancel individual competitions or combine them if the number of entries is too low. Vacant starting places in one or more classes may be transferred to other classes.

Regulations:

Applicable rules and regulations

1. The Special Regulations of LK Hessen (Edition 2026), the LPO (Edition 2024, status 2026) and the WBO (Edition 2024, status 2026), the current regulations and the current dressage tests of WED e.V. (Edition 2026), as well as the current regulations and the current dressage tests of WAVE (Edition 2025) shall apply.
2. The current regulations on the movement and transport of horses (national and EU) for the home country and the host country shall apply.

Entries and payment terms

3. Entries must be submitted exclusively via the entry form at <https://wintermuehlentrophy.gradl-lackermaier.de/> must be used. Entries submitted by any other means will not be accepted.
4. The entry fee / stake is due upon submission of the entry.
5. Incomplete entries will not be processed.
6. Entries without payment of the entry fee / stake will not be accepted.
7. Entry fees / stakes, paddock and stable fees, etc. will not be refunded.
8. Starting places, paddocks, horse stalls, etc. will only be allocated after full payment has been received.
9. All prices stated include the statutory value added tax (VAT).
10. Once the maximum number of starters permitted in a class has been reached, further entries will be placed on a waiting list in the order received. The entry fee is to be transferred only after written notification that a starting place has become available. The organizer will inform you by separate email. Persons on the waiting list have no entitlement to a starting place. If no reply is received or payment is not made within the deadline, the starting place will be allocated to the next person on the waiting list.
11. Declaration of starters is on the evening before the entrance inspection of a competition by 18:00, unless otherwise specified in the schedule.

Horses, equipment and competitor obligations

12. The equine passport with complete and valid vaccination protection against equine influenza in accordance with the WBO regulations must be brought along and shown on request. Vaccination protection includes correctly documented primary immunization as well as regular booster vaccinations. The last vaccination must not be more than 12 months before the first day of the show.
13. Horses/ponies must be always identified with head numbers (to be brought by the competitor).
14. Helmet requirement for all persons mounted on a horse/pony throughout the entire venue.
15. Juniors and Young Riders will be scored additionally in a separate classification in competitions 1–4 if there are at least three participants (please bring ID card).
16. All horses are subject to the vaccination requirements in accordance with the WBO regulations. In addition, valid equine third-party liability insurance is a prerequisite for participation.
17. All participating horses must be free from contagious diseases and come from a disease-free holding.
18. The equine passport and, if applicable, the vaccination booklet must be presented at registration upon arrival.

Safety and order on the venue

19. A first-aid service is available on site at this show. A veterinarian and a farrier are available on call.
20. Dogs must be kept on a leash throughout the entire facility.
21. Instructions from the parking attendants must be followed.
22. Parents are responsible for their children.

Liability and risk

23. The organizer, facility operator and the organisers exclude any liability for damage caused to visitors, competitors and horse owners due to negligence by the organizer, its representatives or vicarious agents.
24. By registering, each owner, entrant and competitor acknowledges these regulations as binding.
25. There is no contractual relationship between the organizer and visitors/competitors.
26. Liability for spectators, riders, horses and equipment is excluded.
27. Active participants are not agents within the meaning of §§ 278 and 831 BGB.
28. Riders and owners are liable for damage to third parties and facilities.
29. Participation and use of the facility (including parking areas and stabling) is at the participant's own risk.
30. In the event of an intentional or grossly negligent breach, the horse owner/rider may be held liable.
31. The organizer reserves the right to expel participants or horses (e.g. sick animals) from the venue.

Data protection and media

32. By submitting an entry, all participants agree that they may be filmed and/or photographed on the show grounds.
33. Data protection: Personal data may be used internally and for contacting participants.
34. Publication of the necessary data (name, nationality, age category, results, scores) on equi-score.de.