

**2009 Green Country Chapter of Oklahoma Dressage Society
Year-End Awards Program**

- Award year runs from NOVEMBER 3, 2008 through NOVEMBER 1, 2009.
- Horse must be registered with ODS with either a LIFE or ANNUAL registration.
- Rider **MUST** be an ODS/GCC member prior to the time the scores are earned.
- Horse and rider combination must ride in and receive scores from:

Three (3) or more GCC Schooling Shows, or GCC approved schooling shows, in a particular level with at least **five (5) scores from three (3) different judges**, and at least **one (1) of those scores from the highest test of that level**.
- Year-end averages will be calculated by dropping the highest and lowest score; all remaining scores will be averaged.
- At least one score from the highest test of the level must be included in the year-end average. (For example: If a rider has only one score from the highest test of the level and it is either the highest or lowest score, it cannot be thrown out. If a rider has two or more scores from the highest test of the level at least one of those must be included in the year-end average.)
- Riders are responsible for completing a **Year-End Awards Recording Form**. This form must be emailed or sent to Christina Harmon by November 4, 2009. If competing in two levels, a separate form must be completed for each. The **Year-End Recording Form** is available at the schooling shows, on the GCC website www.greencountrydressage.org, or by emailing Christina Harmon at mllnm966@aol.com. Riders not submitting the **Year End Awards Recording Form** will not be considered for year end awards.
- For ODS approved schooling shows that are not run by or approved by GCC, the rider is responsible for sending a copy of the test showing judge's signature, level and number of the test, and the score. These must be sent along with the **Year-End Awards Recording Form** by November 4, 2009.
- Each ODS/GCC member must volunteer a minimum of four (4) hours at a GCC function to be eligible for year-end awards.
- Awards will be given in the following categories: Introductory Level, Training Level, First Level, Second Level, and Third Level and Above.
- Junior 12 and under, Junior 13 and over, Amateur and Open divisions will be offered within each level. Champion, Reserve Champion and 3rd through 6th place will be awarded in each division.
- **A Vintage Rider Champion** (riders 50 years and older) will be awarded at each level.