



# Cowboy Dressage<sup>®</sup>

## *Mission and Vision*

**Soft Feel (or Fresh Rein)** is the guiding principle of Cowboy Dressage. It is a wordless, intimate communication within the partnership between horse and rider. **Soft Feel** is not only sending messages but having the sensitivity and awareness to feel the message the horse sends back.

The timing of the Release, Relaxation, Preparation and Execution are the basic fundamentals of **Soft Feel**.

Since **Soft Feel** is the mission of Cowboy Dressage it will be scored with emphasis on lightness, harmony, finesse and partnership as a priority. Balance, cadence, carriage, control, and performance are additional areas the horse and rider will be judged and scored.

## Gaited Challenge Walk, Walk Test 1

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Name of Competition

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Date of Competition

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Name and Number of Horse

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Name of Rider

**FINAL SCORE**

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POINTS

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PERCENTAGE

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Name of Judge

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Signature of Judge