

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 also 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 priorities. Balance, cadence, carriage, control, and performance are additional areas the horse and rider will be judged and scored.

Horsemanship Walk, Intermediate Gait, Test 1

Name of Competition

Date of Competition

Name and Number of Horse

Name of Rider

FINAL SCORE

POINTS

PERCENTAGE

Name of Judge