

# REPORT

## *From The Road*

DG BAR RANCH - HANFORD, CALIFORNIA - 9.01.25



### ***Ace's-High in California's Central Valley***

#### DG BAR RANCH



September 2-3, 2025  
Hanford, CA

Hosts:  
Willy Arts & the de Groot Family

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Our stop for the next two days is at DG Bar Ranch. This is traditionally one of the largest keuring's in North America, with very high quality dressage horses and a highly professional crew, both inside and outside of the ring! DG Bar Ranch is a longstanding, distinguished breeder and supporter of the KWPN - NA, and we are grateful for their continued participation and sponsorship of the organization.

Our sincerest thanks to Willy Arts, the entire DG Bar team and the de Groot Family, for the warm welcome, good food and great organization!



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# Studbook Classes:

Thank you to our Keuring Championship Award Sponsor, Iron Spring Farm

## Studbook / Ster 3 Year Old Mares - Dressage

### **SOLOBRIA DG**

(Koning DG D-OC x Famebria DG elite IBOP (dr) by Idocus crown)

**BREEDER:** DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,  
HANFORD, CA

**OWNER:** LITTLE CREEK FARM,  
KALISPEL, MT

**Solobria DG** is a well developed and very good dressage type. She has an impressive wither and nice front. She shows a very good walk in combination with a good trot and canter. High Score Adult Dressage Horse, she earns today the Ster predicate and is Keur eligible. Congratulations!



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### **SOFIAMENTA DG**

(L Primo DG PROK D-OC x Darcy CL keur by Jazz pref)

**BREEDER:** DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,  
HANFORD, CA

**OWNER:** LITTLE CREEK FARM,  
KALISPEL, MT

**Sofiamenta DG** is a youthful mare with a lot of expression. She has an extremely good trot; it is supple and powerful. Her topline could be stronger to earn a higher conformation score. She earns the Ster predicate and is also and Keur eligible. Congratulations!

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## Studbook / Ster 4-7 Year Old Mares - Dressage

### **OPALINA DG D-OC**

(Koning DG D-OC x Satina ster pref prest by Contango pref)

**BREEDER:** DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,  
HANFORD, CA

**OWNER:** THERESA WESTOVER, RENO, NV

**OPALINA DG** is a five year old. She is tall, with a nice head and neck connection, strong loins, however her croup is a bit sloped. She passed her IBOP, where the highlight was her canter. Today she earns the ster and keur predicates, and because she also has the predicate D-OC, she is now an Elite mare. Congratulations!

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## Foals/ Weanings - Dressage



### **VASKA DG**

(Pharaoh DG IBOP PROK D-OC x Maebria DG elite IBOP (dr) PROK by Totilas)

**BREEDER/OWNER:** DG BAR BREEDERS, INC., HANFORD, CA

**Vaska DG** is very well developed with a nice front, a good, correct foundation and is a good dressage type. In movement he has a very good walk. He is expressive, spacious, with activity and suppleness. The trot and canter are both powerful, however the canter could be a little more supple.

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## VISION MVS

(Pharaoh DG IBOP PROK D-OC x Ember MVS by Westpoint)

**BREEDER/OWNER: JACKIE AHL-ECKHAUS,**  
SAN LUIS OBISPO, CA

**Vision MVS** is a very young foal (6 weeks). He is sufficiently developed, has a lot of presence and is correct in all his gaits. He has good use of his body, especially his front.

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## VALEA DG

(Oscar HF D-OC x Julea KS ster keur elig D-OC by Charmeur pref)

**BREEDER/OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,**  
HANFORD, CA

**Valea DG** is a very good dressage type filly with a nice front. She has a correct walk and trot, with a light footed, elegant canter. She could be a little bit more uphill in the movement. Shows a good use of the hind leg but her front legs could be more expressive.

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## Yearlings - Dressage

### ULIMBRIA DG

(L Primo DG PROK D-OC x Valeska-DG elite pref prest sport (dr) by Krack C)

**BREEDER/OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,**  
HANFORD, CA

**Ulimbria DG** is a nice dressage type yearling, with sufficient development and a good foundation. Her trot is extra special, and that is how she beat her sister, Unabria HF in points.

Photo by Tamara Torti







## UNABRIA HF

(Pharaoh DG IBOP PROK D-OC x Valeska-DG elite pref prest sport (dr) by Krack C)

**BREEDER/OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC., HANFORD, CA**

A special treat to see two half sisters out of the top mare, Valeska DG! **Unabria HF** is a well developed filly with a good canter. However, she could show a bit more use of her body in movement, especially in walk and trot.

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# Performance Classes:

IBOP, DG Bar Cup & Global Equine Sires Cup

Thank you to our cup class sponsors, DG Bar Breeders and Global Equine Sires

## DG Bar Cup for 7/8 Year Olds- Dressage

**MAEBRIA DG** elite IBOP (dr) PROK  
(Totilas x Famebria DG elite IBOP (dr) by  
Idocus crown)

**BREEDERS: DG BAR RANCH & NATALIE  
BRYANT**, Hanford, CA

**OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.**, HANFORD,  
CA

A beautiful, well ridden test. **Maebria DG** is a very nice horse with a lot of expression. She got a 9 for walk, rideability, self carriage/ suppleness and submission. An overall score of 86, Congratulations!

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**MAKANABRIA DG** elite IBOP (dr) PROK D-OC  
(Rock Forever x Gamebria DG elite sport (dr)  
IBOP (dr) by Belissimo M)

**BREEDER/OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.**,  
HANFORD, CA

**Makanabria DG** also rode a good test. She is a horse with a lot of talent and three good gaits, however she could develop a more stable connection for even higher points. Score of 82.5, Congrats!

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## DG Bar Cup for 5/6 Year Olds- Dressage

### **PHARAOH DG** PROK IBOP D-OC

(Koning DG D-OC x Janda keur IBOP by Parcival keur)

**BREEDER/OWNER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,**  
HANFORD, CA

KWPN Approved stallion, **Pharaoh DG** showed a very work-willing, consistent and nice performance. He scored 9 for self carriage, balance and submission and a 8.5's for gaits, suppleness and talent as a Dressage horse. Overall score of 86, Congratulations!

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**ODESSA DG** elite IBOP (dr) sport (dr) D-OC  
(Koning DG D-OC x Alona-DG ster by Ferro pref)

**BREEDER: DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,**  
HANFORD, CA

**OWNER: JUDITH NISHI, SANGER, CA**

**Odessa DG** is a charming, elite mare by Koning DG with an impressive use of the front leg. She could develop more strength. She scores an 80 today for her test, Congrats!

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## DG Bar Cup for 3 Year Olds- Dressage

### SEBASTIAN DG

(Vitalis x Kiamenta DG elite sport (dr) IBOP  
(dr) D-OC by Bordeaux pref)

**BREEDER/OWNER:** JUDITH NISHI, SANGER,  
CA **OWNER:** DG BAR BREEDERS, INC.,  
HANFORD, CA

**Sebastian DG** is a well developed gelding,  
and he gave a very balanced performance  
today. The walk was the highlight for us and  
earned an 8.5. Overall score 79.5, Congrats!

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Liz Van Woerden Photo



# First Premiums & Performance Classes

<b>Foals / Weanlings - Dressage</b>	<b>Conformation / Movement</b>
VASKA DG (PHARAOH DG x TOTILAS)	83/79
VISION MVS (PHARAOH DG x WESTPOINT)	78/78
VALEA DG ( OSCAR HF x CHARMEUR)	78/74
VALERÉ (GAUDÍ x ROUSSEAU)	73/75
VALOR DG (MACHO x KONING DG)	73/75
VIA CON DIOS RTH (ESCANTO PS x FIDERTANZ)	76/72
VICTORIA (OSCAR HF x JAZZ)	76/72
VIRTUOSO HF (OSCAR HF x L PRIMO DG)	70/76
VELARIS (PHARAOH DG x EL CAPONE)	74/72
VEVEVEAUX ECE ( L PRIMO DG x JAZZ)	68/74
<b>Yearlings - Dressage</b>	
ULIMBRIA DG (L PRIMO DG x KRACK C)	82/78
UNABRIA HF (PHARAOH DG x KRACK C)	80/78
<b>Yearlings - Hunter</b>	
UNDER OATH ( FOR FRIENDSHIP VDL x CATOKI)	78/70
<b>Two Year Olds - Dressage</b>	
TOPBRIA DG (L PRIMO DG x IDOCUS)	75/73
<b>Stb/Ster 4-7 Years Old - Dressage</b>	
OPALINA DG (KONING DG x CONTANGO)	75/75, Ster, Keur
PRIMALINDA (L PRIMO DG x GASPARD DE LA NUIT DG)	70/75, Ster
REMINISCENCE (L PRIMO DG x TOTILAS)	70/75, Ster
RICO SGS ( L PRIMO DG x PARCIVAL)	70/75, Ster
<b>Stb/Ster 3 Years Old - Dressage</b>	
SOLOBRIA DG (KONING DG x IDOCUS)	85/80, Ster, Keur Eligible
SOFIAMENTA DG ( L PRIMO DG x JAZZ)	75/80, Ster, Keur Eligible

# First Premiums & Performance Classes

<b>IBOP - Dressage</b>	
REMINISCENCE (L PRIMO DG x TOTILAS)	78.5
OPALINA DG (KONING DG x CONTANGO)	75
O. AVA (CONTANGO x JAZZ)	75
<b>DG Bar Cup 7 / 8 Year Olds - Dressage</b>	
MAEBRIA DG (TOTILAS x IDOCUS)	86
MAKANABRIA DG (ROCK FOREVER x BELISSIMO M)	82.5
NOTILAS HF (TOTILAS x KRACK C)	77.5
NOVABRIA DG (IDOCUS x CHARMEUR)	73.5
<b>DG Bar Cup 5 / 6 Year Olds - Dressage</b>	
PHARAOH DG (KONING DG x PARCIVAL)	86
ODESSA DG (KONING DG x FERRO)	80
PRINCE DG (KONING DG x EL CAPONE)	77.5
OPALINA DG (KONING DG x CONTANGO)	75
O. AVA (CONTANGO x JAZZ)	75
PRESTIGE DG (TOTILAS x BELISSIMO M)	69
ORLANDO DG (GAUDÍ x NUMERO UNO)	65.5
<b>DG Bar Cup 4 Year Olds - Dressage</b>	
REMINISCENCE (L PRIMO DG x TOTILAS)	78.5
RICO SGS ( L PRIMO DG x PARCIVAL)	72.5
REMANANCE (GLAMOURDALE x CORIDANUS)	66.5
<b>DG Bar Cup 3 Year Olds - Dressage</b>	
SEBASTIAN DG (VITALIS x BORDEAUX)	79.5

