

Quick Reference Guide to the New Canadian Vaulting Levels

In order to align our rules with the new FEI rules for the World Vaulting Challenge, we have created 3 lower competitive levels and 3 upper competitive levels. A vaulter's competition level is determined by their coach.

LOWER LEVELS:

Beginner Level - former Division D compulsories. At trot and canter this level performs compulsories at a faster gait than the freestyle.

Intermediate Level - former Division D compulsories. Compulsories and freestyle at the same gait

Advanced Level - former Division C/B compulsories. Compulsories and freestyle at the same gait

UPPER LEVELS:

1* - same as FEI 1*

2* - same as FEI 2*

2*Y – same as FEI 2* Y

3* - same as FEI 3*

WALK DIVISIONS

- Beginner Walk (*former FUNDamentals*). This is a non-competitive class for beginning vaulters of any age. Former D level compulsories and a freestyle in walk. Spotting and coaching are permitted.
- Intermediate Walk – *former D compulsories and a freestyle in walk*
- Advanced Walk – *former C/B compulsories and a freestyle in walk*

TROT DIVISIONS

- Beginner Trot – *former D compulsories in trot and a freestyle in walk*
- Intermediate Trot – *former D compulsories and a freestyle in trot*
- Advanced Trot – *former C/B compulsories and a freestyle in trot*

CANTER DIVISIONS

- Beginner Canter – *former D compulsories in canter and a freestyle in walk*
- Intermediate Canter – *former D compulsories and a freestyle in canter*
- Advanced Canter – *former C/B compulsories and a freestyle in canter.*
Note: This will be the BC Summer Games competition level
- 1* - *former B canter*. For vaulters who are at or near the FEI 1* level.
- 2* - *former A canter*. For vaulters who are at or near the FEI 2* competition level.
- 2*Y – *former AA Modified*. No age limit in Canadian competitions. For vaulters who are at or near the FEI 2*YV level. Modified technical test as per FEI rules.
- 3* - *former AA canter*. For vaulters who are at or near the CVI 3* competition level.

Note: Vaulters competing in Advanced Canter, 1, 2* and 3* divisions are invited, but not required, to compete in individual FEI competitions. Other individual unrecognized classes (i.e. Masters' Classes) are at the discretion of the competition organizer.*

PAIRS DIVISIONS

- Walk Pairs – 1* compulsories and freestyle
- Trot Pairs – 1* compulsories and freestyle
- Beginner Canter Pairs - 1* canter compulsories and a walk freestyle
- 1* Canter Pairs – FEI rules
- 2* Canter Pairs - FEI rules
- 3* Canter Pairs - FEI rules

Other pairs divisions (i.e. first year walk pairs) are at the discretion of the competition organizer)

SQUAD DIVISIONS

- Walk Squad – 1* compulsories and freestyle
- Trot Squad – 1* compulsories and freestyle
- Beginner Canter Squad – 1* compulsories in canter and a walk freestyle
- 1* Canter Squad - FEI rules
- 2* Canter Squad - FEI rules
- 3* Canter Squad - FEI rules

Other squad divisions (i.e. first year walk squad) are at the discretion of the competition organizer)