

# TDF's Two-Tempi

## CHALLENGE

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### WHAT IS TDF'S TWO-TEMPI CHALLENGE

Riders who have horses capable of doing two-tempi changes are invited to participate in a Regional and National competition to raise funds for The Dressage Foundation (TDF).

Each rider works with an individual, GMO, stable, or any group of dressage friends that is willing to make a pledge to TDF for each two-tempi change, up to a maximum of 60 changes.

Donations will be earmarked to TDF's general fund to support programs, grants, and scholarships.

A Two-Tempi Challenge can be held at a show, during a clinic, or even at your local barn with your friends. It is a fun way to bring your equestrian friends together to support the dressage community.

See the back for more details.

### THE WINNERS

At the end of each calendar year, TDF will announce National and Regional Two-Tempi Challenge Champions and Reserve Champions, based on the number of completed consecutive two-tempi performed.

If more than one rider, Nationally and/or Regionally, successfully completes 60 consecutive two-tempi changes, the final rankings will be based on donations raised.

TDF will also present awards for the top two donor groups.

The leader board will be updated quarterly on TDF's Two-Tempi Challenge page found online:  
<http://www.dressagefoundation.org/grants-and-programs/two-tempi-challenge.html>

Two-Tempi Challenge prizes are generously sponsored by SmartPak.

*I'd like to make a pledge for the Two-Tempi Challenge!*

Horse/Rider Team I am pledging for: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

My Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Pledge Amount per Two-Tempi: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ # of Two-Tempis Performed \_\_\_\_\_

Total Pledge Donation (Determined after completion of ride) \$ \_\_\_\_\_



# Two-Tempi Challenge Getting Started

## RIDERS

The horse and rider teams may use the best of three efforts. Start the count with “one” on the first flying change and count to the last two-tempi. If a change is not clean, it still counts as a two-tempi. As soon as the horse loses count (by doing a one-tempi, a three-tempi, or no change), the effort is over. A horse and rider combination can participate monthly in the Two-Tempi Challenge.

Riders and horses may perform a MAXIMUM of 60 two-tempi changes. If more than one rider, Nationally and/or Regionally, successfully completes 60 consecutive two-tempi changes, the final rankings will be based on donations raised.

## SUPPORTERS

Any individual or group may pledge to support the horse and rider team. The group or individual may pledge any dollar amount per change that the rider successfully completes (see above).

## SUBMITTING YOUR VIDEO

Your Two-Tempi Challenge must be videoed and sent via YouTube, email, or DVD to TDF (using a cell phone to video is acceptable). A link or file can be emailed to [info@dressagefoundation.org](mailto:info@dressagefoundation.org), uploaded on our website, or mailed to TDF’s office (information below). You will receive confirmation that TDF has received the video and pledged donations.

TDF’s Two-Tempi Challenge will be open to interested riders and donors until December 31 of the current year.

## QUESTIONS?

For more details about TDF’s Two-Tempi Challenge, sponsored by Smart Pak, please contact us at: (402) 434-8585 or [info@dressagefoundation.org](mailto:info@dressagefoundation.org), or visit us online at: <http://www.dressagefoundation.org/grants-and-programs/two-tempi-challenge.html>

## ABOUT THE DRESSAGE FOUNDATION

The Dressage Foundation is a 501(c)(3), non-profit, tax-exempt, donor-driven organization that is dedicated to educating, supporting, and advancing the sport of dressage in the U.S. The organization solicits contributions, appropriately allocates the donations, and awards grants and scholarships to dressage riders, judges, instructors, breeders, high performance teams, and non-profit equestrian organizations. For more information, please visit [dressagefoundation.org](http://dressagefoundation.org).

Your Two-Tempi Challenge pledge or video may be returned to:

The Dressage Foundation  
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