

The 2023 Dutta Corp/USEF Eventing High Performance Flight Grants are available through your <u>Athlete Dashboard</u> within your USEF account. Applications are open and the deadline is <u>Monday</u>, <u>August 7th</u>, <u>2023</u>, at 5:00 p.m. ET.

The aim of the Dutta Corp/USEF Eventing High Performance Flight Grants are to provide opportunities to Athlete/Horse combinations who will be targeting the 2024 Olympic Games.

Up to TWO grants will be awarded based on the following criteria and eligibility.

Grant Information

Grant Criteria:

- The flight grant must be used for a domestic or international CCI4*-S, CCI4*-L or CCI5*-L competition in 2023.
- The grant must be utilized by December 31, 2023, and will not carry over to 2024.
- The grant will cover up to \$20,000 of the round-trip flight expenses for one horse.

Grant Eligibility:

- Athlete must be a U.S. citizen.
- The athlete and horse must have 2023 FEI Registrations.
- The athlete must be an active Competing Member of the USEF.
- The horse must be recorded and in good standing with USEF pursuant to <u>USEF General Rule</u>
 1102 from the time of the application through the conclusion of the event.

Application Information

Applications will be open from June 20th-August 07th, 2023. After consultation with the Eventing Pathway Working Group, the Eventing Technical Advisor will recommend a list of grant recipients to the USEF CEO for approval. Recipients will be notified no later than August 23rd, 2023.

If the Athlete/Horse combination awarded the grant are unable to fulfill their competition plan as presented, the grant may be redirected to a reserve recipient.

If there is not an appropriate candidate, then the grant(s) may not be awarded.

Application Deadline: Deadlines are enforced without exception. Upon receipt of your application and fee, you and your horse owner(s) will receive a confirmation email with the date your application was received, and horse(s) included on the application.





You may edit your submission or add additional horse(s) through the deadline of August 7th, 2023, at 5:00 PM EST. To remove a horse from consideration, you must contact Gemma Stobbs (gstobbs@usef.org) to officially withdraw your application.

If you do not receive a confirmation email regarding your application, IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to contact Gemma Stobbs (gstobbs@usef.org) to determine if it has been received.

Before you begin your application, you must complete the following items:

Athlete:

- 2023 USEF Competing Membership
- 2023 FEI Registration

Horse(s):

- 2023 FEI Registration
- USEF Lifetime Recording
- Commonly Ridden Horses to add your horse to the application, they must first be added to your <u>Commonly Ridden Horses</u> page within your Athlete Dashboard.

Please contact Gemma Stobbs, Director, Eventing Elite Program, at gstobbs@usef.org or at (859) 225-6929 if you have any questions.

