

CHARLOTTE DUJARDIN, 33

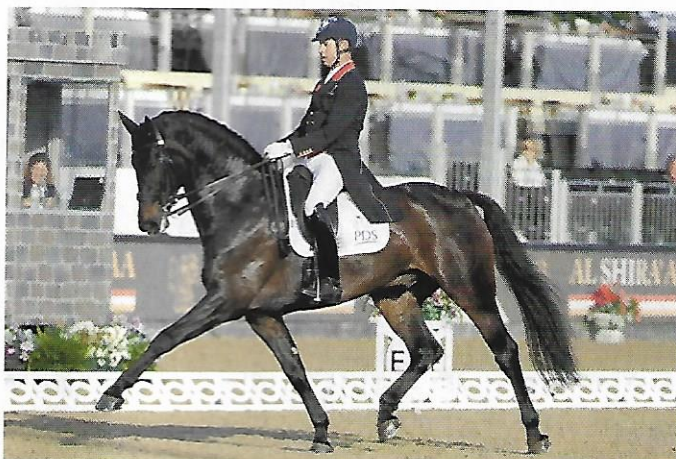
HORSE: Mount St John Freestyle, nine

BREEDING: Fidermark x Donnerhall

OWNER: Emma and Jill Blundell

BEST RESULTS: Freestyle's highest international grand prix score to date is 79.65% to win at Bolesworth this year, but she has posted plus-81% in her two grand prix specials, and two plus-81% kürs.

FORM: this young mare is in her first year of grand prix but is so far unbeaten, with some huge scores on her record from Windsor, Bolesworth and Hartpury. Although she still shows greenness in some areas, her grand prix average is a hefty 77.7%, and as the pair have spent the latter part of the summer concentrating on training at home, we should see this rise.



CARL HESTER, 51

HORSE: Hawtins Delicato, 10

BREEDING: Diamond Hit x Regazzoni

OWNER: rider, Anne Evans and Ann Cory

BEST RESULTS: Carl and "Del" have only done three international grands prix together, and have been second to Charlotte and Freestyle on each occasion, with their best result being 77.22% at Bolesworth in June.

FORM: Carl hasn't pushed Del in this, his first year at big tour. The pair have only been to three internationals, all in the UK, although they have also competed in other national grands prix. The uber-talented gelding has improved in leaps and bounds this summer, growing in confidence with every outing, and has only ever been beaten by his stable-mate Freestyle.



SPENCER WILTON, 45

HORSE: Super Nova II, 15

BREEDING: De Niro x Weltmeyer

OWNER: rider and Jen Goodman

BEST RESULTS: Spencer and "Neville" finished sixth in the grand prix special at the 2017 Europeans in Gothenburg, and won the special at Darmstadt-Kranichstein CDI4* a month later, before 10 months off.

FORM: the tall gelding returned to competition this summer after the best part of a year off, and scored 74% and 75% at his two recent outings. The pair's comeback has been somewhat scuppered by Spencer's own back injury — forcing them to withdraw from the special at Hartpury and Hickstead — but he is now on the mend, and Neville is on great form.



EMILE FAURIE, 55

HORSE: Dono Di Maggio, 11

BREEDING: Dimaggio x Santander H

OWNER: Hof Kasselmann

BEST RESULTS: Emile and Dono won the grand prix and special at Aachen CDI3* on their first outing of 2018, and also finished second in the special at Fritzens CDI4* in July, behind Isabell Werth.

FORM: Emile has only had the ride on Dono for a year, but rates him as one of the best horses he's ever had. They earned solid scores at Bolesworth in June and pushed the bar higher a couple of weeks later, with a 74.02% grand prix and 75.6% special in Fritzens. Emile also has a direct reserve horse, Elena Knyaginicheva's 14-year-old De Niro stallion Delatio.

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