

MARCH 28-30, 2014

NEW CLASSES

9 Champion Saddles

**AQHA Special Event Approval** 

**Day Awards** 

350 Buckles Awarded

Spring and Summer Circuit Award

**WCRHA Approval** 

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MURIETA EQUESTRIAN CENTER

MARCH 28 - 30, 2014



All Judges are Carded and Qualified



Gigi Bailey - De Pere, WI · Mike Carter - Goodletsville, TN Brad Gibby - Newborn, GA · Richard Spinks - Cypress, TX

#### TRAIL COURSE DESIGNER

Don Lehman - Ontario, CA

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POST MARKED BY - MARCH 17TH SCHOOLING REINING & TRAIL - MARCH 27TH EXHIBITOR PARTY - MARCH 29TH

2014 GOLD-N-GRAND CIRCUIT FINALE **AUGUST 1 - 3** 

#### FOR ALL INFORMATION:









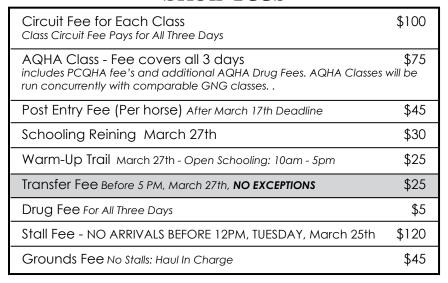
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Show management reserves the right to combine or cancel any class with less than 5 entries. Management has the right to limit numbers of entries per class after the closing date to keep the show running smoothly and enjoyable for all!

#### NOTE:



Four arenas running each day. Judges placing announced each day. Overall & Circuit winners announced throughout the day on Sunday.

#### THIS SHOW IS APPROVED BY:

Pacific Coast Quarter Horse Association & AQHA Special Event APHA for Paint Alternative Competition West Coast Reining Horse Association



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# Buckles Award

THREE DAY POINT ACCUMULATION SILVER BUCKLES AWARDED 1ST THRU 5TH PLACE DAY AWARDS 1ST THRU 5TH





# High Point Western Saddles

THE FOLLOWING CLASSES COUNT TOWARDS EACH PERSPECTIVE HIGH POINT.

IN THE YOUTH 10 & UNDER SADDLE RIDERS MUST COMPETE IN NO LESS THAN 4 OF THE CORRESPONDING CLASSES TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE HIGH POINT SADDLE.

IN THE YOUTH 13 & UNDER, LIMIT YOUTH 18 & UNDER, YOUTH 14-18, LIMIT AMATEUR 19 & O, AMATEUR 19 & O AND AMATEUR SELECT RIDERS MUST COMPETE IN NO LESS THAN 5, AND OPEN SADDLE RIDERS MUST COMPETE IN NO LESS THAN 4 OF THE CORRESPONDING CLASSES TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A HIGH POINT SADDLE ★ ALL NEW RESERVE CHAMPION HIGH POINT AWARD ★

#### YOUTH 10 & UNDER SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 19 - Showmanship at Halter Youth 10 & U

Class 27 - Walk/Jog Equitation Youth 10 & U

Class 28 - Walk/Joa Pleasure Youth 10 & U

Class 58 - Walk/Jog Trail Youth 10 & U

#### YOUTH 13 & UNDER SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider combination)

Class 14 - Showmanship at Halter Youth 13 & U Class 22 - Western Horsemanship Youth 13 & U

Class 31 - Walk/Jog Pleasure Youth 18 & U

Class 40 - Western Pleasure Youth 13 & U

Class 55 - Western Riding Youth/Amateur

Class 73 - Trail Youth 13 & U

#### LIMIT YOUTH 18 & U SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 13 - Showmanship at Halter Limit Youth 18 & U Class 21 - Western Horsemanship Limit Youth 18 & U

Class 30 - Walk/Jog Pleasure Limit Youth 18 & U

Class 36 - Western Pleasure Limit Youth 18 & U

Class 60 - Walk/Joa Trail Limit Youth 18 & U

Class 67 - Trail Limit Youth 18 & U

YOUTH 14-18 SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider combination)

Class 15 - Showmanship at Halter Youth 14 - 18 Class 23 - Western Horsemanship Youth 14 - 18

Class 31 - Walk/Joa Pleasure Youth 18 & U

Class 44 - Western Pleasure Youth 14 - 18 Class 55 - Western Riding Youth/Amateur

Class 75 - Trail Youth 14 - 18

#### HIGH POINT ROOKIE REINING (Must have shown and scored all three days)

A "zero" score will not be eligible.

Class 5 - Rookie II

#### LIMIT AMATEUR 19 & O SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 16 - Showmanship at Halter Limit Am 19 & O

Class 24 - Western Horsemanship Limit Am 19 & O

Class 32 - Walk/Jog Pleasure Limit Am 19 & O

Class 46 - Western Pleasure Limit Am 19 & O

Class 61 - Trail Walk/Jog Limit Am 19 & O

Class 69 - Trail Limit Am 19 & O

#### **AMATEUR 19 & OVER SADDLE** (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 17 - Showmanship at Halter Amateur

Class 25 - Western Horsemanship Amateur 19 & O

Class 33 - Walk/Jog Pleasure Amateur 19 & O

Class 50 - Western Pleasure Amateur 19 & O

Class 55 - Western Riding Amateur 19 & O

Class 77 - Trail Amateur 19 & O

#### AMATEUR SELECT 45 & O SADDLE (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 18 - Showmanship at Halter Am Select 45 & O

Class 26 - Western Horsemanship Am Select 45 & O Class 34 - Walk/Jog Pleasure Am Select 45 & O

Class 48 - Western Pleasure Am Select 45 & O

Class 55 - Western Riding Amateur 19 & O

Class 79 - Trail Amateur Select 45 & O

#### **OPEN SADDLE** (One Horse/One Rider Combination)

Class 29 - Walk/Job Pleasure 5 & Under

Class 35 - Walk/Jog Pleasure 6 & Over

Class 42 - Western Pleasure 6 & Over Class 52 - Western Pleasure 5 & Under

Class 56 - Western Riding Open

Class 64 - Trail Walk/Joa Open

Class 71 - Trail Horses 5 & Under Class 81 - Trail Horses 6 & Over









# Class Schedule

March 28 - 30, 2014 Tentative Schedule



Exhibitor Responsible for Checking Daily Schedule Posted in Horse Show Office

#### Arena 1 – Large Covered Arena START TIME 8:00 AM



#### Class #

- 1. Schooling Reining Thurs (March 27th) 8am 4pm (open arena 12pm 1pm)
- 2. GNG Reining: Novice Horse Open Cat II

Friday Pattern: 5 Saturday Pattern: 11 Sunday Pattern: 8 (Horses that have not earned more than \$25,000 in lifetime earnings in all NRHA categories except 3, 7, & 9)

3. GNG Reining: Novice Horse Non Pro Cat II

Friday Pattern: 8 Saturday Pattern: 2 Sunday Pattern: 6 (Horses that have not earned more than \$25,000 in lifetime earnings in all NRHA categories except 3, 7, & 9)

4. GNG Reining: Snaffle Bit/Hackamore (3, 4, & 5 YR Olds)

Saturday Pattern: 6 Sunday Pattern: 9 Friday Pattern: 5

\*\*Champion Saddle\*\* 5. GNG Reining: Rookie II

Saturday Pattern: 8 Friday Pattern: 4 **Sunday** Pattern: 10

(Open to any rider who has earned less than \$1500 in lifetime earnings in all NRHA categories except 3, 7, & 9 or 200 youth points (excluding points earned in the Youth 10 & Under Short Stirrup class)

6. GNG Reining: Open (Open to all riders and horses regardless of age or money earned) Friday Pattern: 6 Saturday Pattern: 11 Sunday Pattern: 10



## ARENA 1A – RACE BARN ARENA

START TIME APPROX 9:30 AM

- 7. GNG Reining: Non Pro (Non Pro Riders)
- 8. GNG Reining: Limit Non Pro

Friday Pattern: 11 Sunday Pattern: 9 Saturday Pattern: 5 (Non Pro Rider who earned less than \$10,000 in all NRHA Cat. Except 1, 2, 6 & 8 previous 3 years)

- 9. GNG Reining: Youth 18 & Under
- GNG Reining: Rookie Youth

Saturday Pattern: 10 Sunday Pattern: 5 **Friday** Pattern: 6 (Youth who has less than 25 points in NRHA competition - Horse may be owned by anyone, NIP card not required, For all youth 18 & under)

- 11. GNG Reining: Green as Grass (1st Year reining. Can ride two handed in any legal bit)
- 12. GNG Reining: Green Reiner

**Friday** Pattern: 5 Saturday Pattern: 8 Sunday Pattern: 6

(Riders with less than \$100 lifetime earnings, from any and all shows, not limited to NRHA earnings, or less than 20 NRHA Youth Points at the current show year. Riders do not have to own the horse they show. Must ride one-handed)

All reining classes: WCRHA Approved – For WCRHA info: (916) 684-2555

Classes 7&8, 9&10, 11&12 will run concurrent



#### PLEASURE PEN

#### START TIME 8:00 AM

13 Showmanship at Halter: Limit Youth 18 & U

- 14 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 13 & U
- 15 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 14 18
- 16 Showmanship at Halter: Limit Am 19 & O
- 17 Showmanship at Halter: Amateur 19 & O
- **18 Showmanship at Halter:** Am Select 45 & O
- 19 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 10 & U
- 20 Leadline: Youth 6 & U
- 21 Western Horsemanship: Limit Youth 18 & U
- 22 Western Horsemanship: Youth 13 & U
- 23 Western Horsemanship: Youth 14-18
- 24 Western Horsemanship: Limit Am 19 & O
- 25 Western Horsemanship: Amateur 19 & O
- **26 Western Horsemanship:** Am Select 45 & O
- 27 Walk/Jog Equitation: Youth 10 & U
- 28 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Youth 10 & Under Western Pleasure Schooling \$5 at the gate
- **29 Walk/Jog Pleasure:** Horses 5 & Under
- 30 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Limit Youth 18 & U
- 31 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Youth 18 & Under
- 32 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Limit Am 19 & O
- 33 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Amateur 19 & O
- **34 Walk/Jog Pleasure:** Am Select 45 & O
- 35 Walk/Jog Pleasure: Horses 6 & Over
- 36 Western Pleasure: Limit Youth 18 & Under
- 37 AQHA Western Pleasure: Novice Youth
- 38 Western Pleasure: 1st/2nd Yr Green Horse
- 39 AQHA Western Pleasure: Green Horse
- 40 Western Pleasure: Youth 13 & Under
- 41 AQHA Western Pleasure: Youth 13 & U
- 42 Western Pleasure: Horses 6 & Over
- 43 AQHA Western Pleasure: Sr. Horse
- 44 Western Pleasure: Youth 14-18
- 45 AQHA Western Pleasure: Youth 14-18
- 46 Western Pleasure: Limit Amateur 19 & O
- **AQHA Western Pleasure:** Novice Amateur
- 48 Western Pleasure: Am Select 45 & O
- 49 AQHA Western Pleasure: Amateur Select
- 50 Western Pleasure: Amateur 19 & Over
- 51 AQHA Western Pleasure: Amateur
- **52 Western Pleasure:** Horses 5 & Under
- 53 AQHA Western Pleasure: Jr. Horse
- 54 Re-Ride/Let's Get Started: Open
- 55 Western Riding: Youth/Amateur
- 56 Western Riding: Open

#### COMPERABLE CLASS



#### PLEASURE PEN

#### STARTS AFTER CLASS 56

- 84 English Walk Trot: Horses 5 & Under
- 85 English Walk Trot: Horses 6 & Over
- 86 English Walk Trot: Youth 18 & U
- 87 Hunt Seat Equitation: Youth 18 & U
- 88 Hunt Seat Equitation: Amateur 19 & O
- 89 Hunter Under Saddle: Youth 18 & U
- 90 Hunter Under Saddle: Amateur 19 & O
- 91 Hunter Under Saddle: Open

#### STABLE MIX ARENA

SCHOOLING TRAIL WILL BE RUN FRIDAY & SATURDAY FROM 8AM TIL 9AM AT A COST OF \$5 PER HORSE (PAY AT THE GATE) AOHA CLASSES WILL BE RUN CONCURRENTLY WITH

COMPARABLE G-N-G CLASSES

#### Please check daily for block schedule

- 57 Warm Up Trail Thurs 9am 4pm
- 58 Walk/Jog Trail: Youth 10 & U
- 59 Walk/Jog Trail: Youth 18 & U
- 60 Walk/Jog Trail: Limit Youth 18 & U
- 61 Walk/Jog Trail: Limit Am 19 & O
- 62 Walk/Jog Trail: Amateur 19 & O
- 63 Walk/Jog Trail: Amateur Select 45 & O
- 64 Walk/Jog Trail: Open
- (65 Trail: 1st & 2nd Year Green Horse
- 66 Trail: AQHA Green Horse
- (67 Trail: Limit Youth 18 & Under
- 68 Trail: AQHA Novice Youth
- (69 Trail: Limit Amateur 19 & Over
- (70 Trail: AQHA Novice Amateur
- (71 Trail: Horses 5 & Under
- (72 Trail: AQHA Jr. Horse
- (73 Trail: Youth 13 & Under
- 74 Trail: AQHA Youth 13 & Under
- (75 Trail: Youth 14-18
- **76 Trail:** AQHA Youth 14-18
- (77 Trail: Amateur 19 & Over
- 78 Trail: AQHA Amateur
- (79 Trail: Amateur Select 45 & O
- **80 Trail:** AQHA Amateur Select
- (81 Trail: Horses 6 & Over
- 82 Trail: AQHA Senior Horse

#### RACE BARN ARENA - 8AM

- (100 Ranch Horse Pleasure Youth 18 & Under
- 101 AQHA Ranch Horse Pleasure Youth
- (102 Ranch Horse Pleasure Amateur 19 & Over
- 103 AQHA Ranch Horse Pleasure Amateur (104 Ranch Horse Pleasure Open
- 105 AQHA Ranch Horse Pleasure Open





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# \* Rules and Definitions



#### **ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 17TH** POST ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED W/PENALTY

ENTRIES: Check for entry fees, stall fees, and/or ground fees must be accompanied by an entry form. Faxed entries are accepted with credit card payment. Payment must be checks, credit card, money orders or cash - NO EXCEPTIONS. Completed entry form must be POST MARKED BY March 17th to avoid post entry penalties.

CROSS ENTRIES: Horses and riders may cross enter into as many classes as they desire, but they must follow eligibility rules. In classes where only the horse is judged, a horse may be entered in only one age group within a specific division.

PENALTIES: Post entries accepted after March 17th with a penalty of \$45.00 per horse.

WALK/JOG, 10 & UNDER CLASS: Exhibitor may only exhibit in that respective class as stated in the class specificaations.

**RETURNED CHECKS:** Any checks written on account with insufficient funds will be sent directly to a collection agency. Returned checks charge of \$50.00 will be applied. When paying your Entry, Feed & Bedding by credit credit card, refunds are subject to the Gold N Grand Refund Policies. Charae backs are taken very seriously when the Gold N Grand Refund Policies are not followed.

OFFICE CHARGE: Any class substitution such as dropping one class and entering a different class or a rider or horse change from the original entry will require an office charge of \$25.00 after the closing date of March 17th.

REFUND POLICY: A refund request must be submitted in writing, and received in our office. The following guidelines will used for refunds; A) Before the close of entries (March 17th), all fees will be refunded minus a \$25.00 office fee. B) After the close of entries (March 17th - 27th, 5:00pm), the entry fee will be refunded minus the stall fee and a \$25 office fee, provided a written verterinarian or physician's certificate is received in our office by 5pm, Thursday, March 27th. C) No refund of entry or stall fee after classes have been closed and drawn at 5pm, March 27th.

It is the responsibility of the exhibitor/owner to make sure the show secretary has received the request for the cancellation. Refunds will be settled and paid within 90 days after completion of the event.

CONSOLIDATION OF CLASSES: On March 26th show management reserves the right to cancel or consolidate classes if there are not five entries in a class. Any one who has entered a cancelled class will be notified and refunded by management.

CLOSING CLASSES: After the closing date of March 17th management retains the right to close any classes to post entries at any time, in order to keep the show operating efficiently and to keep the class sizes reasonable.

**CONFLICTS:** Since four grenas will be used concurrently, it is the responsibility of the exhibitor to make show management aware of any horse/rider conflicts. Show management will make every attempt possible for you to show your horse.

FEED/BEDDING: Feed and bedding (shavings) will be available during the Gold-N-Grand Horse Show. A pre-order form is included in the premium for your convenience. Payment must be checks, money orders, cash, or credit card. During the show any order must be place before 2:00pm to be filled that day. Prices subject to change without notice, if the prices go up, exhibitor will be billed the difference.

#### PLEASE SIGN & COMPLETE REQUIRED INFORMATION ON BACK

Gold N-Grand Entries

## GOLD-N-GRAND ALL BREED HORSE SHOW

MARCH 28 - 30, 2014

Entries must be "POSTMARKED" by March 17th, to avoid a late fee. Post entries accepted with penalty throughout the show.

ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS RELEASE IS SIGNED (REVERSE SIDE) AND ENTRIES ARE PAID IN FULL

Horse Name				Foal Year	Sex Mare Gelding Stallion	Breed	AQHA # (If applicable)	
Name of Owner (Please Print)		Home Phone				Cell Phone		
Owner's Address			City	ST	Zip	Owne	r's E-mail	
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MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Mail With Entry To: Murieta Equestrian Center, PO Box 1402, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683 Fax (916) 354-2638  Entries can be filled out online and emailed directly to				□ Visa □ Master Card Name on Card:  Credit Card# Exp: Sec. Code  Authorized Signature				
shady@murietaequestri		Billing Address  Billing Zip Code						



# Assumption of Risk and Waiver



For valuable consideration and to induce permission to participate in equestrian activities held at Murieta Equestrian Center ("MEC"), 7200 Lone Pine Drive, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683, each of the undersigned agrees to the following terms and makes the following warranties:

RISKS OF HARM, whether foreseen or unforeseen while participating in equestrian activities at the Murieta Equestrian Center. I am physically fit and know of no medical or health reason why I should not participate in this activity.

I acknowledge that participating in equestrian activities, whether as a show participant or an audience member, is a HAZARDOUS RECREATION ACTIVITY with RISK of damage or PER-SONAL INJURY, including PARALYSIS OR DEATH, to any person or property. Equines have the propensity to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around the equine; have unpredictable reactions to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons, or other animals; are susceptible to certain hazards such as surface or subsurface conditions, collisions with other equines or objects; propensities include kicking, biting, stamping, stumbling, rearing, and others; tack equipment can fail resulting in falling or loss of control; and activities have the potential of the participant(s) to act in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability. Equine activities are INHERENTLY DANGEROUS. I understand this is not a complete description of all risks and that other unknown or unforeseeable hazards and risks of harm may occur.

I hereby RELEASE and agree to DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS MEC, Cosumnes Corporation, Foxfarms, Inc., their shareholders, officers, employees, agents, instructors, equipment manufacturers, lessors, and insurers (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Parties Released"), from and against any liability, demand, claim, or right of action for any damage or injury, including paralysis or death, to any person or property, even if such damage or personal injury results from the NEGLIGENCE of MEC or other Parties Released. I further COV-ENANT NOT TO SUE or make any demand or claim against MEC or other Parties Released. for or by reason of any such damage or personal injury from my participation in equestrian activities at MEC. I will pay all fees, damages, and costs, including attorney fees that MEC or other Parties Released may incur in the enforcement of this agreement.

With this in mind, I accept full responsibility for my own safety and EXPRESSLY ASSUME ALL

When paying your Entry, Feed & Bedding by credit credit card, refunds are subject to the Gold N Grand Refund Policies. Charge backs are taken very serious especially when the Gold N Grand Refund Policies are not followed.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS, WHICH I ADOPT AS A COMPLETELY INTEGRATED AND EXCLUSIVE STATEMENT OF THE ENTIRE TERMS OF AGREEMENT.

Sianature: Date:

#### **GUARDIAN REPRESENTATION:**

If I am a PARENT or GUARDIAN of any minor person under 18 years of age participating in equestrian activities at MEC. I make these representations and garee to the terms of this Assumption of Risk and Waiver on behalf of each minor, as well as myself, and I agree to assume responsibility for their safety. I further agree to DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS MEC, Cosumnes Corp., Foxfarms, Inc., and the other Parties Released from and against any demand, claim, right of action, or suit that may be brought on behalf of any such minor arising from equestrian activities at MEC. I will pay all fees, damages, and costs, including attorney fees, that MEC or other Parties Released may incur in the enforcement of this agreement. My child is physically fit and I know of no medical or health reason why they should not participate in this activity. I intend this agreement to bind me and my family, my assigns, estate, heirs, and personal representatives. This contract is severable and shall be interpreted and enforced under the laws of the State of California.

I am physically fit and know of no medical or health reason why I should not participate in this activity.

I intend this agreement to bind me and my family, my assigns, estate, heirs, and personal representatives.

This contract is severable and shall be interpreted and enforced under the laws of the State of California.

I have carefully read this document and fully understand its contents, which I adopt as a completely integrated and exclusive statement of the entire terms of agreement.

Print full name and birth date of participant:					
Signature:					
Birthdate:					
If Participant is under 18 years of age, print:					
Parent/Guardian's Full Name:					
Address:					
Parents Signature:					
Parent Guardian:					
Date:					

PHOTOS: All photos taken on the property at the show may be used without permission for publication for the promotion of Murieta Equestrian Center and its events.

#### RULES CONTINUED

**DOGS:** Dogs and all pets must be leashed at all time. Loose animals are subject to impoundment by the Sacramento County Animal Control Officer and owner will be responsible for all citations, costs, and fines accordingly. Proof of current Rabies Vaccination required.

**PARKING:** There will be No Parking of any vehicles including horse trailers in the barn areas or wherever areas are posted with NO PARKING signs.

**RECREATIONAL VEHICLES:** All recreational vehicles must be parked in the designated RV area. Reservations are absolutely necessary and fill quickly. Please call to confirm space. Cost is a flat rate of \$175 per RV for the show. Absolutely no electrical hook-ups to outlets allowed without confirmed reservations! NO EXCEPTIONS! Dry Camping is \$20.00 per night.

**BACK NUMBERS:** Each exhibitor will be furnished with two back numbers. The management is not responsible for providing or printing extra numbers.

**STALLS:** Stabling will be assigned based on the order in which the paid entries are received. Management will try to fill all requests made on entries received by the closing date of March 17th. Post entries will be assigned stabling depending upon availability.

**INTERPRETATION OF RULES:** Show management reserves the right to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to or arising from an incident to the show without claims for damages or recourse of any kind. All questions not covered in the rules and definitions shall be decided by the show management and their decision is final.

**JUDGING GUIDELINES:** Reining classes will be judged in accordance with NRHA and WCRHA rules. In accordance with WCRHA rules, any horse shown in a reining class in a snaffle bit or hackamore may be ridden with two hands. In all Western classes, except for the reining classes, the AQHA & the United States Equestrian Federations, Inc. 2014 Rule Books for equipment and general rules shall apply.

CLASSES/BUCKLES: Show management reserves the right to combine or cancel any class with less than 5 entries. If a class is offered with Five or less entries in them, only Champion & Reserve Champions Buckles will be awarded. Management has the right to limit numbers of entries per class after the closing date to keep the show running smoothly and enjoyable for all! Unclaimed awards must be claimed within 30 days of the event or award will be forfeited. Buckles may be mailed upon a receipt of \$10 for postage & handling.

\*\*MUST SHOW AND SCORE (excluding zeros) 2 OF THE 3 CLASSES.\*\*

**SCORING FOR AWARDS:** Each judge will place ten horses. The first place horse, regardless of the number of entries in a class, will receive 10 points, second place will receive 9 points, etc. through 10th place. After Sunday's go, the points from the three days will be totaled, and the horse with the most points will be the overall class winner.

**TIES:** For Buckles and Ribbon – If there is a tie for Champion, Reserve Champion, Third, Fourth, or Fifth Place Circuit Class Buckles, or Sixth through Tenth Place Ribbons, whichever horse the Sunday Judge placed higher will be the winner of the buckle and/or ribbon for that placing. If there is a tie for the Spring and Summer Circuit Buckle the Buckle will be awarded to the exhibitor which received the highest amount of points at the Summer Show. If a class was cancelled there will be no circuit award. If a class was combined there will be only one circuit award for the combined classes.

**TIES:** For High Point Saddles – If there is a tie for a high point saddle the saddle will be awarded to the horse/exhibitor who has received the most first place awards that count toward the high point award. If still tied, the horse that received the most seconds, etc. Youth 10 & Under High Point is ineligible to win the Youth 18 & Under concurrently. If the highest score for Youth 10 & under is also the highest score in the Youth 18 & Under division, the Youth 18 & Under saddle will be awarded to the reserve winner of that division.

**PROTEST:** All protests must be made by the end of the first day of the show, March 28th. Protests must be made in writing and accompanied by a \$100.00 deposit, refundable if the grounds for the protest are found to be valid.



# Reining Definitions

Classes will be judged under the rules of the AQHA, NRHA & WCRHA. In accordance with WCRHA rules, any horse that is ridden in a snaffle bit or hackamore may be ridden with two hands.

**SNAFFLE BIT/HACKAMORE:** For horses 3, 4, & 5 years old.



GREEN AS GRASS: In first year of reining competition. Can ride two-handed with any bit.

**NOVICE HORSE LEVEL 2 (Open and Non Pro)** – Restricted to horses that have not earned more than \$25,000 in lifetime earnings in all categories except 3, 7, and 9. Non pro restricted to riders with a valid NRHA Non Pro card and rules of ownership as stated in the Non Pro Conditions.

**ROOKIE LEVEL 2** – Open to any rider holding a valid NRHA Non Pro card who has earned less than \$1500 in lifetime earnings in all NRHA categories except 3, 7, and 9 or 100 youth points (excluding points earned in the Youth 10 & Under Short Stirrup class). Riders may use a horse without the restrictions of ownership for Non Pro classes as defined under Non Pro conditions.

**OPEN:** Open to all riders and horses regardless of age.

**ROOKIE YOUTH:** Open to any youth rider who has not earned more than 25 pts in NRHA youth classes at the start of the year.

**LIMITED NON PRO:** Non Pro Rider that has earned less than \$10,000 in all NRHA Category except 3, 7, and 9 over the three previous calendar years.

**MONEY EARNINGS:** Based on money earned in reining at any breed, color, USA Equestrian or affiliate, local, regional, national, schooling, jackpot, or added show. \*please check NRHA 2014 Handbook on By-laws, Rules, and Regulations Judges Guide.

**SCHOOLING REINING:** Spaces limited to the first horses paid in full. Enter as class #1. Slots will be run March 27th. Each slot consists of six minutes total (two minutes to enter and exit, four minutes to run). \$30 Per Run.



## Western Definitions



Youth/Western Classes: An individual who has not reached his/her 19th birthday as of January 1st of the current year. The age of the youth as of January 1st will be the age maintained the entire year to enter.

**AMATEUR/WESTERN CLASSES:** An exhibitor 19 years of age or older who is an amateur defined by the United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) or recognized breed organization. A current USEF or Breed Organization Amateur card is advised. For reining classes, either a WCRHA or NRHA Non Pro card is acceptable.

1st & 2nd YEAR GREEN PLEASURE: A horse in its first or second year of showing in western pleasure.

**AQHA GREEN WESTERN PLEASURE:** A horse in it's 1st year of showing western pleasure or, has not yet won 10 points in Western Pleasure.

1st & 2nd YEAR GREEN TRAIL: A first and second year green trail horse is a horse that has not shown 2 years of trail.

**AQHA GREEN TRAIL:** A horse in its first year of showing trail or that hasn't won 10 AQHA trail points.

**LIMIT:** A limit amateur or limit youth is an amateur or youth who has not won 6 blue ribbons in the class in which they are showing, at any breed or "A" rated shows, including previous MFC Gold-N-Grand Horse Shows

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#### **DEFINITIONS CONTINUED**

**AMATEUR SELECT 45 & OVER:** An exhibitor 45 & Over of age or older who is an amateur defined by the USEF or recognized breed organization.

SHOWMANSHIP: Only the exhibitor is to be judged; the horse is merely a prop to show the ability of the handler. The class is judged strictly on the contestant's ability to fit and show in a halter class. A pattern will be posted a minimum of one hour or more prior to the start of the class.

WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP: Riders to be judged on seat, hands, and ability to control and show the horse. Results as shown by performance of the horse are not to be considered more important than the method used by the rider. A pattern will be posted a minimum of onE hour or more prior to the start of the class.

WESTERN PLEASURE: To be shown at a walk, jog, and lope both ways of the ring on a reasonably loose rein or light contact without undue restraint. To be judged on performance, condition, and conformation of the horse.

TRAIL: To be shown over and through obstacles at walk, jog, and lope on a reasonably loose rein without undue restraint. To be judged on the performance of the horse over obstacles with emphasis on manners, response to the rider, and attitude. Trail Course Designer: Don Lehman, Ontario, CA, Warm up trail will be run March 27th from 10 am to 5 pm. Enter as class number #57. \$25 Per Horse. AQHA classes will be run with corresponding GnG class. Trail classes will be run in blocks. Please check Trail Schedule daily. Additional schooling trail times at a cost of \$5 per horse (payable at the gate) will be available Firday & Saturdy morning from 8:00am till 20 minutes after the commencement of the last showmanship class of the day.

10 & UNDER WALK/JOG PLEASURE. EQUITATION. & TRAIL: Pleasure and equitation classes will walk and jog both directions of the arena. Trail classes will walk or jog over obstacles. Riders may not cross enter into any other division where lope/canter is required.

RE-RIDE/LET'S GET STARTED CLASS: Not to have shown in the past 10 years. Prizes only, no buckles. Awards 1st - 5th. Exhibitors may show in this class for up to three years provided that they don't show at breed or "A" rated shows.

RANCH HORSE PLEASURE: Reflects the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. The horse's performance should simulate a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and that of a working ranch horse. This class should show the horse's ability to work at a foward speed while under the rider's control.





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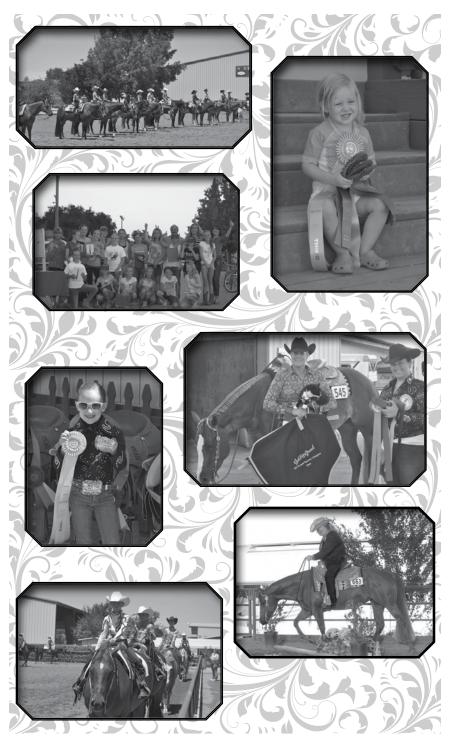
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