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Gold N' Grand
Rancho Murieta, Ca.
April 1-3

9 saddles | 350 plus buckles
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MURIETA EQUESTRIAN CENTER

Gold-N-Grand

SPRING 2016
CIRCUIT SHOW I

APRIL 1 - 3, 2016

Judges & Officials

All Judges are Carded and Qualified

JUDGES

Mario Boisjoli Gig Harbor, WA
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Cynthia Rucker - Cummings, GA · Leonard Berryhill - Talala, OK

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Don Lehman - CA

RANCH HORSE TRAIL COURSE DESIGNER

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OFFICIALS

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POST MARKED BY - MARCH 18, 2016

SCHOOLING REINING & TRAIL - MARCH 31, 2016

EXHIBITOR PARTY - APRIL 2, 2016

2016 GOLD-N-GRAND CIRCUIT II & SEASON FINALE
JULY 29 - 31, 2016

FOR ALL INFORMATION:



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Show Fees

Class Circuit Fee for Each Class Entered <i>Class Circuit Fee Pays for All Three Days</i>	\$100
AQHA Class - Fee covers all 3 days <i>includes PCQHA fee's and additional AQHA Drug Fees. AQHA Trail Classes will be run concurrently with comparable GNG Trail classes. **No Buckles Awarded in the AQHA Classes**</i>	\$75
Post Entry Fee (Per horse) After March 18, 2016 Deadline	\$45
Schooling Reining March 31, 2016	\$30
Schooling Trail March 31, Opens 10am Open Schooling each night/morning	\$30
Transfer Fee Before 5 PM, March 31, NO EXCEPTIONS	\$25
Drug Fee For All Three Days	\$5
Stall Fee - NO ARRIVALS BEFORE 12pm, Tuesday, March 29th	\$120
Grounds Fee No Stalls: Haul In Charge	\$45

Show Management

Reserves the right to adjust arena and/or class schedules in the interest of time, exhibitors, weather and/or arena conditions if it deems necessary.

Reserves the right to combine or cancel any class with less than 5 entries.

Reserves the right to limit numbers of entries per class after the closing date to keep the show running smoothly and enjoyable for all!

CHECK SCHEDULE DAILY

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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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, AMATEUR SELECT AND ALL

AROUND OPEN RIDERS MUST COMPETE IN NO LESS THAN 5 OF THE CORRESPONDING CLASSES TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A HIGH POINT SADDLE

★ SPRING & SUMMER CIRCUIT AWARD IS BASED ON HORSE/RIDER COMBINATION ★

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/Jog 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/Jog 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/Jog 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

ALL AROUND OPEN HORSE

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/Jog Open
Class 71 - Trail Horses 5 & Under
Class 81 - Trail Horses 6 & Over
Class 84 - English Walk/Trot Open
Class 89 - Hunter Under Saddle Open
Class 92 - Hunter Hack Open

Gold N Grand Awards

GNG CLASSES 3 DAY ACCUMULATED POINT TOTAL
BUCKLES AWARDED 1ST - 5TH
GNG & AQHA DAY RIBBON 1ST - 5TH

Schedule of Classes

****All Schedules may change with weather conditions****

Thursday, March 31, 2016

ARENA 1 – START TIME 8:00AM
Class A - Schooling Reining (open arena 12pm - 1pm)

ARENA 9 – START TIME 8:00AM
Class B - Schooling Reining (open arena 12pm - 1pm)

Friday, Saturday & Sunday ~ Tentative Schedule

ARENA 1 – LARGE COVERED ARENA
START TIME 7:30 AM

Class #

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| 1. GNG Reining: Novice Horse Open Level II | | |
| Friday Pattern: 10 | Saturday Pattern: 8 | Sunday Pattern: 11 |
| 2. GNG Reining: Novice Horse Non Pro Level II | | |
| Friday Pattern: 8 | Saturday Pattern: 2 | Sunday Pattern: 6 |
| 3. GNG Reining: Snaffle Bit/Hackamore (3, 4, & 5 YR Olds) | | |
| Friday Pattern: 5 | Saturday Pattern: 6 | Sunday Pattern: 9 |
| 4. GNG Reining: Rookie II **Champion Saddle** | | |
| Friday Pattern: 2 | Saturday Pattern: 8 | Sunday Pattern: 10 |
| <i>(Open to any rider who has earned less than \$1500 in lifetime earnings in NRHA or 300 youth points
 (excluding points earned in the Youth 10 & Under Short Stirrup class))</i> | | |
| 5. 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 9 – RACE BARN ARENA

START TIME APPROX 8:00 AM

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| 6. GNG Reining: Non Pro (Non Pro Riders) | | |
| 7. GNG Reining: Limit Non Pro | | |
| Friday Pattern: 11 | Saturday Pattern: 5 | Sunday Pattern: 9 |
| 8. GNG Reining Short Stirrup 10 & Under | | |
| Friday Pattern: 12 | Saturday Pattern: 13 | Sunday Pattern: 12 |
| 9. GNG Reining: Youth 18 & Under | | |
| 10. GNG Reining: Rookie Youth | | |
| Friday Pattern: 6 | Saturday Pattern: 10 | Sunday Pattern: 8 |
| 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 |
| <i>(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)</i> | | |

All reining classes: WCRHA Approved – For WCRHA info: (916) 684-2555
Classes 6&7, 9&10, 11&12 will run concurrent

Go to NRHA.com for further eligibility

Schedule of Classes

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Arena 5A ~ 7:30am

- 13 Showmanship at Halter:** Limit Youth 18&U
14 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 13 & U
15 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 14 - 18
19 Showmanship at Halter: Youth 10 & U

15 Minute Break

- 20 Leadline Freestyle:** Youth 6 & U
21 Western Horsemanship: Limit Youth 18&U
22 Western Horsemanship: Youth 13 & U
23 Western Horsemanship: Youth 14-18
27 Walk/Jog Equitation: Youth 10 & U

30 Minute Break

- 28 Walk/Jog Pleasure:** Youth 10 & Under
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
47 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

{Concurrent Classes (one go only)}

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Arena 5A ~ Continued

- 84 English Walk Trot:** Open
85 English Walk Trot: Youth 10 & U
86 English Walk Trot: Youth 18 & U
87 Hunter Under Saddle: Youth 18 & U
88 Hunter Under Saddle: Amateur 19 & O
89 Hunter Under Saddle: Open
90 Hunter Hack: Youth 18 & U
91 Hunter Hack: Amateur 19 & O
92 Hunter Hack: Open

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Arena 5B ~ 8:00am

- 16 Showmanship at Halter:** Limit Am 19&O
17 Showmanship at Halter: Amateur 19&O
18 Showmanship at Halter: Am Select 45&O

15 Minute Break

- 24 Western Horsemanship:** Limit Am 19&O
25 Western Horsemanship: Amateur 19&O
26 Western Horsemanship: Am Select 45&O

Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Arena 8 - 10:00am

- 100 Ranch Riding Flat:** Youth 18&U
101 Ranch Riding Flat: Am 18&O
102 Ranch Riding Flat: Open
103 Ranch Riding: Youth 10 & U Short Stirrups
104 Ranch Riding: Youth 18&U
105 AQHA Ranch Riding: Novice Youth
106 AQHA Ranch Riding: Youth
107 Ranch Riding: Amateur 19 & O
108 AQHA Ranch Riding: Novice Am
109 AQHA Ranch Riding: Amateur
110 Ranch Riding: Open
111 AQHA Ranch Riding: Open

Short Break

- 55 Western Riding:** Youth/Amateur
56 Western Riding: Open

See Ranch Horse Definitions

{Must be declared at the gate prior to showing Thursday, March 31st}

Schedule of Classes

Thursday, March 31, 2016 Stable Mix Arena

Schooling Trail Opens at 10am
Schooling Trail will open 1 hour after the
days classes up until 7am daily.

Friday, Saturday & Sunday Stable Mix Arena ~ 8am

Schooling Trail will open 1 hour after the
day classes up until 7am daily. AQHA
Classes will be run concurrently with
comparable GNG classes (only one
round).

Please check daily for block schedule

- 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: Am 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

THESE CLASSES RUN
CONCURRENTLY
ONLY ONE ROUND

Thursday, March 31, 2016 Arena 3

Ranch Horse Trail Schooling
Open Between 1pm - 5pm

Friday, Saturday & Sunday Arena 3 ~ 7am

- 112 Ranch Horse Trail: Youth 18 & U
- 113 Ranch Horse Trail: Am 18 & O
- 114 Ranch Horse Trail: Open

HOVES FOR HOPE

Raffle and "Pink Saturday"

What is "Hoves for Hope"? It is a breast cancer benefit that
helps support the fight against cancer. With each raffle ticket
purchased your name is dropped into a hat for several great raffle
prizes.

Cost is:
1 for \$10 or 3 for \$25 or 5 for \$40

Raffle Drawing is Saturday evening in front of the horse show
office. Must be present to win.

"Pink Saturday"

Keep an eye out for fun decorations and Pink things scattered
around MEC. Let's make Saturday a true "Pink" affair.
We encourage people to dress up in pink and go crazy with
it. Glitter, ribbons, flowers everything you can imagine on your
horse. The more pink the better.

Raffle money is donated to:
Oregon Health & Science University's
Phil Knight Research Center

Questions:
Melinda (707) 529-9484



Rules and Definitions



ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 18, 2016
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 18, 2016 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 18, 2016 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 specifications.

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 card, refunds are subject to the
Gold N Grand Refund Policies. Charge backs are taken very seriously when the Gold N
Grand Refund Policies are not followed. **Credit Cards will be charged an additional 3%.**

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 18, 2016.

REFUND POLICY: A refund request must be submitted in writing, and received in our office.
The following guidelines will be used for refunds; A) Before the close of entries (March 18th),
all fees will be refunded minus a \$25.00 office fee. **B)** After the close of entries (March
18th, 5:00pm), the entry fee will be refunded minus the stall fee and a \$25 office fee,
provided a written veterinarian or physician's certificate is received in our office by 5pm,
Thursday, March 31st. **C)** No refund of entry or stall fee after classes have been closed
and drawn at 5pm, March 18th. 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 30th 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 30th 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 arenas 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.

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 18th. 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. 2016 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 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A BUCKLE - NO BUCKLES IN AQHA CLASSES. NO AQHA SPRING & SUMMER CIRCUIT AWARDS****

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 it 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, April 1st. 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.

See NRHAhandbook.com or wcrha.com for definitions

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 legal bit.

NOVICE HORSE LEVEL 2 (Open and Non Pro) – Restricted to horses that have not earned more than \$25,000 in NRHA lifetime earnings. 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 NRHA lifetime earnings or 300 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 NRHA lifetime earnings.

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 2016 Handbook on By-laws, Rules, and Regulations Judges Guide.*

SCHOOLING REINING: Spaces limited to the first horses paid in full. Enter as Class 1a and/or Class 1b. Slots will be run March 31st. Each slot consists of six minutes total (two minutes to enter and exit, four minutes to run). \$30 Per Run.

WCRHA RULE CHANGE: WCRHA points will be awarded based on Sundays overall placings. A maximum of 10 points will be awarded for the Gold N Grand.



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 MEC Gold-N-Grand Horse Shows. ****MUST PROVIDE LIFE LONG EXHIBITOR SHOW RECORD INCLUDED WITH ENTRY TO ENTER LIMIT CLASSES****



PLEASE SIGN & COMPLETE REQUIRED INFORMATION ON BACK



GOLD-N-GRAND ALL BREED HORSE SHOW

APRIL 1 - 3, 2016

Entries must be "POSTMARKED" by March 18th, 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 <small>Mare Gelding Stallion</small>		Breed		AQHA # (If applicable)	
Name of Owner (Please Print)				Owner's Home Phone				Owner's Cell Phone			
Owner's Address				City		ST		Zip		Owner's E-mail	
Rider A Name		AQHA # (If applicable)		Rider B Name		AQHA # (If applicable)		Trainer's Name		AQHA # (If applicable)	
Address		City ST Zip		Address		City ST Zip		Address		City ST Zip	
E-mail		Cell Phone		E-mail		Cell Phone		E-mail		Cell Phone	

CIRCLE THE NUMBER OF EACH CLASS YOU WISH TO ENTER. INDICATE THE EXHIBITOR (A OR B) IN THE () NEXT TO THE CLASS NUMBER

A ()\$30	21. ()\$100	43. ()\$75	67. ()\$100	90. ()\$100
B. ()\$30	22. ()\$100	44. ()\$100	68. ()\$75	91. ()\$100
1. ()\$100	23. ()\$100	45. ()\$75	69. ()\$100	92. ()\$100
2. ()\$100	24. ()\$100	46. ()\$100	70. ()\$75	100. ()\$100
3. ()\$100	25. ()\$100	47. ()\$75	71. ()\$100	101. ()\$100
4. ()\$100	26. ()\$100	48. ()\$100	72. ()\$75	102. ()\$100
5. ()\$100	27. ()\$100	49. ()\$75	73. ()\$100	103. ()\$100
6. ()\$100	28. ()\$100	50. ()\$100	74. ()\$75	104. ()\$100
7. ()\$100	29. ()\$100	51. ()\$75	75. ()\$100	105. ()\$75
8. ()\$100	30. ()\$100	52. ()\$100	76. ()\$75	106. ()\$75
9. ()\$100	31. ()\$100	53. ()\$75	77. ()\$100	107. ()\$100
10. ()\$100	32. ()\$100	55. ()\$100	78. ()\$75	108. ()\$75
11. ()\$100	33. ()\$100	56. ()\$100	79. ()\$100	109. ()\$75
12. ()\$100	34. ()\$100	58. ()\$100	80. ()\$75	110. ()\$100
13. ()\$100	35. ()\$100	59. ()\$100	81. ()\$100	111. ()\$75
14. ()\$100	36. ()\$100	60. ()\$100	82. ()\$75	112. ()\$100
15. ()\$100	37. ()\$75	61. ()\$100	84. ()\$100	113. ()\$100
16. ()\$100	38. ()\$100	62. ()\$100	85. ()\$100	114. ()\$100
17. ()\$100	39. ()\$75	63. ()\$100	86. ()\$100	
18. ()\$100	40. ()\$100	64. ()\$100	87. ()\$100	Youth Challenge
19. ()\$100	41. ()\$75	65. ()\$100	88. ()\$100	13 & U _____
20. ()\$100	42. ()\$100	66. ()\$75	89. ()\$100	14 & U _____

_____ Classes @ \$100/Class <small>(Fee is for all 3 Days)</small>	_____
_____ AQHA @ \$75/Class <small>(Fee is for all 3 Days & addtl Drug fees)</small>	_____
_____ Late Fee \$45 (per horse)	_____
_____ \$30 Schooling Trail <small>(Mandatory if entered in a trail class)</small>	_____
_____ Stalls @ \$120/Stall	_____
_____ Hooves for Hope Raffle 1 for \$10 3 for \$25 5 for \$40	_____
_____ Grounds Fee @ \$45 (No Stalls)	\$5
_____ Drug Fee (Mandatory)	_____
_____ RV Fee \$175 per RV (If Applicable)	\$175
Total Entry Fees	_____

FEED & BEDDING PRE-ORDER FORM

_____ Alfalfa Hay @ \$25	_____
_____ Grass Hay @ \$27	_____
_____ Shavings @ \$9.50	_____
Total	_____

PLEASE STABLE WITH (FRIEND OR TRAINER):
Trainers please confirm stall count with MEC prior to the event.

Credit Card Cardmember agrees to pay total Entry, Feed & Bedding Fees associated with this entry blank and by agreeing you are subject to the Gold N Grand Refund Policies Credit Cards will be charged an additional 3%

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

MEC

Entries can be filled out online and emailed directly to
shady@murietaequestriancenter.com **with credit card.**

Mail With Entry To: Murieta Equestrian Center,
PO Box 1402, Rancho Murieta, CA 95683
Fax (916) 354-2638

<input type="checkbox"/> Visa	Name on Card: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> American Express	Billing Address: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Master Card	Billing Zip Code _____
Credit Card# _____	Exp: _____ Sec. Code _____
Authorized Signature _____	



MURIETA EQUESTRIAN CENTER

ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND WAIVER

Gold N Grand

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:

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

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 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 COVENANT 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.

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.

Signature: _____

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 agree 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.

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.

FREESTYLE LEADLINE: Freestyle shall consist of a child under the age of 6. Friday and Sundays class will proceed in standard leadline presentations. Saturday will be a special presentation made by each leadline team see description: Limited to one handler, they will be allowed 5 minutes maximum to set up their props and complete their exhibition. They may use music and props, it is limited to walking and jogging only, and the handler must always have ahold of horse! Music must be given to show staff before the show starts and they will need to let GNG staff know if the need help with any props. Prizes will be given to ALL but the class will be placed.

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. Schooling Trail will open March 31st at 10am. Trail arena will be open each evening after the trail course has been set; until One hour prior to the start each day (start time will be on the schedule). Each horse entered in a trail class will be charged \$30 for Schooling Trail. AQHA classes will be run with corresponding GNG class (Only one Round). Trail classes will be run in blocks. Please check Trail Schedule daily.

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.

Ranch Horse Definitions

RANCH RIDING FLAT: 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 forward speed while under the rider's control. This class will be judged at the walk, trot and lope on the rail.

RANCH RIDING: 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 forward speed while under the rider's control. This is a Pattern Class.

RANCH HORSE TRAIL: This class will work a minimum of six obstacles designed to show a horse's ability and willingness to perform a normal day's Ranch work. Will include a walk, trot and lope as part of the Trail Course. Scoring will be similar to AQHA.

*****Note*** There will be a log drag in the Ranch Horse Trail Open Class**

RANCH HORSE CONCURRENT CLASS EXPLANATION: Declare Option prior to walking in to the arena. This declaration will be the Option for the entire weekend.

A Option: Run and scored in each class separately

B Option: One run to count toward multiple concurrent classes



DIRECTIONS TO

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From San Francisco:

Hwy 80 to Sacramento, Hwy
50 to Bradshaw Exit, South on
Bradshaw to Jackson Hwy
(Hwy 16), East on Jackson
Hwy 8 miles to MEC.

From Stockton:

Hwy 99 North, Exit Dillard
Road, To Jackson Hwy (Hwy
16), East on Jackson Hwy
3 miles to MEC.

From Lake Tahoe:

Hwy 50 to Rancho Cordova,
South on Sunrise Blvd. to
Jackson Hwy (Hwy 16),
East on Jackson Hwy to MEC.

From Reno:

Hwy 80 to Watt Ave. exit,
South on Watt Ave. to
Hwy 50, East on Hwy 50 to
Bradshaw to Exit, south on
Bradshaw to Jackson Hwy
(Hwy 16), east on Jackson
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YOUTH HORSEMANSHIP

We are pleased to offer a Youth Horsemanship Challenge to recognize our Gold-N-Grand youth for their responsible horsemanship and equine knowledge! Come join the FUN!

Pick up your challenge activity in the show office starting **Thursday, March 31st**. The challenge activity is due no later than **Saturday, April 2nd by 12 PM** to the show office.

The Youth Horsemanship Challenge will consist of two parts:

★ Part One:

The fact/informational sheet is for your own educational development. Be sure to look through the sheet as you may see this material during the Summer Youth Challenge!

★ Part Two:

You will be given an outline of a horse. You must correctly label a minimum of 15 parts. Use your creativity and resources. Each participant must turn in their own drawing to receive a prize. Crayons/Coloring pencils will be provided.

★ Awards:

Prizes will be given to each participant that turns in their completed challenge activity to the show office.

Name: _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

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For more information please contact

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- 🐾 CAT/DOG BEDS
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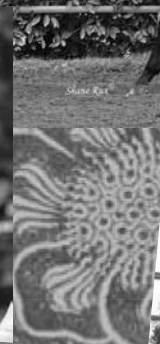


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