

Heritage Equestrian Center  
864 Tillinghast Road  
East Greenwich, RI 02818



## 2010 Horse Show Series

**Sunday, June 27, 2010**

**Sunday, July 11, 2010**

**Saturday, September 11, 2010**

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RIHA, SEHA, MHJ and NEHC  
Rated

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*More information at:*  
[www.heritageequestriancenter.com](http://www.heritageequestriancenter.com)

## Conditions of Competition

*Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications to the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance herewith.*

Life, Senior Active and Junior Active Members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting and endurance Rides. A non-Member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 Non-Member registration fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the requirements of this rule: (1) Lead Line (2) Exhibitions (3) Games and Races (4) classes for 4-H Members (5) Walk-Trot and Academy classes. (6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes (7) NRHA endorsed Reining Competitions (8) Opportunity classes (9) Citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their won National Federation (10) USEA beginner novice division and (11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

### Decisions:

1. All Judges' decisions are final.
2. The Committee reserves the right to decline any entry and to cancel, combine, or divide classes when deemed necessary to facilitate the smooth running of the show.
3. Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF rule book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith
4. No exhibitor or person shall approach a Judge as to a decision or other matters unless he first obtains permission from the show steward. Any exhibitor or person disregarding this rule may be asked to cancel all entries and forfeit entry fees.

### Courses & Jump Orders:

1. Courses will consist of post and rails, wall gates, pickets and brush
2. Courses and jumping orders will be posted at the in-gate when needed.

### Awards:

1. Championship and Reserve ribbons will be awarded in all divisions. Champion and reserve will be awarded to two of the four horses which have acquired the most points in the over fences classes in their division. In addition to these points, only those four horses shall receive full points for ribbons won in the under saddle classes. Points to be awarded through the first six places; 10,6,4,2,1,1/2
2. A trophy and six ribbons will be awarded in all classes unless otherwise stated; 8 ribbons for hunters.

### Schooling & Warm up:

1. Schooling will be permitted in authorized areas only. Anyone found violating these rules shall forfeit all entry fees and not be allowed to show.

### Post Entries:

1. Post entries will be accepted, but there will be a onetime post entry fee of \$20 per horse for those not entered by 4:00 pm the day before the show. No penalty fee will be charged for entering additional classes on the day of the show.

### General:

1. All mounted riders cannot ride anywhere on the show rounds without wearing protective headgear that has passed the current ASTM/SEI standards. Harnesses must be secured and if said headgear has a brim, it must be flexible or semi-flexible. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until his headgear is properly in place.
2. All dogs must be leashed.
3. To be eligible for any Championship classes, entrants must have shown in any other class over fences in the respective division.
4. Poling is not allowed on the show grounds.
5. Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind including, but not limited to golf carts, motorcycles, scooters or farm utility vehicles on the competition grounds of recognized competitions. Minors who have valid temporary license may operate any of the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Rule 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.
6. Under Rhode Island law, an equine professional, unless he can be shown to have failed to be in the exercise of due care, is not liable for any injury to, or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Chapter 21, of Title 4 of the General Laws.
7. Ring II (Cross Rail Ring) will be available for warm-up from 6:30 AM to 7:45 AM. The last number will be taken at 7:30 AM. A fee of \$20.00 will be added to each entry for warm-up purposes. Entries not doing warm-ups will have their entries credited. Ring 1 will be available for warm up from 6:30 am until the end of classes in Ring II.
8. All competitors must present their current RIHA and NEHC membership cards or a copy thereof to the show secretary prior to competing in the RIHA and NEHC medal classes.
9. No exhibitor numbers will be handed out without a signed check or payment of entries. There will be a \$50 fee for all returned checks.

## Directions

**From the NORTH/WEST:** Take I-95 South to exit 9/Route 4 South. Follow to exit 7A Frenchtown Road. At the top of the exit turn left and go across Route 2. Continue on Frenchtown Road until the first stop sign. Turn left on Tillinghast Road. Heritage Equestrian Center is on the left approximately 0.4 miles.

**From the SOUTH:** Take I-95 North to Exit 8a in RI (East Greenwich/Route 2 South). When you come off of the exit, you will be on Route 2 South. Continue straight through four traffic lights. At the fifth traffic light (just beyond the Ford dealership) you will take a right onto Frenchtown Road. Continue on Frenchtown Road until the first stop sign. Take a left onto Tillinghast Road. Heritage Equestrian Center is on the left approximately 0.4 miles.

**From the EAST:** I-195 West to I-95 South. Merge Left onto Route 4 South. Follow directions above from the North/West.

### OPPORTUNITY CLASS SPECIFICATIONS

Opportunity Classes are being offered this year in the following divisions:

Short Stirrup Equitation Division  
Short Stirrup Hunter Division

Horses and Riders entered in Opportunity classes only are exempt from USEF fees including the USEF Drug and Medication fee but are still subject to and must comply with the Drugs and Medication rules and are subject to drug testing. Horse Identification Numbers (HID) or Recording Numbers are not required

Riders are exempt from the Federation membership requirements and are not required to pay a non-member fee. Horse/Rider combinations competing in Opportunity classes are not permitted to cross enter into rated/recognized classes at the same show.

Opportunity classes help curtail all the extra fees for entry level riders making it easier for beginner riders to participate.

Year \_\_\_\_\_ Rhode Island Horseman's Association Tel: (603) 887-6502  
 Membership Runs 12/1 through 11/30 P.O. BOX 80 • SANDOWN, NH 03873 rihapoints@hotmail.com

**CHECK ONE:**  NEW or  RENEWAL  
*I hereby apply for and enclose payment for the following type of membership:*  
 Life Associate - \$300.00  Family - \$45.00 per year  
 Individual - \$25.00 per year

**Horse Point Registration**  
 RIHA members who wish to accumulate points for Year-End Awards must register their horse or pony with the Point Secretary.  
 (Please list names of horses or ponies you are registering on back of application.)  
 Please Note: Points will begin to accumulate only when your membership fee is received by the Point Secretary.  
 At this time, I do not wish to register for points.

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Life Member Since: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Trainer Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

There is NO fee for the registration, but it is required information or year end points will not accumulate. If you purchase or change horse or pony that you ride during the year it is up to you to send the information to the office.

Please fill out reverse and sign your application.

PLEASE FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION. IF NOT FILLED OUT PROPERLY IT COULD AFFECT YOUR POINT STANDINGS.  
 BE SURE TO MAKE ENTRIES AT ALL SHOWS UNDER NAMES APPEARING ON THIS APPLICATION.

NAME OF JUNIOR EXHIBITOR OR AMATEUR:	SHOW AGE	DATE OF BIRTH	JUNIOR EXHIBITOR	AMATEUR (over 18)
1. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B
2. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B

\*H=HORSE S=SMALL PONY M= MEDIUM PONY L= LARGE PONY (PLEASE USE EXTRA PAPER IF NECESSARY)

HORSE/PONY INFORMATION FOR POINT ACCUMULATION:						
Registered Name:	SIZE*	GREEN (1st or 2nd)	SEX (Mare, Gelding, Stallion)	BREED	OWNER (if different than member)	**LEASED (Yes or No)
1. _____						
2. _____						

\*\*Leased Horses - please send lease agreement to the Point Secretary.

DIVISIONS INTERESTED IN FOR PRIZE LIST MAILINGS:  
 Hunter/Jumper  Breed  None

I hereby agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the Rhode Island Horseman's Association  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Officials

The following have been invited to Officiate. Management reserves the right to add to or vary the list of officials.

June 27, 2010	Judge Steward	Anne Sibson Bob Crawford
July 11, 2010	Judge Steward	Bob Crawford Lisa Tacconi
Sept 11, 2010	Judge Steward	Nancy Murphy Lisa Tacconi

Start Time 8:00 a.m.

Show Ring 1  
 Dimensions 175' X 275'  
 Show Ring 2  
 Dimensions 150' X 265'  
 All Weather Footing in All Rings

No post entry fees for entries received by 4:00 PM on the day preceding the show

Entry Blank, Timetable and Class Description available on the website:

[www.heritageequestriancenter.com](http://www.heritageequestriancenter.com)

## Class List

*Ring I unjudged warmup 6:30 am-7:45am*

*Numbers must be in by 7:30 am*

*Start time for Ring I 8:00 am*

*Ring 2 unjudged warm up 9:00 am until end of Ring I classes*

Ring 1 – 8:00 am Start

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|---|---|
| 21. Short Stirrup Eq Fences/SEHA                  | 40. Modified Adult Eq/MHJ Qualifier         |
| 22. Short Stirrup Eq Chmp/MHJ                     | 45. RIHA Adult Mini Medal                   |
| 24. Short Stirrup Hunter Fences                   | 49. Under 15 Eq Flat                        |
| 25. Short Stirrup Hunter Fences                   | 47. Under 15 Eq Fences                      |
| 27. Long Stirrup Eq Fences                        | 48. Under 15 Eq Fences                      |
| 28. Long Stirrup Eq Chmp                          | 73. MHJ Mini Medal                          |
| 23. Short Stirrup Eq Flat                         | 74. SEHA Mini Medal                         |
| 26. Short Stirrup Hunter U/S                      | 75. RIHA Mini Medal                         |
| 29. Long Stirrup Eq Flat                          |   |
| 7. Hunter Type Pet Pony                           | 59. Children's Eq Fences                    |
| 8. Hunter Type Pet Pony Chmp                      | 60. Children's Eq Fences/MHJ Qualifier      |
| 1. Lead Line                                      | 62. Children's Hunter Fences                |
| 2. Lead Line Suitability                          | 63. Children's Hunter Fences                |
| 3. Walk Trot Equitation                           | 61. Children's Eq Flat                      |
| 4. Walk Trot Equitation Chmp                      | 64. Children's Hunter U/S                   |
| 5. Walk Trot Pleasure                             | 93. THIS Childrens Medal                    |
| 6. Walk Trot Pleasure Chmp                        |   |
| 19. RIHA Open Pleasure Horse                      | 84. Adult Hunter Fences                     |
| 20. NEHC Open Pleasure Horse/Pony                 | 85. Adult Hunter Fences                     |
|   | 81. Adult Eq Fences                         |
| 2' Warm up Time Permitting                        | 82. Adult Eq Fences                         |
|   | 83. Adult Eq Flat                           |
| 30. Pre-Children's Hunter Fences                  | 86. Adult Hunter U/S                        |
| 31. Pre-Children's Hunter Fences                  |   |
| 93. Modified Pony Hunter Fences                   | 88. MHJ Adult Medal                         |
| 94. Modified Pony Hunter Fences                   | 89. SEHA Adult Medal                        |
| 32. Pre-Children's Hunter U/S                     | 90. RIHA Adult Medal                        |
| 95. Modified Pony Hunter U/S                      | 94. Ariat National Adult Medal              |
|   | 92. NEHC Adult Medal                        |
| Ring II Start following<br>Completion of Class 95 | 58. Under 18 Eq Flat                        |
|   | 56. Under 18 Eq Fences                      |
| 33. Special Hunter Fences                         | 57. Under 18 Eq Fences                      |
| 34. Special Hunter Fences                         | 76. MHJ Junior Medal                        |
| 36. RIHA Hunter Fences                            | 77. SEHA Junior Medal                       |
| 37. RIHA Hunter Fences                            | 78. RIHA Junior Medal                       |
| 35. Special Hunter U/S                            | 80. NEHC Junior Medal                       |
| 38. RIHA Hunter U/S                               | 95. USEF Junior Medal                       |
| 42. Modified Adult Hunter Fences                  | 96. ASPCA Medal                             |
| 43. Modified Adult Hunter Fences                  | 97. Platinum Performance/USEF Talent Search |
| 44. Modified Adult Hunter U/S                     |   |
| 41. Modified Adult Eq Flat                        |   |
| 39. Modified Adult Eq                             |   |



MHJ class and points specifications  
can be found in the secretary's office


USEF Competition Name: Heritage Equestrian Center Horse Show USEF#: 328368-328371



Competition Division(s) and Rating(s):



USEF Local Rating



*USEF Member  
To Do List:*

Mow the fields.  Haul the hay.  Paint the barn — and the  
Auto Buying Program

house.  Re-order supplements  and office supplies.

 Get new tires and a full service check.  Make sure

we're covered  on the road and in the ring.  Get ready

for  the big competition. Win! Rent a  car and drive to

the coast. Take a vacation.  Relax!  You don't

have to bet the farm to check off this season's most important tasks. For details on

how you can save big  with USEF MemberPerks,  visit [usef.org](http://usef.org)

or call one of our Customer Care agents at 859.258.2472.

# Class Descriptions

## LEAD LINE – WALK TROT - PLEASURE

1. Lead Line –RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$15.00  
 Open to riders 6 years of age or under. To be shown collectively at the walk and individually at the trot or jog. To be judged with emphasis on equitation; also suitability and manners of mount to be considered. Leader to be on foot and must be over 14 years of age. Riders may not compete in any other class except Leadline Suitability.

2. Lead Line Suitability –RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$15.00  
 Open to riders 6 years of age or under. To be shown collectively at the walk and individually at the trot or jog. To be judged with emphasis on suitability and manners of mount. Leader to be on foot and must be over 14 years of age. Riders may not compete in any other class except Leadline. Judged as a performance class

Walk Trot Equitation- NEHC/RIHA “C”  
 Open to riders 10 years of age or under. Shall show at a walk and trot or jog only. No child entered may compete in any class requiring entries to canter or lope. To compete in the Championship class, entries must have shown and been judged in the qualifying class.

3. WALK TROT EQUITATION Entry Fee \$15.00  
 4. WALK TROT EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIP Entry Fee \$20.00

Walk Trot Pleasure–NEHC/RIHA “C”  
 Open to riders 10 years of age or under. To be shown at a walk, trot or jog only. To be judged on manners, suitability of horse/pony to rider and performance. No child entered may compete in any class requiring entries to canter or lope. To compete in the Championship class, entries must have shown and been judged in the qualifying class.

5. WALK TROT PLEASURE Entry Fee \$15.00  
 6. WALK TROT PLEASURE CHAMPIONSHIP Entry Fee \$20.00

Hunter Type Pet Pony-NEHC/RIHA “C”  
 Open to riders under 14 years of age. Entries in this division are not eligible for the Open Pet Type Pony Division at the same show. To be shown at a walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring. To be judged on manners, performance and suitability to rider. To be eligible for the championship class, riders must have shown in the qualifying class.

7. HUNTER TYPE PET PONY Entry Fee \$20.00  
 8. HUNTER TYPE PET PONY CHAMPIONSHIP Entry Fee \$25.00

19. RIHA PLEASURE – RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$20.00  
 Open to horses normally used for pleasure purposes that are owned by members of the RI Horseman's Association. To be shown at a walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring, with light rein, but still maintaining contact with horse's mouth. Must be asked to back. Shall be judged on manners, performance and quality in that order.

20. NEHC OPEN PLEASURE HORSE OR PONY – NEHC “C” Entry Fee \$25.00  
 To be judges at a walk, trot or jog, canter or lope. Loose rein on command of judge only, but without loss of contact. Will be required to back. Shall be judged on manners, performance and quality, in that order. All horses shall be judged on their respective merits regardless of type.

Year \_\_\_\_\_ **New England Horsemen's Council, Inc.** Tel: (603) 887-NEHC (6342)  
 Membership Runs 12/1 through 11/30 P.O. BOX 70 • SANDOWN, NH 03873 E-mail: nehc288@hotmail.com  
 Website: nehc.info

**CHECK ONE:**  NEW or  RENEWAL  
 I hereby apply for and enclose payment for the following type of membership:  
 Life Associate – \$500.00  Family Associate – \$30.00 per year  
 Individual Associate – \$25.00 per year  \*Corporate Associate – \$55.00 per year  
(Options to purchase by mail and handling charges)

Horse Point Registration  
 NEHC members who wish to accumulate points for Year-End Awards must register their horse or pony with the Administration Office, \$10 each for the first five animals, \$5 each additional animal after five.  
 Number of horses/ponies you wish to register # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$10 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of horses/ponies you wish to register # \_\_\_\_\_ x \$5 each = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Please list names of horses or ponies you are registering on back of application.)  
 Please Note: Points will begin to accumulate only when your registration for and your membership fee is received by the Administration Office.  
 At this time, I do not wish to register for points.

AMATEUR APPLICATION YEAR \_\_\_\_\_  
 New England Horsemen's Council Inc.  
 I certify that I am eligible for Amateur status under the conditions of the Amateur Rule. (Class One) Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check one of the following if you are showing an Amateur Adult Hunter or Amateur Owner Hunter:  
 Div. A (18-35) or  Div. B (over 35) DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
 All USAE Member Cards are accepted at any NEHC Affiliated Show.  
 Amateur Status will be indicated on your membership card.  
 Juniors need not apply.  
 Amateur cards must be renewed annually.

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Life Member Since: (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cell: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please fill out reverse and sign your application.*

PLEASE FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION. IF NOT FILLED OUT PROPERLY IT COULD AFFECT YOUR POINT STANDINGS.  
 BE SURE TO MAKE ENTRIES AT ALL SHOWS UNDER NAMES APPEARING ON THIS APPLICATION.

NAME OF JUNIOR EXHIBITOR OR AMATEUR:	SHOW AGE	DATE OF BIRTH	JUNIOR EXHIBITOR	AMATEUR
1. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	(18-35) <input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B
2. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B
3. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B
4. _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> A or <input type="checkbox"/> B

\*H-HORSE S-SMALL PONY M-MEDIUM PONY L-LARGE PONY (PLEASE USE EXTRA PAPER IF NECESSARY)

HORSE/PONY INFORMATION FOR POINT ACCUMULATION:				**Leased Horses – please send lease agreement to administration office		
Registered Name:	SIZE*	GREEN (1st or 2nd)	SEX (Mare, Gelding, Stallion)	BREED	OWNER (if different than member)	**LEASED (Yes or No)
1. _____						
2. _____						
3. _____						
4. _____						

DIVISIONS INTERESTED IN FOR PRIZE LIST MAILINGS:  
 Hunter/Jumper  Breed  None  
 Note: Prize lists will not be sent unless filled out by member.

I hereby agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of the  
 New England Horsemen's Council, Inc.  
 Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP****(Classes 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26)**

- Short Stirrup Equitation Division-NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$60.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to riders 12 years of age or under. Not to compete in any other equitation class at any show and has not competed in a jumping class exceeding 18" in height. To be shown at a minimum of 4 and maximum of 8 fences not exceeding 18" in height. Fences may be taken at a trot or canter at the option of the rider. To be judged at a walk, tort and canter both ways of the ring on the flat. May be asked to halt and back. No more than eight riders to canter at one time.
21. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP EQUITATION FENCES/SEHA Qualifier
  22. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIP/MHJ Qualifier
  23. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP EQUITATION FLAT

Short Stirrup Hunter Division-NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$60.00 Division \$25.00/Class

24. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP HUNTER FENCES
25. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP HUNTER FENCES
26. OPPORTUNITY SHORT STIRRUP HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

LONG STIRRUP  
Long Stirrup Equitation Division-RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$60.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Riders must be 13 years or older. Rider not to compete in any other equitation class at any show. Rider has not ever competed in a jumping class exceeding 18" in height, or has not competed in classes exceeding 18" in height or higher within the past ten years.

27. LONG STIRRUP EQUITATION FENCES
28. LONG STIRRUP EQUITATION CHAMPIONSHIP
29. LONG STIRRUP EQUITATION FLAT

**HUNTER DIVISIONS**

Pre-Children's Hunter Division – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to junior riders who are eligible for Limit equitation over fences as of December of the current show year. Horses or ponies. Fence height 2' with no combinations. The same show the same horse/rider or pony/rider may not cross enter into Children's Hunter Horse or Pony, Pony Hunters or any class where fences exceed 2'3".

30. PRE-CHILDREN'S HUNTER OVER FENCES
31. PRE-CHILDRENS HUNTER FENCES
32. PRE-CHILDRENS HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

Modified Pony Hunter Division-RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Fences to be 2'. A pony/rider combination may not cross into any other hunter class over fences except equitation and pre-childrens hunters at the same show.

93. MODIFIED PONY HUNTER FENCES
94. MODIFIED PONY HUNTER FENCES
95. MODIFIED PONY HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

Special Hunter – Unrated. Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Fences not to exceed 2'6"

33. SPECIAL HUNTER OVER FENCES
34. SPECIAL HUNTER FENCES
35. SPECIAL HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

RIHA Hunter Division – RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to members and non-members. Horse/rider combinations are not eligible for any other RIHA, NEHC or USEF rated classes excluding equitation. Open to a horse or rider in their first and second year of showing over fences. Fences not to exceed 2'6".

36. RIHA HUNTER FENCES
37. RIHA HUNTER FENCES
38. RIHA HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

**Federation Entry Agreement**

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of the United States Equestrian Federation, Inc (the Federation) and the local rules of the competition. I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, director and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable-casts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may no be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State See GR908.4

**Federation release, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Indemnification****This document waives important legal rights, Read it carefully before signing.**

I AGREE in consideration for my participation in this Competition to the following: I AGREE that I choose to participate voluntarily in the Competition with my horse, as a rider, driver, handler, vaultor, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach trainer or as parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor. I am fully aware and acknowledge that horse sports and the Competition involve inherent dangerous risks of accident, loss and serious bodily injury including broken bones, head injuries trauma, pain, suffering or death ("Harm"). I AGREE to release the Federation and the Competition from all claims for money damages or otherwise for any Harm to me or my horse and for any Harm caused by me or my horse to theirs, even if the Harm resulted, directly or indirectly, from the negligence of the Federation or the Competition. I AGREE to expressly assume all risks of Harm to me or my horse including Harm resulting from the negligence of the Federation or the Competition. I AGREE to indemnify (that is to pay any losses, damages or costs incurred by) the Federation and the Competition and to hold harmless with respect to claims for Harm to me or my horse and for claims made by others for any harm caused by me or my horse at the Competition. I have read the Federation Rules about protective equipment, including GR81 and EV114, and I understand that I am entitled to wear protective equipment without penalty, and I acknowledge that the Federation strongly encourages me to do so while WARNING that no protective equipment can guard against all injuries. If I am a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and AGREE to assume all of the obligations of the Release on the child's behalf. I AGREE that the "Federation" and the "Competition" as used above includes all of the officials, officer, directors, employees, agents, personnel volunteers and affiliated organizations. I AGREE that if I am injured at this competition the medical personnel treating my injuries may provide information on my injury and treatment to the Federation on the official USEF accident/injury report form. I represent that I have the requisite training, coaching and abilities to safely compete in this competition. **BY SIGNING I AGREE to be bound by all applicable Federations Rules and all terms and provisions of this entry.**

97. Platinum Performance/USEF Talent Search Entry Fee \$40.00  
Open to US citizens who are members of the USEF who have not reached their 21<sup>st</sup> birthday and are either Junior or Young Riders and are Amateurs under USEF/FEI rules. The over fences phase of the class shall be over a special course of at least ten fences 3'6" to 3'9" in height with spreads to 5'. Wings shall be no wider than 36 inches. The course must include a double and triple combination with at least one spread fence in each. Two other spread fences are required elsewhere on the course and an obstacle with water is recommended. (Will be obligatory in the finals)

88. MHJ Adult Medal Entry Fee \$35.00  
Open to all amateur adult competitors to perform over at least 8 fences 2'9" to 3'0" with at least two changes of direction and a combination. Competitors may cross enter into the NEHJ Adult Talent Medal. At least 2 riders must complete the course in order for points to count. Ten points required to qualify for the finals. Once qualified, riders may continue to show in the class until August 1, 2009. At the Finals, class will be divided 18-30 and Over 30.

89. SEHA Adult Medal Entry Fee \$35.00  
Open to amateur adult members of SEHA. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not to exceed 3' in height. One or more tests of the top 4 contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion. (USEF 1-19). To fill at least 3 competitors must complete the course. Ten points required to qualify for the finals (10,8,6,4,2,1) Once qualified, rider may still enter the class. If the rider has won the Adult Medal at the Finals, they are no longer eligible for this class.

90. RIHA Adult Hunt Seat Medal Entry Fee \$35.00  
Open to adult amateur members of the Rhode Island Horsemen's Association. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not to exceed 3' with at least 1 change of direction. One or more individual tests of the top four contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion. (USEF tests 1-19). To fill a class at least three competitors must complete the course. For the Finals, the judge shall be required to work-off the top four contestants. One first or two seconds needed to qualify for the finals.

92. NEHC Adult Medal Entry Fee \$35.00  
Open to adult members of the New England Horseman's Council. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not exceeding 3'. One or more individual tests of the top four contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion (USEF 1-19). To fill a class at least four competitors must complete the course. Contestants that are qualified are no longer eligible for the preliminary classes. Violation will forfeit eligibility for the finals for that year.

94. Ariat National Adult Medal Entry Fee \$40.00  
Open to all Amateur members of the USEF who are eligible to compete in the Adult Amateur Hunter Section at this show. A rider may not compete at the same horse show in any hunter or equitation class in which the jumps exceed 3'3". To be shown over a minimum of 8 fences 2'9" to 3' in height spread not to exceed fence height. The course may be either a jumper of hunter type course and must include at least two changes of direction and a combination. Water obstacles are not permitted. The top four riders are required to perform at least two individual tests from USEF tests 1 – 19. An open numerical scoring system must be used in the first round with each rider's score announced at the completion of their round. There is no minimum requirement to fill this class.

Modified Adult Hunter – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to riders who are eligible for Modified Adult Equitation. Fences not to exceed 2'6".  
42. MODIFIED ADULT HUNTER FENCES  
43. MODIFIED ADULT HUNTER FENCES  
44. MODIFIED ADULT HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

Children's Hunter – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
To be shown by junior exhibitors. Juniors 15 – 17 years of age must be eligible for intermediate equitation over fences as of December 1 of the current show year. Fences not to exceed 2'0" for small/medium ponies, 2'6" for large ponies and 3' for horses. Spreads not to exceed fence height. If entries warrant, the division may be split at the discretion of show management. Same horse/pony/rider combination cannot show in any other rated division except equitation at the same show. Ponies may not cross enter into the Regular Pony Hunter Division. Jogging for soundness at the discretion of the judge.  
62. CHILDREN'S HUNTER FENCES  
63. CHILDREN'S HUNTER FENCES  
64. CHILDREN'S HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

Adult Amateur Hunter – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
To be ridden by amateurs who are no longer eligible to compete as junior exhibitors. Horse/rider combinations are not eligible for the Amateur Owner Hunter Division at the same show. Horses may be shown by a different rider in any other division or class at the same competition. To be judged on performance, soundness, manners, way of going, size of rider to mount, and suitability as an Adult Amateur Hunter. Horses and ponies may be jogged for soundness at the judge's discretion. Height of fences 3'; spreads not to exceed height of fence. Ponies may be ridden by adults, suitability to count.  
84. ADULT HUNTER FENCES  
85. ADULT HUNTER FENCES  
86. ADULT HUNTER UNDER SADDLE

### EQUITATION DIVISIONS

Modified Adult Equitation – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to adult amateur riders who, as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year, have not won six blue ribbons at a recognized show in Adult Equitation classes, including Adult medal classes, but excluding Modified Adult classes. For amateurs who have won six blue ribbons, they are eligible for Modified Adult, if as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year, they have not shown in classes with fences 3' or higher within the past two show years. Fences not to exceed 2'6". Riders in this division cannot show in any other recognized classes at the same show where fences exceed 2'6".  
39. MODIFIED ADULT EQUITATION FENCES  
40. MODIFIED ADULT EQUITATION FENCES  
41. MODIFIED ADULT EQUITATION FLAT

Children's Equitation – NEHC/RIHA "C" Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class  
Open to exhibitors who are eligible for Children's Hunter and who have not shown over a course where fences exceed 3' at a recognized show after December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year.  
59. CHILDREN'S EQUITATION FENCES  
60. CHILDREN'S EQUITATION FENCES/MHJ QUALIFIER  
61. CHILDREN'S EQUITATION FLAT

Hunter Seat Equitation Under 15 – NEHC/RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class

- 47. UNDER 15 EQUITATION FENCES
- 48. UNDER 15 EQUITATION FENCES
- 49. UNDER 15 EQUITATION FLAT

Hunter Seat Equitation Under 18–NEHC/RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/Class

- 56. UNDER 18 EQUITATION FENCES
- 57. UNDER 18 EQUITATION FENCES
- 58. UNDER 18 EQUITATION FLAT

Adult Hunter Seat Equitation-NEHC/RIHA “C” Entry Fee \$65.00 Division \$25.00/class  
Open to amateur riders eighteen years of age or older. Fences not to exceed 3'. To be judged in both directions at a walk, trot and canter on the flat. Martingales prohibited in flat classes.

- 81. ADULT EQUITATION FENCES
- 82. ADULT EQUITATION FENCES
- 83. ADULT EQUITATION FLAT

### MEDAL CLASSES

45. RIHA Amateur Adult Hunt Seat Mini Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to adult amateur members of the Rhode Island Horsemen's Association who, as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year, have not won six blue ribbons at a recognized show in Adult Equitation classes, including Adult Medal Classes, but excluding Modified Adult Classes. For amateurs who have won six blue ribbons, they are eligible for Modified Adult if, as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year, they have not shown in classes with fences 3' or higher with the past two show years. Competitors will be asked to perform over at least six fences not to exceed 2'6" with no combinations. USEF tests 1-8 may be asked at the judge's discretion. A minimum of three exhibitors must complete the course. To qualify for the finals, an exhibitor must win one class. Once qualified a rider may continue to show in this class.

73. MHJ Mini Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to all junior riders who have not reached their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year (exception Maiden and Novice riders who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year). To perform over at least 6 fences not to exceed 2'6". At least 2 riders must complete the course in order for points to count.

74. SEHA Mini Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to SEHA members who have not reached their 15<sup>th</sup> birthday as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year and have not competed in any horsemanship class in which the rider is required to jump higher than 3'0". All contestants are to compete over a course not to exceed 8 fences and not less than 6 fences at a height not to exceed 2'6". No combinations. One or more individual tests may be requested at the judge's discretion (USEF tests 1 – 5) Contestants are not allowed to cross enter into the National Children's Medal, WIHS, MHC, NEHC and RIHA Medal, USEF Medal, USET or the ASPCA Horsemanship class at any show during the year. To fill a class at least 3 competitors must complete the course.

75. RIHA Hunt Seat Mini Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to junior members of the Rhode Island Horsemen's Association who have not reached their fifteenth birthday and to riders 15 – 17 years of age who are eligible for limit equitation over fences as of December 1 in current show year and have not competed in classes in which the entry may be required to jump higher than 3'0". All riders to compete over a course not exceeding 8 fences and not less than 6 fences, excluding combination fences, at a height not to exceed 2'6" with at least one change of direction. One or more individual tests may be requested at the judge's discretion. (USEF tests 1 – 8). To fill a class at least 4 competitors must complete the course. Contestants are not allowed to cross enter into any medal classes with fences 3' or higher or compete in a division or class with fences over 3' at any show during the year. Violation of this requirement disqualifies the competitor from the finals. RIHA Mini Medal Finals the top six contestants are to be tested (USFF tests 1 – 8).

93. Taylor Harris Insurance Services Childrens Medal Entry Fee \$40.00

To be shown over a minimum of 8 fences 2'9" to 3' in height, spread not to exceed fence height. The course may be either a hunter or jumper type course and must include at least two changes of direction and a combination; water obstacles are not permitted. The top four riders of the first round competitors are required to perform at least two individual tests from USEF Tests 1 – 19. An Open Numerical Scoring System must be used in the first round, with each rider's score announced at the completion of their round.

76. MHJ Junior Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to junior riders who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday as of December 1, 2009. All contestants are required to perform over at least 6 fences not to exceed 3' in height. Competitors may cross enter in the NEHJ Junior Talent Medal. To fill at least 2 competitors must complete the course. Ten points required to qualify for the finals. Once qualified, riders may continue to compete through August 1, 2009.

77. SEHA Junior Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to junior members who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not to exceed 3'3" in height. One or more tests of the top 4 contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion. (USEF tests 1 – 19) To fill at least 4 competitors must complete the course. The points required to qualify for the finals. (10,6,4,2,1,1/2) Once qualified, the rider may still enter the class. If the rider has won the Junior Medal at the Finals, they are no longer eligible for this class.

78. RIHA Hunt Seat Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to junior members of the Rhode Island Horsemen's Association who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not to exceed 3' with at least one change of direction. One or more individual tests of the top four contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion. (USEF current tests 1 – 19) To fill a class at least three competitors must complete the course. For the finals the judge shall be required to work-off the top four contestants. One first or two seconds required to qualify for the finals.

80. NEHC Junior Medal Entry Fee \$35.00

Open to junior members of the New England Horseman's Council who have not reached their eighteenth birthday. All contestants are required to perform over at least 8 fences not exceeding 3'3". One or more individual tests of the top four contestants may be requested at the judge's discretion (USEF tests 1 – 19) To fill the class at least four competitors must complete the course. One win required to qualify for Finals. Contestants that are qualified are no longer eligible for the preliminary classes. Violation will forfeit eligibility for the finals for that year.

95. Pessoa/USEF Hunt Seat Medal Entry Fee \$40.00

Open to junior members of the USEF who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Applications for membership may be made directly to the USEF office, or the exhibitor can join prior to the class through the USEF steward. To be shown over a course of not less than 8 obstacles at 3'6" which must include one combination including an oxer and two changes of direction after the first obstacle. To fill a class, six competitors must complete the course.

96. ASPCA Horsemanship Class Entry Fee \$40.00

Open to junior riders who have not reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Rider and trainer must be current members of the ASPCA/NHSAA and must show their ASPCA numbers on the entry blank. To be shown over at least 8 fences not to exceed 3'6". A minimum of 12 riders, if available, are required to show at a walk, trot and canter. To be judged on seat, hands, guidance and control of horse. The under saddle performance of those riders selected to show under saddle shall count 50%. To fill a class, six competitors must complete the course.