# New For 2021

The 29th Annual Youth Nationals

Junior Exhibitor Age breaks are now 14 & Under and 15 - 18

Youth & Mid Summer National Arabian & Half-Arabian Championship Horse Show

July 15-24, 2021

State Fair Park Oklahoma City, OK





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The Judges & Stewards Commissioner is responsible for handling written and signed complaints relating to the judges', stewards', and other show officials' conduct when filed by exhibitors, show officials, AHA members or others, and when accompanied by a ten dollar (\$10) filing fee. (Res. 5-90) Other comments, compliments, questions, inquiries are encouraged when appropriate (no filing fee required). Write to: AHA, Judges & Stewards Commissioner, 10805 E Bethany Dr., Aurora, CO 80014-2605; call 303-696-4539 or fax to 303-696-7878.

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#### **EVENT NUMBERS**

These shows are recognized by the Arabian Horse Association. Regular Member United States Equestrian Federation

	AHA	USEF/EC
Youth & Mid Summer Nationals	#15331	7318
Canadian Nationals	#15332	Silver TBA Suspended for 2021
Sport Horse Nationals	#15334	317471
U.S. Nationals	#15335	206

# PLEASE BE ADVISED THE COMPLETE PRIZE LIST WILL BE AVAILABLE MID APRIL

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT USEF/EC RULE BOOK WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH.

ANY CHANGES OR CORRECTIONS AFTER THE PUBLICATION OF THE OMNIBUS FOR ANY RULES WILL AUTOMATICALLY BECOME PART OF THIS PRIZE LIST AND WILL APPEAR ON THE AHA WEBSITE (WWW.ARABIANHORSES.ORG).

The Youth, Mid Summer Nationals, Sport Horse Nationals and U.S. Nationals are conducted in accordance with the rules of the United States Equestrian Federation (USEF), and Canadian Nationals is conducted in accordance with the rules of Equestrian Canada (EC). The official rulebook of each organization will prevail for all shows, particularly the Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian Horse Division and the rules of the Arabian Horse Association.

Every participant in each show is responsible for knowledge of these rules and is subject to these rules. The Show Commissions reserve the right to make changes to what is listed in the omnibus at any time.

For assistance, please call the AHA office at (303) 696-4500 (option #4), or fax at (303) 696-4599, Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM (Mountain Time), or e-mail us at NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org.

#### **GR 1 AHA INDEMNITY AND NON-RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSES**

All entries are accepted with the understanding that the Arabian Horse Association and State Fair Park, World Equestrian Center, Tulsa Expo Square and Keystone Centre, their officers, officials, and employees will not be held responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any exhibitor, his or her agent or employee, or to any horse or any article of any kind. The exhibitor will be responsible for any loss, damage, or injury to any person, animal, or property occasioned by him/her, his/her agents or employees, or by any animal owned or exhibited by him/her, and shall indemnify the Arabian Horse Association and State Fair Park, World Equestrian Center, Tulsa Expo Square and Keystone Centre, against any and all loss, damages and liability thus occasioned, including, but not limited to any and all legal costs, including attorney fees, which may be incurred as a result. The submitting of any official entry form to the show secretary shall constitute an acceptance of these provisions by each person or agent signing the entry form.

#### GR 2 ADMISSION TO THE RING AND CONTROLLED PADDOCK PROCEDURE

No person will be permitted to enter the ring except participants in the class, judges, their assistants and show officials. Attendants and grooms may enter the ring only when summoned by order of the judges. Attendants and grooms who enter the ring shall be considered a part of the showing team and must be neatly dressed in proper show attire, wearing unmarked dusters at all times when they are in the ring.

Only standard grooming equipment will be allowed in this area. There will be no whips, noise makers or other such equipment, devices or objects in the in-gate area which might disturb or create a hazard to horses or handlers except a show whip carried properly by a handler.

#### 1 FOR PERFORMANCE CLASSES

At the discretion of Show Management, order of entry into the ring may be predetermined for any class.

A maximum of two grooms and one handler per horse will be allowed at the in-gate area.

#### 2. FOR IN-HAND CLASSES

In all breeding classes, the order of go will be determined and posted by birth date of the horse from oldest to youngest. Entries will enter in the order as posted and will be inspected for signs of abuse by the Show Steward immediately prior to entrance into the ring for judging. The manner of inspection will be at the discretion of Show Management.

#### 3. CONTROLLED PADDOCK

The one specified person assisting with entrance of in-hand horses into the ring will be allowed to use only the same length whip and appendages as are currently allowed for the individual handling the horse. Rule reference AR114.2: Whips are to be no longer than 6' including snapper/lash/appendage. Small appendages (no more than 12 inches in length) of ribbon, plastic, etc. are permitted.

The designated person will not hit or use any other objects, such as trash cans, walls, etc., to make any noise.

In addition, effective immediately, the use of plastic or paper bags of any type or size is prohibited in assisting with entrance(s) into the arena. It is the responsibility of Show Management, along with the USEF Steward(s) to ensure the "designated person" understands this policy and their role.

Should this rule/policy be violated, a warning card may be issued to both the handler and the designated person or groom who initiates this violation.

#### **GR 3 ARABIAN BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (ABS)**

All Horses entering into Arabian Breeders Sweepstakes (ABS) classes must be Sweepstakes nominated either as a Breeding entry (BE) or an Original entries (OE).

Yearlings must be Breeding Entries (BE).

A horse that is co-owned by two distinct non family members per USEF AR110.e. 1 – 10 cannot be shown in the ABS AAOTR Jackpot Classes.

\*\* STARTING IN 2021 Entries into the Sport Horse Nationals Dressage Prospect Incentive class must be Sweepstakes nominated as either a Breeding Entry or Original Entry.

See each show for more detailed information relating to ABS classes held at those shows.

#### ARABIAN BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES PRIZE MONEY

Classes that are eligible for Sweepstakes prize money are designated in the class list and in the time schedule

Sweepstakes Prize Money is available in designated Sweepstakes classes for horses placing in these classes which are Sweepstakes Nominated as a Breeding Entry or Original Entry are eligible for prize money as listed in the Time Schedule.

The 50% rule is in effect for all designated Sweepstakes classes, with the exception of the ABS Yearling classes, ABS Green Hunter Derby, the ABS Dressage Prospect Incentive Class., the ABS AAOTR/AOTR Jackpot Classes and the ABS AAOTH Performance Halter Classes.

The Sweepstakes Commission reserves the right to pay the dollar amounts printed in the online version of the AHA Handbook in the event the incorrect dollar amount is announced or presented in center ring.

Any and all disputes which arise regarding the Sweepstakes program will be presented to the Sweepstakes Commission for resolution and their determination will be final.

#### **GR 4 AMATEUR OWNER**

\*\*\* A horse that is co-owned by two distinct non family members per USEF AR110.e. 1 – 10 cannot be shown in the ABS AAOTR Jackpot Classes or Performance Maturity AAOTR Classes at any National Show.

It is unethical to transfer or assist or facilitate in the transfer of a horse with the intent to circumvent the purpose of the rules regarding ownership of horses shown in the amateur owner and/or junior owner classes. It is unethical for any AHA member to not provide information relating to the transfer in question that is requested by the Probable Cause Panel or the Ethical Practice Review Board.

In determining whether the transfer was unethical, the EPRB may consider, among others, the following:

Horse ending up back in the previous owner's name within a year of the original transfer.

Horse being transferred at less than fair market value (owner to provide proof of the sales amount).

The fact that prize money went to a person other than the owner or family member.

The fact that the owner or family member did not pay the expenses relating to the upkeep and showing of the horse.

#### **GR 5 AWARDS**

Top Ten Awards will be made regardless of the number of competing entries. However, only awards made to the top 50% (rounded up not to exceed 10 awards) will receive AHA Horse Achievement Award Points, Amateur Achievement Award Points, High Point Horse Achievement Award, and High Point Amateur Achievement Award points.

Types of awards are as follows: trophy and championship ribbon to the National Champion; trophy and reserve championship ribbon to the Reserve National Champion; plaques and ribbons to remainder of the Top Ten.

Champion and Reserve Champion will NOT receive Top Ten Plaques. Champion and Reserve Champion may purchase a plaque if they wish to do so in the Awards Room.

All horses qualifying for the semi-finals will receive a ribbon from Preliminary sections (I,II,III). In addition, all horses in A/B and SF Sections advancing to the SFF or FNL, section ribbons will be awarded.

All awards not claimed by the close of the show will be forfeited with no exceptions. No awards will be mailed.

#### AWARDS CEREMONY

The Championship and Reserve Championship award ceremony at National Shows allow up to five people other than authorized personnel for award photographs.

#### **AWARDS/SPECIAL**

The National Show Commissions will determine if individual prizes and awards will be presented at the National Shows. AHA is not liable for payment of donated prize money paid by an outside organization. Exhibitors are instructed to contact the individual donors to complete any necessary paperwork.

Sponsored/Special awards (are to be considered separate from the Arabian Horse Association's prize list for a national event. Therefore, Arabian and Half Arabian Nationals and the Arabian Horse Association are not liable for providing or presenting any award (printed or otherwise) if a sponsor cancels or is unable to provide the agreed upon awards. These awards are subject to change

#### **GR 6 BEDDING/SHAVINGS**

Shavings and feed are available for purchase on the show grounds. Outside shaving deliveries are not allowed to the show grounds.

#### **GR 7 CANCELLATION OR DATE CHANGE OF SHOW**

Show Management reserves the right to change the dates and/or the location of the show or to cancel the show altogether. In the event of a cancellation, all entry fees and stall fees will be refunded upon request. (Office fees are non-refundable.) Neither the Show Management nor AHA shall have any liability to any exhibitor, owner, handler or other person, firm or corporation by reason of any change or cancellation of the show, except for the return of the aforementioned fees.

#### **GR 8 CLASS INFORMATION**

A class is composed of all its sections including Preliminaries (I,II,III), Eliminations (A,B,C), Semi-Finals/Finals (SF/F), Semi Finals -1st Go (SF), and Finals -2nd/last Go (FNL).

Many National classes are divided into sections depending on the number of entries. Please check with the Show Office regarding if a class has sections and which section you have been assigned. If you miss YOUR SECTION, you have missed YOUR CLASS and will not be allowed to advance further. This policy will be strictly enforced.

#### 1. ADDING CLASSES

Additional class entries must be submitted on the Official Entry Form for each show. Please check the box indicating this is not a new horse but added classes for a horse already entered.

#### 2. CANCELLATION OF CLASSES

The AHA Convention has established a minimum of three (3) entries for all National classes. The Show Commissions may cancel any class with fewer than three entries. Horses entered in classes cancelled in the 2020 National Arabian and Half-Arabian Championship Horse Shows will retain their eligibility for the 2021 National Show (Res. 61-86).

#### 3. CLASS CALLS

- a. The two-minute limit for gate closing will be strictly enforced. The gate will close two minutes after the first horse enters the ring or in cases with large classes taking more than two minutes, after the entry of the final horse in a continuous string of horses.
- b. Due to unforeseeable problems with any mechanical device, the public address system and paddock calls over that system must be considered a courtesy.
- c. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be sure that his/her horse is at the gate at the prescribed time. Every effort will be made to maintain a working public address system to carry class calls; however, no protest will be upheld, nor will any section be changed on the basis of public address malfunction alone.

#### 4. CLASS PROCEDURES

- a. Riders in Reining, Trail, Working Cow, Cutting, Dressage, Working Hunter, Jumper, Sport Horse In-Hand, Ranch Riding and Obstacle Driving classes may show more than one horse in the class.
- b. In all other classes, a horse may be shown in a class (including sections) by only one rider and only one horse per rider.

#### 5. CLASS SCRATCHES & NO SHOWS

- a. PLEASE refer to the fee chart for each show for late scratch fees.
- b. All Scratches MUST be submitted to the show office to be considered official and <u>must be made at least one session prior to the session the</u> <u>class is in</u> or be subject to a fine. At the show, scratches can be done either via the app, web site or in person at the show.
- c. Scratches taking place once the session starts will be assessed the late scratch fee.

Exception: official scratches filled out at the gate.

<u>Scratches at the gate.</u> Exhibitors who scratch at the gate and do fill out a scratch form with the gate person will be charged either the failure to scratch fee or the no show fee.

#### 6. CLASS SECTIONS

#### a. SECTIONS REQUESTS

If a section is not specified, then random entry selection will be used for assigning sections. Sections will be posted the day prior to the class.

If you miss YOUR SECTION, you have missed YOUR CLASS and will not be allowed to advance further. This policy will be strictly enforced. Exhibitors with possible ring conflicts, should identify section requests on the Official Entry Form. Once at the show, sections and go forward sections can be requested via the AHA App, web site or in person at the show office. All requests MUST be submitted BY NOON the day prior to when the sections are to be posted.

Example: if the class is Tuesday, sections will be posted Monday, section requests must be in by noon Sunday.

- b. GO FORWARD section requests (from elimination sections I, II, III sections to A,B sections) will ONLY be accepted AFTER you make the cut. It must be submitted within 1 hour AFTER the completion of the elimination section.
- c. ONCE A CLASS HAS BEEN SECTIONED Requests for section or working order changes must be handled in the show office as follows:
  - i. if an exhibitor has a conflict between scheduled classes, the exhibitor must request the change in section or working order at least two sessions prior to the earliest class involved. This change must be requested on the official Section Change Form and be filed with the Show Secretary in the Show Office.
  - ii. Show Management reviews all requests for changes and their rulings are final. Exhibitors must return to the Show Office to determine if their request for change has been granted and must sign the request form indicating they are aware of the action taken relative to their request.
  - iii. If Show Management creates a conflict with an exhibitor's scheduled class, due to a time change or other adjustment, a section or work order assignment may be changed by Show Management to resolve the conflict. In such case, every effort will be made by the Show Office to notify the exhibitor involved of the section/work order change.

#### 7. CLASS/HORSE SUBSTITUTIONS

Substitutions will follow USEF/EC rules. If the owner wishes to use another <del>qualified</del> horse to replace the deceased, sold or injured horse, substitutions may be made after the announced date of the closing of entries and will be handled as follows:

- a. The Office and the Scoring fee must be paid for the substitute horse, all other fees are transferable.
- b. A copy of the veterinary letter and/or a copy of notification of death or sale (to the appropriate registry) regarding the death or sale of the horse must be provided with the substitution horse's entry. For an injury the Vet certificate should give a detailed description of the injury.
- c. The classes must be the same type and rider age breaks or level.
- d. Additional classes may be entered for which the new horse is qualified. Post entry rules apply.

8. POST ENTRIES Please refer to each individual show's rules for dates and post fees for horses and added classes. Post entries may not be listed in the program and may not be stalled with horses from the same barn

#### 9. RIDER/HANDLER/EQUITATION HORSE CHANGES

Any changes to the originally entered rider, driver, handler or equitation horse must be made on the appropriate form at the show office at least one session prior to the class involved. Failure to do so will result in a fine. Refer to Fee Chart for each show. **Changes can be done on the AHA App, web site or in person at the show office** Once a class section has run, rider/driver/handler changes for advancing sections are not allowed except for a medical emergency per USEF rules. Please make sure the correct rider is listed for your classes.

#### 10. REFUNDS

- a. All refunds will be processed after the conclusion of the show.
- b. Cancelations prior to the initial close will be refunded all but the Office fee regardless of the reason. All other refunds will be considered upon receipt of a suitable Veterinarian/Doctors certificate attesting to illness or injury, along with a letter from the exhibitor explaining the circumstances.

All fees, except the office fees, will be refunded with a veterinarian certificate received at the AHA office no later than 30 days prior to the first day of the show.

Only the class entry fees, 9-90 fee, USEF fees, EC fees will be refunded, with a veterinarian certificate postmarked between 30 days and 15 days prior to the first day of the show.

No fees will be refunded for requests received at the AHA office between 14 day and the completion of the show.

#### Exception - AHA Halter Futurity (FUT 102) and Performance Futurity and Maturity Program fees (PERF 107)

- c. Entries paid with a Credit card will be refunded to the Credit Card used for that entry. Entries paid by check will be refunded by check to the person who cut the check.
- d. In the case of a deceased horse, a copy of the veterinary letter and/or a copy of notification of death (to the appropriate registry) is required before a refund will be made for all fees with the exception of the office fee which will be retained by AHA.
- e. All fees paid for classes cancelled by Show Management shall be refunded in full.
- f Class entry fees will be refunded for all non-qualified classes only. All qualified horses/riders entered in a class including classes where cross entry is not permitted will not be refunded.

#### **GR 9 CONTROLLED PADDOCK PROCEDURE**

Since the controlled paddock was first instituted, the use of large plastic bags and other items has escalated well beyond what is necessary to assist our in-hand horses into the arena. Additionally, we have erred by not clearly stating how this one specified person appointed by either the show committee or the exhibitor is to go about assisting with entrance(s) into the arena. It is well past time for us to establish these parameters and we ask for the support of all our owners and spectators in understanding that these parameters are for the welfare of our horses and our breed. These parameters will also help remove some of the negativity expressed regarding the current practices of how our in-hand horses are presented to the judges and to the public.

The one specified person assisting with entrance of in-hand horses into the ring will be allowed to use only the same length whip and appendages as are currently allowed for the individual handling the horse. Rule reference AR 114.2: Whips are to be no longer than 6' including snapper/lash/appendage. Small appendages (no more than 12 inches in length) of ribbon, plastic, etc. are permitted.

The designated person will not hit or use any other objects, such as trash cans, walls, etc., to make any noise.

In addition, effective immediately, the use of plastic or paper bags of any type or size is prohibited in assisting with entrance(s) into the arena. It is the responsibility of Show Management, along with the USEF Steward(s) to ensure the "designated person" understands this policy and their role. Should this rule/policy be violated, a warning card may be issued to both the handler and the designated person or groom who initiates this violation

#### **GR 10 COVID AND HEALTH PROTOCALS**

Exhibitors are advised that All AHA National Shows will follow the current guidelines put in place in accordance with the recommendations of the CDC, WHO, USEF and AHA in regard to social distancing and public health that are in place at the time of each National Show. Please check the AHA web site for updates.

#### **GR 11 DISCIPLINE**

Exhibitors are advised that any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the officials of this show on the part of the owner, lessee, trainer, groom, rider, driver, handler or member of the family of the person participating in the show will disqualify the horse from adjudication. The management reserves the right to remove any horse, owner, lessee, trainer, groom, rider, driver, handler, or member of the family of the person participating in the show from the show grounds without being liable for compensation of damages.

Any action(s) against a horse which are deemed excessive by a Judge, Steward or Show Veterinarian, in the show ring or anywhere on the competition grounds, may be punished by official warning, elimination, or other sanctions which may be deemed appropriate by the Commissions or the Judges & Stewards Commissioner. Such action(s) could include, but are not limited to, excessive use of whip, spurs, or bamboo poles. It is a violation of USEF and Equestrian Canada rules to commit any act or make remarks during the show that are considered offensive or made with the intent to influence or cast aspersions on the judging. (Refer to the current USEF and Equestrian Canada Rule Books).

#### **GR 12 DISPUTE NOT COVERED BY RULES**

Should any question or dispute arise not provided for in the governing rules of USEF or AHA, the question or dispute shall be referred to the Show Committee, whose decision will be final.

#### **GR 13 DISQUALIFICATION**

Refer to current USEF and Equestrian Canada Rule Books. For clarification on how a disqualified horse is replaced, refer to the current AHA Handbook.

#### **GR 14 DNA TESTING**

The Arabian Horse Association reserves the right to do DNA testing at ANY National Show by collecting hair samples (or blood sample, if necessary) from Arabian, Half-Arabian or Anglo-Arabian horses. Samples will be collected under the overall supervision of the Registry Services Department. Any questionable results will go through the standard investigation process of that department. Prize money may be withheld pending the outcome of questionable results. All Half-Arabians competing in the Halter Futurity and Performance Futurity/Maturity/Derby must have DNA type on file of the horse and horse's purebred Arabian Parent placed on permanent record with the AHA Registry and the horse has been shown to qualify as an offspring of the purebred sire or purebred dam. DNA must be on file with the AHA office before the horse will be eligible to compete in these classes.

#### **GR 15 DOGS & OTHER PETS/ANIMALS**

No dogs will be allowed in the main arena or paddock area with the exception of Companion/Guide Dogs, and in accordance with USEF Rules. Dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from their dogs' behaviors.

Dog owners failing to comply with this rule may be subject to penalty under USEF Chapters 6 and 7, as well as issuance of warning cards. The Show Management further reserves the right to fine any exhibitor or farm whose dog is running loose and has to be confined by show officials. The first offense will be up to \$50.00. The second offense will be up to \$100.00 and expulsion of the animal from the show grounds.

No animal other than horses, dogs or cats are allowed on the show grounds without the express written consent of the National Show Commission. No animals other than horses shall be allowed on the grounds for the purpose of being sold.

#### **GR 16 DRUG TESTING, SHOE & HOOF MEASURING**

Complimentary hoof measurements will NOT be provided by USEF/EC Stewards at any National Show.

It is the prerogative of Show Management to require drug testing or to require the inspection of shoes, pads and/or hoof length for any entry at any time during the show. This is to be accomplished prior to the horse leaving a prearranged inspection area. All horses competing in the Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian Hunter, Jumper, Dressage, Eventing, Combined Driving, Pleasure (Carriage) Driving, Working Western, and Sport Horse Sections are exempt from shoeing regulations. This does not exempt horses that are cross entered into any other classes from compliance with applicable shoeing requirements while competing in those classes. See USEF Rulebook for current shoeing and toe length regulations.

Per resolution #24-04, mandatory drug testing will take place at the U.S. and Canadian Nationals. Horses will be picked at random.

#### **GR 17 DUPLICATE TROPHIES**

Duplicate Awards may be ordered any time for any National Show. See each show office for details. All prices include shipping and handling. Forms may be picked up at the Awards Room. After the Event contact AHA at (303) 696-4500 (#4), or e-mail to:

NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org for more information.

#### **GR 18 EMERGENCY CONTACT**

AHA and the Show Commissioners advise owners and/or trainers to leave your contact information of where you can be reached for the duration your horses(s) are on grounds for the National Show with either the barn manager and/or on a card on the stall door.

#### **GR 19 EXHIBITOR ENTRY INFORMATION**

All AHA Official Forms can be found on the AHA website for each show under Exhibitor Information.

Fees are in US funds. All entries must be paid in full when submitted. Blank checks sent with an entry will be filled out by the AHA office for the amount due. Checks drawn on Canadian banks must be from a US account or <u>preprinted</u> with "US Funds".

DO NOT SUBMIT ENTRY BY MORE THAN ONE MEDTHOD AS CREDIT CARDS MAY BE CHARGED MULTIPLE TIMES. Confirmation of entries will be sent via e-mail. If confirmation is not received two weeks prior to the first day of the show, please contact AHA immediately.

#### 1. ENTRY REFUSAL

The Show Management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel any entries of any exhibitor, as stated in the current USEF or Equestrian Canada Rule Books and current AHA Handbook.

#### 2. INVALID ENTRIES

The following will be considered as an invalid entry and subject to late or post entry fees;

a. UNREGISTERD HORSES. All Horses must have a certificate of registration when entering any National Show. Entries for pending registrations will be held until the registration is complete. A post entry fee will be charged if the registration is NOT completed by the closing date of the show.

See each show for further information.

- b. Checks or credit cards for a lesser amount than owed..
- c. NSF checks, Credit cards that are declined will be charged the current AHA NSF fee (see the AHA Handbook SUS 101.3). If Full payment is not be received by the closing deadline or within 7 days of notification of the NSF, the entry may be subject to additional fees.

#### 3. ONLINE ENTRIES

- a. Online entry is available for all National shows. When the online entry system is ready, an email news flash will be sent. If AHA does not have a current USEF/EC membership on file for you, you may enter "N/A"; however, you must send AHA a copy of all those USEF/EC membership cards. Please include which show and horse it is for.
- b. If you have problems entering a horse jointly owned online, please call AHA to link that joint ownership. Once linked, you will be able to enter online.
- c. Once your online entry is complete, an email from the AHA shopping cart will be sent confirming your entry and payment. If you did not get an email, PLEASE call AHA to confirm your entry.
- d. For group stalling for entries completed online, please fill out the Official Stable Request Form listing all the owners and horses. Please only one form per group. See each show for deadlines for when group stall requests must be in to the AHA office.

#### 4. MAILED, EMAILED OR FAXED ENTRIES

Exhibitors are advised to use a form of expedited, traceable mail service when sending entries in order to ensure that their entries are received.

AHA will accept faxed/emailed entries with a valid credit card.

Email to: NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org with the show name in the subject line

Fax to: 303-696-4599 (Please include a cover sheet)

Mail to: Attn. (Name of National Show) 10805 East Bethany Drive Aurora, CO 80014

<u>A photo of the entry form will not be accepted.</u> Please contact AHA if you do NOT get a return email acknowledging the receipt of your entry on the same or next business day.

METERED MAIL Will only be accepted with an official postmark from country of origin.

**ENTRY FORM MUST BE COMPLETE.** PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY. Entries not compete may be returned. If the returned entry form is still not complete and is received by the closing date, it will be considered a post entry. Please see each show for the amount of the post entry fee.

Entry form is completed with the following;

1. The complete and correct name and address of the registered owner. Owner is defined as the recorded owner as listed on the registration papers. Owners may be listed in the name of a stable or farm only if, the stable or farm is the bona fide owner appearing on the horse's papers, or the stable or farm has been registered with USEF and the number shown on the USEF certificate is noted in the

"USEF Farm #" space provided on the entry blank. For entry into any Owner class(es) a USEF Farm Certificate is required and must be sent with the entries.

- 3. The complete horse information.
- 4. The complete rider information for all riders.
- 5. The complete name (must be an adult) and address of the trainer. If there is no trainer, then the owner for the horse at the show must fill out the trainer information.
- 6. Entry Forms are signed in at least 3 places. The Owner, Trainer, and Rider signature lines must be signed. All signatures must be from an adult (18 or older).
  - i. If there is no trainer the owner must sign the trainer line.
  - ii.In addition, Coaches (if applicable) must sign the entry blank.
  - iii. A parent signing for minor need not be a USEF/EC or AHA member, however they must write "Parent "next to their name.
  - iv. If applicable, the Minor Exhibitor Consent to Show section must be filled in and signed.

#### 5. INCLUDE WITH YOUR ENTRY

- a. **FULL PAYEMENT**. NOTE: Issuing a "bad check" is a criminal offense. Payment made with a returned instrument will be handled in accordance with the current AHA Handbook SUS 101.
  - i. It is preferred to not use more than one check or credit card to cover one entry. Checks and credit cards covering one entry or multiple entries need to be accompanied by a detailed description of how the money is to be applied. Please list all the horses/fees on a per horse basis and a contact phone number.
  - ii. Canadian/International exhibitors must draw checks from a U.S. funds account or preprinted with "US Funds". Writing "Payable in U.S. Funds" on the check is NOT acceptable.
  - iii. Credit cards will be charged only for the amount listed on the entry blank. If you leave the amount blank, your card will be charged the amount that AHA totals your entry for.
  - iv. Open Checks. Any open checks sent with entries will be made out for the amount of the entry and deposited.
  - v. Due to AHA policy, payment information in any format via email or attachment is not advised. To ensure secure delivery of private information, please CALL (303-696-4500 option 4) OR FAX (303-696-4599) all payment information. Please list detailed information on what show and horse(s) it is for.
- c. **PHOTO COPIES of all registration papers**. If the name shown on the registration papers is different from the person entering the horse, an affidavit, a copy of the sales contract or authorization form is required. Photocopies of signed transfer are not proof of ownership. In owner classes, Contracts of Sale or Bill of Sale will not be acceptable as proof of ownership.
  - Do not submit your health papers, coggins or vaccinations records with your entries. Keep the certificates in your possession until such time as it is requested. You may be required to show health papers and proof of a negative Coggins test prior to being allowed to unload horses.
- d. PHOTO COPIES of Membership Cards for USEF/EC for every Owner, Trainer, Rider, Driver, Handler and Coach (if applicable). USEF/EC Amateur Cards for all individuals riding in Adult Amateur classes. . Proof of USEF/EC membership must accompany your entry or you must pay the USEF Show Pass Fee or the EC Temporary Sport License. You can also join USEF/EC at the show. Each participant over the age of 18 must have completed safe sport.
- e. UPHA membership cards for UPHA riders & trainers.
- f. STALL REQUEST FORM see each show for the deadline for group stalling requests.

#### 6. EXHIBITOR CHECK IN AND PACKET PICK UP AT THE SHOW

Check each show for the show office hours.

All exhibitors/barns are encouraged to make appointments for check in as soon as you know your arrival date. You can Email NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org or call 303-696-4500 option #4 to schedule your check in appointment.

Current Covid social distancing procedures will be followed, the show office capacity will be limited to one person per actively staffed front desk.

#### 7. EXHIBITOR SHOW ACCOUNTS

All exhibitors will be required to leave an open check or credit card, separate from their entries at check-in, before show numbers will be released, to cover early arrival, additional stalls, fines or penalties incurred at the show.

All open accounts must be closed before the closing of the Show Office before 5 PM on the last day of the show. Exhibitors are encouraged to close out their account in person. If the exhibitor does not close out their account they automatically authorize Management to close their account using the Check or Credit card on file and may assessed a Failure to Close Out fee of \$100 and disputes in billing will NOT be considered.

#### **GR 20 EXHIBITOR PARTIES/ALCOHOL**

AHA/Show Management will not tolerate illegal activities including any underage drinking, substance abuse, or providing illegal substances to minors on the show grounds. Parents are responsible for their children. Consequences will include removal from the grounds and authorities will be contacted. Alcoholic beverages may only be purchased through the facility authorized concessionaire/liquor license holder. No other alcoholic beverages may be brought onto the grounds, and liquor may be confiscated. Please contact the individual facilities for more information.

#### **GR 21 EQUINE HEALTH & VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS**

Please refer to USEF GR 845

Please check with the state veterinarians of all states you are planning on passing through regarding possible restrictions due to current health related problems and outbreaks. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to be aware of any additional restrictions that may be in place at the time of crossing state/country boundaries.

A valid health certificate is required for every horse. All horses six months and older must be accompanied by an official health certificate of state of origin issued by a state, federal or licensed accredited veterinarian, and such certificate must include a veterinarian's statement that examination was made within the past thirty (30) days. Each horse must have a negative Coggins test, dated within a year of the showing date.

Do not submit any Health or Vaccination Certificates with your entries. Keep the certificates in your possession until such time as it is requested. You may be required to show health papers and proof of a negative Coggins test prior to being allowed to unload horses.

#### 1. VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

- a) At Federation licensed competitions, horses entering the grounds must be accompanied by documentation of Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within six months prior to entering the stables. Horses not in compliance with this rule may be required to leave the competition grounds upon request by Competition Management. Documentation should consist of one of the following methods mentioned below. The frequency of vaccine administration should be per the vaccine manufacturers' or veterinarian's recommendations. It is recommended that vaccines are administered by or under the direction of a veterinarian.
- b) In the case of vaccines administered by a veterinarian, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide documentation from the veterinarian on documenting that the horse in question received the vaccinations; name of the vaccines and date of vaccine administration.
- c) In the case of vaccines administered by a person other than a veterinarian, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide a receipt of the vaccine purchase which is signed by the owner, or agent with care, custody, and control of the horse; name, serial number and expiration date of the vaccine; and date of vaccine administration.
- d) In the case of a horse that is unable to receive either of the vaccinations due to a history of adverse reactions, the exhibitor, upon request by Competition Management, must provide a letter from the veterinarian on official letterhead stating that the horse in question cannot be vaccinated due to medical concerns and a log of temperatures taken twice daily for the seven days prior to entering the competition grounds. These horses must also have their temperature taken and logged twice daily while on the competition grounds. The log of temperatures should be provided to the Competition Management, steward, or technical delegate when requested.

#### 2. HEALTH CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

A valid health certificate is required for every horse. All horses six months and older must be accompanied by an official health certificate of state of origin issued by a state, federal or licensed accredited veterinarian, and such certificate must include a veterinarian's statement that examination was made within the past thirty (30) days and revealed the animal to be free from symptoms of any infectious disease or exposure thereto. Each horse must have a negative Coggins test, dated within a year of the showing date.

#### 3. HEALTH CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS FOR NATIONALS SHOWS IN CANADA

Health certificate Requirements— ENTERING the U.S.A. All horses require a negative Coggins test, dated and signed by the Health of Animals Veterinarian, within 6 months of entry to the U.S.A.

All horses require a health certificate, signed by your veterinarian and a Health of Animals Veterinarian within 30 days of entering the U.S.A. The certificate must state that the horse is free of contagious diseases.

Foals that are less than 5 months old and accompanied by the mare, require no testing to enter the U.S.A.

All horses must be accompanied by a document indicating proof of ownership. If the horse is registered, a photocopy of the original registration papers must be carried with the horse.

If Canadian horses are entering the U.S.A. for breeding or sales purposes, a formal entry must be made. This is done through a customs broker at the U.S.A. Port of Entry. There is a fee charged for this service.

Canadian show and rodeo horses entering the U.S.A. temporarily are required to fill out a form at the Port of Entry. This may be done by the owner or agent.

An American horse in Canada for 72 hours or less can re-enter the U.S.A. with an American Health Certificate.

American horses participating in a public recognized show can return to the U.S.A. on the American Health Certificate for up to 90 days, if the owner supplies proof of attending rodeos, horse shows, or race meets. This means you must have a published show program identifying your horse as a competitor in the show.

All horses must submit to inspection when entering the U.S.A. If a Canadian horse is sold to an American buyer, the seller must file an export entry form at the Canadian port prior to leaving Canada.

Some American states have permit regulations, so check with state agricultural authorities to obtain a permit prior to entering the state. In many cases, this can be obtained via telephone.

#### **GR 22 FARRIER PERMIT & REGISTRATION**

An official Show Farrier will be available on the grounds. No other farrier will be permitted to work on the grounds without registering with the Show Office. Exhibitors wishing to use their private farrier must have the farrier apply at the Show Office and pay a registration fee before they can work on the show grounds (Refer to Fee Chart).

#### GR 23 FIRE MARSHALL REGULATIONS AND SAFETY CODES/STALL DECORATIONS

- All electrical extension cords must be at least 14 gauge of the three-wire type. AUTHORIZED ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES FOR GROOMING PURPOSES MAY BE USED IN DESIGNATED BARN AREAS ONLY. No unauthorized electrical appliances may be used, and if used, the appliances will be confiscated.
- THE ELECTRICAL SYSTEM MAY NOT BE ALTERED OR TAMPERED WITH UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES.
- Exhibitor stalls may have the stall walls covered with nonflammable material only. Proof of flame retardant material must be verified. Please have certification of flame retardant material.
- Only stalls for tack storage, entertainment or resting can be covered on the top, and will require a working smoke detector.
- Absolutely no overhead draping of horse stalls is permitted.
- Decoration of stalls: exterior stall decorations, indoor or outdoor, shall not extend more than three (3) feet from the base of the structure unless otherwise allowed in writing by the particular national show management. Movable objects such as chairs can be out another 2 ft Fire extinguishers must be provided by the exhibitor. There must be one (1) extinguisher for each two (2) stalls that are covered with nonflammable materials. No aisle ways may be covered overhead. Sleeping areas are to be equipped with a smoke detector and fire extinguisher.
  - No gas, electric or propane heaters, tanks or hot plates allowed in the stalls or stall area at any time. No exposed element heating appliances such as immersion heaters nor open flames are allowed.
  - NO SMOKING is permitted in any arenas or barns.
  - Parking is not allowed in any fire lanes.
  - Combustible trash must be removed at least once a day.
  - > All manure and used shavings removed from stalls or trailers must be placed in areas specified by the facility, and may NOT be placed in garbage cans.
  - Any vehicle, truck or trailer, within the fenced area of the barn/tent area, or not obeying NO PARKING or FIRE LANE signs in other parts of the grounds will be towed and impounded at the owner's expense.
  - Absolutely no overhead draping of horse stalls is permitted.
  - STALL DAMAGE: DO NOT PUT NAILS INTO STALL WALLS. Stalls must be vacated in their original condition. STALLS MAY NOT BE STRUCTURALLY ALTERED IN ANY WAY.
  - Exhibitors will be financially responsible for any alteration/damage to their stalls on the premises.

#### **GR 24 HANDICAPPED & ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION DEVICES**

- 1. Electronic communication devices used for purposes of coaching exhibitors during a competition are prohibited in all classes in the Arabian Division. Exhibitors with a permanent hearing impairment are permitted to use an electronic communication device upon submission of a written certification from a treating medical professional's office certifying the permanent hearing impairment and certifying the requirement of an electronic communication device. The medical certification must be provided to the competition Steward within a reasonable time prior to competing who shall attach a copy to the Steward report.
- 2. Individuals must include their USEF Dispensation Certificate with entries if requiring special adaptations. See USEF and Equestrian Canada Rule Books.
  - An exhibitor with a disability (other than hearing) will be provided reasonable accommodation upon submission of a written certification from a treating medical professional 's office certifying the disability and identifying the accommodation necessary for the exhibitor to compete safely. The medical certification must be provided to the competition Steward within a reasonable time prior to competing who shall attach a copy to the Steward report.

#### **GR 25 IN-KIND SPONSORSHIP/PRODUCT DONATIONS**

Companies may distribute giveaways through the purchase of a commercial exhibit booth space in the Shopping Expo. AHA Corporate Partners and contracted Event Sponsors may provide premiums, products or cash (in the form of added prize money) to exhibitors only through the prior approval of AHA Show Management. All ring presentations must also have prior approval of AHA Show Management.

#### **GR 26 INSURANCE ADVISORY**

Due to the number and quality of horses at the National Shows, we urge each exhibitor to verify their liability insurance coverage and their livestock mortality coverage with their own insurance carrier.

#### **GR 27 LEVELED CLASSES**

#### **SELECT, CHOICE & ELITE CLASSES**

If a competitor is eligible to compete as a Select/Choice/Elite Rider in a section on December 1, 2020, said eligibility remains throughout the current competition year.

Achievement Level Riders

MAY level up to a higher level (USEF AR110.2.g), But rider may only ride 1 level. on the same horse. i.e. A Choice Western Pleasure rider may level up to Western Pleasure Elite, but can't ride both Choice & Elite Western Pleasure. Rider may level up on a different horse.

May Cross enter into JOTR/AAOTR classes

The following are the leveling classes held at Youth Nationals for both Arabian and Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian;

- 1. Western Pleasure Classes that count toward Leveling in Western Pleasure are;
  - a. Western Pleasure
  - b. Western Horsemanship/Equitation
- 2. Hunter Pleasure- Classes that count toward Leveling in Hunter Pleasure are;
  - a. Hunter Pleasure
  - b. Hunter Seat Equitation Not to Jump
- English and Country English Pleasure Classes that count toward Leveling in English and Country English Pleasure (Saddle Seat) are;
  - a. Park
  - b. English
  - c. Country English
  - d. Saddle Seat Equitation
  - e. Show Hack
- English Trail Classes that count toward Leveling in English Trail are;
  - a. English Trail
- Western Trail Classes that count toward Leveling in Western Trail are;
  - a. Western Trail

Select Western Trail Riders MAY cross enter into Western Trail Class and English Trail.

#### **GR 28 MEMBERSHIP**

#### 1 AHA

Each competitor (this includes at least one recorded owner and all trainers, drivers, riders, halter handlers, coaches and the person(s) signing the entry blank) in an Arabian Horse Association recognized Arabian division, must have a valid AHA business membership, a competition level card or join AHA.

Single event membership is not acceptable at AHA Regional or National competitions.

Exhibitors in walk-trot classes must have an AHA membership with competition card at AHA competitions.

Exhibitors in the Experience YNL classes must have an AHA membership but it does not need to be a competition level membership.

Exhibitors in lead line classes or parents/guardians signing for minors are exempt from AHA membership requirements.

Any farm, business or corporation owning and/or showing a horse must be a Business Member of AHA.

# 2 USEF FOR ALL OWNERS, TRAINERS AND COMPETITORS 18 & OVER EACH PARTICIPANT OVER THE AGE OF 18 MUST HAVE A COMPLETED AND HAVE A CURRENT SAFE SPORT CERTIFICATE.

Each participant must submit a valid USEF COMPETING membership card or pay the USEF Show Pass Fee of \$45.00. Amateur exhibitors must have an Amateur card. Exception: Exhibitors in Walk-Trot & Leadline Classes or Parents or Guardian signing for minors. Junior Exhibitors are automatically considered Amateurs. USEF "Non-Competing" Members must also pay the Show Pass Fee

For USEF memberships, contact information is www.usef.org or 859-258-2472.

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 Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember 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 \$45 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot (exception: Friesian performance FR222) and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 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 own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

#### **FARM/BUSINESS OWNERS**

- If your horse shows under the ownership of a farm or other business entity, the farm or other business entity must be recorded and active
  with USEF or you must pay a Show Pass fee to participate in a USEF licensed competition. Safe Sport for the business entity, the farm or other
  business entity is not required
- If you have paid a Show Pass fee and provided your email address to the competition, the competition will supply this information to USEF.
   Upon receipt by USEF, you will receive by email an opportunity to credit your \$45 Show Pass fee towards a USEF annual or lifetime Farm or Business entity recording.

- 3. This offer will be valid from the date that the Individual or Business recording application is received by USEF. By taking advantage of this option, all future points will count.
- 4. You may choose not to record your Farm or Business entity and continue to pay the requisite Show Pass fee. Under this option, you are not eligible for USEF points, awards, etc.

**EC** for EC membership rules please refer to the ec rule book general rules article a202 – a209. for an ec membership card, contact ec at www.equestrian.ca or (613) 248-3433.

#### **GR 29 UNITED STATES EQUESTRIAN FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT**

I have read the United Sates Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation" Entry Agreement (GR 906.4) as printed in the Prize List for the shows listed in this Omnibus (Youth Nationals, Sport Horse Nationals and U.S. Nationals Competitions) and agree to all its provisions. I understand that by entering any of these Competitions, I am subject to Federation Rules, the Prize List, and local rules of the competition. I agree to waive the right to the use of my photos from the competition and agree that any actions against the Federation must be brought in New York State.

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaulter 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, directors 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, cablecasts, 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 not 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.

#### **GR 30 MOTORIZED VEHICLES**

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 licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The show security for the duration of the show will impound any motorized vehicle that is operated in an unsafe or hazardous manner or parked in a restricted area.

Please drive golf carts responsibly, horses have the right of away.

#### **GR 31 NON-COMPETING HORSE**

A Non-competing horses must;

- 1. Pay for a stall (per availability), Office fee and a \$100 fee per horse. Please check with each show for the total fee.
- 2. Fill out the official entry form and check the box on the top of the entry form for "Non Showing"
- 3. Sign the back of the entry form in all mandatory places.
- 4. Send Full payment with the completed entry form.
- 5. Be listed on Stabling Request form

A non-competing horse that ultimately enters the show will be considered a Post Entry and must be submitted by the final closing date.

There will be a \$750.00 fine per horse for not filing an official entry form with the show office.

#### **GR 32 PATRONSHIPS**

National shows have patron programs with various benefits including preferred stalling, class sponsorship, seating and patron's lounge benefits. Patron seniority is based on the number of consecutive years a barn/trainer/individual has been Nationals Patron. Stalling assignments will be done based off Patron seniority and when Patronship forms are received. Any year a Patronship is missed will result in the Patron losing their seniority. In order to retain seniority, Patrons must be current every year. The National Show Commissions reserves the right to review special case requests regarding seniority, and their decision will be final. Each special case will be evaluated on its own facts and circumstances.

See the individual Patron sponsorship forms in this Omnibus for each National Show for specific benefit and cost information and deadlines..

Patronship fees are listed on the patron form for each show, and should be mailed separate from the Official Entry Form.

Any requests to change status in a Patronship, including cancellations, MUST be emailed to national events@ArabianHorses.ora.

All patrons who elect to use a golf cart will be held responsible for their own cart. Should their cart be damaged or stolen, the patron will be required to replace or repair the golf cart directly through the chosen golf cart vendor.

The submission of a signed Patron form constitutes an agreement by the signing party for a payment for Patronship After the entry closing date, any cancelled patronship is refundable by 50% if paid in full. If only minimum payment was made and patronship is not paid in full by date stated on form, no money will be refunded. Prior to entry closing date, patron fees may be refunded less the non-refundable deposit. After the entry closing date, patronships may still be available. Please contact AHA National Events Sales for more information.

Patronships are encouraged to be submitted before the deadline to ensure availability, seating and stalling priority.

#### 1. PASSING DOWN PATRONSHIPS

A patron who has maintained a Patronship seniority that is retiring may elect to pass their Patronship on to an immediate family member. The family member receiving the seniority will be required to maintain the Patronship payments annually. Additionally, in order to keep the original stabling area, the family member may not exceed the number of stalls required by the original patron. To confirm the transfer of a Patronship, an email to the barn manager will be required.

#### 2. PATRON STABLING

Patron stalling is assigned prior to any non-Patrons. Priority for Patron stalling assignments will be based on the number of continuous years as a Patron, the prior year's stalling location, and number of stalls needed.

Only the named person/stable on the Patronship is allowed to hang one set of drapes that identify the Patron farm/stable. Piggybacking (stall with) will not be allowed. Patron farms/stables allowing other farms/stables/trainers to piggyback with them who are NOT patrons run the risk of being moved to other less desirable areas of stalling.

The entry blank (or electronic entry) must be signed by the trainer listed on the Patronship in order for the exhibitor to be stabled with said patron.

Farms, stables or trainers wishing to stall with other farms/stables in the patron stalling area must purchase a separate patronship in order to hang identifying drapes.

#### **GR 33 PHOTOGRAPHS**

Anyone who attends any national show automatically grants AHA permission to publish photos taken by AHA photographers and/or staff in which they and/or their horses appear. No written release is required for AHA to publish these photos for its promotional purposes.

#### **GR 34 PHOTOGRAPHY POLICY**

The Arabian Horse Association forbids any pictures taken for the use of paid commercial distribution through websites, social media or other outlets. Professional Photographers or videographers, as defined by individuals who have or will have images for sale, are not permitted to photograph or video without written permission by the Arabian Horse Association. No photographers other than the official photographer may take pictures in the ring or from the rail. Professional photography equipment, cameras with lenses longer than 4 inches, will not be permitted except for credentialed media and those holding press passes (to take pictures outside the ring only). Additionally, watermarked photography will be considered professional photography and will not be allowed to be posted on any media outlets by any photographers other than AHA or the official photographer.

Media credentials may be issued to credentialed journalists, photographers and videographers from recognized non-equine industry magazines, newspapers, and publications. Those issued media credentials must sign an agreement stating no photographs or videos taken will be sold. Credentials will only be issued to media for the purpose of news gathering and dissemination only.

Equine Industry press passes will be issued to photographers for the price of \$900 and these press passes will allow photographers to shoot on grounds, however, not in any show arenas. Press passes can be purchased in the commercial exhibitor office. Violation of the policy will result in removal from the show grounds. Additionally, commercial photographers found violating this policy will be accessed a \$900 fee. This policy extends to violations found post-show through websites, social media, and other outlets.

#### **GR 35 PRIZE MONEY**

Prize money will be paid only to the recorded owner at the time of the show. Checks for prize money shall be mailed within 60 days after completion of the show.

The Social Security Number or Federal Taxpayer Identification Number must be on file with AHA before AHA prize money is released. If this information is not on file or is not provided within 120 days after notification, all prize money will be forfeited.

If additional prize money requirements are not fulfilled (See Sweepstakes, Halter Futurity and Performance Futurity /Maturity Chapters), the prize money shall be forfeited.

Foreign residents winning prize money at an event held in the United States will be subject to income tax of 30% per Internal Revenue Service Regulations. This amount will be withheld from total winnings.

#### **GR 36 PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR**

Refer to current USEF and Equestrian Canada Rule Books.

#### **GR 37 QUALIFICATIONS**

Qualifications have been waived for 2021. Elite, Choice and Select riders must still meet the definition.

Refer to each show and GR 3 for rules regarding eligibility for Arabian Breeders Sweepstakes restricted classes (ABS).

If you have any questions contact AHA Competition Services at (303) 696-4500, option #4.

#### **GR 38 SCHEDULE AND RING CONFLICTS**

When entering, please be aware of entering classes which might run in different rings at the same time. Every effort will be made to solve these conflicts, however rings will not be held for extensive periods to solve conflicts. Entry fees will be forfeited in case of time conflicts caused by two rings running simultaneously that can't be resolved

It is the policy of the Nationals Show Commissions to not make schedule changes within 24 hours of a class, unless there are extenuating circumstances. No classes will be moved in the schedule once the Omnibus is printed other than sections may be added or cancelled if entries warrant.

The schedules printed in this prize list are TENTATIVE and based on entry projections for each class and the number of sections required. Any change in the number of entries may affect the corresponding number of sections in that class. The Show Commissions will review class entry numbers and sections after the entry deadline and will revise the schedule accordingly if deemed necessary.

Please note No classes will be moved to an earlier day in the schedule. Classes scheduled with only a SFF that must be divided into section due to the number of entries, will have the sections run in place of the SFF and the SFF will be later in the schedule. If Sections listed in the tentative schedule are canceled, the SFF maybe moved to run where the sections were scheduled for that class.

Please check the AHA App, the Web site or with the Show Office upon arrival for schedule changes and posted sections.

Please be prepared as no entry fees or other fees will be refunded due to schedule changes. Schedule conflicts between rings are the responsibility of the exhibitor.

Updates to the schedules for all the Nationals shows will be posted on each shows home page. Please refer to the most current schedule prior to entering the horse show.

#### **GR 39 SCORING SYSTEM**

Scoring Systems are outlined in the AHA handbook under COMP 5 and REQ 2.

All National Championship Shows are required to use the AHA approved Majority Opinion System (MOS) (Res. 45-00, Res. 31-07) Scoring System in all applicable classes

All Breeding/Gelding In-Hand classes will be judged comparatively using the Majority Opinion System (MOS).

Working Hunter, Hunter Hack, Jumper, Hunter Seat Equitation Over Obstacles, Hunter Seat Equitation Not to Jump, Dressage, Dressage Seat Equitation, Reining Horse, Reining Seat Equitation, Cutting, Reined Cow, Working Cow, Trail, and Sport Horse classes are exempt from using the Majority Opinion System

Sport Horse In-Hand classes that are judged by 2 judges will use the total score system.

Performance Halter will use the AHA score card, the scorecards will be turned into placings and in turn, run through the Majority Opinion System (MOS) to determine the Champion, Reserve Champion and Top Five.

Refer to each show for exceptions to the above for AEPA, AWPA and AHPA Futurity and Maturity classes.

#### **GR 40 SECURITY**

Exhibitors are advised that it is their responsibility to secure their valuables and stall area. The Show has a limited number of security personnel on the premises. Please report any issues related to security breaches.

#### **GR 41 SHARPS CONTAINERS**

For US Competitions (per USEF Rule Book): Show Management will place at least one sharps container per fifty occupied stalls for the disposal of needles and other disposable sharp instruments in convenient locations in barns housing competition horses. It is competition management's responsibility to replace such containers when full and dispose of them properly. Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100 plus clean-up costs for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments. Competition management will place a notice of this requirement either in its prize list or on a specific handout given to trainers on check in at the competition. If local law has different requirements, local law will prevail.

#### **GR 42 SOLICITATION/SHOPPING EXPO/COMMERCIAL EXHIBITS**

All flyers, signs, posters, commercial notices, etc., may be posted in designated areas only. All others will be removed immediately. Check with the show office or the commercial exhibit office for designated locations. Solicitations will not be allowed on the grounds unless a commercial exhibit booth/space is purchased. No company or business will be permitted to exhibit or hold any sponsored activities without the express written permission of AHA. Solicitation of funds for any political, educational, charitable or other corporation, association, group, individual or cause of any kind is strictly prohibited, without prior written consent from AHA. Exhibitors must have prior written consent from AHA and the proper state authority to conduct a raffle or drawing of any kind. Commercial Exhibit space must be purchased using the "Application for Exhibit Space", which may be obtained from AHA. All Food Concessionaires are contracted by the individual facilities, and Commercial Exhibitors are not allowed to sell food or drinks.

#### **GR 43 STABLING**

#### **GROUP STABLING**

Exhibitors wishing to be stabled together must send entries together in the same envelope with a stall reservation form listing all the owner names. This form must be sent with the entries, as stalls are assigned using this form. If your name does not appear on the Stabling Request Form – we cannot guarantee you will be with the group.

Every horse is required to be stabled on the show grounds at least 12 hours before the start of the first class in which it is to be shown and must remain continuously on the show grounds until it has completed every class in which it is to be shown.

If the number of horses entered by a trainer or owner exceeds the capacity of the original stalls requested, those horses will be stabled in the order of space available at the time the entry is received.

#### 1. ASSIGNMENT/AVAILABILITY

Check each show as to when stalls will be available.

Please note that patronships must represent one entity ONLY, and all stalls assigned to any one patron must be designated under a single name (a company, a farm, training stable, an individual, and a family are all considered single entity). Additional stalls requested after the original stalls are purchased may not be assigned in the same location as the original stalls.

#### 2. STALL DAMAGE

Stall walls may not be cut down. Stalls must be vacated in their original condition. Stalls may not be structurally or otherwise altered in any way (including putting nails into walls).

Any and all stalls used by exhibitors must be returned to their original condition prior to leaving the grounds.

Exhibitors will be billed for any alteration/damage to their stalls on the premises to or any required cleanup of any stalls they use.

#### HORSE STALLS

Each entered horse must pay for one stall, all others are considered tack stalls.

No subletting of stalls will be allowed.

Stalls for any non-competing horses must have an official entry form on file with the show office and be listed on the stall request form.

#### 4. TACK STALLS

If you are ordering just tack stalls, Please do not list then only on the stall reservation form or they may be missed. Please use an entry form leaving the horse information blank.

Tack stalls will be assigned subject to their availability. Exhibitors will be allowed to order tack stalls per the individual National Show's policy. Management reserves the right to limit the number of total tack stalls due to availability. Tack stalls that are cancelled by show management will be refunded to the exhibitor.

#### **GR 44 UNAUTHORIZED ANIMALS ON SHOW GROUNDS**

Unauthorized animals are not allowed on the show grounds without prior permission from Show Management. At the discretion of management, owners/agents may be charged \$300 per unauthorized animal(s) and unauthorized animal(s) may be removed from the grounds.

#### **GR 45 UNREGISTERED HORSES**

All Horses must have a certificate of registration when entering any National Show. Entries for pending registrations will be held until the registration is complete. A post entry fee will be charged if the registration is NOT completed by the closing date of the show.

#### **GR 46 VENDORS**

A list of Official Vendors for each show is provided in this prize list and on-line at www.ArabianHorses.org. Other suppliers may be used, but deliveries from vendors other than the Official Show Vendors may not be made on the show grounds. See "Solicitations" for information on Commercial Exhibit Space.

#### **GR 47 VETERINARIAN INSPECTION**

All animals are subject to a physical inspection and may be examined for the use of mydriatic drugs by the show veterinarian at the discretion of the Show Commission. The Show Management reserves the right to refuse entry onto the show grounds to any horse exposed to, or which may be

harboring, a communicable disease. AHA also reserves the right to a postmortem examination free of charge, on any horse, which dies on the show grounds

#### **GR 48 VETERINARIAN PERMIT & REGISTRATION**

The official veterinarian shall be an AAEP member. He/she shall not rule on soundness in classes he/she or a family member may have a horse or pony entered or measure any horses or ponies where a conflict of interest may arise due to personal or family interest in the equine. The official veterinarian may be a competitor and will cover the requirements of USEF. No other veterinarian will be permitted to work on the grounds without registering with the Show Office. Exhibitors wishing to use their private veterinarians must have the veterinarian apply at the Show Office and pay a registration fee before they can work on the grounds. Private Veterinarian applications will be available at the Show Office and must be completed and submitted to the Show Office for written approval. Private veterinarians must be members, in good standing, of the AAEP, licensed in the State or province in which the show is held (proof of license to be submitted with application) and will be required to follow and abide by the AHA, USEF, Equestrian Canada, and AAEP rules and practices.

# ATTENTION EXHIBITORS!

REMEMBER TO PICK UP YOUR AWARDS.
THE AWARDS ROOM WILL BE OPEN FOR ONE HOUR AFTER COMPLETION
OF CLASSES EACH DAY.

#### **APAHA PRAMBLE**

We, as Professional and Amateur Horsemen of the Arabian Horse Association, pledge to assume a positive role as leaders in the Arabian horse community. While achieving the goals of promoting, showing, and caring for the horse, we shall protect the health, image, and welfare of the breed. Therefore, we set forth the following standards:

### **HORSEMEN'S STANDARDS OF CONDUCT**

We shall comply with and actively encourage all Professional and Amateur Horsemen to adhere to all rules and regulations of AHA. USEF. CAHR. and EC.

We shall instill confidence, trust, and mutual respect in our clients, fellow exhibitors, and the public by a commitment to ethical practice and avoidance of any action conducive to discrediting the Arabian horse, AHA, or our fellow horsemen.

We shall ensure that the welfare of the Arabian horse is paramount and that every Arabian horse be treated humanely and with dignity, respect, and compassion.

As Horsemen we agree that it is our obligation, not only to the horse, but to each other, to have a reciprocal relationship wherein we are compelled to comment to our peers on their actions as well as be receptive of comments on our actions, if those actions might be perceived or interpreted as abusive or inappropriate.

There should be no malicious force during training. Good horsemanship teaches a horse to respond to the aids with confidence. Abusive practices are those that inflict injury or result in intimidation and fear. This may include jerking, spurring or whipping when employed in a manner that increases a horse's fear, confusion, or distress.

While most types of tack and training methods are not themselves abusive, we understand that anything used wrongly, over used, or over done can prove to be abusive or perceived to be abusive by onlookers.

The duration of training sessions should take into account climate conditions, intensity of work, footing and the condition of each horse to ensure there is no undue stress.

We shall conduct all business affairs with integrity, sincerity, and accuracy in an open and forthright manner.

We shall act with integrity in financial dealings with clients, professionals, and the public. We shall employ a policy of full disclosure to our horse's owners, as well as potential buyers, about all facts and knowledge regarding a horse they own or are considering purchasing.

Horsemen will never perform, condone, or allow surgical alteration or procedure on an Arabian horse unless professionally prescribed by a licensed veterinarian, and then, only for the survival or threatened health of an Arabian or Half-Arabian horse. This includes the altering of the natural carriage of the tail, which is one of our breed standards and characteristics. Horsemen will not administer to any horse engaged in competition drugs or medications that give an unfair competitive advantage or serve no required therapeutic purpose.

AT THE DIRECTION OF THE AHA JUDGE'S & STEWARD'S COMMISSIONER AND THE AHA EDUCATION AND EVALUATION COMMISSION, THE JUDGE(S) WILL BE PENALIZING HORSES WITH UNNATURAL TAILS. CONVERSELY, HORSES WITH NATURAL TAIL CARRIAGE SHOWING EXPRESSION THAT IS NOT ANGRY OR OFFENSIVE WILL NOT BE PENALIZED.

# **YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS**

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Attn: YNL Show Commission 10805 East Bethany Drive
Aurora, CO 80014

#### SHOW OFFICE INFORMATION

Office Hours: Phone & Fax will be available during the following

Monday - Wednesday, July 12 - 14 ......8:30 AM - 5 PM Thursday – Saturday, July 15 - 247 AM - 1/2 hr after last class

#### **BARN OFFICE INFORMATION**

NO Arrivals before noon Saturday July 10

Office Hours:

Saturday Tuesday - July 10 - 13 ...... 10 AM – 10 PM Wednesday, - Saturday, July 14 - 24 ...... 7 AM – 7 PM

#### **FEED & BEDDING INFORMATION**

State Fair Park Feed and Bedding Advanced Order form in Omnibus (405) 948-6786

#### **FACILITY SHIPPING INFORMATION**

Packages for the horse show will only be accepted from July 16 - 25. Neither AHA nor State Fair Park is responsible for lost or stolen packages.

Fed Ex/UPS packages can be accepted at the following address:

State Fair Park

Attn: Arabian Youth Nationals

(Include Exhibitor/Vendor/Stable Name and cell number of recipient)

333 Gordon Cooper

Oklahoma City, OK 73107

Please send US Postal packages to:

State Fair Park

Attn: Arabian Youth Nationals

(Include Exhibitor/Vendor/Stable Name, cell number of

recipient)

3001 General Pershing Oklahoma City, OK 73107

PLEASE BE ADVISED

THE COMPLETE PRIZE LIST WILL BE

AVAILABLE MID APRIL

Phone (303) 696-4500 | Fax (303) 696-4599

National Events@Arabian Horses.org

www.ArabianHorses.org

# **YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS**

#### **JUDGES**

The management reserves the right to vary or add to this list. Panels and/or judge order are subject to change.

#### **NORICK PANEL (N)**

Norick Judging panels will rotate using the following 6 judges

Lori Conway - Chatfield, MN

Chris Culbreth - Scottsdale, AZ

Laura Gault - Archdale, NC

Terry Holmes - Scottsdale, AZ

Bill Melendez - Temecula, CA

Martha Rattner - Georgetown, KY

UPHA Call Judge - Anne Judd - Lutz, FL

#### **WORKING WESTERN PANEL**

Myron Krause - Battle Lake MN
Jeff Lee - Stanwood, WA

Connie O'Brien - Winnemucca, NV

#### **WORKING HUNTER**

Irving Evans - Freemont, NH Stella Prescott - Selma, NC Nancy Seyfried - Athens, GA

#### DRESSAGE (D)

Sue Kolstad - Florence, KY Debbie Rodriguez - Williamsburg, VA Western Dressage - TBA

These judges were selected by the Judges and Stewards Selection Committee and subject to change.

#### **FEES:**

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Class Entry Fees	\$200
UPHA Finals Class Fee (U)	\$50
Cattle Fee (per horse)Sp	
Education/Evaluation Fee (Res. 9-90) (per horse)	\$25
Failure to Close Open Show Accounts	
Non Competing Horse Fee	
Includes stall, office and per horse fee	\$410
Office Fee (per horse)	\$75
Obstacle Fees per class	47 5
Jump (JO) Per class	\$10
Trail (TO) Per class	
Post Horse Fee (per horse)	ψ10
Horse entered between 6/2 - 6/24	\$500
Horse entered between 6/25 - 7/12 @5 pm	
Post Class Fee for pre entered horses Per Class	\$1000
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Added Class entered Between 6/2 - 6/24	
Added Class entered Between 6/25 - 7/12 @5pr	
Rider/Horse Equitation Change Late Fee	
Scoring (per horse)	
Scratch Fee (if not filed in office, per class)	\$50
Warm-Ups are Horse/Rider Combination	
Trail Warm up Fee (T) (warm up for Saturday & S	unday
Included in total class fee)	
Cow Practice (CP) Per Cow (5 min)	\$35
Working Hunter Warm Up (W)	400
(included with each Working Hunter class)	
USEF Show Pass (per person)	\$45
STALL FEES:	
Horse Stall (each)	
Tack Stall (each)	
Removal of Stall Panel (per Panel/Stall) Varies up	to \$500
*Please DO NOT split cost of tack stalls on your	entry
form	
Experience AHYA Fees	
Class entry fee	\$35
Post fee (received after June 26)	
Farrier Permit (each)	
Horse for Sale Listing (per horse)	
Show Program (one free is provided to each own	
Veterinarian Permit (each)	
VIP RV Parking for entire show (7/14 - 7/24)	
Therapist/Chiropractor Fee	\$500
EVENT SPONSORSHIP/PARTICIPATION:	
Arena Sign - Video Side (arena of your choice)	\$600
Arena Sign – Non-Video Side	\$500
Jacket/Buckle Sponsorship	\$300
Class Section Sponsorship	
Patronship	
Package 1	. \$2,550
Package 2	. \$3,050
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Additional Event Sponsorships are available - Email NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org or call (303) 696-4553 for more information.

#### 2021 IMPORTANT DEADLINES & DATES

With no qualifications required for 2021, the Youth Commission urges exhibitors to enter by the initial close of June 1 and no later than June 24.

The goal is to have a more accurate Tentative Schedule earlier enabling exhibitors to plan travel etc, earlier than in past years.

Entries for Youth National Championships accepted as follows: Entries Post Marked/ Electronically Dated on or prior to Tuesday, June 1 Midnight (MT)........................Regular fees Post Entries for Youth National Championships accepted as follows: 1. Entries Post Marked/ Electronically Dated between June 2 and June 24 Midnight (MT) Dressage entries close June 24 for any new horse or added classes NO EXEPCTIONS \*\*\* NEW FOR 2021 New horses may post enter online from June 2 to June 24 2. Entries Post Marked/ Electronically Dated between June 25 and July 12@ 5 PM New horse Regular fees plus \$1000 Post fee per horse Added classes for horse pr-entered ......Regular class fee plus \$200 Late fee per class NO Post entries for added classes or new horses will be accepted for the Youth Nationals Championships after July 12 @ 5 pm Experience AHA Youth Nationals entries accepted as follows: (separate entry form required) Additional classes may be entered until Saturday July 18, 5 PM @ \$35.00 per class Arrival & Stalling Information Wednesday, June 24 In-House / Electronically Dated ....... Group Stabling Requests Due Saturday, July 10......NO Arrivals before noon 

#### PLEASE REFER TO GENERAL RULES FOR ALL SHOWS

#### PLEASE BE ADVISED

### THE COMPLETE PRIZE LIST WILL BE AVAILABLE MID APRIL

#### **ENTRY INFORMATION**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 18

Online entry for the Youth/Mid-Summer National Championship Show will be available until midnight (MT) June 1, 2021. Online entry for the Experience AHA Youth Nationals classes is not available and must sent to AHA and be on the separate entry form for Experience AHA Youth Nationals.

For hard copy entries either fax, mail or email your entries – DO NOT submit your entry by more than one method or your credit card may get charged twice.

Faxed entries MUST include a cover sheet listing all entries and number of pages in the fax.

Exhibitors are advised to use a form of expedited, traceable mail service when sending entries in order to ensure that their entries are received.

If you email your entries, please contact AHA if you do NOT get a return email acknowledging the receipt of your entry on the same or next business day.

#### Mail to: Attn: Youth Nationals

10805 East Bethany Drive, Aurora, CO 80014

Fax to: 303-696-4599

Email to: NationalEvents@ArabianHorses.org

#### **POST ENTRIES**

Post entries may not be listed in the program and may not be stalled with horses from the same barn.

Please refer to page YNL/MSN page 3 for deadlines for the Championship show and the Experience AHYA classes.

#### **ENTRY REFUNDS**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 8.10

#### **SHOW ACCOUNTS**

Refer to GR 18.7 All open accounts must be closed before the closing of the Show Office by 5 PM on the last day of the show. Management will close all show accounts not closed out by the end of the show will be assessed a Failure to Close Out fee of \$100.

#### HORSES NOT ENTERED IN THE SHOW (NON COMPETING HORSES)

Please refer to GR 31.

#### **UNREGISTERED HORSES**

Please refer to GR 18.2.a and GR 44.

#### RIDER/HANDLER EQUITATION HORSE CHANGES

Please refer to General Rules for all shows - GR 8.9

If there is a change of Equitation horse after the order of go has been posted, the exhibitor with the change MAY be moved to the first go. <u>UPHA rules EQ 118.15.4 the SAME horse must be used for BOTH phases except with a vet certificate</u>

#### **SCRATCHES & NO SHOWS**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 8.5

# **YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS**

#### **CLASS SECTION REQUESTS**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 8.6

Exhibitors with possible ring conflicts, should identify section requests on the Official Entry Form. At the show sections can be requested **via the AHA App, web site or in person**. All requests MUST be submitted BY NOON the day prior to when the sections are to be posted. Sections will be posted one day prior to the scheduled class.

#### **STALLIONS**

Stallions are prohibited from being exhibited in Showmanship, Walk/Trot-Jog and Lead Line classes.

#### **ARENA SIGNS**

Arena signage may be purchased using the form included in this Prize List. Arena signage space is limited and will be sold on a first come, first served basis. AHA will produce the arena signs as follows: one 3' x 4' sign, in the arena of your choice.

Artwork for the signs must be emailed to NationalEvents@arabianhorses.org or mailed on CD to AHA by June 1, Artwork must be in .jpg or .png format. AHA is not liable for exact color match. Artwork must be laid out so that it will fit on a 3' x 4' horizontal sign. Please see the form and call AHA at (303) 696-4500 for more information or questions.

#### **AWARDS**

Please refer to General Rules GR 5 for complete information.

Awards room will be open from July 15 - 24 from 8 AM until 30 minutes after classes end.

All awards not claimed by the close of the show will be forfeited with no exceptions. No awards will be mailed.

Duplicate Awards will be for sale in the Awards Room for Champion, Reserve Champion Trophy and Top Ten Plaques.

#### **JACKETS & BUCKLES**

Each exhibitor will be awarded only one Championship jacket or belt-buckle per Youth National show. For example, should a rider receive 3 Championship titles, the rider will only be awarded one jacket or one buckle for the first Championship title earned.

Any exhibitor who earns more than one Championship title has the opportunity to purchase additional jackets and/or buckles. Additional buckles may be purchased from the Awards Room during the show, or from the AHA Office once the show has ended.

Additional jackets and patches may be purchased from Awards Recognition Concepts.

#### **ARABIAN BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES & PRIZE MONEY**

Please refer to GR 3 in the General Rules

#### **CAMPER & RECREATIONAL VEHICLE FACILITIES**

A large RV park with water, electricity and sewer station is located on the Fairgrounds (both 50 amp and 30 amp services). For more information, call the Oklahoma State Fairground Office at (405) 948-6700. Camper space must be reserved directly from the Fairground. No motor homes, travel trailers, campers or other RV's may park in the Fairground's parking lots or on the roads of the Fairgrounds. The nightly rate is \$25 per night.

Premium VIP Motor Home and Camper Spots are available directly on the show grounds in the VIP lot at the north end of Barn 9 close to all arenas and barns. The lot is paved and each site has full hook-up including power, sewer and water (50 amp). Reservations will be accepted on a first-come, first-serve basis on the enclosed form. The reservation form is located on the website at www.arabianhorses.org.

# **YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS**

#### **CLASS INFORMATION & SPECS**

All classes will be shown and judged under the class specifications set forth in the Arabian Division of the USEF Rule Book. Any exceptions will be noted as "USEF Exception".

When entering, please be aware of entering classes which might run in different rings at the same time. Every effort will be made to solve these conflicts, however rings will not be held for extensive periods to solve conflicts. Entry fees will be forfeited in case of time conflicts caused by two rings running simultaneously that can't be resolved.

#### ARABIAN BREEDERS SWEEPSTAKES CLASSES (ABS)

Refer to GR 3

AWPA ARABIAN HORSE TIMES \$15,000 ARABIAN AAOTR MATURITY & AWPA EQUINE ATHLETE \$15,000 HALF-ARABIAN AAOTR MATURITY

THE AWPA MATURITY ENTRY FORM MUST BE COMPLETED <u>ONLINE</u> AT ARABIANWESTERNPLEASURE.COM.

PAPER ENTRY FORMS WILL NO LONGER BE ACCEPTED.

\*\* You will also need to complete the YNL-MSN Nationals Entry Form and pay AHA fees to compete\*\*

If you have questions, please email <u>arabianwesternpleasure1@gmail.com</u>.

For complete rules, deadlines and information on eligibility please visit the AWPA web site at <a href="http://arabianwesternpleasure.com">http://arabianwesternpleasure.com</a>

The AWPA Arabian and Half-Arabian Western Pleasure AAOTR Maturities are held each year. The classes are open to four and five year old horses. Prize money is determined by the AWPA. AHA will award a National Champion, Reserve National Champion, and 8 Top Tens in the AWPA Maturity Classes.

Beginning in 2021, the four year olds allowed to compete in the AWPA Maturities will strictly be those who were nominated in-utero by December 31<sup>st</sup> of their breeding year. The five year olds must be sired by a 2020 or 2021 AWPA Nominated Stallion. The 2016 Mare Nomination list, 2020 Stallion List and 2021 Stallion List are all available at arabianwesternpleasure.com.

However, if the stallion only provided one breeding in the Auction, then only those type of foals are eligible. For example, if a stallion only offered a Purebred breeding, then only Purebred foals will be allowed to compete. An AWPA representative may choose to meet with the riders at the National Show prior to one or both sections of the Maturity class. During this meeting the AWPA representative will advise the riders of class procedures, rules, and how the horses are to be presented.

#### **CLASS GUIDELINES**

Entries will be shown and judged under the class specifications set forth in the Arabian Division of the USEF Rule Book for Western Pleasure Junior Horses, with a change in order of judging criteria listed below. Entries must be shown in a snaffle bit or hackamore (Refer to AHA Handbook).

A five judge total points system will be used. Judges will be drawn randomly from the Nationals judging panels. Quality is the number one criteria for judging, followed by performance, suitability, and manners.

Each Judges placing will be ranked and points applied according to the following table:

1 st =	2 <sup>nd</sup> =	3 <sup>rd</sup> =	4 <sup>th</sup> =	5 <sup>th</sup> =	
6 <sup>th</sup> =	7 <sup>th</sup> =	8 <sup>th</sup> =	9 <sup>th</sup> = 8	10 <sup>th</sup> =	11 <sup>th</sup> or
16	12	10	, – 0	6	any

Class eliminations will be run as standard Western Pleasure Junior Horse classes. Entries will be shown at a walk, jog and lope both directions of the ring. Fourteen (14) horses total will advance to the final. (Example: If the number of entries require two sections of eliminations be run (Section A and Section B), 7 horses from Section A and 7 horses from section B will advance to the final)

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#### AWPA Futurity Finals Class Procedure:

Phase 1. Rail Work (80% of judging OR score)

Horses will be shown at a walk, jog and lope both directions of the ring. Judging criteria will be in this order: quality, performance, suitability, and manners. After completion of the rail work, exhibitors will be asked to line up head to tail, split evenly by numbers on either long side of the arena.

Phase 2. The Stand Up (20% of judging OR score)

Once all horses are in line, two attendants per horse will be allowed into the arena to assist with removing saddles and pads. They are allowed to bring a saddle rack, towel, and brush. They are not allowed to show the horse during judging. Riders are to stand up their horse to be assessed for quality by the judges. The horses shall stand relaxed with weight evenly dispersed on all four feet (not stretched). Whips may not be used. Once the judging panel has completed their examination of your horse, it should then be resaddled. After all horses have been retacked, riders will be asked to remount and attendants will be excused from the ring.

#### Phase 3. Placing and Awards

Exhibitors will be retired to the paddock after the judges turn in their cards. The Top Ten will then be called back into the ring in numerical order. The Reserve Champion and then the Champion will be placed and given their awards. The horses will leave the arena in reverse order of their placings (tenth place first and Champion last). As they exit, the prize money won by each will be announced.

#### **BREEDING/GELDING IN-HAND CLASSES**

In all breeding classes, the order of go will be determined and posted by birth date of the horse from oldest to youngest. (exception: The Youth National Championship Show Commission which may modify the order of go to avoid conflicts with other rings) USEF rule change to AR113.2 effective 4/1/2021

All Breeding/Gelding In-Hand classes will be judged comparatively using the Majority Opinion System (MOS). Controlled paddock procedures in the General Rules for all National Shows (GR 9) will include the following restrictions for Breeding In-Hand classes:

- » ONLY TRAINER OR FAMILY MEMBERS PERMITTED
- » NO WHIPS
- » NO NOISE MAKERS OR
- » NO ADDITIONAL NOISE ALLOWED IN THE PADDOCK AREA.

The above will be strictly enforced by the Youth National Show Commission and those in violation will be removed from the paddock.

#### **DRESSAGE/WESTERN DRESSAGE CLASSES**

Tests will be as follows:

- » USDF Introductory Dressage Test B
- » Training Level Test 3
- » First Level Test 3
- » Second Level Test 3
- » Third Level Test 3
- » Western Dressage Intro Test 4
- » Western Dressage Basic Test 4

Only one ride will be used to determine Champion, Reserve Champion and Top Ten. Readers are only allowed in Introductory Level. For Reader exception see USEF DR 122.4 and the General Rules GR 23.

No Whips Allowed, exception Western Dressage.

Dressage Award Presentations will be held after the last dressage classes each day.

# **YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS**

#### DRESSAGE HELMET RULE

When cross entry by rider or horse/rider combination is permitted between Dressage and other Arabian classes at a competition, DR120 and DR121 apply only to the designated Dressage warm up and competition areas, or when an exhibitor is actually warming up for Dressage classes.

#### DRUG TESTING, SHOE & HOOF MEASURING

Please refer to the General Rules GR 16and GR 47 Complimentary hoof measurements will NOT be provided by USEF/EC Stewards at any National Show.

#### **EQUITATION**

Refer to AHA handbook REQ 209

#### **DRESSAGE SEAT EQUITATION**

In addition to rail work, all contestants are required to perform three or more individual tests from USEF DR133.

#### **HUNTER SEAT EQUITATION**

Refer to USEF EQ 107 for class routine, faults & eliminations.

#### 1. NOT TO JUMP

Will have a rail work portion and also each competitor will be asked to perform two or more tests as outlined in the AHA Handbook REQ 209.8).

Judges must work competitors in groups of twenty (20) or less. Exhibitors will be excused from the ring following rail work and will perform their tests individually.

#### 2. OVER OBSITACLES

Course will be posted 24 hours prior to class.

Fence heights are 2'9". This class will follow the procedures outlined in the USEF EQ-2. All competitors will compete over the Hunt Seat Equitation course and then the top four competitors from each judge's card will be required to perform two or more tests from USEF EQ 113, Test 1-17, as designated by the call judge.

#### **REINING SEAT EQUITATION**

All Reining Seat Equitation classes will have (1) one go round.

#### SADDLE SEAT EQUITATION

Refer to AHA handbook REQ 209.5 for allowable tests..

#### **UPHA ARABIAN BREEDS CHALLENGE CUP**

UPHA winners receive awards provided by UPHA.

All UPHA riders must be a current UPHA Member at the time they qualify.

#### UPHA rules EQ 118.15.4 the SAME horse must be used for BOTH phases except with a vet certificate

All UPHA Arabian Breeds Challenge Cup class entries must be qualified seven days prior to the beginning of the show. Qualifications earned after 7 days prior to the start of the show, will count for the next year – UPHA rules refer to USEF EQ 118.15

For the 14-18 and the 13 & under classes, in Phase I, all contestants must work as a group (or in groups) of twenty (20) or less on the rail and complete an individual workout. A minimum of twelve (12) and no more than fourteen (14) riders will be chosen for Phase II, which is the Finals Section. No predetermined number need be selected from each group.

In the UPHA 10 & Under Walk/Trot class, the riders will work as a group (or in groups) of twelve (12) or less. There will be no individual workout. Ten (10) riders will be chosen to return for Phase II, which is the Finals Section.

For UPHA questions regarding rules or qualifications, refer to the USEF rule book EQ 118.15 or contact UPHA at (859) 231-5070, info@uphaoline.com.

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#### LEAD LINE EXHIBITION CLASS

Lead Line classes are open to riders 2 through 6 years of age. Age of rider will be determined by using the age of the child as of December 1, 2020. Lead Line riders may not cross enter into any other class in the show.

Riders/trainers/owners in Lead Line classes are exempt from AHA/USEF membership if the horse entered is not entered in any other class in the show.

The Lead Line classes will be exhibition classes only. All participants will receive a specially designed trophy and ribbon.

Please sign up for this class on the entry form. Post entries will be accepted at the show office up to one day prior to the class. Leaders must be at least 14 years of age. Leaders are to walk on the near side of the horse. (Res. 27-97)

#### **LEVELED CLASSES - SELECT, CHOICE & ELITE CLASSES**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 27. Cross entry is permitted into the owner classes.

#### SPORT HORSE IN-HAND CLASSES

Will be judged using the AHA Sport Horse Score Sheet.

There is an order of go for in-hand classes. The Order of Go will be definite, but the times listed are approximate. In the event of a conflict with other rings, management will work with exhibitors within the time frame for each class as much as possible. If you miss your go, you missed your class.

To help avoid conflicts with other rings, once the number of go's has been determined, there will be a signup sheet with time frames for each class. You will be able to sign up at the show on the AHA APP and web site. If you do not sign up by Noon the day prior to your scheduled class, a go order will be assigned to you.

All Sport Horse In-Hand classes will utilize the "Triangle" method of presenting their horses to the judges. The classes may be conducted using a proportionally smaller triangle.

#### **WALK/TROT/JOG 10 & UNDER CLASSES**

Open to Exhibitors 10 years old and under as of as of December 1, 2020. Stallions are prohibited.

#### **WORKING HUNTER CLASSES**

Working Hunter Championship classes will be judged using AHA Score Cards and will follow the procedures outlined in the AHA Handbook REQ 213 /NATIONAL

Working Hunter Championships have two jumping classes (A, B) followed by an under saddle class (C) that is the Final. Riders may not be different from class to class (A, B and C). Exception:

In the Working Hunter Championship classes, if an exhibitor is showing more than one horse, they may appoint another rider to ride their other entries in the under saddle class per USEF AR 165.3.

The substitute rider must be in the same age range. i.e for the W/T 10 & Under Cross Rail the substitute rider must be 10 or under.

All horses can compete in both jumping rounds; however this is not a requirement.

The first order of go shall be drawn. Riders may be permitted to ride back-to-back rounds at their discretion.

A rider may be permitted to compete out of order to minimize delays, but must be approved by management.

#### **WORKING HUNTER 14.2 & UNDER JTR CH**

This championship is open to any 14.2 and under Working Hunter. Measurement cards must be sent with your entry. Fence heights are 2'3" (USEF AR 162) Championship will run as defined by USEF in Article AR165 & AR166

#### **HUNTER HACK CLASSES**

Hunter Hack Championship classes will follow the procedures outlined in the AHA Handbook (REQ 210. Fence heights 2'3".

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#### **HUNTER WARM UP/SCHOOLING**

A Jump obstacle fee of \$10 per class is included with Working Hunter, Hunter Hack and Hunt Seat Equitation Over Obstacles classes.

One Hunter warm up round of \$30 is included with each Working Hunter class and will precede your judged round. Warm Up round fees are non-refundable.

The Working Hunter open schooling time is scheduled for Wednesday, July 21 in the Specialty Arena. No sign up or fee required. No horses will be allowed to participate that are not entered in Working Hunter or Hunt Seat Equitation Over Obstacles classes. Trainers and riders will be allowed to ride the horse during the open schooling.

Protective Headgear must be worn in both the open schooling ring, in the paddock and other schooling areas designated for Working Hunter/Hunt Seat Equitation Over Obstacles horses.

#### **RANCH HORSE RAIL PLEASURE**

Will be judged using the MOS system and in accordance with USEF AR 223

#### **WORKING WESTERN CLASSES**

Order of go will be by random draw as outlined in Arabian Division of the USEF rulebook AR 208.

#### FREESTYLE REINING (EXHIBITION)

Freestyle reining will have 1 go. The class will be run and judged in accordance with the current USEF Rule Book. Time limit is 3½ minutes per horse.

Champion and Reserve Champion will receive an award designated by Show Management. In case of a tie, the number one judge's score will break the tie. If still tied, the number two judge will break the tie.

Entries will be limited to ten (10). Ten (10) slots will be filled based on the oldest to youngest exhibitor and postmarked date. Remaining entries will be put on a waiting list in the event there is a cancellation of one of the 10 accepted rides.

#### RANCH HORSE RIDING

Ranch Horse Riding will have 1 go. Run in accordance with USEF AR 221

#### TRAIL, REINING & SHORT STIRRUP REINING

All entries will compete in two go rounds. Champion, Reserve Champion and Top Ten will be determined by the cumulative score of both go rounds.

TRAIL WARM UP Back numbers must be worn. The total fee for each trail class includes the trail obstacle fee and a trail warm up for Saturday and Sunday. No sign up is needed for Trail warm-ups.

#### **REINED COW HORSE**

Reined and Limited Reined Cow classes will have 1 go.

Entries to be shown and judged under the class specifications set forth in the Arabian division of the USEF rule book. Refer to USEF AR 218 for class procedures.

Limited Reined Cow Horse introduces the rider to the boxing phase of the cow work.

Riders may not have gone down the fence in any judged class(es) or event(s) with the exception of horse sales. Being entered in a class that includes the fence work will be counted as going down the fence regardless if the rider boxed the cow and pulled up before the run was completed.

#### **HERD WORK**

Herd Work classes will have 1 go.

Entries to be shown and judged under the class specifications set forth in the NRCHA Rule Book.

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#### **COW PRACTICE**

Back numbers must be worn. The total fee for each class requiring a cow will includes the cattle fee has been graciously donated for 2021. You will need to sign up for a cow practice for 5 min (1 cow) @ \$35.00 per cow. You will be able to sign up at the show on the AHA APP and web site.

#### **EXPERIENCE AHYA CLASSES**

- 1. Must fill out the Experience AHA Youth Nationals entry form and mail, email or fax it to AHA
- 2. The exhibitor that is entered in Experience AHA classes may NOT enter into any other classes in the Youth National Championship Show.
- 3. The Horse may cross enter in Experience classes and YNL Championship classes.
- 4. The horse must be an Arabian, Half-Arabian or Anglo-Arabian.
- 5. The youth must be a member of AHYA. USEF membership is not required for rider.
- 6. USEF membership is not required for either the owner or trainer IF the horse is entered in the Experience classes only.
- 7. The entry fee is \$35 and limited to the first 18 entries in each class.
- 8. The horse must have a stall and pay the mandatory fees at YNL.
- 9. Neck ribbons will be awarded to 5 places. No trophies will be awarded.
- 10. Will be judged by 1 judge.
- 11. Neither the horses nor the exhibitors will earn points in any AHA or USEF points program.
- 12. Entries close June 22 (postmark or electronically dated).
- 13. A one time late fee per horse after June 22 of \$ 50
- 14. No additional new horse will be accepted after July 15, 5 PM
- 15. Additional classes may be entered until Saturday July 17, 5:00 PM @ \$35 per class
- 16. If a non-competing horse is ultimately entered in Experience AYHA classes, all fees paid will be transferred.

#### 17. Tack:

A cut-back saddle for saddle seat, western saddle for stock seat, and hunt saddle for hunt seat are to be used. Work bridles and bits, including snaffles, are allowed, and running martingales are permitted. However, tie down martingales are not allowed. Any horse or rider that is deemed unsafe or is not abiding by these rules may be eliminated by the judge or horse show management.

#### 18. Attire:

- General No jackets are allowed in any class. Helmets that meet the ASTM safety requirements must be worn in every class except Showmanship.
- b. Showmanship Long Sleeves and long pants are required. Attire should correspond to the type of halter used on the horse.
- c. Western Pleasure and Western Seat Equitation Long sleeve, long pants and Western boots are required. Chaps are optional.
- d. Hunter Pleasure and Hunt Seat Equitation Long Sleeves, (jodhpurs with jodhpur boots 10 & Under only) or breeches with Hunt boots all ages.
- e. Country English Pleasure and Saddle Seat Equitation Long sleeves, jodhpurs and jodhpur boots. A vest may be worn.

#### 19. Specs Pleasure classes:

- a. Gaits will be walk/trot or walk/jog for all 10 and Under Pleasure classes.
- b. Gaits will be walk/trot/canter or walk/jog/canter for all classes for 11 and older. Emphasis will be placed on horse and rider working as a pair with horse under control at all times.

#### 20. Specs Equitation Classes:

Emphasis to be places on rider that controls and guides his/her mount as they execute judge's requests. Gaits will be the same as the Pleasure Classes, but may be asked to back in 11 and over classes.

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#### **COMPETITION ARENAS**

The following table specifies the dimensions and footing of the competition arenas:

#### **ARENA: DIMENSIONS FOOTING**

- » Norick Arena (located in the Superbarn) 120' x 250'
- « Red Sandy loam
- « Performance Arena 120' x 250'
- Sandy loam
- « Specialty Arena (Barn 8) 130' x 255'
- « Sandy loam

#### **WARM UP RINGS**

When classes are in session, the only horses allowed in the paddock/warm up arenas are the horses in the next class.

Superbarn - 100' x 220'

- « Barn 3 200' x 80'
- « Barn 7 Two 80'x 170' warm up rings
- « Outdoor Covered Arena 100' x 200'
- « West Outdoor Covered Arena 100' x 400'
- Lunging arenas 10 dedicated 63' round pens

#### **CONTROLLED PADDOCK PROCEDURE**

Refer to the General Rules GR 9 and Breeding/Gelding In-Hand classes in this Prize list for additional rules.

#### **DOGS & OTHER PETS/ANIMALS**

Refer to the General rules GR 14

#### **EQUINE HEALTH ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 21

#### FIRE MARSHAL REGULATIONS

Please refer to the General Rules GR 23

Stalls can only be covered in a red rosin construction grade paper or (butcher block paper), cheesecloth, either regular or restaurant type grade. Wood strapping - 3' max. on center to attach paper is allowed. Any stalls that are covered containing electrical appliances, (refrigerator, microwave, coffee pots) are required to have an operating smoke detector.

- Any aisle space between stalls can be covered only if equal open space to material does not exceed four (4) feet. If your material is maximum 4 feet, then the open space between the materials must be a minimum of 4 feet.
- No tents or canopies are allowed inside the barns, arena, or livestock areas. This includes, but is not limited to, EZ-UP pop up tents.
- No hay, straw, shavings, or similar combustible materials used for decorations are permitted within any facility unless they have been treated in ACCORDANCE WITH NFPA 701 to make them flame retardant and a certificate or similar proof is supplied to the OKC Fire Marshal's Office prior to its placing. (Hay or straw for feed and bedding of animals can be kept in stall areas)
- Combustible storefront elevations shall be treated in ACCORDANCE WITH THE NFPA 701 to make them flame retardant and certificate or similar proof is supplied to the Oklahoma City Fire Marshal's Office prior to it placing. Material that is being treated by user must be done in the presence of an inspector from the City of Oklahoma City Fire Marshal's Office.

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#### **FORMAL NIGHT**

Formal night is designated for Saturday, July 24.

#### **MOTORIZED VEHICLE/GOLF CARTS**

Please check the AHA web site for further details regarding the golf cart vendor.

Please refer to GR 30 and USEF Rule GR1301.7 regarding the motorized vehicles, including golf carts, motorcycles, scooters or other farm utility vehicles by minors.

#### **MUSIC - EQUITATION & FREESTYLE REINING**

Exhibitors in Equitation and Freestyle Reining classes will be allowed to submit their own music selection for their pattern work in the Semi-finals/Finals section only. UPHA classes allow music for phase I only.

Music requests with the name of the song and artist must be submitted at least one day prior to the session in which the Semi-final/Final is held. Please check with the show office on how to submit your music

No music will be accepted once the session has started.

#### **PARKING INFORMATION**

There is NO charge for entrance onto the grounds or for parking.

Designated lots will be marked for Patrons, Judges and Officials. You must have a Parking tag for these lots or your vehicle will be towed.

Parking is not allowed in any fire lanes or any barn areas.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

Qualifications have been waived for 2021. Elite, Choice and Select riders must still meet the definition.

#### **SCHEDULE AND RING CONFLICTS**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 38.

#### **SCORING SYSTEM**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 39.

#### **SEATING**

Certain box seating areas are designated for Patron, VIP or Judge seating only.

#### **STABLING/ARRIVAL INFORMATION & FEED & BEDDING**

Please refer to the General Rules GR 43

Feed and Bedding is available through State Fair Park for ON-SITE feed and bedding purchases. Please order feed and bedding prior to your arrival on the enclosed form. Contact phone number is (405) 948-6786. Exhibitors are permitted to bring in outside feed and bedding for personal use, HOWEVER, third party deliveries or sales are strictly prohibited.

Exhibitors will be financially responsible for any alteration/damage to their stalls on the premises.

Removal of Stall Panel (per Panel/Stall)....Varies up to \$500

#### Saturday July 10 ......NO Arrivals before noon

Sunday July 25, by Midnight.....Stalls must be vacated \*NO EXCEPTIONS.

All stall fees must be paid in full at the time of entry as follows:

- « \$250 per stall (12X12) (horse or tack)
- « One paid stall per entered horse, all others are considered tack stalls. No subletting of stalls will be allowed.
- « When ordering just tack stalls, please use an entry form leaving the horse information blank. Please list the tack stalls on the stall reservation form as well.

ALL Non-Competing horses must have a stall and be listed on the stall Reservation form.

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#### **GROUP STABLING**

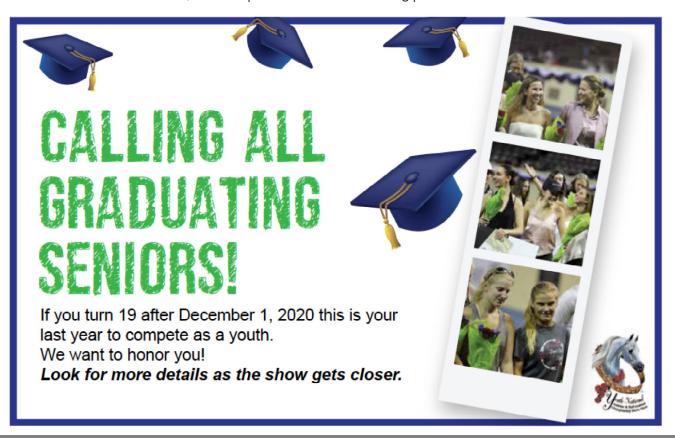
Please refer to the General Rules GR 43

AHA must receive all Stable Request forms for exhibitors wishing to be a part of a group (including on-line entries) by June 24 to guarantee request.

#### **PATRON STABLING**

PLEASE refer to the General Rules GR 32.1 & GR

Deadline to enroll as a Patron, with fees paid in full to receive stalling preference is June 1.



Mark Your Calendar Tuesday, July 13, 2021 APAHA & ECC Ranch Horse Rail Seminar Performance Arena 2 - 3:30 PM