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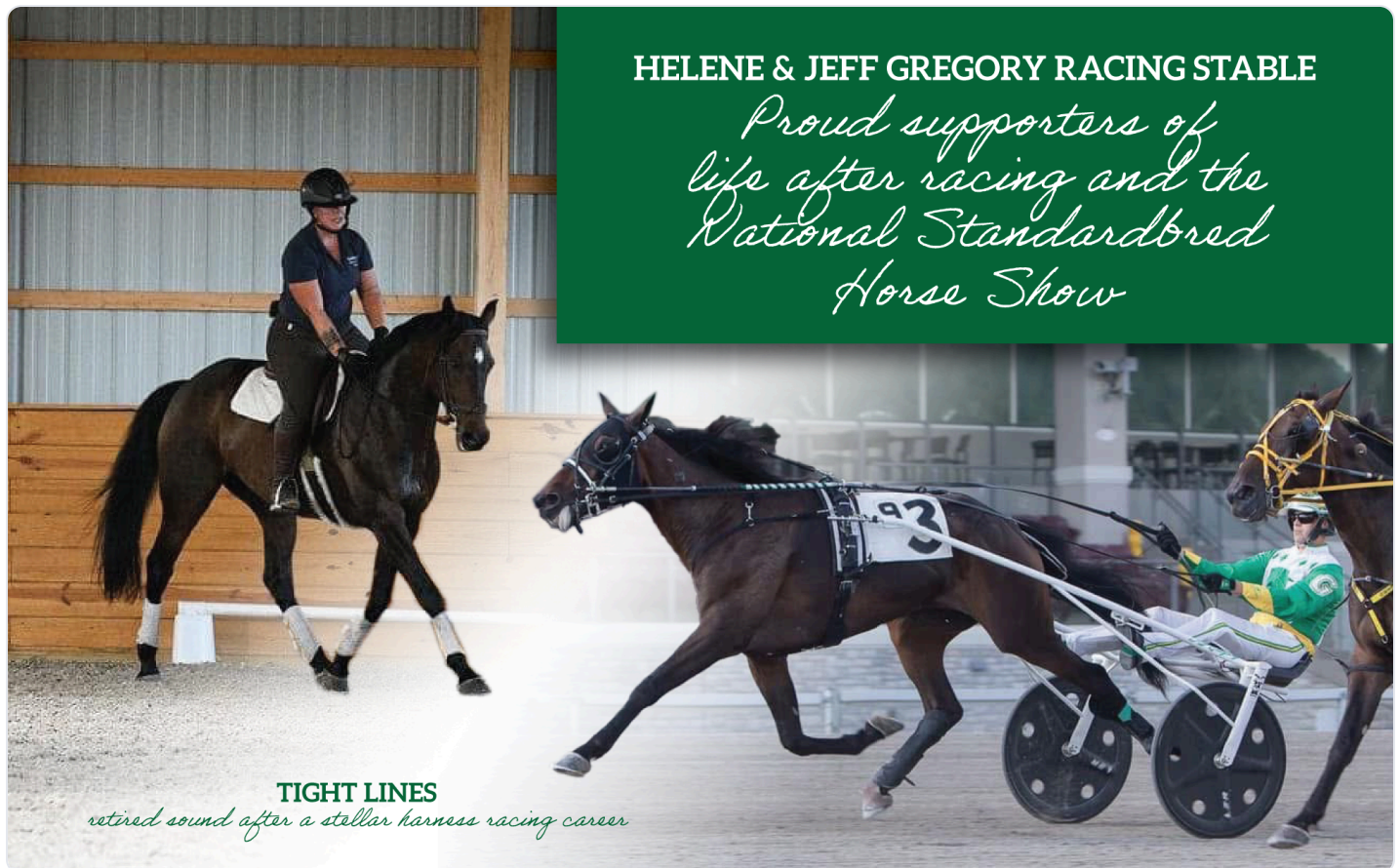
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HORSE SHOW RULES (PAGE 1 OF 2)

1. ALL HORSES MUST BE PRE-ENTERED BY SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2026. Entries received after this date will incur a late fee per class.
2. Pre-entries must be accompanied by a credit card payment, or an open check received in the show office before a horse competes.
3. ALL STALLS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED. (a) Horse stalls are available at \$100 for the weekend. (b) Tack stalls are available at \$100 for the weekend. (c) Stalls do not include bedding. All hay, grain and shavings must be purchased and brought by the competitor – none will be available for purchase at the show.
4. No stabling at the Horse Park before Wednesday at 6:00 PM. Stalls must be vacated by noon on Monday, September 21, 2026.
5. Horses will be judged according to the full 2026 SPHO-NJ Rulebook, available at <https://sphoj.org/rules>
6. ALL horses entered must be full-bred Standardbreds, registered with the USTA. Must show proof of registration by lip tattoo, freeze brand and/or registration papers before entering the first class. Tattoos will be checked by the Horse Show Steward.
7. Schooling in designated areas only.
8. Camper hookups are available near the stable area at a fee of \$150 for the weekend.
9. Proof of negative Coggins test dated within 12 months must be provided for all horses.
10. Horses coming from out of state must have a health certificate dated within 30 days of the show.
11. No refunds will be granted without a vet's certificate (stall, EMT and office fees will not be refunded).
12. Approved helmets required for exhibitors 18 years and under when riding or driving. Failure to follow this rule will result in being excused from the ring.
13. Dogs must be leashed. The HPNJ \$50 fine will be imposed for loose dogs.
14. Only standard cavessons are permitted in all English Pleasure, hunter, and equitation classes.
15. No martingales or tie-downs permitted in pleasure, under saddle, and equitation flat classes. Games excluded.
16. Disrespect to a judge or show official will not be tolerated, and will disqualify the exhibitor, resulting in forfeiture of all entry fees.



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HORSE SHOW RULES (PAGE 2 OF 2)

17. No one may approach the judge during the competition unless accompanied by the Horse Show Steward.
18. All horses must be serviceably sound. Racing blemishes not to count. Show judge's decision will be final. If excused, remaining entry fees will be refunded.
19. Exhibitors are notified that the Horse Park of NJ only allows drugs and medications to be administered by a show vet.
20. Holds on classes must be requested in the office before the start of the session where the conflict occurs. Only exhibitors with back-to-back classes will be granted holds.
21. Exhibitors are responsible for having their entries at ringside when their class is called. If there is not a hold granted for a back-to-back class, exhibitors who are not ready at the gate when the class starts will be scratched.
22. Rules not explicitly covered in the SPHO-NJ rulebook will defer to the guidelines of the associated governing body for the discipline.
23. Any class descriptions that are not answered on this prize list will defer to the guidelines of the associated governing body for the discipline.
24. In the case of a tie for Champion, the classes used to break the tie will be marked in the Division descriptions with an exclamation point (!).
25. Each horse and rider pair is limited to a maximum of two dressage rides at the National Standardbred Horse Show presented by Purple Haze Standardbred Adoption Program and may not cross-enter different dressage divisions. A horse is permitted a third dressage ride in a different division so the horse can be shared between a junior and an adult rider.
26. **GAIT DECLARATION (NEW FOR 2026):** Horses must be declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait for each show day and may not cross-enter 2 Gait and 3 Gait division classes within the same day. A horse may compete at a different gait on each day. This rule does NOT apply to exhibitor classes (Equitation and Horsemanship) – a horse competing in 2 Gait classes MAY compete in 3 Gait Equitation or Horsemanship on the same day.
27. **GYMKHANA (NEW FOR 2026):** No cross-entering is allowed between the Walk/Trot (2 Gait) division and the Youth or Open divisions for the same horse/rider combination. Youth combinations may cross-enter into Open if they choose.
28. **COMBINED CLASSES (NEW FOR 2026):** Management reserves the right to combine adjacent-level classes (e.g., Rookie with Green, Novice with Senior) when a class draws fewer than three (3) entries. Combined classes will be judged as one class, with ribbons and prize money awarded accordingly.
29. Exhibitors must declare their horses as either Rookie, Green, Novice, or Senior on the entry form. Improperly classifying your horse will result in disqualification with no refund of entry fees and will also change the horse's eligibility status.
30. All returned checks will be subject to a \$35 surcharge.
31. Neither the Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization of NJ, Inc. nor the Horse Park of NJ will be responsible for any accident of any kind or nature that may occur to any person, animal or property, and the exhibitor shall hold the Committee or Property Owner harmless and indemnify them against any legal proceeding arising from such accident.
32. The Show Committee and/or the Horse Park of NJ reserve the right to amend, add or clarify any rules that are found to be unsafe, unclear, or potentially misconstrued.
33. **WESTERN TACK – BOSAL:** Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal.
34. **WESTERN TACK – REIN HANDLING:** Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.
35. All judge's results are official.

NEW FOR 2026 – GAIT DECLARATION (Rule 26)

NEW FOR 2026 – GYMKHANA CROSS-ENTRY (Rule 27)

NEW FOR 2026 – COMBINED CLASSES (Rule 28)

CODE OF CONDUCT (PAGE 1 OF 2)

All participants—riders, trainers, owners, handlers, grooms, volunteers, staff, and spectators—are expected to uphold these standards throughout the event.

HORSES FIRST

- Prioritize the health, welfare, and humane treatment of every horse.
- Inhumane treatment—physical or verbal—is strictly prohibited. Such behavior may lead to expulsion or disqualification.

RESPECT & SPORTSMANSHIP

- Treat everyone—fellow competitors, officials, sponsors, volunteers, staff, and spectators—with courtesy and respect.
- Refrain from abusive language, gestures, or harassment of any kind. Always behave professionally and courteously.

RESPECT FOR OFFICIALS & PROPERTY

- Accept decisions by judges, stewards, and officials respectfully, without argument or disruptive conduct.
- Respect show facilities: keep competition areas, stables, walkways, and common spaces clean and tidy.

FAIR PLAY & INTEGRITY

- Compete honestly—no misconduct, rule violations, or performance manipulation.
- Abide by all rules and regulations.
- Disputes should be addressed via official channels, not publicly or aggressively.

SAFETY

- Follow all safety protocols for competition, stable areas, and schooling sessions.
- Promptly report any unsafe conditions or incidents.

CODE OF CONDUCT (PAGE 2 OF 2)

INCLUSIVITY & PROFESSIONALISM

- Support an inclusive environment free from discrimination.
- Model professionalism in dress, communication, and conduct.
- Bullying, derogatory remarks, or exclusionary behavior will not be tolerated.

ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP

- Dispose of manure, bedding, feed bags, and trash in designated areas.
- Keep aisles, wash racks, and stabling areas clean and clear at all times.
- Treat venue property and stabling with respect.

CONFLICT & INCIDENT REPORTING

- Concerns or complaints should be reported promptly to the Show Office or a designated steward.
- A formal incident report may be filed. Proper follow-up will be conducted.
- Retaliation for reporting in good faith is strictly prohibited and may result in sanctions.

ENFORCEMENT & CONSEQUENCES

- Violations may result in warnings, disqualification, removal from the event, and/or denial of future participation.
- Stewards and officials are authorized to take immediate action to preserve dignity, fairness, welfare, and safety.

COMMITMENT STATEMENT

By entering this event, all participants agree to uphold this Code of Conduct and respect officials' authority. We aim to foster a safe, fair, and enjoyable environment that honors the spirit of the Standardbred breed and equestrian sport.

FEES & PRIZE MONEY

ENTRY & SHOW FEES	
Office Fee	\$35
EMT Fee	\$10
Horse Stall (weekend)	\$100
Tack Stall (weekend)	\$100
Camper Hookup (weekend)	\$150
Non-Stabling / Ship-In Fee	\$25
Non SPHO-NJ Member Fee	\$25
Late Entry Fee (per class)	\$15
Returned Check Fee	\$35
New Jersey Bred Division Nomination (one-time)	\$100
Leadline Class Entry	\$10
Entry – \$50 Payout Class	\$15
Entry – \$75 Payout Class	\$15
Entry – \$100 Payout Class	\$20
Entry – \$200 Payout Class	\$25

CLASS PRIZE MONEY					
PAYOUT	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH
\$50 CLASS	\$20	\$15	\$10	\$5	—
\$75 CLASS	\$30	\$20	\$15	\$10	—
\$100 CLASS	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10	—
\$200 CLASS	\$100	\$50	\$25	\$15	\$10

NEW JERSEY BRED DIVISION: one-time Division Nomination Fee of \$100 per horse. See the New Jersey Bred Division page for eligibility, awards, and prize money.

Entry fee per class is shown with each class in the Divisions & Class Descriptions section. No refunds without a vet's certificate; stall, EMT, and office fees are non-refundable.



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Good luck to all those whose patience
and kindness has given this versatile
breed a second chance for a new,
productive future.



EQUINE / EXHIBITOR ELIGIBILITY CLARIFICATION

1. The intermediate gait is any gait the horse performs naturally between the walk and the canter. This may be a trot, jog, pace, running walk or rack. They will be judged at judges' discretion.
2. A Junior Exhibitor is an exhibitor 18 years and under as of November 1 of the current show year.
3. All exhibitor age-restricted classes will consider the age of the exhibitor on November 1, 2025.
4. SPH0-NJ Jersey Bred Horse: A horse that was sired by a stallion standing in New Jersey at time of conception, or a horse that was born in the state of New Jersey. Any NJ-sired horse that races after January 1 of the competition year is not eligible for Jersey Bred awards through the New Jersey Department of Agriculture Equine Advisory Board.
5. SPH0-NJ Rookie Horse: Horses in their first year of competition with no previous show experience prior to November 1, 2025. In-Hand & non-show activities excluded.
6. SPH0-NJ Green Horse: Horses in their second year of competing or beyond that have won no more than 10 blue ribbons prior to November 1, 2025. In-Hand & non-show activities excluded.
7. SPH0-NJ Novice Horse: Horses in their second year of competing or beyond that have won between 11-30 blue ribbons prior to November 1, 2025. In-Hand & non-show activities excluded.
8. SPH0-NJ Senior Horse: Horses in their second year of competing or beyond that have won more than 30 blue ribbons prior to November 1, 2025. In-Hand & non-show activities excluded.
9. SPH0-NJ Open: All horses and riders are eligible to enter.

GAIT DECLARATION (NEW FOR 2026): Horses must be declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait for each show day and may not cross-enter 2 Gait and 3 Gait division classes within the same day. For example, a horse may not enter both English Pleasure (3 Gait) and Hunter (2 Gait) on Saturday. A horse may, however, compete at a different gait on each day — such as showing 3 Gait on Saturday and 2 Gait on Sunday. This rule does **NOT** apply to exhibitor classes (Equitation and Horsemanship) — a horse competing in 2 Gait classes MAY compete in 3 Gait Equitation or Horsemanship on the same day.



NEW JERSEY BRED DIVISION ★ NEW FORMAT FOR 2026

WHAT'S NEW FOR 2026

In previous years, Jersey Bred classes were offered as standalone classes, with horses of all levels competing against one another. This year, the division has been restructured to allow horses to compete against others of a similar level while earning points toward the Jersey Bred High Point Award at the National Standardbred Horse Show. Jersey Bred eligible classes now run concurrently with their corresponding parent classes throughout the show — no additional trips to the ring or separate classes required.

ELIGIBILITY

A horse qualifies as Jersey Bred if it was sired by a stallion standing in New Jersey at the time of conception, or was born in the state of New Jersey. Please note that any NJ-sired horse that races after January 1 of the competition year is not eligible for Jersey Bred awards through the New Jersey Department of Agriculture Equine Advisory Board.

REQUIREMENTS

To compete in the Jersey Bred Division and receive prize money: the horse must be registered with SPHO-NJ, and the exhibitor must be a current SPHO-NJ member. Full eligibility details can be found in Section 8 of the 2026 SPHO-NJ Rulebook.

NOMINATION

There is a one-time Division Nomination Fee of \$100 per horse to compete in the Jersey Bred Division at the 2026 National Standardbred Horse Show presented by Purple Haze Standardbred Adoption Program.

AWARDS & PRIZE MONEY

At the conclusion of the show, points earned across all Jersey Bred eligible classes will be tallied and awards presented to the highest point earners in the division: Grand Champion — cooler and ribbon; Reserve Champion — cooler and ribbon; 3rd through 10th place — ribbons. Prize money of \$300 will be paid out through 4th place.

NEW JERSEY NON-RACING BREEDER AWARD PROGRAM

All horses nominated for the Jersey Bred Division at the National Standardbred Horse Show presented by Purple Haze Standardbred Adoption Program will also be eligible to receive additional prize money through the New Jersey Non-Racing Breeder Award Program, based on points earned in Jersey Bred eligible classes at our show.

🐾 Jersey Bred eligible classes are denoted with the blue NJ icon (🐾) throughout this prize list and the show schedule. Jersey Bred eligible classes run concurrently with their parent classes — no additional trips to the ring and no separate classes required.

ONLINE ENTRY INFORMATION

ONLINE ENTRIES OPEN SOON

Entries for the 2026 National Standardbred Horse Show presented by Purple Haze Standardbred Adoption Program will be taken online through **EQ Entries**. Full sign-up details are coming soon – the link to online entries will be available at nationalshow.sphonj.org/#/entries.



Official online entry platform

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Pre-entries must be accompanied by a credit card payment, or an open check received in the show office before a horse competes. All stalls must be pre-registered.

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 18

8:00 AM START · OFFICIAL SHOW SCHEDULE · SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

 = New Jersey Bred eligible
 = Double Judged

GRAND PRIX ARENA · DRESSAGE & WESTERN DRESSAGE		
Tests will be assigned a ride time. Ride times will be announced the week of the show – classes may not run in numeric order. First test at 8:00 AM.		
101	USDF INTRO TEST A – ADULT 	Wollam Racing 
102	USDF INTRO TEST A – JUNIOR 	
103	USDF INTRO TEST B – ADULT	Wollam Racing 
104	USDF INTRO TEST B – JUNIOR	
105	USDF INTRO TEST B – ADULT 	Lucky Cricket Farm 
106	USDF INTRO TEST B – JUNIOR 	Lucky Cricket Farm 
107	USDF INTRO TEST C – ADULT	Lucky Cricket Farm 
108	USDF INTRO TEST C – JUNIOR	Lucky Cricket Farm 
109	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	
110	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
111	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT	
112	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
113	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	
114	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
115	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT	
116	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
117	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	
118	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
119	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT	
120	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
121	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – ADULT 	
122	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
123	WDAA INTRO TEST 2 – ADULT	
124	WDAA INTRO TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
125	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – ADULT 	
126	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
127	WDAA BASIC TEST 2 – ADULT	
128	WDAA BASIC TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
129	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – ADULT 	
130	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
131	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 2 – ADULT	
132	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 2 – JUNIOR	
133	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – ADULT 	
134	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	
135	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 2 – ADULT	
136	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 2 – JUNIOR	

EAST RING · DRIVING		
Class 137 will start at the completion of the final dressage test.		
137	RIDE & DRIVE CHALLENGE	Hanover Shoe Farms 
138	PLEASURE DRIVING: FRESH OFF THE TRACK	USTA 
139	 PLEASURE DRIVING 	Dreamlands Farm 
140	 DRIVING REINSMANSHIP	
141	 PLEASURE DRIVING 	American Harness Drivers Club 
142	 DRIVING REINSMANSHIP	American Harness Drivers Club 
143	 PLEASURE DRIVING 	
144	 DRIVING REINSMANSHIP	
145	 PLEASURE DRIVING 	
146	 DRIVING REINSMANSHIP	
147	PLEASURE DRIVING: WAR HORSE	USTA 

INDOOR · OBSTACLE DRIVING & GYMKHANA		
148	OBSTACLE DRIVING A 	Hoofmaster 
149	OBSTACLE DRIVING B	Hoofmaster 
150	BARREL RACE: 2 GAIT	Chiodo Racing 
151	BARREL RACE: JUNIOR	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
152	SAM MCKEE MEMORIAL OPEN BARREL RACE 	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
153	BARREL DASH: 2 GAIT	
154	BARREL DASH: JUNIOR	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
155	BARREL DASH: OPEN	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
156	POLE BENDING: 2 GAIT	
157	POLE BENDING: JUNIOR	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
158	POLE BENDING: OPEN	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
159	KEYHOLE: 2 GAIT	
160	KEYHOLE: JUNIOR	The Meadowlands Racetrack 
161	KEYHOLE: OPEN 	The Meadowlands Racetrack 

A published order of go will be set for the Gymkhana division. The DJ will announce who is up, on deck, and in the hole. Riders must enter the arena within 60 seconds of being called or will be excused.

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19

 = New Jersey Bred eligible
★ = Double Judged

8:00 AM START · OFFICIAL SHOW SCHEDULE · BOTH RINGS RUN CONCURRENTLY · SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

WEST RING · 2 GAIT		WALK / INTERMEDIATE GAIT	
202	ROOKIE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
204	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	Hunterton Farms 
206	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	The Ferguson Family 
208	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	Purple Haze 
210	ROOKIE	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
212	ROOKIE	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
214	GREEN	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	The Ferguson Family 
216	GREEN	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	The Ferguson Family 
218	NOVICE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	New Vocations Racehorse Adoption 
220	NOVICE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	USHWA Delaware Valley Chapter 
222	SENIOR	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
224	SENIOR	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	Paul Spears/Windson Stable 
226	NOVICE	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	New Vocations Racehorse Adoption 
228	NOVICE	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	New Vocations Racehorse Adoption 
230	SENIOR	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
232	SENIOR	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm 
234		12 & UNDER ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Lily Kirin - In Memory of Don Dinero 
236		12 & UNDER ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Britney Dillon & Dean Eckley 
238		12 & UNDER ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	
240		13-18 ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	John Calabrese Racing 
242		13-18 ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Roegner Racing 
244		13-18 ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Dexter Dunn Racing 
246		FRESH OFF THE TRACK ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	USTA 
248		WAR HORSE ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	USTA 
HOLD THIS RING UNTIL END OF OPEN 2 GAIT EQUITATION CHALLENGE IN EAST RING			
250		13-18 EQUITATION 2 GAIT	US Harness Drivers Club 
252		13-18 EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	US Harness Drivers Club 
254		13-18 EQUITATION 3 GAIT	US Harness Drivers Club 
256		50+ EQUITATION 2 GAIT	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
258		50+ EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
260		50+ EQUITATION 3 GAIT	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
MOVE TO INDOOR AFTER EQUITATION			

INDOOR (PM) · HUNTER OVER X RAILS	
262	SENIOR HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT
264	NOVICE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT
266	GREEN HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT 
268	ROOKIE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT 
269	SENIOR HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT
271	NOVICE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT 
273	GREEN HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT
275	ROOKIE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT

Jump courses are set in the Indoor Arena for the full day — competitors may school throughout the day. Indoor classes begin at the conclusion of Equitation.

SATURDAY NIGHT BBQ CHICKEN DINNER after jumping concludes — sponsored by Crofter's Fields. **TIMING TBC**

EAST RING · 3 GAIT		WALK / INTERMEDIATE GAIT / CANTER	
201	ROOKIE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	
203	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 	
205	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	Sherman Show Stable 
207	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 	
209	ROOKIE	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
211	ROOKIE	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT	
213	GREEN	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
215	GREEN	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT	
217	NOVICE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	Blairwood Farms 
219	NOVICE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 	In Memory of Emma and Chris Young 
221	SENIOR	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	Regency Livestock Insurance 
223	SENIOR	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 	
225	NOVICE	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	Butewicz Lifestyle Real Estate 
227	NOVICE	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT	Butewicz Lifestyle Real Estate 
229	SENIOR	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
231	SENIOR	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT	
233		13-18 ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	Jimmy & Allison Giorgianni 
235		13-18 ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	Divine Equine 
237		WAR HORSE ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	USTA 
HOLD THIS RING UNTIL END OF WAR HORSE ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT IN WEST RING			
239		PACING FOR THE CURE 2 GAIT ENG. PL. CHALLENGE ★	Jeff & Barbara Gesek 
241		BEGINNER EQUITATION 2 GAIT	Jeff Gregory Stable 
243		BEGINNER EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	Diamond Creek Horse Farm 
245		OPEN 2 GAIT EQUITATION CHALLENGE ★	Hambletonian Society 
247		12 & UNDER EQUITATION 2 GAIT	
249		12 & UNDER EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	
251		19-49 EQUITATION 2 GAIT	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
253		19-49 EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
255		19-49 EQUITATION 3 GAIT	Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson 
MOVE TO INDOOR AFTER EQUITATION			

INDOOR (PM) · HUNTER OVER FENCES + JUMPERS	
276	SENIOR HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT
278	NOVICE HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT
280	GREEN HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT 
282	ROOKIE HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT
283	SENIOR HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT
285	NOVICE HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT 
287	GREEN HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT
289	ROOKIE HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT
290	PUDDLE JUMPERS: CROSSRAILS 
291	PUDDLE JUMPERS: 2'
292	OPEN JUMPERS: 2' 
293	OPEN JUMPERS: 2'3"

SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE NATIONAL SHOW

BBQ CHICKEN DINNER!

Generously sponsored by **Crofter's Fields**



Join us Saturday night at our National Show for a BBQ chicken dinner, generously sponsored by Crofter's Fields! We're so grateful for their continued support of SPHO-NJ and our competitors.

Crofter's Fields is a farm in Waterford Works, NJ raising chickens, turkeys (including Bronze and Bourbon Red breeds and specialty crossbreds), and pigs. They also offer fresh eggs from their hens!

Come hungry, come ready to relax after a great day of showing, and be sure to thank Crofter's Fields for making it happen!

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 20

 = New Jersey Bred eligible
 = Double Judged

8:00 AM START · OFFICIAL SHOW SCHEDULE · BOTH RINGS RUN CONCURRENTLY · SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

WEST RING · 2 GAIT		WALK / INTERMEDIATE GAIT
302	12 & UNDER SHOWMANSHIP	Triple Crown Feed 
304	13-18 SHOWMANSHIP	Triple Crown Feed 
HOLD THIS RING UNTIL END OF SHOWMANSHIP CHAMPIONSHIP IN EAST RING		
306	WAR HORSE IN HAND	USTA 
308	FRESH OFF THE TRACK IN HAND	USTA 
310	ADOPTABLE HORSE IN HAND	Purple Haze 
312	YOUNG HORSE IN HAND	Triple Crown Feed 
314	GELDINGS IN HAND 	Triple Crown Feed 
HOLD THIS RING UNTIL END OF IN HAND CHAMPIONSHIP / LEADLINE / ADOPTABLE CLASSES IN EAST RING		
316	  WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	GRJ Partners LLC 
318	  WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Standardbred Transition Alliance 
320	  WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	Jesmeral Stable 
322	  WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Yankeeland Partners 
324	FRESH OFF THE TRACK WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	USTA 
326	U18 WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	SOA of NY 
328	U18 WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	
330	U18 HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	Joseph Faraldo 
332	U18 HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT	
334	19-49 HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	Winbak Farm 
336	19-49 HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT	
338	50+ HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	Theresa Fallon 
340	50+ HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT	
342	BEGINNER HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	
344	WAR HORSE RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	USTA 
346	  RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	Chris Ryder Stables 
348	  RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	Ed Lohmeyer 
350	  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT	Gary & Stacy Machiz 
352	  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT	Jane Ramsey 
354	U18 RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Nadia Tarnawa 
356	U18 RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT	

EAST RING · 3 GAIT		WALK / INTERMEDIATE GAIT / LOPE
301	50+ SHOWMANSHIP	Triple Crown Feed 
303	19-49 SHOWMANSHIP	Triple Crown Feed 
305	CHAMPIONSHIP: SHOWMANSHIP 	Triple Crown Feed 
307	MARES IN HAND – OPEN 	Triple Crown Feed 
309	STALLIONS IN HAND – OPEN 	Triple Crown Feed 
HOLD THIS RING UNTIL END OF IN HAND CLASSES IN WEST RING		
311	CHAMPIONSHIP: IN HAND 	Triple Crown Feed 
313	LEADLINE WALK ONLY	
315	LEADLINE 2 GAIT	Beverly & Jim Kenney 
317	LEADLINE 2 GAIT OFF LEAD	
319	ADOPTABLE HORSE ENG/WEST PL. 2 GAIT	Purple Haze 
321	ADOPTABLE HORSE ENG/WEST PL. 2 GAIT ADV	Purple Haze 
323	  WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	
325	  WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
327	  WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	
329	  WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
331	U18 WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
333	U18 WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	
335	WAR HORSE RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	USTA 
337	  RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	
339	  RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	
341	  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT	
343	  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT	
345	U18 RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
347	U18 RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT	Safe Harbor Standardbreds 

INDOOR · TRAIL	
357	TRAIL (ENGLISH & WESTERN, RUN CONCURRENTLY)
Trail course set in the Indoor Arena, open for schooling throughout the morning session. Shown at will at the conclusion of Class 347 U18 Ranch Riding (Pattern) 3 Gait.	

Divisions & Class Descriptions

PREMIUM DIVISIONS (highlighted in red instead of blue) will award a Prize Cooler to the division Champion and Reserve Champion. (!) = tie-breaker class for Champion

Columns: class No · sponsor · entry fee · prize money Horse levels: ROOKIE GREEN NOVICE SENIOR

DRESSAGE – GENERAL (READ FIRST)

Dressage and Western Dressage tests will be assigned a ride time; ride times will be announced the week of the horse show, so classes may not run in numeric order. Riders must be on time for their scheduled ride time – “on time” means you are coming down the centerline at your assigned ride time. Late rides will be scored as a disqualification, and late ride times will not be adjusted. Each horse and rider pair is limited to a maximum of two dressage rides and may not cross-enter different dressage divisions. A horse is permitted a third dressage ride in a different division so the horse can be shared between a junior and an adult rider. NEW FOR 2026: the rule prohibiting horses who previously competed at Training level from entering Intro divisions has been removed – horses may move between levels as needed to best showcase themselves at Nationals. Each dressage division will award an Adult Division Champion and a Junior Division Champion. Adult Rider = 19 & over as of November 1, 2025; Junior Rider = 18 & under as of November 1, 2025.

INTRO LEVEL DRESSAGE – WALK/TROT (ADULT)

SPONSORED BY WOLLAM RACING

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
101	USDF INTRO TEST A – ADULT 	 Sponsored by Wollam Racing	\$15	\$50
103	USDF INTRO TEST B – ADULT (!)	 Sponsored by Wollam Racing	\$15	\$50

Thanks to Wollam Racing, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Horses and/or riders new to dressage, to demonstrate elementary skills. The tests have been designed to encourage correct performance and to prepare the horse for the transition to the USEF tests. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

INTRO LEVEL DRESSAGE – WALK/TROT (JUNIOR)

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
102	USDF INTRO TEST A – JUNIOR 		\$15	\$50
104	USDF INTRO TEST B – JUNIOR (!)		\$15	\$50

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

INTRO LEVEL DRESSAGE – WALK/TROT/CANTER (ADULT)

SPONSORED BY LUCKY CRICKET FARM

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
105	USDF INTRO TEST B – ADULT 	 Sponsored by Lucky Cricket Farm	\$15	\$50
107	USDF INTRO TEST C – ADULT (!)	 Sponsored by Lucky Cricket Farm	\$15	\$50

Thanks to Lucky Cricket Farm, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Horses and/or riders new to dressage, adding canter work while demonstrating elementary skills, correct performance, and preparation for the transition to the USEF tests. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

INTRO LEVEL DRESSAGE – WALK/TROT/CANTER (JUNIOR)

SPONSORED BY LUCKY CRICKET FARM

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
106	USDF INTRO TEST B – JUNIOR 	 Sponsored by Lucky Cricket Farm	\$15	\$50
108	USDF INTRO TEST C – JUNIOR (!)	 Sponsored by Lucky Cricket Farm	\$15	\$50

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

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TRAINING LEVEL DRESSAGE (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
109	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$15	\$75
111	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$15	\$75

Training Level tests the suppleness of the horse's muscles and their willingness, confirming that the horse is supple and moves freely forward in a clear and steady rhythm, accepting contact with the bit. These tests include walk, trot and canter work. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

TRAINING LEVEL DRESSAGE (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
110	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$15	\$75
112	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$15	\$75

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

FIRST LEVEL DRESSAGE (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
113	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$20	\$100
115	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$20	\$100

First Level continues to develop the horse's suppleness by adding lengthening of stride, 15m circles, single loops and leg yielding. Lead changes through trot and smaller circles demonstrate the horse's balance and responsiveness. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

FIRST LEVEL DRESSAGE (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
114	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$20	\$100
116	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$20	\$100

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

SECOND LEVEL DRESSAGE (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
117	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$20	\$100
119	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$20	\$100

Horses at this level demonstrate correct basics while beginning to carry more weight on the hindquarters as collected and medium gaits develop. Greater straightness, suppleness, and self-carriage are expected, with all trot work performed sitting. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

SECOND LEVEL DRESSAGE (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
118	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$20	\$100
120	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$20	\$100

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – INTRO LEVEL (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
121	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$15	\$50
123	WDAA INTRO TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$15	\$50

An introduction to the discipline of Western Dressage; the horse performs only at the walk and jog. The rider should demonstrate correct basic position, use of basic aids, and understanding of the figures. The horse should show relaxation, and harmony between horse and rider is important. All jog work may be ridden sitting or rising. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – INTRO LEVEL (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
122	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$15	\$50
124	WDAA INTRO TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$15	\$50

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – BASIC LEVEL (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
125	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$15	\$75
127	WDAA BASIC TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$15	\$75

Tests confirm that the horse is supple and moves freely forward in a clear and steady rhythm, accepting light contact with the bit. The horse demonstrates a greater understanding of the aids and calm acceptance of the bridle; greater emphasis is placed on relaxation, willing cooperation, harmony, rideability and pure gaits. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – BASIC LEVEL (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
126	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$15	\$75
128	WDAA BASIC TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$15	\$75

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – LEVEL 1 (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
129	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$20	\$100
131	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$20	\$100

Tests confirm that the horse is building on the elements from lower levels and is developing more engagement to show sufficient impulsion as the lengthened jog and lope are performed. These tests introduce some collection, lateral and longitudinal balance, and suppleness, and emphasize harmony and rideability. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – LEVEL 1 (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
130	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$20	\$100
132	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$20	\$100

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – LEVEL 2 (ADULT)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
133	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – ADULT 	\$20	\$100
135	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 2 – ADULT (!)	\$20	\$100

Horses at this level continue developing collection, balance and self-carriage while demonstrating consistent, light contact and harmony between horse and rider. Open to Adult riders (19 & over as of November 1, 2025).

WESTERN DRESSAGE – LEVEL 2 (JUNIOR)

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
134	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – JUNIOR 	\$20	\$100
136	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 2 – JUNIOR (!)	\$20	\$100

Same division requirements as above; open to Junior riders (18 & under as of November 1, 2025).

DRIVING – GENERAL (READ FIRST)

Horses to be shown both ways of the ring at a walk, slow trot/pace, working trot/pace, and strong trot/pace. Horses are encouraged to be headed by a groom in the lineup. Pleasure Driving judged on way of going and ability to give a pleasurable drive; Reinsmanship judged primarily on the ability and skill of the driver – backing may be required. Driving levels: Rookie = no previous show experience in driving events prior to November 2025; Green = 6 or fewer blue ribbons in driving events prior to November 2025; Novice = 7-12 blue ribbons; Senior = 13 or more blue ribbons. NEW FOR 2026: rail classes are capped at 8 horses – classes exceeding this number will be split into sections. Classes with fewer than 3 entries may be combined with an adjacent level (e.g., Rookie with Green, Green with Novice, Novice with Senior).

ROOKIE PLEASURE DRIVING

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
139	ROOKIE PLEASURE DRIVING 	 Sponsored by Dreamlands Farm	\$15	\$50
140	ROOKIE DRIVING REINSMANSHIP (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to Rookie driving horses: no previous show experience in driving events prior to November 2025.

GREEN PLEASURE DRIVING

SPONSORED BY AMERICAN HARNESS DRIVERS CLUB

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
141	GREEN PLEASURE DRIVING 	 Sponsored by American Harness Drivers Club	\$15	\$50
142	GREEN DRIVING REINSMANSHIP (!)	 Sponsored by American Harness Drivers Club	\$15	\$50

Thanks to American Harness Drivers Club, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to Green driving horses: 6 or fewer blue ribbons in driving events prior to November 2025.

NOVICE PLEASURE DRIVING

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
143	NOVICE PLEASURE DRIVING 		\$15	\$50
144	NOVICE DRIVING REINSMANSHIP (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to Novice driving horses: 7-12 blue ribbons in driving events prior to November 2025.

SENIOR PLEASURE DRIVING

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
145	SENIOR PLEASURE DRIVING 		\$15	\$75
146	SENIOR DRIVING REINSMANSHIP (!)		\$15	\$75

Open to Senior driving horses: 13 or more blue ribbons in driving events prior to November 2025.

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TIMED OBSTACLE DRIVING

SPONSORED BY HOOFMASTMTER

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
148	OBSTACLE DRIVING A 🐾	🏆 Sponsored by Hoofmaster	\$15	\$50
149	OBSTACLE DRIVING B (!)	🏆 Sponsored by Hoofmaster	\$15	\$50

Thanks to Hoofmaster, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Safely navigate through a pattern of marked cones without knocking markers off the cones. Dislodging one or two balls or knocking over any obstacle will result in 3 penalties per obstacle.

GYMKHANA — GENERAL (READ FIRST)

NEW FOR 2026: A designated games steward will be present to maintain safety and consistency throughout the games division. The steward is authorized to excuse riders or horses for: continuing to school the pattern after an error or going off-course; failure to enter the arena within 60 seconds of being called; dangerous or uncontrolled behavior; lameness; unsportsmanlike conduct; or conduct toward the horse that does not reflect the standards of care and horsemanship expected at SPHO. The steward will also enforce safety standards, including properly fitted helmets for riders 18 and under and appropriately fitted tack. A published order of go will be set before the show — the DJ will announce who is up, on deck, and in the hole; riders must enter the arena within 60 seconds of being called or will be excused. Ribbon placements will be announced by division rather than pinned after each individual class. CROSS-ENTRY: no cross-entering is allowed between the Walk/Trot (2 Gait) division and the Junior or Open divisions for the same horse/rider combination. Junior combinations may cross-enter into Open if they choose.

2 GAIT (WALK/TROT) GYMKHANA

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
150	BARREL RACE: 2 GAIT (!)	🏆 Sponsored by Chiodo Racing	\$15	\$50
153	BARREL DASH: 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50
156	POLE BENDING: 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50
159	KEYHOLE: 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50

Riders may show their horses in English or Western tack. Helmets required for junior riders. All classes at the walk and trot/intermediate gait; two or more consecutive canter/lope strides will result in elimination. All horses must halt before leaving the ring or will be eliminated. Classes placed on lowest time score; a maximum allowed time will be established for each class — exhibitors who do not complete the pattern within the allotted time will be disqualified.

JUNIOR GYMKHANA

SPONSORED BY THE MEADOWLANDS RACETRACK

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
151	BARREL RACE: JUNIOR (!)	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$15	\$50
154	BARREL DASH: JUNIOR	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$15	\$50
157	POLE BENDING: JUNIOR	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$15	\$50
160	KEYHOLE: JUNIOR	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$15	\$50

Thanks to The Meadowlands Racetrack, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. Riders may show in English or Western tack; helmets required. Classes may be ridden at the walk, trot/intermediate gait and/or canter/lope. Classes placed on lowest time score; a maximum allowed time will be established for each class.

OPEN GYMKHANA

SPONSORED BY THE MEADOWLANDS RACETRACK

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
152	SAM MCKEE MEMORIAL OPEN BARREL RACE 🐾 (!) AWARD COOLER	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$25	\$200
155	BARREL DASH: OPEN	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$20	\$100
158	POLE BENDING: OPEN	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$20	\$100
161	KEYHOLE: OPEN 🐾	🏆 Sponsored by The Meadowlands Racetrack	\$20	\$100

Thanks to The Meadowlands Racetrack, the winner of the Sam McKee Memorial Open Barrel Race will win an award cooler.

Open to all horses and riders. Riders may show in English or Western tack; helmets required for junior riders. Classes may be ridden at the walk, trot/intermediate gait, or canter/lope. All horses must halt before leaving the ring or will be eliminated. Classes placed on lowest time score; a maximum allowed time will be established for each class.

🐾 = New Jersey Bred eligible

ADDED MONEY CHALLENGE CLASSES

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
137	RIDE & DRIVE CHALLENGE	Sponsored by Hanover Shoe Farms	\$25	\$200
239	PACING FOR THE CURE 2 GAIT ENGLISH PLEASURE CHALLENGE ★	AWARD COOLER Sponsored by Jeff & Barbara Gesek	\$25	\$200
245	OPEN 2 GAIT EQUITATION CHALLENGE ★	Sponsored by Hambletonian Society	\$25	\$200

ALL HORSES ARE ELIGIBLE to compete in the Added Money Challenge classes – even horses declared as 3 Gait may compete in the 2 Gait challenge classes.

Thanks to Jeff & Barbara Gesek, the winner of the Pacing For The Cure 2 Gait English Pleasure Challenge will win an award cooler.

RIDE & DRIVE CHALLENGE (open to any horse and rider): horses enter the arena under saddle and show both directions at a walk and trot; at the conclusion of the under-saddle portion, a header for each horse enters the arena to assist the exhibitor in switching to harness. Riding bridle must be removed last when unsaddling, and driving bridle must be put on before putting horse to vehicle. PACING FOR THE CURE (open to all levels): horses shown in English tack/attire under saddle both ways. OPEN 2 GAIT EQUITATION CHALLENGE: shown in hunt seat equitation tack/attire. Both Saturday challenges are DOUBLE JUDGED – each judge independently places the class and the placings from both judges are combined to determine the final ribbon awards. Both rings will hold so that all competitors can take part.

ROOKIE ENGLISH 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY SAM LANDY/CONGRESS HILL FARM

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
202	ROOKIE ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT (!)	Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$15	\$50
210	ROOKIE ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$15	\$50
212	ROOKIE ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$15	\$50

Thanks to Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Horses in their first year of competition with no previous show experience prior to November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

ROOKIE ENGLISH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
201	ROOKIE ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50
209	ROOKIE ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT		\$15	\$50
211	ROOKIE ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT		\$15	\$50

Horses in their first year of competition with no previous show experience prior to November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

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GREEN ENGLISH 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY THE FERGUSON FAMILY

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
206	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 🐾(!)	Sponsored by The Ferguson Family	\$15 \$50
214	GREEN	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by The Ferguson Family	\$15 \$50
216	GREEN	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Sponsored by The Ferguson Family	\$15 \$50

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GREEN ENGLISH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
205	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 🐾(!)	Sponsored by Sherman Show Stable	\$15 \$50
213	GREEN	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT		\$15 \$50
215	GREEN	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT		\$15 \$50

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NOVICE ENGLISH 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY NEW VOCATIONS RACEHORSE ADOPTION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
218	NOVICE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 🐾(!)	Sponsored by New Vocations Racehorse Adoption	\$15 \$75
226	NOVICE	ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by New Vocations Racehorse Adoption	\$15 \$75
228	NOVICE	ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	Sponsored by New Vocations Racehorse Adoption	\$15 \$75

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NOVICE ENGLISH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
217	NOVICE ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 🐾 (!)	🏆 Sponsored by Blairwood Farms	\$15	\$75
225	NOVICE ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	🏆 Sponsored by Butewicz Lifestyle Real Estate	\$15	\$75
227	NOVICE ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT	🏆 Sponsored by Butewicz Lifestyle Real Estate	\$15	\$75

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SENIOR ENGLISH 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY SAM LANDY/CONGRESS HILL FARM

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
222	SENIOR ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 🐾 (!)	🏆 Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$20	\$100
230	SENIOR ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	🏆 Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$20	\$100
232	SENIOR ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	🏆 Sponsored by Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	\$20	\$100

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Horses that have won more than 30 blue ribbons prior to November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

SENIOR ENGLISH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
221	SENIOR ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 🐾 (!)	🏆 Sponsored by Regency Livestock Insurance	\$20	\$100
229	SENIOR ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT		\$20	\$100
231	SENIOR ENGLISH ROAD HACK 3 GAIT		\$20	\$100

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12 & UNDER ENGLISH (2 GAIT)

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
234	12 & UNDER ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Lily Kirin - In Memory of Don Dinero	\$15	\$50
236	12 & UNDER ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Britney Dillon & Dean Eckley	\$15	\$50
238	12 & UNDER ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 12 and under as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

13-18 ENGLISH 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
240	13-18 ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by John Calabrese Racing	\$15	\$50
242	13-18 ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Roegner Racing	\$15	\$50
244	13-18 ENGLISH ROAD HACK 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Dexter Dunn Racing	\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 13-18 as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

13-18 ENGLISH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
233	13-18 ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Jimmy & Allison Giorgianni	\$15	\$50
235	13-18 ENGLISH DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	 Sponsored by Divine Equine	\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 13-18 as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. ENGLISH PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount. DISCIPLINE RAIL: horses shown under saddle in any English discipline and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, trot, sitting trot, extended trot, canter, hand gallop, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. ROAD HACK: emphasizes ground-covering movement and manners – horses judged on their ability to travel efficiently and pleasantly, as if going out on the road.

IN LOVING MEMORY

DON DINERO



Don was given to me as a 2-year-old when it was clear he was not the racehorse type. I put some rides on him and adopted him out as a young 3-year-old — but at a wellness check six months later, I found him starved. I brought him home, and from then on he stayed with me wherever I went.

As a young horse Don was opinionated and tough to break, traits from his father, Revenue S. With time he became the most devoted and best horse ever. He would do absolutely anything I asked of him, and I could trust him with anyone. Like most Standardbreds he took on many disciplines — Western Pleasure, Ranch, Dressage, Jumping, Driving, Games — you name it, we tried it. At 6 he went back to the track to help me get my racehorse driver license, won a few races as a 6- and 7-year-old, and later helped teach my young racehorses the ropes.

On the trails is where Don shined the most. I've never had a horse as excited to try new trails, and he was as bombproof as they come. A shoulder injury from his short racing career eventually slowed him down — right when Lily was 3 and had started sitting on his back. Over the next four years they developed the kind of bond you only see in the movies. She'd grab him out of the stall and play with him like a dog, running everywhere — her first and him after. He loved his child, and taking care of Lily became the highlight of his days.

Together they showed lead-line in English and Western games and beginner Walk Trot English — at every show, the smallest child on the tallest horse. They won many year-end awards with SPHO-NJ: High Point Grand Champion 2023 and 2024, Grand Champion Lead-Line 2023 and 2024, Novice Horse Grand Champion 2024, Junior Exhibitor Grand Champion 2023 and 2024, and Reserve Champion 12 & Under 2025, among others.

Don showed at the Nationals for many years with countless catch riders, always in the ribbons. He'd squeal and play the first day, so excited to be back. Once that excitement got the best of him and he took off at a fast trot with Lily in the warm-up arena — I yelled his name, and he came to a stop. He would never do anything to hurt his Lily.

The ribbons are countless, but my best memories are the trail rides, the beach rides, the swims in the lake, the sledding, and trudging through deep snow — once even climbing a hikers-only mountain trail without missing a beat. He took Lily on her first trail ride, carefully splashing in the creek when she was a tiny little fly on his back. I hope there's endless green grass and cookies in horse heaven. We miss him something terribly here. — **Jenny & Lily**

GIFTS MADE IN MEMORY OF DON DINERO
Lily Kirin

BEGINNER EQUITATION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
241	BEGINNER EQUITATION 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Jeff Gregory Stable	\$15	\$50
243	BEGINNER EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED (!)	 Sponsored by Diamond Creek Horse Farm	\$15	\$50

Open to riders who have less than two years of horse show experience, excluding leadline classes. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter. Advanced class will include execution of a simple pattern or rider test. All gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Equitation classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Riders may cross-enter Equitation divisions based on rider's eligibility. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

12 & UNDER EQUITATION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
247	12 & UNDER EQUITATION 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50
249	12 & UNDER EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 12 and under as of November 1, 2025. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter. Advanced class will include execution of a simple pattern or rider test. All gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Equitation classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Riders may cross-enter Equitation divisions based on rider's eligibility. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

13-18 EQUITATION

SPONSORED BY UNITED STATES HARNESS DRIVERS CLUB

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
250	13-18 EQUITATION 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by US Harness Drivers Club	FREE	\$50
252	13-18 EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	 Sponsored by US Harness Drivers Club	FREE	\$50
254	13-18 EQUITATION 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by US Harness Drivers Club	FREE	\$50

Thanks to United States Harness Drivers Club, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to riders age 13 to 18 as of November 1, 2025. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter. Advanced class will include execution of a simple pattern or rider test. All gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Equitation classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Riders may cross-enter Equitation divisions based on rider's eligibility. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions. Entries to this division are FREE – the United States Harness Drivers Club covers all entry fees in this division and awards cash prizes to the Grand Champion and Reserve Champion.

19-49 EQUITATION

SPONSORED BY ACRISURE EQUINE INSURANCE / LIAM BENSON

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
251	19-49 EQUITATION 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$20	\$100
253	19-49 EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$20	\$100
255	19-49 EQUITATION 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$20	\$100

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Open to riders age 19 to 49 as of November 1, 2025. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter. Advanced class will include execution of a simple pattern or rider test. All gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Equitation classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Riders may cross-enter Equitation divisions based on rider's eligibility. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

50+ EQUITATION

SPONSORED BY ACRISURE EQUINE INSURANCE / LIAM BENSON

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
256	50+ EQUITATION 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$15	\$50
258	50+ EQUITATION 2 GAIT ADVANCED	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$15	\$50
260	50+ EQUITATION 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson	\$15	\$50

Thanks to Acrisure Equine Insurance / Liam Benson, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to riders 50 & up as of November 1, 2025. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, trot/jog/pace, and canter. Advanced class will include execution of a simple pattern or rider test. All gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Equitation classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Riders may cross-enter Equitation divisions based on rider's eligibility. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.



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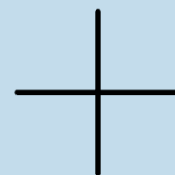
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ROOKIE HUNTER 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
204	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 🐾	Sponsored by Hunterton Farms \$15	\$50
268	ROOKIE	HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Hunterton Farms \$15	\$50
282	ROOKIE	HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT (!)	\$15	\$50

Horses in their first year of competition with no previous show experience prior to November 1, 2025. To be shown in English tack and attire. Horses judged on quality of movement, smoothness of gait, free-flowing stride, and willingness to perform on the flat and over fences; Hunter Under Saddle is judged on the flat. Crossrails not to exceed 2' ; fences not to exceed 2' 6". 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Fence classes may be shown at a trot/pace. Jump courses are set in the Indoor Arena for the full day, so competitors may school throughout the day.

ROOKIE HUNTER 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
203	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 🐾	\$15	\$50
275	ROOKIE	HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT	\$15	\$50
289	ROOKIE	HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT (!)	\$15	\$50

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GREEN HUNTER 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY PURPLE HAZE STANDARDBRED ADOPTION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
208	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 🐾	Sponsored by Purple Haze \$15	\$50
266	GREEN	HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Purple Haze \$15	\$50
280	GREEN	HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT (!)	Sponsored by Purple Haze \$15	\$50

Thanks to Purple Haze Standardbred Adoption, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

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GREEN HUNTER 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
207	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 🐾	\$15	\$50
273	GREEN	HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT	\$15	\$50
287	GREEN	HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT (!)	\$15	\$50

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IN LOVING MEMORY

GARY GREGORY



Gary Gregory (1944–2025) was a respected Standardbred trainer, horseman, and mentor whose career spanned more than five decades. Known for his honesty, integrity, and quiet leadership, Gary touched countless lives through his dedication to the sport and the generations of horsemen he inspired. His legacy lives on in every horse and horseperson fortunate enough to have crossed his path.

GIFTS MADE IN MEMORY OF GARY GREGORY

George Brennan · Joe Faraldo · Dominick Rosato · Carrie Horton · Marie Lauer

NOVICE HUNTER 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
220	NOVICE HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	 Sponsored by USHWA Delaware Valley Chapter	\$15	\$75
264	NOVICE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT		\$15	\$75
278	NOVICE HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$75

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NOVICE HUNTER 3 GAIT

SPONSORED BY IN MEMORY OF EMMA AND CHRIS YOUNG

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
219	NOVICE HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 	 Sponsored by In Memory of Emma and Chris Young	\$15	\$75
271	NOVICE HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT	 Sponsored by In Memory of Emma and Chris Young	\$15	\$75
285	NOVICE HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by In Memory of Emma and Chris Young	\$15	\$75

In memory of Emma and Chris Young, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

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SENIOR HUNTER 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
224	SENIOR HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT 	 Sponsored by Paul Spears/Windson Stable	\$20	\$100
262	SENIOR HUNTER OVER X RAIL 2 GAIT		\$20	\$100
276	SENIOR HUNTER OVER FENCES 2 GAIT (!)		\$20	\$100

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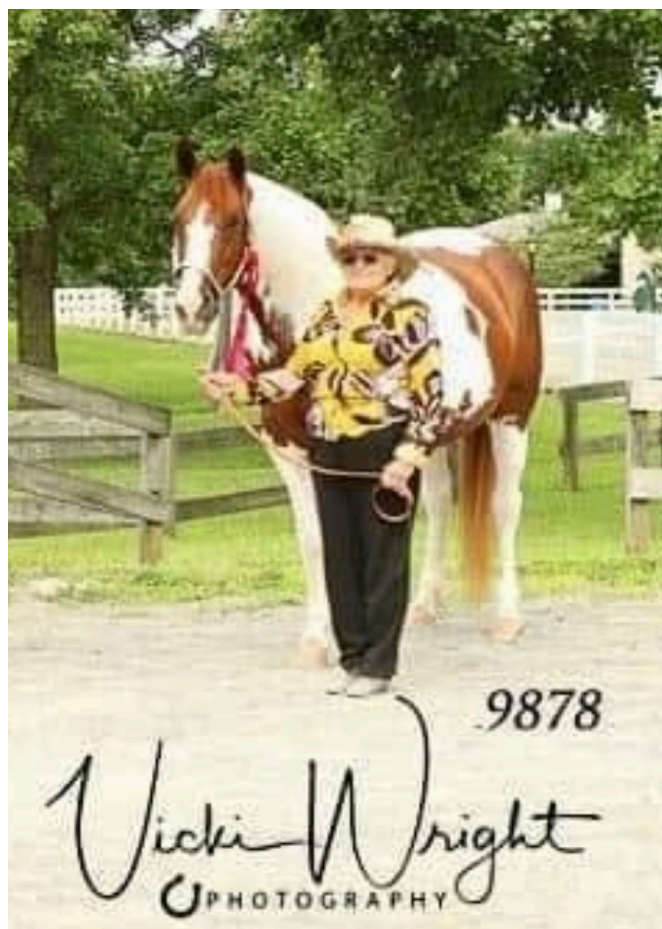
SENIOR HUNTER 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
223	SENIOR HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT 		\$20	\$100
269	SENIOR HUNTER OVER X RAIL 3 GAIT		\$20	\$100
283	SENIOR HUNTER OVER FENCES 3 GAIT (!)		\$20	\$100

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IN LOVING MEMORY

EMMA YOUNG & CHRIS YOUNG



Emma Young (1948–2025) was a devoted Standardbred breeder, owner, and beloved member of Southwind Farm for more than 20 years. She had a lifelong love of horses, wildlife, and the outdoors, and was also a well-known figure in New Jersey's taxidermy industry.

Chris Young (1944–2026) was an avid hunter, fisherman, gunsmith, and engineer whose passion for horses led him to become an owner and Laura's first partner on the broodmare Fancy Starlark. Together, Chris and Emma will be remembered for their love of family, the outdoors, and the Standardbred community.

GIFTS MADE IN MEMORY OF EMMA YOUNG & CHRIS YOUNG

Laura Young · Standardbred Breeders & Owners Association of New Jersey · Christine Cone · Amy Butewicz · Fair Winds Farm · Sigrid Johnson

PUDDLE JUMPER

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
290	PUDDLE JUMPERS: CROSSRAILS 	\$15	\$50
291	PUDDLE JUMPERS: 2' (!)  Sponsored by US Rider	\$15	\$50

Horses to be ridden over a course of 6-8 jumps. A four-point penalty will be incurred for each refusal or jump with a rail down. Three refusals will result in an elimination. Horses with clear rounds return to the ring for a jump-off over a shortened course; final placings calculated on jump-off score. You must cross the timers at the start and finish of each course for time to be calculated. MAY NOT CROSS-ENTER OPEN JUMPER DIVISION.

OPEN JUMPER

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
292	OPEN JUMPERS: 2' 	\$15	\$50
293	OPEN JUMPERS: 2' 3" (!)	\$15	\$50

Horses to be ridden over a course of 6-8 jumps. A four-point penalty will be incurred for each refusal or jump with a rail down. Three refusals will result in an elimination. Horses with clear rounds return to the ring for a jump-off over a shortened course; final placings calculated on jump-off score. You must cross the timers at the start and finish of each course for time to be calculated. MAY NOT CROSS-ENTER PUDDLE JUMPER DIVISION.

SHOWMANSHIP

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		ENTRY	PAYOUT
301	50+ SHOWMANSHIP  Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$75
302	12 & UNDER SHOWMANSHIP  Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$50
303	19-49 SHOWMANSHIP  Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$75
304	13-18 SHOWMANSHIP  Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$50
305	CHAMPIONSHIP: SHOWMANSHIP (CH/RCH FROM SMS CLASSES) ★  Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	—	\$100

Thanks to Triple Crown Feed, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

To be shown in-hand in a halter (Western attire) or bridle (English attire), executing a pattern. Judged 50% on handler's position & guidance, 50% on grooming and conditioning. Not to be judged on conformation. First- and second-place finishers of the age-group classes will be eligible for the Showmanship Championship at no additional charge. NEW FOR 2026: the Championship is DOUBLE JUDGED – each judge independently places the class and the placings are combined to determine final championship standings.

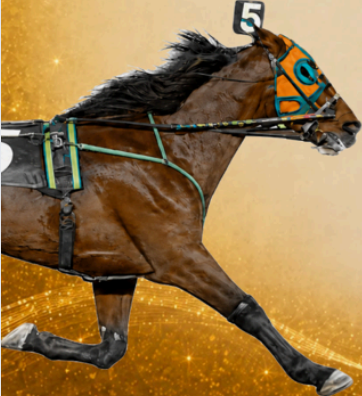
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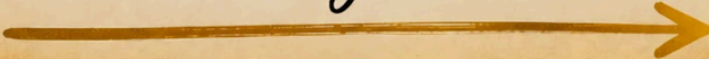
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Head trainer: Nadia Sherman



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IN HAND CONFORMATION

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			ENTRY	PAYOUT
307	MARES IN HAND – OPEN 	 Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$50
309	STALLIONS IN HAND – OPEN 	 Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$50
311	CHAMPIONSHIP: IN HAND (CH/RCH FROM M/G/S) ★	 Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	–	\$200
312	YOUNG HORSE (3-AND-UNDER) IN HAND	 Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$50
314	GELDINGS IN HAND – OPEN 	 Sponsored by Triple Crown Feed	\$15	\$75

Thanks to Triple Crown Feed, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Horses to be judged on conformation, way of going and finish. Please only enter each horse in one gender-specific in-hand class. Young horses may also enter their gender-specific class. First- and second-place finishers of Mares/Geldings/Stallions In Hand will be eligible for the In Hand Championship at no additional charge. NEW FOR 2026: the Championship is DOUBLE JUDGED – each judge independently places the class and the placings are combined to determine final championship standings.

ADOPTABLE HORSE

SPONSORED BY PURPLE HAZE STANDARDBRED ADOPTION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
310	ADOPTABLE HORSE IN HAND	 Sponsored by Purple Haze	\$0	–
319	ADOPTABLE HORSE ENGLISH/WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Purple Haze	\$0	–
321	ADOPTABLE HORSE ENGLISH/WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT ADV (!)	 Sponsored by Purple Haze	\$0	–

Open to any horse actively available for adoption. Class entry fees and stabling for horses in the Adoptable Horse division are FREE. Adoptable horses are welcome to cross-enter other classes/divisions at the National Standardbred Horse Show; if a horse is entered in additional classes beyond the Adoptable Horse classes, entry fees are paid for the additional classes only, plus the standard stabling fee. Both rings hold for the Adoptable classes to give maximum visibility to our adoptable horses.

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LEADLINE

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
313	LEADLINE WALK ONLY	\$10	—
315	LEADLINE 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Beverly & Jim Kenney \$10	—
317	LEADLINE 2 GAIT OFF LEAD (!)	\$10	—

Open to riders age 2-9 years old who have never shown in any class other than leadline. Leadline Walk Only and Leadline 2 Gait will be shown on the lead with a handler guiding the horse. Leadline Off-Lead will be shown off lead with the leader standing in the arena; exhibitors will be asked to trot one short line by themselves without their leader. Riders in the Leadline division are not eligible to enter any other riding classes.

ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN 2 GAIT

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
316	ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT 🐾(!)	Sponsored by GRJ Partners LLC \$15	\$50
318	ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Standardbred Transition Alliance \$15	\$50

Open to Rookie and Green horses (see Eligibility Clarification). To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN 3 GAIT

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
323	ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT 🐾(!)	\$15	\$50
325	ROOKIE / GREEN WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	\$15	\$50

Open to Rookie and Green horses (see Eligibility Clarification). To be shown in Western tack and attire. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN 2 GAIT

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
320	NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT 🐾(!)	Sponsored by Jesmeral Stable \$20	\$100
322	NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT	Sponsored by Yankeeland Partners \$20	\$100

Open to Novice and Senior horses (see Eligibility Clarification). To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN 3 GAIT

		ENTRY	PAYOUT
327	NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT 🐾(!)	\$20	\$100
329	NOVICE / SENIOR WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT	\$20	\$100

Open to Novice and Senior horses (see Eligibility Clarification). To be shown in Western tack and attire. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

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U18 WESTERN 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
326	U18 WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by SOA of NY	\$15	\$50
328	U18 WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 2 GAIT		\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

U18 WESTERN 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
331	U18 WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50
333	U18 WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL 3 GAIT		\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. WESTERN PLEASURE: judged on manners, way of going, and suitability as a pleasure mount under western tack. WESTERN DISCIPLINE RAIL (NEW FOR 2026): horses shown under saddle and judged on manners, obedience, and responsiveness to the rider; the judge may ask for any or all of: walk, walk on a loose rein, intermediate gait, extended intermediate gait, lope, reverse, halt/stand, back, turn on the forehand, turn on the haunches, sidepass, leg yield, and serpentine or figure eight; a lineup for individual inspection may be requested. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

U18 HORSEMANSHIP

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
330	U18 HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Joseph Faraldo	\$15	\$50
332	U18 HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope; all gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Horsemanship classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.



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19-49 HORSEMANSHIP

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
334	19-49 HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Winbak Farm	\$20	\$100
336	19-49 HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT (!)		\$20	\$100

Open to riders age 19 to 49 as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope; all gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Horsemanship classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

50+ HORSEMANSHIP

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
338	50+ HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Theresa Fallon	\$15	\$50
340	50+ HORSEMANSHIP 3 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to riders 50 & up as of November 1, 2025. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope; all gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Horsemanship classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

BEGINNER HORSEMANSHIP

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
342	BEGINNER HORSEMANSHIP 2 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to riders who have less than two years of horse show experience, excluding leadline classes. To be shown in Western tack and attire. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace; 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope; all gaits shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Horsemanship classes judged on the rider's position, guidance, and suitability of horse and rider. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. Horses declared as either 2 Gait or 3 Gait may compete in BOTH the 2 Gait and 3 Gait classes in equitation or horsemanship divisions.

ROOKIE / GREEN RANCH 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
346	 /  RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	 Sponsored by Chris Ryder Stables	\$15	\$50
350	 /  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Gary & Stacy Machiz	\$15	\$50

Open to Rookie and Green horses (see Eligibility Clarification). The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

ROOKIE / GREEN RANCH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
337	 /  RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 		\$15	\$50
341	 /  RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT (!)		\$15	\$50

Open to Rookie and Green horses (see Eligibility Clarification). The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

NOVICE / SENIOR RANCH 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
348	NOVICE / SENIOR	RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT 	 Sponsored by Ed Lohmeyer	\$15 \$50
352	NOVICE / SENIOR	RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Jane Ramsey	\$15 \$50

Open to Novice and Senior horses (see Eligibility Clarification). The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

NOVICE / SENIOR RANCH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
339	NOVICE / SENIOR	RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT 	\$15	\$50
343	NOVICE / SENIOR	RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT (!)	\$15	\$50

Open to Novice and Senior horses (see Eligibility Clarification). The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

U18 RANCH 2 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
354		U18 RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by Nadia Tarnawa	\$15 \$50
356		U18 RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 2 GAIT (!)		\$15 \$50

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 2 Gait classes include walk and jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

U18 RANCH 3 GAIT

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
345		U18 RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	\$15	\$50
347		U18 RANCH RIDING (PATTERN) 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by Safe Harbor Standardbreds	\$15 \$50

Open to riders age 18 and under as of November 1, 2025. The horse is judged on its ability to work at a forward, working speed while performing maneuvers, simulating a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and reflecting the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. 3 Gait classes include walk, jog/pace, and lope, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. Ranch Riding (Pattern) classes are judged over a pattern. Hoof polish, braided/banded manes, and tail extensions are prohibited; extensive silver on bridles and saddles is discouraged. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed.

TRAIL

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
357	TRAIL (ENGLISH & WESTERN) (!)	 Sponsored by Jenny Melander Racing	\$20	\$100

2 Gait. Trail may be ridden in either Western or English tack and attire; Western Trail and English Trail run concurrently. Trail class judged on maneuverability of horse through obstacles; the pattern will not involve cantering/loping. Scoring is based on the horse's willingness, ease and grace in negotiating the course. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. The trail course is set in the Indoor Arena and open for schooling throughout the morning session; after the last class in the 3 Gait ring, the 3 Gait judge moves to the trail course, which is then open for competitors to show at will.

WAR HORSE 2 GAIT

SPONSORED BY UNITED STATES TROTTING ASSOCIATION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
147	PLEASURE DRIVING: WAR HORSE	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
248	WAR HORSE ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
306	WAR HORSE IN HAND	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
344	WAR HORSE RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50

Thanks to the United States Trotting Association, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to horses with over \$250,000 lifetime earnings, or over 100 lifetime starts. Horses judged with emphasis on manners, suitability and performance. Horses and riders may cross-enter pleasure and in-hand divisions based on horse's eligibility. 2 Gait classes include walk and trot/jog/pace, shown both directions of the arena on the flat. English Pleasure shown in English tack and attire; Ranch Pleasure shown in Western tack and attire. Only Rookie/Green horses are permitted to show in a bosal. Horses in snaffle bits must be shown two-handed; horses showing in a curb/shank bit must be shown one-handed. Pleasure Driving: War Horse (147) and War Horse In Hand (306) count toward either the War Horse 2 Gait or War Horse 3 Gait division championship, depending on the eligibility of the horse.

WAR HORSE 3 GAIT

SPONSORED BY UNITED STATES TROTTING ASSOCIATION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
147	PLEASURE DRIVING: WAR HORSE	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
237	WAR HORSE ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT (!)	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
306	WAR HORSE IN HAND	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
335	WAR HORSE RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50

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FRESH OFF THE TRACK

SPONSORED BY UNITED STATES TROTTING ASSOCIATION

			ENTRY	PAYOUT
138	PLEASURE DRIVING: FRESH OFF THE TRACK	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
246	FRESH OFF THE TRACK ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
308	FRESH OFF THE TRACK IN HAND (!)	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50
324	FRESH OFF THE TRACK WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	 Sponsored by USTA	\$15	\$50

Thanks to the United States Trotting Association, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

Open to horses that have raced on or after August 12, 2025. To be shown in English or Western tack and attire per class type. Horses judged with emphasis on manners, suitability and performance in riding/driving classes; in-hand class judged on conformation, way of going and finish. Horses and riders may cross-enter pleasure and in-hand divisions based on horse's eligibility. Must show in at least two classes to be eligible for the Division Award.

NEW JERSEY BRED HIGH POINT DIVISION

SPONSORED BY SBOA-NJ

NEW FOR 2026: There is a one-time Division Nomination Fee of \$100 per horse. The horse must be registered with SPHO-NJ and the exhibitor must be a current SPHO-NJ member to compete in this division and receive prize money.

Thanks to the Standardbred Breeders & Owners Association of New Jersey, the Grand Champion of this division will win an award cooler.

PREMIUM DIVISION. No separate classes – New Jersey Bred eligible classes (marked with the blue NJ icon throughout this prize list) run concurrently with their parent classes, and points earned across all NJ-marked classes count toward the New Jersey Bred High Point Award. Grand Champion: cooler and ribbon. Reserve Champion: cooler and ribbon. 3rd-10th: ribbons. Prize money of \$300 paid through 4th place. Nominated horses are also eligible for additional prize money through the New Jersey Non-Racing Breeder Award Program. See the New Jersey Bred Division page for full details.

NEW JERSEY BRED ELIGIBLE CLASSES

101	USDF INTRO TEST A – ADULT	Wollam Racing	203	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT	
102	USDF INTRO TEST A – JUNIOR		204	ROOKIE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT	Hunterton Farms
105	USDF INTRO TEST B – ADULT	Lucky Cricket Farm	205	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	Sherman Show Stable
106	USDF INTRO TEST B – JUNIOR	Lucky Cricket Farm	206	GREEN	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	The Ferguson Family
109	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT		207	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT	
110	USDF TRAINING LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR		208	GREEN	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT	Purple Haze
113	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT		217	NOVICE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	Blairwood Farms
114	USDF FIRST LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR		218	NOVICE	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	New Vocations Racehorse Adoption
117	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – ADULT		219	NOVICE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT	In Memory of Emma and Chris Young
118	USDF SECOND LEVEL TEST 1 – JUNIOR		220	NOVICE	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT	USHWA Delaware Valley Chapter
121	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – ADULT		221	SENIOR	ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	Regency Livestock Insurance
122	WDAA INTRO TEST 1 – JUNIOR		222	SENIOR	ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm
125	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – ADULT		223	SENIOR	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 3 GAIT	
126	WDAA BASIC TEST 1 – JUNIOR		224	SENIOR	HUNTER UNDER SADDLE 2 GAIT	Paul Spears/Windson Stable
129	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – ADULT		290		PUDDLE JUMPERS: CROSSRAILS	
130	WDAA LEVEL 1 TEST 1 – JUNIOR		292		OPEN JUMPERS: 2'	
133	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – ADULT		307		MARES IN HAND – OPEN	Triple Crown Feed
134	WDAA LEVEL 2 TEST 1 – JUNIOR		309		STALLIONS IN HAND – OPEN	Triple Crown Feed
139	ROOKIE PLEASURE DRIVING	Dreamlands Farm	314		GELDINGS IN HAND	Triple Crown Feed
141	GREEN PLEASURE DRIVING	American Harness Drivers Club	316	ROOKIE GREEN	WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	GRJ Partners LLC
143	NOVICE PLEASURE DRIVING		320	NOVICE SENIOR	WESTERN PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Jesmeral Stable
145	SENIOR PLEASURE DRIVING		323	ROOKIE GREEN	WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
148	OBSTACLE DRIVING A	Hoofmaster	327	NOVICE SENIOR	WESTERN PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
152	SAM MCKEE MEMORIAL OPEN BARREL RACE	The Meadowlands Racetrack	337	ROOKIE GREEN	RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
161	KEYHOLE: OPEN	The Meadowlands Racetrack	339	NOVICE SENIOR	RANCH PLEASURE 3 GAIT	
201	ROOKIE ENGLISH PLEASURE 3 GAIT		346	ROOKIE GREEN	RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Chris Ryder Stables
202	ROOKIE ENGLISH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Sam Landy/Congress Hill Farm	348	NOVICE SENIOR	RANCH PLEASURE 2 GAIT	Ed Lohmeyer

GRAND CHAMPION HIGH POINT HORSE

Presented by SPHO-NJ. Awarded at the conclusion of the show to the horse earning the most points across the 2026 National Standardbred Horse Show. The Grand Champion and Reserve Champion High Point Horse will each receive a cooler and ribbon. In the case of a tie for a division Champion, the classes used to break the tie are marked with an exclamation point (!).

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