



# Rolling Hills Saddle Club

## 2026 HUNTER RING CLASS SCHEDULE

### Wills Park Equestrian Center • Alpharetta, GA



March 14 • March 15 • April 25 • April 26 • May 30 • May 31 • August 1 • August 2  
September 19 • September 20 • October 31 • November 1

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**All class changes MUST be made in the show office prior to the class**

**Start Time: 8:00 a.m. / Warm Up 6:30 – 7:45 a.m.**

**(TIP) Denotes Jockey Club TIP Qualified Class**

299 \*Warm-up Over Fences – **MUST HAVE A WARM-UP TICKET** – Non-judged. 2 minute time limit. Open all day.

Do not need a unique horse/rider show number. Trainers welcome.

300	2' Jumper A (Optimum Time IV.2.B) (TIP)	320	** RHSC JR/AM Equitation on the Flat
301	2' Jumper B (Optimum Time IV.2.1) (TIP)	321	Hunter Hack – 2 Fences @ 2'
302	2'3" Jumper A (Optimum Time IV.2.B) (TIP)	322	Schooling Hunter Over Fences A 2' (TIP)
303	2'3" Jumper B (Optimum Time IV.2.1) (TIP)	323	Schooling Hunter Over Fences B 2' (TIP)
304	2'6" Jumper A (II.2.B) (TIP)	324	Schooling Hunter Under Saddle
305	2'6" Jumper B (II.2.1) (TIP)	325	Short Stirrup Over Fences A 2'
306	2'9" Jumper A (II.2.B) (TIP)	326	Short Stirrup Over Fences B 2'
307	2'9" Jumper B (II.2.1) (TIP)	327	Short Stirrup Over Fences Equitation 2'
<b>HUNTERS WILL START AFTER JUMPERS BUT NOT BEFORE 9:30 AM</b>		328	Short Stirrup Equitation on the Flat
310	Working Hunter Over Fences A 2'6" (TIP)	329	Short Stirrup Under Saddle
311	Working Hunter Over Fences B 2'6" (TIP)	330	Intermediate Hunter Over Fences A 2'3" (TIP)
312	Working Hunter Under Saddle (TIP)	331	Intermediate Hunter Over Fences B 2'3" (TIP)
313	**Chris Elliot Medal 2'6"	332	Intermediate Hunter Under Saddle
314	Open Hunter Pleasure (TIP)	333	Long Stirrup Over Fences A 2'
315	Open Hunter Under Saddle	334	Long Stirrup Over Fences B 2'
316	Open Hunter Equitation	335	Long Stirrup Over Fences Equitation 2'
317	Green Horse Pleasure W/T	336	Long Stirrup Equitation on the Flat
318	Green Horse Pleasure W/T/C (TIP)	337	Long Stirrup Under Saddle
319	Green Horse Equitation W/T/C	338	Hunt and Go Derby – 2' and 2'6" options

### DAY & YEAR-END HIGH POINT AWARD DIVISIONS

D32	Schooling Hunter: 322, 323, 324	D36	Open Hunter Flat
D33	Short Stirrup: 325, 326, 329	D41	Working Hunter: 310, 311, 312
D34	Intermediate Hunter: 330, 331, 332	D42	Green Horse: 317, 318, 319
D35	Long Stirrup: 333, 334, 337		

### WEEKEND & YEAR-END HIGH POINT AWARD DIVISIONS

D37	2' Jumper: 300, 301	D39	2'6" Jumper: 304, 305
D38	2'3" Jumper: 302, 303	D40	2'9" Jumper: 306, 307

### YEAR-END ONLY HIGH POINT AWARD DIVISIONS

921	RHSC Jr/Am Equitation on the Flat: 320	924	Long Stirrup Equitation: 335, 336
922	Hunter Hack: 321	925	Chris Elliott Medal: 313
923	Short Stirrup Equitation: 327, 328	926	Hunt and Go: 338

### HUNTER RING CLASS DEFINITIONS & RULES

♣ 2' and 2'3" Jumper classes will be run at as Optimal Time classes. This is defined as 4 seconds under time allowed as per JP132 and JP149 of the USEF Rule Book. Time allowed per course will be posted before the start of the show. Please see the Rolling Hills website for explanations and definitions for jumper classes and rules.

♣ RHSC Jr/Am Equitation on the Flat: Class 320 is open to junior or amateur riders only and has a \$18.00 entry fee, with special day- / year-end awards

♣ Open Hunter Flat: Division D36 is open to all horses and riders.

♣ Short Stirrup: Open to juniors age 12 and under in their first 2 years of showing in the Hunter ring over fences classes.

♣ Long Stirrup: Open to Jr/Am 13 yrs. and older within the first 5 years of showing in the Hunter ring over fences classes.

♣ Green Horse: Open to a green horse in their first 2 years of showing.

♣ Chris Elliott Medal: Class 315 is open to junior or amateur riders only and has a \$18.00 entry fee, with special day- / year-end awards. Ridden as an equitation course over fences at 2'6". The over fences portion will count 60% and a flat portion will count 40%. The Judge will call back all riders for the flat portion. Riders may not cross enter into Chris Elliott Medal 2'.

♣ Under Saddle classes will not be held for trainers. Over fences classes will not be held for more than 3 minutes for a trainer. The rider must then enter the ring for their round or be disqualified. Horse/rider combinations may not enter more than 2 consecutive fence heights (6" maximum difference).

♣ Ring Chair and Judges reserve the right to excuse riders/horses at their discretion. Excused horses will be disqualified.

♣ Only one rider per horse is allowed in a class.

- ♣ Horses may not enter more than 8 over fences classes (Including warm ups & Equitation over fences) for the day excluding Hunter Hack. Exceptions may be made at RHSC Staff discretion.
- ♣ Equitation: Open to Jr/Am only.
- ♣ Soundness is emphasized in all hunter ring classes, lameness will be penalized.

#### **RHSC SHOW RULES**

1. AQHA or USEF show rules apply as appropriate except where an RHSC rule conflicts.
2. Each horse may have only one rider per class. However, exhibitors may show more than one horse in a class except for equitation and horsemanship as required by AQHA and USEF rules. Exception: Classes in Divisions D50, D54, D58 and D59 in the Running Ring horses may have up to two riders per class.
3. Classes with 20 or more riders on the flat will be split. Each group will be judged with top exhibitors from each group competing for final placing. One set of ribbons will be awarded to the class at the final placing except that Beginner Ring 11 & under flat classes with 20 or more riders will be split into two groups and each group will be judged separately and placed 1-6.
4. In classes with age requirements, eligibility is determined by the rider's age as of January 1 of the show year. The horse's age is determined by AQHA or USEF Rules. Proof of age for horse or rider may be requested.
5. Current negative Coggins test must be shown at registration, or a copy must be on file with the show office for all horses on the grounds as required by the Georgia Department of Agriculture.
6. All exhibitors are required to wear the appropriate show attire for their discipline as required by USEF/AQHA rules. Hunter and Beginner Ring exhibitors must wear approved headgear where required by USEF rules. Open Ring hunt seat exhibitors must wear approved headgear where required by AQHA rules. Running Ring riders 18 & under must wear approved headgear while mounted. It is the responsibility of the rider, or the parent or guardian or trainer of the junior exhibitor to see to it that the headgear worn complies with the applicable association's rules requiring appropriate safety standards for protective headgear intended for equestrian use, and that the headgear is properly fitted and in good condition. RHSC Officers, Board Members & Show Officials are not responsible for checking headgear worn for such compliance.
7. Jumpers may only use equipment approved for USEF jumping classes.
8. Running martingales, galloping boots, bell boots, figure eight and dropped nose bands not allowed in hunter classes.
9. Boots, polo wraps, bell boots are allowed in Equitation classes and Running Ring classes only.
10. All appeals must be presented to the appropriate ring chairperson. Further appeals will be ruled on by show officials.
11. All decisions by show officials are final.
12. Discourtesies to show officials may result in rider, trainer, or spectator being excused from the show for the day.
13. Youth, beginner, and novice riders may not show stallions.
14. Exhibitors must check in at the appropriate gate prior to their classes. If the class list does not show an exhibitor as entered, exhibitor will be required to show proof of entry receipt.
15. The ring chair must be notified of tack changes two classes in advance.
16. Ring is closed after the class is presented to the judge or after class has started in the Running Ring.
17. Awards are presented for each class places 1 through 6, except payback classes, as noted.
18. End-of-day division high point awards are awarded to Champion and Reserve Champion only. Horse/rider combinations must enter the majority (greater than 50%) of classes in a division to be eligible for day-end awards.
19. All points are based on a horse/rider combination except Halter (which is based on horse only), equitation (which is based on the rider only), and lead line (where points stay with the rider). Halter horses must be shown under the same back number all year, regardless of handler, in order for points to be tracked and credited. 20. To be eligible for year-end awards exhibitors must be current RHSC members in good standing, compete in a majority of shows, attend 3 meetings, and volunteer 2 hours of work. Horse/rider combinations must show in the majority of shows for their division to be eligible for end-of-year awards in that division.
21. No bareback riding or double riding is allowed on the show grounds.
22. All horses must walk outside of rings when mounted.
23. No turn-out is allowed in any Wills Park ring. "No Lunging" signs in rings must be observed.
24. Lost and Found articles will be held in the show office for 60 days. After that time unclaimed items will be donated to a local charity.
25. All unsettled bills must be resolved prior to accumulation of any points or prior to January 1st to be eligible for year-end awards.
26. No cash payments are made for show help.
27. Stabling a horse in a stall without shavings is a \$35.00 fine.
28. All payback money must be collected the day of the show or it is forfeited.
29. Any participant with two returned checks in a show year must pay with cash or a certified check the rest of the year

#### **FEE SCHEDULE**

- \$18.00** - \*\* RHSC Jr/Am Equitation on the Flat, Chris Elliott Medal
- \$12.00** - Hunter classes
- \$18.00** - Jumper classes
- \$12.00** - Warm-up classes
- \$35.00/day or \$60/weekend** - Stall fee
- \$20.00** - Any horse on grounds without a stall.
- \$ 9.00** - Shavings per bag (2 bags per stall required by Wills Park Equestrian Center)
- \$10.00/day** - Office fee per horse/rider combination
- \$10.00/day** - EMT / Security fee
- \$25.00** - Non preregistered fee – *save \$25.00 per horse/rider combination by preregistering! (Waived for first time showing RHSC)*
- \$10.00** - Non member fee per horse/rider combination
- \$35.00** - Returned check fee (plus bank charges)
- \$10.00** - Check Completion Fee

**SHOW OFFICE HOURS:** 6:30 a.m. to 7:45 / 8:00 to 4:30 / 4:45 till the end of show on show day / 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Friday before the show.

\*All exhibitors must check in at the show office and leave a signed, open check (or pay show bill in advance) even if preregistered.\*

**PREREGISTRATION CLOSING** on Wednesday at 6 PM prior to the show. No exceptions.

**PREREGISTER ONLINE:** [www.rollinghillssc.org](http://www.rollinghillssc.org) or email the Show Secretary [show\\_sec@rollinghillssc.org](mailto:show_sec@rollinghillssc.org)

**INCLEMENT WEATHER PROCEDURE** In the event of inclement weather, show officials will decide on the status of the show by noon Friday before the show. If the show is cancelled, a message will be posted on the website [www.rollinghillssc.org](http://www.rollinghillssc.org). If there is no cancellation message, the show will be held as scheduled.

**WARNING:** Under Georgia law, an equine activity, sponsor, or equine professional is not liable for an injury to, or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of V2024.1 equine activities pursuant to Chapter 12 of Title 4 of the Official Code of Georgia annotated.