

# Horse Show October 16-23, 2022

Indoor Arena ·Covered Arena ·Outdoor Arena ·Permanent & Temporary Stalls Closing Date is Oct. 1,2022

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# GAITED HORSE SHOW October 19-20,2022 DOUBLE POINT SHOW

### **WHOA Affiliated Flat Shod Horse Show**



WALKING HORSE OWNERS ASSOCIATION

Gov. James B. Hunt, Jr. Horse Complex

4601 Trinity Road, Raleigh NC, 27607

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## GAITED HORSE SHOW Officials and Location

Affiliation and DQP	Walking Horse Owners Association
Rail Judge	Jimmy Black, Barnwell, SC
Versatility Judge	Ruth Vorder Bruegge, Fayetville, NC
Veterinarian	Neuse River Equine 919-365-6044 3H Mobile Equine 919-363-1686
Show Secretary	Gina Alford Alaina Cross
Show Manager	Equine Event Planning, LLC Richard Isley (336) 908-3302 Travis Alford (252) 450-5438

Directions Gov. James B. Hunt Horse Complex 4601 Trinity Road, Raleigh, NC 27607

RECOMMENDED ENTRY TO AVOID FAIR TRAFFIC:

From I-40 west of Raleigh: Take exit 289 (Wade Ave), go 0.02 miles to Edwards Mill Rd Exit, turn right and go ¼ miles. Turn left at the stoplight onto Trinity Rd. Gate H4/Stable Entrance is on the right.

From I-440 Beltline: Take exit 4 onto Wade Ave, go 1 mile to Edwards Mill Rd Exit, turn left and go ¼ miles to Trinity Rd. Turn left at the stoplight onto Trinity Road. Gate H4/Stable Entrance is on the right.

Every entry shall constitute an agreement that the person making it, owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, exhibitor, and the horse shall be subject to the bylaws and rules of WHOA, the WHOA rulebook, and the local rules of the show. Further it shall constitute a declaration that the horse and/or exhibitor is eligible as entered and that the owner and all of its representatives are bound by the bylaws and rules of WHOA, the WHOA rulebook, and the show and accept as final the decision of the Hearing committee, or WHOA as the case may be, on any question arising under said bylaws and rules, and agree to hold the show, WHOA, their officials, directors, and employees harmless for any action taken.

# **GAITED HORSE SHOW** *Rules and Regulations*

#### ALL EQUINES ON THE GROUNDS MUST HAVE A CURRENT (WITHIN 12 MONTHS) COPY OF A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST AVAILABLE TO SHOW AT THE TRAILER OR POST IN THE STALL SLEEVES. STATE VETERINARIANS CHECK ALL EQUINES FOR COMPLIANCE AT THIS EVENT.

- 1. This show is for **sound**, **flat shod horses only**. Any lame or sored horses will be disqualified from competition and could be asked to leave the grounds, no questions asked, and forfeit all fees. Persons on federal disqualification (from any HIO) may not transport horses to this show and may participated as a spectator only.
- 2. All breeds of horses MUST be inspected by the DQP prior to their class(es) and at least the first place horse will be checked immediately following the class. The DPQ and show management has the right to inspect horses anywhere on the grounds and any horse as it leaves the ring. Saddles will not be required to be removed, but may be requested by the DQP and owner/handler must comply if asked. Stirrups should be tied up prior to entering the inspection area.
- 3. There will be no bands, action devices, or plastic wrap allowed at the show grounds at any time. Bell boots and leg wraps covering the leg down to the hoof are permitted for lunging, but not riding while on the showgrounds. Splint boots and leg wraps that are confined to the cannon bone area are permitted when riding on the showgrounds. No wraps, splint or bell boots are allowed in the warm-up are once the horse has passed inspection. Leg wraps may be used in the stalls on the showgrounds for protective purposes. EXCEPTION: Entries participating in Versatility events may use the proper equipment for their event.
- 4. This show is affiliated, sanctioned, and pointed by the Walking Horse Owners Association (WHOA). All WHOA rules and regulations for shoeing, tack, and attire will be followed. The WHOA rulebook can be found online <u>here</u> with the versatility rulebook found <u>here</u>. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to know and adhere to the breed rules and regulations.
- 5. Only clear grooming products are permitted for use as hoof polish. Black or opaque hoof polish is prohibited at any WHOA event.
- 6. Pre-entries for the show must be postmarked by September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022. All entries received postmarked after this deadline will be charged a late fee of \$25 per horse.
- 7. Premiums:
  - a. Leadline: no entry fee, all blue ribbons
  - b. TWHBEA Flat Shod Youth Medallion: no entry fee, TWHBEA premiums to winners
  - c. All show fee for horse/rider combo: \$200 pre-entry, \$250 post-entry (championship classes are not included in this fee).
  - d. Classes: \$20 pre entry, \$25 post-entry, 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> ribbons
  - e. Championships: \$200 premiums. \$55 entry, 1<sup>st</sup>-\$75, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$65, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$55, 4<sup>th</sup> \$40, 5<sup>th</sup> \$30, 6<sup>th</sup> \$20. To participate in a championship class, the horse/rider combo must have shown in a qualifying class of the same division.
- Additional fees: DQP fee \$15/horse per day, Office Fee \$15/horse, Grounds Fee (if working out of trailer) \$25/horse per day
- 9. A WHOA membership is required to show in all rail division except in All Day Pleasure, Gaited Pleasure, and Versatility. Membership forms and a show only form will be available in the show office. Their membership fees are as follows:
  - a. Adult Membership \$75.00
  - b. Family Membership \$125.00

- c. Youth Membership \$25.00
- d. Show Card Only \$20.00
- Camper sites with power, water, and sewer are available on a first come, first serve basis for \$35 per night. Camper fees are collected by NC State Fair Security. When you have selected your spot, call security at 919-612-6767 and they will turn on the power and collect camper fees.
- 11. Stalls are available for \$65.00 for the show and are available beginning Tuesday at 6:00 PM.
- 12. Shavings are available for \$7.50/bag and can be requested on your pre-entry form. Additional shavings can also be purchased from the show office.
- 13. Trailers will be allowed to park next to barns for loading/unloading ONLY. Parking will be in designated areas only. This will be strictly enforced and violators will be towed.
- 14. Arrival and departure of horses: Only gate H4 will be open. All incoming and outgoing traffic must use the same gate.
- 15. Parking and exhibitor passes Each back number assigned will receive two exhibitor passes to the fair and one parking pass. These will be given to exhibitors upon check-in. Trailers will be permitted through gate H4 for check-in without a parking pass needed. Additional parking and exhibitor passes can be purchased at the show office. Parking Permits must be firmly affixed to the rear view mirror. Vehicles carrying a valid permit will be admitted to the horse show parking area. Vehicles without any permit displayed will be towed at the owner's expense.
- 16. Show management reserves the right to:
  - a. Cancel, combine, or split any class as it deems appropriate or to refuse to accept an entry as deemed necessary.
  - b. Ask anyone found abusing a horse on the show grounds to leave the grounds.
  - c. Refuse refunds to a horse that does not show due to disqualification by the DQP.
- 17. Equine Event Planning, LLC and The NC State Fair will not be responsible for any accidents, loss or damage to contestants, spectators, equipment, or animals. All exhibitors must sign a release on the entry form before being allowed to enter the ring.
- 18. HELMETS ARE REQURIED FOR RIDERS 11 & UNDER AND RECOMMENDED FOR ALL YOUTH RIDERS. ALL VERSATILITY CLASSES WILL REQUIRE ALL YOUTH TO WEAR A HELMET.
- 19. All horses that are showing in all divisions except All Day Pleasure, Gaited Pleasure, and Versatility MUST provide a copy of their registration papers to show management at check in.
- 20. All classes may be shown in English or western attire (but not a combination of) unless specified.
- 21. All classes are open to any exhibitor unless specified.
- 22. All classes are specialty (2-gait) classes unless specified.
- 23. Shoeing requirements and gait calls for all classes are listed on the following page.
- 24. Cross entry between divisions is not allowed. Exception: all horses are eligible for gaited pleasure classes and versatility classes.
- 25. Junior horses are 5 years and younger as of their age on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.
- 26. Youth riders are 17 years and younger as of their age on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.
- 27. Novice horses and riders are those who have not won more than 3 blue ribbons at a WHOA affiliated event (excluding model and versatility events).
- 28. A horse/rider combination may enter only one equitation class per seat style (2-gait or 3-gait) but not both.
- 29. Gaited Pleasure classes are open to horses of all shoe sizes. The gaits called for in these classes will be a Trail Walk and Pleasure Gait.
- 30. To be eligible to show in Amateur Owned & Trained (AOT) classes, neither horse nor rider may have had any professional training for the prior 90 days preceding the show.
- 31. Communication devices are allowed in classes except showmanship, equitation, and versatility classes.
- 32. WHOA Spotted Saddle Horse and Racking Horse rules apply.
- 33. ALL DOGS MUST BE ON A LEASH WHILE ON THE SHOW GOUNDS!



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WHOA DIVISION CHART				
DIVISION	PLEASURE	CLASSIC	CLASS ELIGIBILITY	
All Day Pleasure: Pleasure gait, extended pleasure gait, trail walk, reverse, trail walk, pleasure gait, extended pleasure gait, trail walk. Line Up. Classic: Pleasure gait, trail walk, reverse, trail walk, pleasure gait, trail walk. Line up.	Keg Shoe or max ¾" x ¾" Trail pleasure shoe	Factory stamped, non-draft breed KEG shoe	All Day Pleasure: All Day Pleasure. Classic all Day Pleasure. Classic All Day Pleasure: Classic All Day Pleasure All Day Pleasure	
Country Flat walk, running walk, Flat walk, reverse, flat walk, running walk, flat walk. Line up. (Canter, Trail walk and halt optional)	Factory stamped, non- draft breed KEG Shoe	Factory stamped, non-draft breed KEG Shoe	Country Pleasure: Country Pleasure Classic Country Pleasure Classic Country Pleasure: Classic Country Pleasure Country Pleasure	
Trail Flat walk, running walk, flat walk, reverse, flat walk, running walk, flat walk. Line up. (Canter, Trail walk and halt optional)	Max 3⁄8" x 3⁄4"	Max 3/8" x 3/4"	Trail Pleasure: Trail Pleasure Classic Trail Pleasure Classic Trail Pleasure: Classic Trail Pleasure Trail Pleasure	
Lite Shod Flat Walk, running walk, flat walk, reverse, flat walk, running walk, flat walk. Line up. (Canter optional)	Max ½" x 1"	Max 3/8" x 3/4"	Lite Shod: Lite Shod Classic Lite Shod Classic Park Classic Lite Shod: Classic Lite Shod Lite Shod Classic Park	
Classic Park Flat walk, running walk, flat walk, reverse, flat walk. Line up. (Canter optional)	Max ½" x 1 ½"	N/A	Classic Park: Classic Park Lite shod (with provisions)	

#### NOTE:

Tungsten metal (in whole or in part) is prohibited and not allowed on the show grounds at any WHOA horse event. Hoof bands in all classes are prohibited and are not allowed on the show grounds at any WHOA horse event. Maximum hoof toe length of 5 inches, exclusive of the shoe, allowed at any WHOA horse event.

Only clear grooming products arc allowed for use as hoof polish. Black or opaque hoof polish is prohibited at any WHOA horse event.

All keg shoes are to be unaltered with the exception of borium, factory stamped (non-draft breed) keg shoes are allowed in all divisions.

#### SPOTTED & RACKING DIVISION CHART

#### SPOTTED SADDLE HORSES

DIVISION	SHOEING Max ½" x 1"	
Lite Shod Spotted Show walk, Show gait, Show walk, Reverse, Show walk, Show Gait, Show walk, Line up		
Country Pleasure Show walk, Show gait, Show walk, Reverse, Show walk, Show Gait, Show walk, Line up	Manufactured keg shoe	
Spotted Pleasure Show walk, Show gait, Show walk, Reverse, Show walk, Show Gait, Show walk, Line up	Manufactured keg shoe	
Trail Pleasure Show walk, Show gait, Show walk, Reverse, Show walk, Show Gait, Show walk, Line up	Max ¾" x ¾" 1/16" variance	

#### **RACKING HORSES**

DIVISION	SHOEING
Trail Pleasure Racking Enter at Trail rack. Trail walk, Trail rack, Trail walk Reverse, Trail Walk, Trail rack, Trail walk. Line up	Max ¾" x ¾"
Country Pleasure Racking Enter at Slow rack, Show walk, Slow rack, Fast rack, Show walk, reverse, Show walk, Show rack, Fast rack, Show walk. Line up.	Max 1 ½" x ½"
<b>Style Racking</b> Enter at Style rack. Show walk, Style rack, Show walk, Reverse, Show walk, Style rack, Show walk. Line up.	Max 1 ½" x ½"
<b>Speed Racking</b> Enter at Slow rack, Show walk, Slow rack, Fast rack, Show walk, reverse, Show walk, Show rack, Fast rack, Show walk. Line up.	Max 1 ½" x ½"

#### Lodging Available Near Fairgrounds (ask for horse show rates for horse complex):

#### <u>Ramada Inn</u>

0.5 miles to show grounds 1520 Blue Ridge Rd. Raleigh, NC 27607 919-832-4100

#### Wingate by Wyndham

<2 miles to show grounds 6115 Corporate Ridge Rd. Raleigh, NC 27607 919-809-8660

#### Hampton Inn & Suites

2.0 miles to show grounds 111 Hampton Woods Lane Raleigh, NC 27607 919-233-1798

#### **Best Western Plus**

4.0 miles to show grounds 1722 Walnut St. Cary, NC 27511 919-481-1200