

NORTH CAROLINA STATE FAIR ASPC/AMHR SHOW 2026

ASPC/AMHR Nationally Recognized Show
North Carolina State Fairgrounds
1025 Blue Ridge Road
Raleigh, NC 27607

Sunday, October 18, 2026

Judge Cheryl Pritchard, GA

Show Secretary: Laura Mullen, NC

Show Steward: John Mullen, NC

Pre-Entry Deadline: September 26, 2026

Entries received after the postmark of 9/26 will be charged an extra fee of \$25.00 per horse

Starting Time: 9:00 a.m.

Class Fee: \$15.00/class

Arrival Time: No Arrivals Before October 17th Without Prior Notification
Move in may be possible on Friday, but we need to know as close as we get closer to the show date.

All participating horses must be ASPC or AMHR registered. All horses must be measured by the ASPC/AMHR steward or present a measurement slip documenting measurement by an official ASPC/AMHR steward within the last 60 days or a permanent measurement card for miniatures/ponies 6 years & older showing one measurement in year 2026. Stalls are \$90.00. Valid ASPC/AMHR registration, coggins (current within 1 year), health certificate within 30 days on out of state horses, youth and/or amateur numbers must be provided. Foals six months and younger do not require a coggins. **Make checks payable to: Equine Event Planning LLC. Mail check and entries to: Laura Mullen, 705 Westland Drive, Greensboro, NC 27410. Phone: 607-769-6743.**

General Rules and Information:

This show is accredited and conducted under the 2026 rules and regulations of the ASPC/AMHR.

All horses must be registered with the ASPC/AMHR.

This ASPC/AMHR show has one judge. Points and awards will be awarded by one judge.

Welcome to the North Carolina State Fair!

Stabling: All barns have box stalls. Shavings are available for \$8.50 per bag. Use of straw as bedding is prohibited. Pre-ordered shavings are encouraged. Showing off the trailer is permitted at a cost of \$25.00/horse.

Arena: Indoor arena - show runs rain or shine!

Camping: Camping should be reserved online. Spots will be assigned upon arrival. Call 919-612-6767.

Food Stand: Concession stands will be in operation during the show.

Smoking: No smoking will be allowed in the barns, on deck, in the arena or in the horse show office.

Phone Show Office: 607-769-6743

- Numbers:** Local Police: 919-996-3335 or 911
Veterinarian: Neuse River Veterinary Hospital 919-365-9001
- Lodging:** **Ramada Blue Ridge**, 1520 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh, NC. 919-832-4000
Holiday Inn Express, 3741 Thistledown Drive, Raleigh, NC. 919-854-0001
Best Western Plus, 1722 Walnut Street, Cary, NC. 919-481-1200
Fairfield Inn, 2201 Summit Park Lane, Raleigh, NC. 919-881-9800
- Directions:** **Horse Show Entrance: 4601 Trinity Road, Raleigh, NC 27607**
From the I-40: Take Exit 289 (Wade Avenue). Go .2 miles to Edwards Mill Extension; go Right ¼ mile to Trinity Road. Take a left at light onto Trinity. Gate H-4 is the Horse Show Entrance on right.
- Challenged Exhibitors:** Challenged exhibitors are welcome to show. We would appreciate advance notice so appropriate arrangements can be made, if necessary. Please contact the show manager.
- Measurement:** All horses must be measured before entering the show ring. Horses will be measured in accordance with ASPC/AMHR rules on Saturday, October 17 from 5:00-7:00 pm and Sunday, October 18 at 7:00 a.m.
- Paperwork Requirements:** Copies of registration papers must be included with entries. Each horse should have a current coggins. Out-of-state horses should bring original negative coggins report (within one year) and health within 30 days.
- Youth Classes:** All youth must have an ASPC/AMHR Youth number to be considered for National awards or titles. Youth card applications are available at the Horse Show Office. Youth membership fee is free.
- Amateur Classes:** An ASPC/AMHR Amateur Card is required to participate in Amateur classes. Amateur cards are \$30.00 if applied for at the show. Exhibitors must be a member of ASPC/AMHR and produce a membership card in order to apply for an amateur card. Applications are available at the Horse Show Office.
- Liability Statement:** The NC State Fair, its officers, officials and employees will not be responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to an exhibitor, spectator, guest, driver, groom, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at this show. THIS SHALL BE A CONDITION OF ENTRY to this show or show grounds.
- Show Policy:** Evidence of any cruelty, abuse or inhumane treatment to a horse, in or out of the ring, will not be tolerated by the Show Management and shall result in disqualification of the horse and that exhibitor for the balance of the show. The offender will be barred from the show area for the duration of the show. The results shall be the forfeiture of all trophies, ribbons, awards, and points for that show. The show manager will notify ASPC/AMHR of any such disqualification when the show results are reported.
- Pre-Entries:** **Pre-Entries must be postmarked by September 26, 2026.**
Pre-Entry Fees: \$15.00 per Class/Mini. Post Entries (after 9/26) will be charged a \$25 per horse late fee.
- Post-Entries:** **Post-Entries** will be accepted up to four classes preceding the class to be entered.
- Refunds:** There will be no refunds.
- Send Entries To:** Laura Mullen, 705 Westland Drive, Greensboro, NC 27410. Phone: 607-769-6743;
Email: Winectry@aol.com.