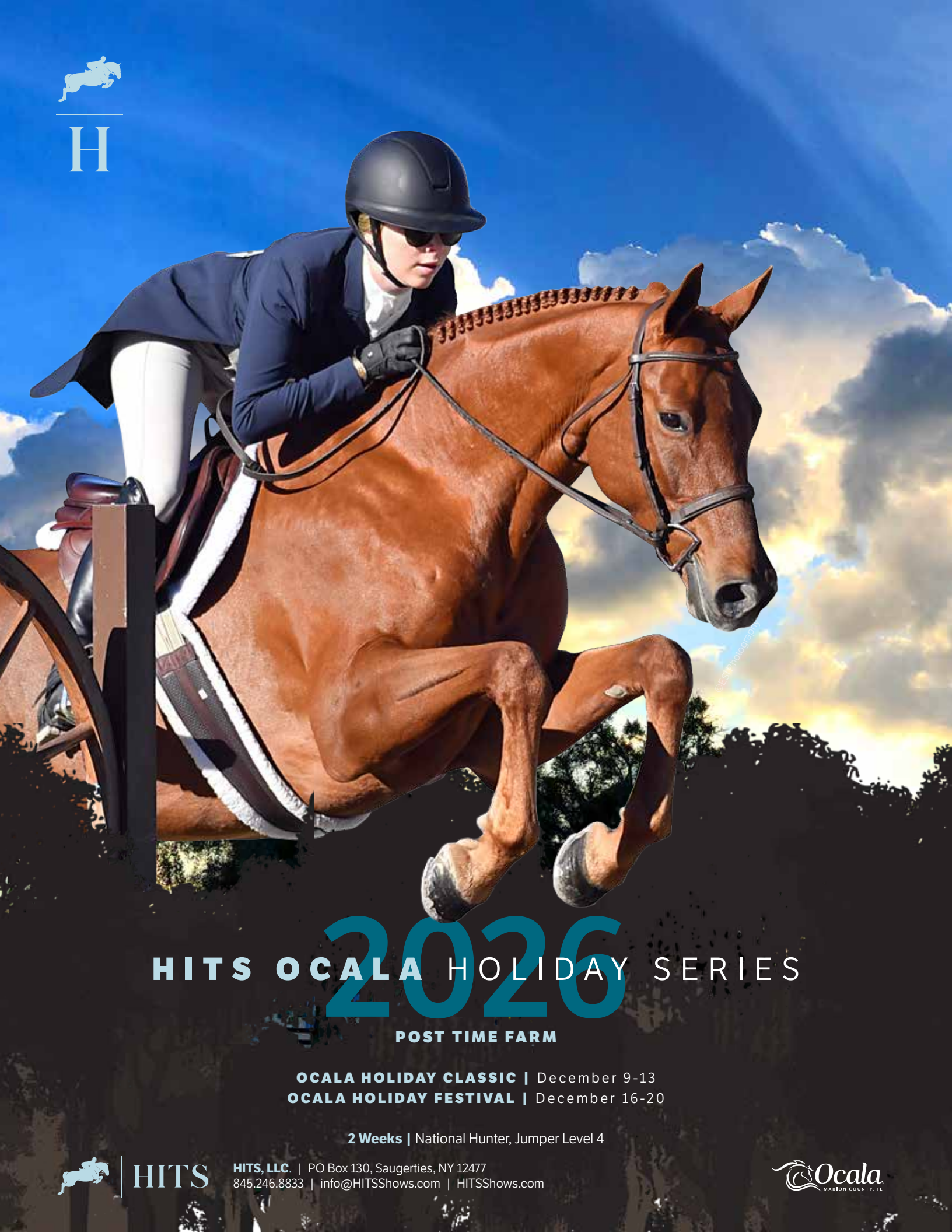

HITS OCALA HOLIDAY SERIES 2026

POST TIME FARM

OCALA HOLIDAY CLASSIC | December 9-13
OCALA HOLIDAY FESTIVAL | December 16-20

2 Weeks | National Hunter, Jumper Level 4

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Entries Close Wednesday, November 18

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Offered in 2026: $24,450 **Paid in 2026:** $12,951 **Offered in 2027:** $23,950 **Guaranteed in 2027:** $5,000

OCALA HOLIDAY FESTIVAL (II) **DECEMBER 16-20**

Entries Close Wednesday, November 25

USEF | USHJA | The League | CFHJA | NAL | NHS | SFHJA | WIHS | WEC

Offered in 2026: $34,350 **Paid in 2026:** $29,982 **Offered in 2027:** $33,950 **Guaranteed in 2027:** $5,000

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$1,000	$300	$200	$160	$130	$110	$100							Jumper
$1,500	$450	$300	$225	$200	$175	$150							Jumper
$2,000	$460	$330	$260	$220	$200	$180	$175	$175					
$2,500	$475	$350	$325	$300	$275	$275	$250	$250					
$2,500	$750	$550	$375	$175	$150	$125	$100	$75	$75	$50	$50	$25	National Derby
$5,000	$1,500	$1,100	$750	$350	$300	$250	$200	$150	$150	$100	$100	$50	National Derby
$5,000	$1,500	$1,000	$700	$500	$400	$350	$275	$275					
$10,000	$3,000	$2,200	$1,500	$700	$600	$500	$400	$300	$300	$200	$200	$100	Intern'l Derby
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HITS OCALA POST TIME FARM - WINTER 2026 / 2027





HITS OCALA HOLIDAY SERIES

12/9 – 12/13	**OCALA HOLIDAY CLASSIC** NATIONAL / 4
12/16 – 12/20	**OCALA HOLIDAY FESTIVAL** NATIONAL/ 4

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1/20 – 1/24	**OCALA JANUARY CLASSIC – I** NATIONAL / 5
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Paddock	$4,400	$4,115	$3,800	$3,555	$400

CLASS LISTING HOLIDAY SERIES

HUNTERS

DIVISION/CLASS	FENCE HEIGHT	CLASS #S	DIVISION FEE	CLASS FEE	PRIZE $ / O/F
RATED & NON-RATED HUNTER SECTIONS	*Last class # is Under Saddle.*				
Hi-Low Hunter - Open to horses and ponies.	3',3'3",3'6",3'9",4'	1,2 (No U/S)	-	$60	-
USHJA 3' Hunter	3'	5,6,7,8,9	$175	$60	-
USHJA 2'9" Hunter	2'9"	615,616,617,618,619	$175	$60	-
USHJA 2'6" Hunter	2'6"	515,516,517,518,519	$175	$60	-
USHJA 2' Hunter	2'	15,16,17,18,19	$175	$60	-
For all USHJA Hunter Divisions - A horse or pony of any age and is not restricted by prior showing in any division. Distances will NOT be adjusted for ponies. (USEF Rated)					
Schooling Hunter - Open to horses and ponies.	2',2'3",2'6",2'9"	10,11,12,13,14 (No US)	-	$60	-
Training Hunter - Open to horses and ponies.	2'6"	20,21,22,23,24	$175	$60	-
Baby Green Hunter	2'6"	25,26,27,28,29	$175	$60	-
RATED HUNTER SECTION	*Last class # is Under Saddle. See Schedule for Handy.*				
Young Hunter 5 & Under	2'9"	530,531,532,533,534	$100	Division Fee Only	-
Young Hunter 7 & Under	3',3'3"	535,536,537,538,539	$100	Division Fee Only	-
Green Hunter 3'	3'	35,36,37,38,39	$250	Division Fee Only	$200
Green Hunter 3'3"	3'3"	40,41,42,43,44	$250	Division Fee Only	$200
Green Hunter 3'6"	3'6"	45,46,47,48,49	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
Green Hunter 3'9"	3'9"	50,51,52,53,54	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
High Performance Hunter	4'	55,56,57,58,59	$300	$75	$300 ($100 U/S)
Green/High Performance Conf Hunter Model		66	-	$30	-
Green/High Performance Conf Hunter	3'9"	67,68,69,70,71	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
Performance Hunter 3'3"	3'3"	75,76,77,78,79	$250	$75	$200
Performance Hunter 3'6"	3'6"	80,81,82,83,84	$250	$75	$200
Amateur-Owner Hunter 3'6"	3'6"	85,86,87,88,89	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
Amateur-Owner Hunter 3'3"	3'3"	95,96,97,98,99	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
JUNIOR HUNTER SECTION	*Last class # is Under Saddle. See Schedule for Handy.*				
Junior Hunter 3'6"	3'6"	120,121,122,123,124	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
Junior Hunter 3'3"	3'3"	140,141,142,143,144	$300	Division Fee Only	$300
ADULT & CHILDREN'S HUNTER SECTIONS	*Last class # is Under Saddle.*				
Adult Hunter 18-35	3'	105,106,107,108,109	$175	$60	-
Adult Hunter 36 & Over	3'	110,111,112,113,114	$175	$60	-
Children's Hunter Pony	2', 2'6"	150,151,152,153,154	$175	$60	-
Children's Hunter Horse	3'	160,161,162,163,164	$175	$60	-
Low Child/Adult Hunter	2'6"	660,661,662,663,664	$175	$60	-
PONY HUNTER SECTION	*Last class # is Under Saddle, See Schedule for Handy. Underlined class # is Conformation.*				
Green Pony Schooling Hunter	2'3",2'6",2'9"	579	-	$60	-
Open to junior exhibitors showing the same pony in the Green Pony Hunters. Must compete at appropriate fence height. May only compete once.					
Green Pony Hunter	2'3", 2'6",2'9"	170,171,172,173,174	$200	Division Fee Only	$100
**Green Ponies will be offered as two sections, Small/Medium & Large if entries warrant.*					
Small Pony Hunter	2'3"	183,184,185,186,187	$250	Division Fee Only	$200
Medium Pony Hunter	2'6"	189,190,191,192,193	$250	Division Fee Only	$200
Large Pony Hunter	3'	195,196,197,198,199	$250	Division Fee Only	$200
MISC. NON-RATED HUNTER SECTION	*The last class # is Under Saddle.*				
Pre-Child/Adult Hunter	2'	545,546,547,548,549	$175	$60	-
Rider MAY NOT cross enter into any USEF rated Hunter Divisions. Exception: USHJA Hunter up to 2'6" and Children's Pony.					
Post Time Child/Adult Hunter	2'3"	555,556,557,558,559	$175	$60	-
Rider MAY NOT cross enter into any USEF rated Hunter Sections. Exception: USHJA Hunter up to 2'6" and Children's Pony.					
Modified Child Hunter	2'9"	565,566,567,568,569	$175	$60	-
Modified Adult Hunter	2'9"	570,571,572,573,574	$175	$60	-
Rider MAY NOT cross enter into the Junior or Amateur-Owner Hunter Sections.					
Modified Junior/Amateur Hunter	3'3"	576,577,578	$150	Division Fee Only	$200
No cross-entry restrictions. Horse/rider combination MAY cross enter into any USEF rated Hunter Sections.					
Schooling Pony Hunter	2',2'3", 2'6"	580,581,582,583	$150	$60	-
Open to junior riders on ponies. May only compete once in each class. Courses to be set using Regular Pony Strides.					
Short/Long Stirrup Hunter	18"	595,596,597,598,599	$175	$60	-
Open to junior and amateur riders who are not showing in a USEF rated Hunter section. Exception USHJA Hunter up to 2'3".					

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CLASS LISTING HOLIDAY SERIES

EQUITATION

MEDALS

JUMPERS

DIVISION/CLASS	FENCE HEIGHT	CLASS #S	DIVISION FEE	CLASS FEE	PRIZE $ / O/F
EQUITATION SECTION	*Underlined class # is flat.*				
Equitation 12-14	2'9"	304,305,306,307	-	$50	-
Equitation 15-17	3'3"	312,313,314	-	$50	-
Pony Equitation	2'3",2'6",2'9"	316,317,318,319	-	$50	-
Open to junior riders on ponies. May compete at any fence height regardless of pony size. May only compete once in each class.					
Adult Equitation	3'	320,321,322,323	-	$50	-
Junior/Adult Equitation 2'3"	2'3"	336,337,338,339	-	$50	-
Open to junior riders who are not showing in a USEF Rated section. Exception: Children's Pony, Low Child or Adult Hunter & USHJA Hunter up to 2'6".					
Junior/Adult Equitation 2'9"	2'9"	344,345,346,347	-	$50	-
Open to junior riders who are not showing in a USEF Rated section with Fences 3'3" or higher.					
Short/Long Stirrup Equitation	18"	360,361,362,363	-	$50	-
Open to Junior and Amateur riders who are not showing in any class with fences 2'6" or higher.					
Beginner Equitation (No USEF Membership Required)		754,755,756	-	$45	-
Open to junior riders under 12 years of age who are not showing in a USEF rated section. To be shown at a walk and trot both directions of the ring. Eq,U/S,Pleasure.					
Advanced Beginner Equitation		757,758,759	-	$45	-
Open to Junior Riders under 14 years of age who are not showing in a USEF rated section. To be shown at a walk, trot and canter both directions of the ring. Eq,U/S,Pleasure.					
Crossrail Equitation	18"	760,761,762	-	$50	-
Open to junior riders under 14 years of age who are not showing in a USEF rated section. Course of 6-8 jumps, cross rails.					
MISC. NON-RATED HUNTER SECTION					
USEF/Valencia Saddlery Hunter Seat Medal	3'6"	370		$75	-
ASPCA Junior Horsemanship Medal	3'6"	371	NHS	$75	-
USEF/Platinum Performance Talent Search 2*	1.15m	372		$75	-
WIHS Junior Equitation - Handy Hunter Phase	3'6"	373	WIHS	$75	-
WIHS Junior Equitation - Jumper Phase	3'6"	473	WIHS	$75	-
WEC Premier Cup	3'6"	399	WEC	$75	-
USEF Adult Medal	3'3"	374		$75	-
WIHS Pony Medal	2'3", 2'6", 3'	375	WIHS	$75	-
M+S USEF Pony Medal	2'3", 2'6", 3'	376		$75	-
NHS 3'3" Junior Medal	3'3"	377	NHS	$75	-
NHS 3' Adult Medal	3'	777	NHS	$75	-
USHJA Junior Jumping Seat Medal	3'3"	378	USHJA	$75	-
USHJA Adult Jumping Seat Medal	3'3"	478	USHJA	$75	-
IHSA/USHJA 3'3" Hunter Seat Medal	3'3"	778	USHJA	$75	-
USEF/NCEA Junior Hunter Seat Medal	3'3"	379	NCEA	$75	-
The League/Pyranha Children's Medal - Horse	3'	381	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League Children's Medal - Pony	2'	383	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League Adult Medal	3'	385	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League 2' Child/Adult Medal	2'	386	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League/Sidelines 2'6" Children's Medal	2'6"	389	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League/Sidelines 2'6" Adult Medal	2'6"	390	LEAGUE	$75	-
The League Jr/Am Horsemanship Medal	3'3"	388	LEAGUE	$75	-
THIS National Children's Medal	3'	391		$75	-
Ariat National Adult Medal	3'	392		$75	-
Mini Medal	3'	770		$75	-
Mini Maclay	3	771		$75	-
Mini HITS	3'	772		$75	-
Leadline (No USEF Membership Required)		625		-	-
NON-NOMINATED JUMPER SECTION					
.60m Jumper	.60m	800,801,802 803		$60	-
.70m Jumper	.70m	200,201,202,203		$60	-
.80m Jumper	.80m	204,205,206,207		$60	-
.90m Jumper	.90m	208,209,210,211		$60	-
1.0m Jumper	1.0m	212,213,214,215		$60	-
1.10m Jumper	1.10m	216,217,218,219		$60	-
1.15m Jumper	1.15m	220,221,222,223		$60	-
Junior/Amateur 1.10m Jumper	1.10m	224,225,226,227		$60	-
Junior/Amateur 1.0m Jumper	1.0m	232,233,234,235		$60	-
Junior/Amateur .90m Jumper	.90m	248,249,250,251		$60	-
Junior/Amateur .80m Jumper	.80m	252,253,254,255		$60	-
Junior/Amateur .70m Jumper	.70m	808,809,810,811		$60	-
Itty Bitty Junior/Amateur .60m Jumper	.60m	244,245,246,247		$60	-
Cross Rail Olympic Jumper - Table II	.45m	804,805,806,807		$60	-
Cross Rail Olympic Jumper - Table IV	.45m	814,815,816,817		$60	-
5-Year-Old Jumper	1.0m	292,293		-	-
6-Year-Old Jumper	1.20m	294,295		-	$200
7-Year-Old Jumper	1.30m	297,298		-	$200
NOMINATED JUMPER SECTION					
1.20m Jumper	1.20m	271,272,273,274		$75	$500
1.30m Jumper	1.30m	275,276,277		$100	$1,000
1.40m Jumper	1.40m	278		$125	$1,500
Junior/Amateur 1.20m Jumper	1.20m	281,282,283		$75	$500
Junior/Amateur 1.30m Jumper	1.30m	284,285,286		$75	$500

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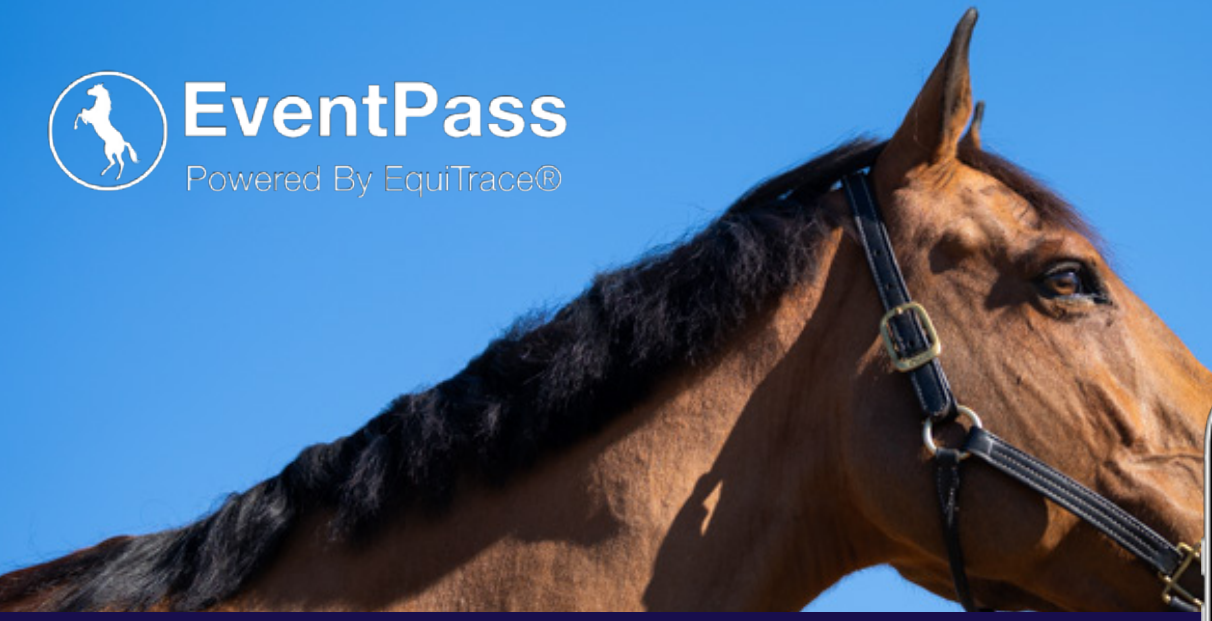

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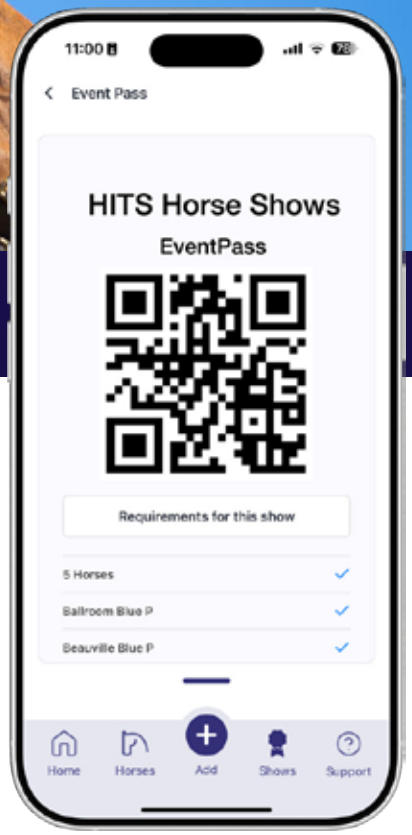

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CLASS	ENTRY FEE	POST ENTRY	SCRATCH FEE
400. $500 THE LEAGUE BIT O' STRAW 2'6" HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Two-round classic with the option to do both rounds back-to-back. Fences 2'6". Riders must be juniors or amateurs. Horse or pony must have entered, shown and completed the course in two hunter or equitation classes over fences at the same show. No cross entry of rider into any rated hunters. Exception: Children's Pony, USHJA Hunter up to 2'6" & Low Child/Adult Hunter.			
401. $1,000 JUNIOR/AMATEUR-OWNER HUNTER CLASSIC - 3'3" & 3'6"	$100	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 3'3", 3"6". Horse must have entered, shown and completed the course in two Junior or AO Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the horse has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
403. $500 PONY HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 2'3", 2'6", 2'9". Ponies must have entered, shown and completed the course in two regular Pony Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the pony has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
404. $500 THE LEAGUE/NAL/WIHS CHILDREN'S HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
405. $500 THE LEAGUE/NAL/WIHS ADULT HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 3'. Horse must have entered and shown in two Children's or Adult Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the horse has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
500. $250 THE LEAGUE 2' PRE-CHILD/ADULT HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 2'. Horse or pony must have entered and shown in two Pre-Child/Adult Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the horse has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched. No cross entry of rider into any USEF rated hunters. Exception: Children's Pony, USHJA Hunter up to 2'6" & Low Child/Adult Hunter.			
504. $250 THE LEAGUE CHILDREN'S PONY HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
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401. $1,000 JUNIOR/AMATEUR-OWNER HUNTER CLASSIC - 3'3" & 3'6"	$100	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 3'3", 3"6". Horse must have entered, shown and completed the course in two Junior or AO Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the horse has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
403. $500 PONY HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 2'3", 2'6", 2'9". Ponies must have entered, shown and completed the course in two regular Pony Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the pony has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
404. $500 THE LEAGUE/NAL/WIHS CHILDREN'S HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
405. $500 THE LEAGUE/NAL/WIHS ADULT HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
Designated first-round classic. Fences 3'. Horse must have entered and shown in two Children's or Adult Hunter classes over fences at the same show. Once the horse has competed in the first round class, the Classic may not be scratched.			
500. $250 THE LEAGUE 2' PRE-CHILD/ADULT HUNTER CLASSIC	$50	$10	$10
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Two round classic. Fences 3' with options to 3'5". Class 630 is open to horses ridden by Juniors, Amateurs or Professionals. Class 631 is restricted to Juniors and Amateurs. Riders are not limited to the number of horses they may ride. Horse may only compete in one USHJA Hunter Derby.			
635. $1,000 HITS OPEN 3'3" CLASSIC QUALIFIER	$100	$25	$50
Standalone One Round Classic, Fences 3'3" with 10 - 12 jumps. Riders may enter more than one horse in the qualifying class. There must be at least six entries for the class to count for qualifying for the Final. Qualifier for the HITS Classic held at HITS Hudson Valley VIII. Pending USEF approval.			
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Horses must be age verified with USEF to participate in this program.

Horses must be Declared for the Young Jumper Program at the time of check-in each week, when back numbers are picked up for the show. At checkout, Exhibitors must review accounts with the Show Office for class credits. Horses will be credited for the class fees for the three lowest priced classes eligible for the program. Example: if the horse shows in three "Non-Nominated" jumper classes, and one "Nominated" jumper class, the three "Non-Nominated" classes will be credited. The Show office is not responsible for credits not issued for horses whose accounts are not closed out in the Show Office, or by email or remote method. Horses not declared for the Young Jumper program at check-in will not be eligible to have their class fees credited.

Horses will be charged for any Stalls, All Inclusive Facility Fee, USEF/USHJA Horse/Drug Fees, and any other Association Fees (Show Pass fees, Horse or Owner/Rider/Trainer Membership fees, etc.), any Feed/Bedding, Paddocks, RV's, Restaurant Charges, and any other Miscellaneous Fees (Shoeing, Vet, Post Entry Fee, etc.), and any entry or nominating fees for classes beyond the three eligible classes showed in. Jumper Nomination will not be credited when the horse competes in nominated classes outside of the Young Jumper Program.

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USEF Drug: $15
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HORSES ARRIVE:

STABLE WITH:

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HORSE NAME

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COLOR | SEX | HT. | YEAR OF BIRTH | HORSE/PONY SM MD LG | **Check box if horse is NON-SHOWING** ☐

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RIDERS

RIDER ONE
RIDER TWO

CLASSES

RIDER ONE CLASSES
RIDER TWO CLASSES

USEF ENTRY AGREEMENT

USEF: I have read the USEF Entry Agreement (GR 906.4) as printed in the Prize List for this Competition and agree to all of its provisions. I understand and agree that by entering this Competition, I am subject to Federation Rules, the Prize List, and local rules of the competition. I agree to waive the right to the use of my photos at the competition, and agree that any actions against the Federation must be brought in New York State.

Federation Entry Agreement

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Authorization to Share Email and Contact Information with HITS Partners and HITS related entities. By signing below, I expressly authorize HITS, LLC to collect and share my email address and other contact information provided on the entry blank with HITS Partners and HITS related entities for purposes of sending me periodic updates, product information, and promotional offers via email. I understand that my email address will be kept confidential and will not be shared or sold to any other third parties without my explicit consent. I acknowledge that I may unsubscribe from these communications at any time by clicking the 'unsubscribe' link in the footer of any email I receive.

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MANDATORY

OWNER/AGENT	RIDER/HANDLER		TRAINER
SIGNATURE: _____ Print Name:	**SIGNATURE:** _____ Print Name:	Is Rider a U.S. Citizen: YES ○ NO ○	**SIGNATURE:** _____ Print Name:
(Required if Rider/Handler is a minor) **PARENT/GUARDIAN SIG.:** _____ Print Name:	**SIGNATURE:** _____ Print Name:	Is Rider a U.S. Citizen: YES ○ NO ○	**COACH SIGNATURE:** _____ (if applicable) Print Name: Emerg. Contact Phone#

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EQUINE HEALTH & **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

Protecting the health of your horse and other horses is of the utmost importance to HITS. Beginning in 2013, HITS implemented Required Biosecurity Measures to decrease the risk of introduction and/ or spread of contagious or infectious disease at its shows.

Horses must arrive only between the hours of 8 am-5 pm daily. Off-hours arrival must obtain permission from Show Management.

UPON ARRIVAL ALL HORSES MUST HAVE & PROVIDE

NEGATIVE COGGINS REQUIRED DATED WITHIN TWELVE MONTHS

Valid within (365 days) of the ending date of each show. This includes horses that originate from the state where the event is being held. All horses entering the Show Grounds must have a Negative Coggins on file. Coggins must reflect the horse's SHOW NAME.

PROOF OF VACCINATION

Via a signed statement from the attending veterinarian that the horse has been vaccinated against the following:

Within 6 months (180 days) of each show: Equine Influenza
Within 6 months (180 days) of each show: EHV 1 and EHV 4

If a vaccination will expire during one of the shows, the horse must receive its new vaccination prior to being issued a competition number for that show.

HEALTH CERTIFICATE/CERTIFICATE OF VETERINARY INSPECTION — Vermont & Virginia Only

The Vermont Agency of Agriculture and Virginia of Agriculture and Consumer Services require each horse originating from out of state to have a valid Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (Health Certificate) dated within 30 days of entry into Vermont or Virginia. For Vermont ONLY the following address must be listed as the Premises of Destination: Vermont Summer Festival, 3028 Route 7, East Dorset, VT 05253.

PRESENTATION OF HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

Exhibition Permits and EECVI may be used from May 1 – October 31 from eligible states. Additional information can be found **HERE**.

The Equine Health Requirements are Required for all horses entering the Show Grounds both Showing and Non-Showing. To ensure the safety of all horses competing at HITS managed venues, the following documentation must be uploaded through EquiTrace EventPass prior to on-site arrival.

Each horse entering the show grounds is required to have a negative coggins (within a year), proof of Flu/ Rhino and EHV 1/4 vaccinations (within 6 months) and a Health Certificate within 30 days if traveling from out of state.

Any horse with a temperature of 101.5+ must be reported to official show veterinarian. Upon veterinary examination, if diagnostic testing is deemed necessary, testing will be conducted at owner's expense. If veterinarian suspects infectious disease after inspection, the horse will be required to go to isolation or off the property.

See Rules and Regs for more information, and visit HITSShows.com for the most up to date requirements.

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KEEPING HORSES HEALTHY AT EVENTS **IS A SHARED RESPONSIBILITY**

Before you arrive,

HERE ARE A FEW REMINDERS ABOUT THE BEST WAYS YOU CAN KEEP YOUR HORSES SAFE & HEALTHY

• **Temperature Monitoring:** Twice daily temperature monitoring is highly encouraged while on the competition grounds and management will provide temp logs upon request. In the event of elevated disease risk or an infectious disease incursion, management will notify competitors of mandatory twice daily temperature monitoring and recording (ideally 12 hours apart and prior to any temperature-reducing medication (i.e. Bute or Banamine). Temperature logs will be provided for placement on the stall door for recording temperatures.

• **Limit Horse-to-Horse Contact:** Direct contact between horses from different home facilities should be minimized, and horse-to-human contact between facilities should be limited.

• **Avoid Shared Equipment or Water Sources**. Do not share equipment between horses, and do not use communal water sources. Make sure horses have their own buckets, feed pans, grooming equipment, and rags, and limit or eliminate other equipment that touches more than one horse. Fill water buckets without submerging the hose in the buckets.

• **Reporting a Febrile Horse:** Any horse with a temperature over 101.5F is required to be reported immediately to the official veterinarian, who will examine the horse to determine the next steps, and to horse show management. Any horse suspected of having an infectious disease will be required to immediately enter isolation stabling or be removed from the property.

• **Reporting a Sick Horse:** Report any horse with observable signs of illness, including, but not limited to, nasal discharge, abnormal gait, change in feed or water consumption, or change in behavior to the official veterinarian and show management.

• The official veterinarians for these events are listed below, and are available during this event to take reports of fevers or illness.

Peterson Smith Equine Hospital + Complete Care Show Veterinarian, (352) 237-6151

IF AN INFECTIOUS DISEASE IS SUSPECTED

• **The official veterinarian** may require a potentially sick horse to be tested for infectious disease at the owner's expense. If the owner/trainer chooses not to submit to testing, the horse may be asked to leave the competition venue.

• **Per USEF requirements**, we have a biosecurity plan in place for where and how to isolate any potentially sick or exposed horses, and we will work closely with state animal health officials to assist with contact tracing and any additional health and safety measures they require.

• **Failure to Comply with Biosecurity Measures:** Individuals who fail to comply with any biosecurity requirements will be reported to USEF for enforcement action and may be removed from the premises.

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CONDITIONS & SPECIFICATIONS

GENERAL

Poling: Manual poling, or the use of offsets, is prohibited on competition grounds. Per USEF GR839.
The League: League membership is required for points to count for Classics and Classes that are affiliated with the The League presented by Marshall+Sterling Insurance.
Websites: For additional Rules, Regulations and Specifications, visit these websites:
HITS HITSShows.com **USEF** USEF.org **USHJA** USHJA.org **The League** HITSShows.com
Show Weeks May Close: Exhibitors are advised that some show weeks may sell out. After the Closing Date of Entries, priority is given to exhibitors who enter two or more show weeks.
Awards: Ribbons will be awarded to eighth place in all Hunter and Jumper classes unless otherwise noted. For Special Classes and Classics, see Prize Money Distribution on following pages.
International Riders: All classes held during the 2026-2027 HITS Ocala Series will be run under National rules with regard to riders. If the capacity of International riders exceeds the National riders rule, riders will be accepted on a First come, First served basis. All International Riders must have active, competing USEF and USHJA memberships as well as having completed SafeSport Training for Riders 18 and Older.
HJ106.2: All horse regardless of show or non-showing are required to submit an entry with the Horse Show Office and wear or display the back number at all times. Any horse without a back number or with an incorrect back number will be asked to leave the area.
Longeing: Horses must be longed in the official longeing area only. All horses must wear, or be accompanied with a visible entry number. No chasing, whip cracking, or plastic bags on whips. Stirrups may not hang from the saddle while longeing. Dangerous horses will not be permitted, and will be asked to leave. No phones or radios.

HUNTERS

Jog: Jogging will be conducted under HU118.3, Option A: Horses/ponies are required to trot a circle on a loose rein at the end of each over fences performance. Horses/ponies may be asked to return to the ring and trot another circle at the judge's discretion. This is mandatory for all Hunter classes over obstacles.
Warm-Up: Ticketed warm-up schedule will be posted in the Show Office. Tickets are $35 each and will be billed to the back number worn at the ring. Schooling is prohibited in the show rings.
2027 Zone 4 Specifications: (Check USHJA.org for the most updated specs.)
- **Adult Amateur Hunter:** Open to Adult Amateurs showing horses and/or ponies. Riders may enter any Equitation class. If showing in Amateur-Owner Hunter 3'6", rider may only show other horses that they own in the Adult Amateur Hunters. If showing in Amateur-Owner or Hunter 3'3" (and not 3'6"), rider may show one horse they do not own in Adult Amateur Hunter. Horses/ponies may cross enter into any class where otherwise eligible. Fences 3'.
- **Adult Amateur Hunter Low:** Open to Adult Amateurs showing horses and/or ponies. Riders may enter any Equitation class, but may not cross enter into any hunter or jumper class with fences higher than 3'3". If showing in Amateur-Owner Hunter 3'3" or Adult Hunter 3', rider may show horses they own, and one horse they do not own in the Low Adult Hunter division. Horse/Rider combination may not cross enter into any class with fences higher than 2'9".
- **Children's Hunter:** Open to junior riders showing horses. Riders may enter any Equitation class, and may compete one different horse in the Junior Hunter 3'3" section, but may not show in the Junior Hunter 3'6" or Junior Jumper section at the same show. Horses may cross enter into any class where otherwise eligible. Fences 3'.
- **Children's Hunter Low:** Open to junior riders showing horses. Riders may enter any Equitation class, but may not cross enter into any hunter or jumper class with fences higher than 3'3". If showing in Children's Hunter 3', Regular A-rated Pony Sections and/or Junior Hunter 3'3", rider may show only one horse in the Low Children's Hunter division. Horse/Rider combination may not cross enter into any class with fences higher than 2'9".
- **Children's Hunter Pony:** Open to junior riders showing ponies. Rider age restrictions as found in "Regular Pony" sections do not apply. If showing in the Regular or Green Pony Hunter section, riders may ride only one pony at 2' or one pony at 2'6" at the same show. Riders may not cross enter into any class where fences exceed 3'3". Exception: Pony Jumpers. The Pony, with another rider, may cross enter into any class where otherwise eligible. Fences 2' small and medium, 2'6" large. No Combinations.
- **General** (Hunters)**:** Horses/ponies are not required to be jogged for soundness. To be judged on performance, soundness and suitability to count.

JUMPERS

Jumper Nomination Fee: $225
Nominated Jumper Sections: 1.20m - 1.40m, Open, Junior/Amateur 1.20m-1.40m Jumper.
Non-Nominated Jumper Sections: .60m - 1.15m, Junior/Amateur .60m-1.10m, Cross Rail Olympic and Pony Jumper.
Eligibility: Any horse, regardless of winnings, is eligible to enter any .60m - 1.45m and Open Jumper Class.
Declarations: Nominated Jumpers must declare the day prior to the class by 4 pm, online or in the Show Office. Late declarations will be subject to the Post Entry Penalty and may require the horse to work first or last in the order at management discretion. Classes entered on the Entry Blank constitute a Declaration.
Jumper Tables: Refer to the Time Schedule. Management reserves the right to change tables based on weather, entries or other criteria.
Time Allowed: The Time Allowed will be based on a speed of 360 yards per minute for Pony Jumpers, and 382 yards per minute for all other sections unless otherwise noted, and may be adjusted accordingly.
Draw Reins/German Martingales: Draw reins and German martingale may not be used in any competition/class restricted to Ponies, Juniors, and/or Amateurs, or by age of horse. Draw reins and German martingales may only be used in a conventional manner when schooling or in classes with no prize money that are offered at 1.20m or below. Draw reins and/or German martingales may not be used on Ponies at any time when ridden by a Junior. No other head set devices (chambon, etc.) are permitted in any class.
Ties: Ties involving first place will be jumped off. Ties not involving first place will be decided upon time unless otherwise stated.
2027 Zone 4 Specifications: (Check USHJA.org for the most updated specs.)
- **Junior/Amateur Jumper 1.10m-1.15m:** Open to horses and ponies. The Horse/Rider combination is not eligible to compete in the Junior or Amateur Jumper Section or any jumper class 1.20m or higher that offers prize money at the same show. Fences at 1.10m-1.15m. If showing in the Junior/Amateur 1.15m Jumper Classic, rider may not show in the highest prize money class in any jumper division at 1.30m or higher at the same show.
- **Junior/Amateur Jumper 1.0m-1.05m:** Open to horses and ponies. The Horse/Rider combination is not eligible to compete in any jumper class above 1.15m at the same show. Fences at 1.00m-1.05m. If showing in the Junior/Amateur 1.05m Jumper Classic, rider may not show in the highest prize money class in any jumper division at 1.30m or higher at the same show.

SPECIAL CLASSES - The General Rules and Regulations of the Horse Show will prevail for the Special Classes except as provided for each individual class and as noted herein.

The League presented by Marshall+Sterling Insurance Membership
- **Classic Riders:** Membership required for points to count for Classics and Classes that are affiliated with The League presented by M+S Insurance.

Special Hunter Classics: Judged on performance and soundness with manners and suitability emphasized. To be scored under the open numerical judging system. The top 12 (or 50%) horses (ponies) from the first round will return to jump a second round in reverse order of their scores in the first round; lowest score going first and highest score going last. In case of ties, order of those tied will be drawn. Scores will be averaged from both rounds to determine the winners. In case of a tie for first place only, judges will confer to break the tie. All other ties will remain and riders will toss a coin for the ribbons.
- **Separate Two-Round Classic:** For the first round, each competitor will jump one round of approximately 10-12 fences at the required height.
- **Designated First-Round Classic:** A designated class of the division will be the first round of the classic. **You must enter the classic prior to competing in First-Round class.** Scratches are not permitted after the First-Round class has begun. See Time Schedule for Designated First-Round class.

Special Class Nomination/Declaration: Special Classes entered on the initial entry constitute a Declaration. Horses must be entered the day before the class or pay the Special Class Post Entry Fee.
Special Class Scratch: Any scratch must be made before the class starts or be accompanied by a Vet's Certificate. See "Rules & Regulations" for more information. Scratch fee will apply.
Order of Go: The Order of Go will be drawn for all classes offering $5,000 or more in prize money, per JP112. In the jump-off, if any, all horses will go in the original drawn order.
Attire: Formal attire required in Special Classes.
Awards: Winners to ride for presentation of awards in Special Classes.
Trophy & Ribbons: 1-12 in Special Classes unless otherwise stated.
Show Champion: Classics will not count toward Show Champion.

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GENERAL INFORMATION, RULES & REGULATIONS

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION

Every class offered herein that is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Modified Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A non-member may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, or agent at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

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INSURANCES: a) Florida Senate Bill 1658 Equine Zero Liability Statute: Warning-Under Florida 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 risk of equine activities. b) All owners and competitors are personally responsible for damages to third persons caused by themselves, their employees, their agents or their horses. They are therefore strongly advised to take out third-party insurance providing full coverage for participation in equestrian events at home and abroad, and to keep the policy up to date.

The Horse Show Committee reserves the right to itself to interpret all questions and conditions in regard to or arising out of, or incident to the show without claims for damages or recourse of any kind. All questions not covered in these Rules and Regulations shall be decided by the Horse Show Management; its decision to be final. The Horse Show Management reserves to itself the right to limit entries in any class, section or division, to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel any entries, disqualify any riders or exhibitors, prohibit exhibition of entries, and cancel award prizes, without any claim for damages; to change any course, to add a dotted line, to cancel or combine any unfilled classes, or to reschedule classes, after due notice to exhibitors; to change rings or rotate judges; to change specifications in jumper classes as competition warrants. Every horse entered herein for competition will be under the control of the Horse Show Management, but the Show Management will in no case be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it shall be a condition of entry that each exhibitor shall hold the Horse Show and the officials, employees, directors, officers, sponsoring entities of the Horse Show and the facilities at which the Horse Show is held blameless for any loss or accident to his horse(s), employee(s), or equipment which may occur from sickness, fire or other cause.

ENTRY & STABLING CLOSING DATES *Early Bird Stabling Options for the Winter Series & Circuit must be submitted online before November 1, 2026*

Ocala Holiday Classic (I) Wednesday, November 18, 2026 **Ocala Holiday Festival (II)** Wednesday, November 25, 2026

ENTRY POLICY & PROCEDURE

- Entries must be submitted electronically through the Online Entry platform when available, and must be filled out in its entirety.
- Horse Deposit Fee will be credited to the horse's entries only if the Entry is received by the Closing Date and meets the Entry Procedure.
- A Signed Open Check or Credit Card Authorization must be lodged with the Show Secretary each week before Numbers are issued.
- Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express are accepted. Customers paying by credit card should reference the Retail pricing.
- Retail prices will be charged for all Credit Card transactions, which are 3.5% higher than the prices in this Prize List.
- Entries received after the Closing Date will be Late and subject to the Post Entry Penalty of $75.
- Entries received after 5 pm Monday of the show will be subject to the Show Week Post Entry Penalty of $100.
- Every account must have a valid credit card on file at HITS that will be applied to the entry charges before the back number will be issued. If there is not a credit card on file, to pick up a number a valid signed check made to HITS must be in the show office and will be used to close the account at the end of the show week.
- Accounts must be closed at the end of each show week. Exhibitors are encouraged to close out their account in person. Exhibitors who do not close out in person automatically authorize HITS to close their account using the Check / Credit Card on file.
  Billing questions or refunds will not be considered after the show in question.
- Any exhibitor with an unpaid balance after Sunday will be billed for these charges and a $50 check out fee will be added to the total due.
- Entries will not be permitted to show until previous week balances are closed.
- **An All Inclusive Facility Fee of $150** will be assessed to all showing horses. This fee entitles the horses to unlimited adds/scratches according to the add/scratch policy (does not apply to Special classes) as well as access to riding and lungeing areas.
- **Non-Showing Horse** must be properly entered, wear a back-number and provide coggins and vaccinations and **will be charged a fee of $75 weekly**.

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TRAINER'S BARN ACCOUNT

- Trainers must create a "Barn Account" entry to order items (tack stalls, paddocks, RVs, feed & bedding) that they intend to split.
- Trainer's Splits: This service allows trainers to split the show charges for miscellaneous items to their clients. Splits will be accepted until close of business Friday. Only items billed by the Horse Show such as feed, bedding, tack stalls, etc , will be split. Only dollar amounts will be split and totals will be rounded up. Splits will revert back to the trainer for payment if uncollected.
- Trainers confirm express authority to charge client's account for trainer split charges (including feed, bedding, groom and tack stall, etc.), and authority to use client's credit card to pay those charges. Trainer agrees to indemnify and hold harmless HITS, LLC and its agents for all such charges and from any dispute arising related to the charges that is brought by client or other person or entity.

REFUNDS

- Refund of pre-paid fees will be given for show scratches received prior to or on the Closing Date Scratch must be made in writing, according to the procedure outlined above.
- Refund for Horse Deposits, Stalls, Paddocks and RV Sites will not be given for entries scratched after the Closing Date. Exhibitors are responsible for any such outstanding fees.
- If eligible for refund, a check for refund due less an office fee of $25 will be mailed within 30 days after the completion of the final Show of the Circuit.
- Billing questions or requests for refunds will not be considered after the Show in question.

ENTRY CLARIFICATION

- Classes may only be entered or declared by using a Class Number. A Class Number written on the Entry Form, Add Scratch Form, or Barn Add/Scratch Form or submitted online constitutes a Class Entry or Class Declaration.
- An entry with incomplete information for horse, owner, rider or trainer such as a horse entered as "Entry" or "TBA" or any such derivative, will be subject to the $85 Incomplete Entry Fee. An entry with missing USEF/USHJA or signatures is also subject to this fee.
- Equitation riders must ride the horse and wear the number of the horse they have entered to ride. There is no penalty for the rider to scratch an Equitation Class from one horse and add it on another horse. Exhibitors who enter an equitation class on one horse and ride or wear another horse's number will be charged on both horses.
- Any exhibitor who does not compete in a class in which he/she is officially entered, and does not scratch according to the Scratch Procedures outlined below, will be billed for the class.
- Horses shown in a class without being officially entered will be assessed a penalty as shown below.
- Exhibitors are responsible for a knowledge of the Rules and Regulations governing the Horse Show and for their own errors and omissions. In the case of a violation of a cross entry restriction, the exhibitor will forfeit the entry fee, class placing and prize money award.
- Show means the Show Week.
- The Horse Show policies herein stated regarding scratches and refunds will be followed regardless of weather and in place of GR 912.

POST ENTRY FEES

• Entry received after the Closing Date	$75	
• Entry received after Monday 5 pm	$100	(Received the week of the competition)
• Incomplete Entry	$85	(See Entry Clarification above)

ADD/SCRATCH/CHANGE: Any class add, scratch, or change, or any complete Show Scratch or Circuit Scratch must be made in writing in the Show Office on an official form, or by letter or email and received prior to the start of the applicable class or show. Failure to scratch a class(es) or show according to this procedure will result in the exhibitor being responsible for the class fee(s) or double the Show Scratch fee, respectively. Scratching a class "at the gate" does not constitute an official scratch. Once a class or division begins, it may not be scratched, except for a Vet Scratch. If a Vet Scratch, the horse must be scratched in the Show Office on the day of the class and the Official Show Vet's Certificate must be received that day. Scratch Fee will still apply. A class that has been closed may not be scratched. **Note:** If entries warrant, Management may elect not to accept day-of adds in the Grand Prix Ring / Stadium, or other rings should it see fit. Check in the Show Office for updates to this policy. Declarations close at 4 pm daily for the next day's classes.

Contact Prior to Shows	**Phone:** 845.246.8833	**Email:** HITSSecretary@HITSShows.com	
Contact During Shows	**Phone:** 352.620.2275	**Email:** HITSSecretary@HITSShows.com	
• **Scratch Class** Once class has started it may not be scratched.	$0	No Charge if scratched in the show office according to the procedure above, prior to the start of the class.	
• **Scratch Show**	$75		
• **Scratch Special Class**	$50	Day of unless otherwise noted.	
• **Add Class**	$0	No additional charge if added in the show office the day before the class.	
• **Add Class** (late)	$10	If added after 8 am the day of the class.	
• **Add Nominated Jumper Class**	$10	Day of. Horse will go first or last in the Order of Go, at the discretion of Management.	
• **Add Special Class**	$50	Day of unless otherwise noted.	
• **Horse Substitution**	$85	($75 Scratched Entry and $10 Substitute Entry)	
• **Horse Shown in class but not Entered**	$20	Per class, if not entered in the Show Office according to the procedure above.	
• **Jumper Nomination**	$225		

COMBINING, DIVIDING OR CANCELING DIVISIONS, CLASSES OR CLASSICS: The Decision to Combine, Cancel or Divide classes will be made at the discretion of Show Management within one hour of the close of the Horse Show Office the night before the class. The update will be noted on the "How Many" schedule on the website.

- **Combining:** Once a class/classic/division has been combined due to insufficient entries, it will not be re-divided for additional entries on the day of the class.
- **Dividing:** A class/classic/division that has been offered as split may be combined on the day of if scratched entries warrant. Management has the right to run all sections of the class/classic/division in their entirety before pinning if insufficient entries seem likely.
- **Canceling:** A class/classic/division that has been cancelled due to insufficient entries will not be reinstated for additional entries on the day of the class.

HITS SOCIAL MEDIA POLICY: HITS encourages positivity in the use of social media platforms and urges persons posting information about HITS, its management, shows, exhibitors, officials, equine athletes, and others to exercise good judgment and think about the potential consequences of their posts and interactions on social media platforms. We urge those using social media to refrain from making derogatory, offensive, inflammatory, or false comments about other athletes, trainers, HITS and its management, our equine athletes, USEF, or any individuals associated with our HITS horse shows. HITS reserves the right to remove third-party content from its social media platforms that violates its social media policy and in extenuating circumstances may block a user from HITS social media sites for repeated offenses of its policy.

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HITS DRESSAGE | FEBRUARY 25 - NOVEMBER 28, 2027

As HITS Dressage continues to expand opportunities for horses and riders of all levels, the 2027 season spans 21 weeks across five HITS venues, including HITS Del Mar, HITS Hudson Valley, HITS Chicago, HITS Culpeper, and HITS Ocala. Featuring international CDI competition, as well as prestigious national championship events, the exciting schedule will deliver the unmatched HITS experience from coast to coast.

SPRING	
HITS Del Mar Dressage Opener CDI-W	February 25-28
HITS Del Mar Dressage Affaire CDI3*	March 25-28
HITS Hudson Valley Dressage May	May 15-16
HITS Chicago Windy City Dressage at Lamplight I&II	June 5-6
SUMMER	
HITS Hudson Valley Dressage June CDI3*	June 17-20
HITS Culpeper Commonwealth Park Dressage	June 26-27
Lamplight Summer Dressage I&II at **HITS Chicago**	July 2-3
HITS Hudson Valley Dressage July I&II	July 16-18
CDS San Diego Road to Championships at **HITS Del Mar**	July 22-25
HITS Hudson Valley Dressage August I&II	August 20-22
US Dressage Festival of Champions at **HITS Chicago**	August 23-29
FALL	
HITS Del Mar Dressage Fall I	September 11-12
GAIG/USDF Region 8 Dressage Championships at **HITS Hudson Valley**	September 23-26
HITS Ocala GAIG/USDF Region 3 Dressage Championships *pending* & HITS Open Dressage	October 7-10
HITS Del Mar Dressage Spooktacular	October 22-24
HITS Ocala Post Time Farm Dressage	November 27-28







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NON-NEGOTIABLE CHECKS

- **Returned Checks or Credit Cards**, for any reason, will be assessed a penalty of $50 or 10% of the face value of the check/credit card charge, whichever is greater. Upon notification, exhibitors will have three days to make full payment, including penalty, in certified funds, cashier's check, money order, or credit card. A 3.5% Retail Adjustment will be applied to all Credit Card transactions. Sanctioning organizations will be notified if exhibitors fail to pay in full within three days. A monthly service fee equal to 18% per annum will begin accruing after 30 days. **Note:** First time returned checks will automatically be redeposited.
- **A declined credit card** will be resubmitted within several days.
- A closed account, Stop Payment, incorrect or incomplete credit card information or a chargeback will be turned over to sanctioning organizations immediately.
- **Cash Only** may be required if you have previously given a non-negotiable check to HITS.

PRIZE MONEY

- Prize Money will be applied to entries. The Payee will default to the Owner, if the Prize Money Recipient is not provided on the submitted entry each week. A valid Social Security or Federal ID number and complete mailing address must be provided. If the SSN/EIN has not been provided to the show office within 90 days of the competition, it will be forfeited. Net Prize Money credits will be issued as a check and will be mailed or hand-delivered within 30 days after the Show, thereby ending the show's responsibility. **Exhibitors:** Please verify the correct payee and mailing address is recorded in the Show Office. **HITS is not responsible for checks lost or issued to incorrect payees.**
- If the SSN/EIN is not provided, Prize Money will be withheld until SSN / EIN is provided.
- If the IRS has notified us of a discrepancy in Payee name or SSN / EIN prize money will be withheld until the discrepancy is resolved.
- If an outstanding balance exists on an account, prize money may be withheld.
- If the SSN/EIN has not been provided to the show office within 90 days of the competition, it will be forfeited. Prize Money will not be reissued after 90 days. **Prize Money Won by Foreign Exhibitors** is subject to the U.S. Internal Revenue Service regulation requiring sporting events to withhold 30% of prize money. Foreign exhibitors should apply for a Social Security number and will be asked to complete Form W-8BEN prior to receiving prize money.
- **Prize Money** is awarded through 6th place in hunter classes and through 6th or 8th place in jumper classes. A class that pays based on a number of entries will pay based on the number of on-time entries and post entries will not be included in the number used to determine the payout. Special Class Prize Money distribution is published in this book.
- A class with fewer than three entries will not award prize money.

MOVE IN / MOVE OUT DATE RESTRICTIONS

Note: Arrival for stabling assignments must be between the hours of 8 am - 5 pm daily. Off-hour arrival allowed only with prior approval of Horse Show Management. All early arrival must be approved with the show office.

- **Winter Series Items:** December 1, 2026 through Monday, noon, April 18, 2027.
  All Winter Series Items must be paid in full by January 20th, 2027. Arrival prior to Sunday noon will incur early arrival fees.
- **Weekly Items:** Monday, 3 pm to the following Monday, 8 am of each Show Week. **Arrival prior to Sunday noon will incur a full week charge for the previous show week.** Exhibitors staying consecutive weeks may occupy their Stalls / Paddocks / RV's all day on the Mondays between weeks. Any stall order made by Entry, Fax, Email or other method will be considered an official stall order and exhibitors will be responsible for payment.

STABLING: Stalls should be ordered when submitting entries online. Please confirm total stall count via Stabling@HITSShows.com. Tent Stalls are approximately 10'x10' or 10'x12' (Bronze & Silver), or 12' x 12' (Gold), under tents, with doors, dirt floors. Permanent Stalls are approximately 12'x12', with doors, dirt floors. Stall Fees are non-refundable after the Closing Date of Entries. Any stall order made by Entry, Fax, Email or other method will be considered an official stall order and exhibitors will be responsible for payment. Stalls are not transferable or sublettable except within the same trainer group. Stalls may be stripped or reconfigured at HITS discretion. Please contact our office with your plans and we will work with you to arrange the best options. Any showing horse, that has not purchased a stall from HITS will be assessed the Ship-in fee per week. Bedding on straw is prohibited except when the horse's health is at issue. Please obtain prior approval from Stable Office. Clean-up fee may apply. Shavings are to be purchased on-site. Any off-site shavings will result in an additional $25 manure disposal fee per stall.

STALL TYPE	**WEEKLY**	**WINTER SERIES**	**EARLY BIRD WINTER SERIES** (Must be paid in full before November 1, 2026.)
Permanent Barns - Limited Availability	$450	$4,800	$4,490
Gold Tent - 12'x12'	$400	$3,800	$3,555
Silver Tent - 10'x12'	$375	$3,300	$3,085
Bronze Tent - 10'x10'	$300	$2,800	$2,620
Seasonal Stabling - Custom Barn	**Contact Stabling@HITSShows.com for information on Custom Boarding in the Private Barns.**		

SHIP-IN FEE: $60 (per horse per week)

RV SPACES: On-site RV spaces include water and **30 amp or 50 amp electric hook-up.** On-site spaces are limited and preference will be given to Circuit RV reservations. **Sewer and Gray Water/Pumpout is now included.** Pumpouts will be done Wednesday, Friday, Sunday each week. **RV spaces are non-refundable after the closing date of entries.** RV spaces ordered after the closing date of entries will be accepted on a space available basis and may be subject to a Late RV Fee of $50 additional per week. 2027 prices to be determined. *Prices will include 7% Sales Tax and 4% County Tourism Tax.

• **RV Weekly**	$495	Monday, 3 pm – Monday, 8 am of each week.
• **RV Early Arrival**	$55	Monday, 3 pm Per night, prior Monday of the booking, including units not tenanted or not hooked up to electric/water, unless stationed in Long Term Parking.
• **RV Early Arrival Late**	$65	Per night, as above, if Early Arrival is not pre-ordered and fee prepaid on HITS I Entry Form.

PADDOCKS: Approximately 100 turnout paddocks will be available. Preference will be given to Circuit Paddock reservations. Please order online or email Stabling@HITSShows.com. Each paddock has its own gate and exhibitors should bring their own locks to secure their paddocks. A limited number of extra large paddocks may be available for an additional $100/week or $500/circuit. After the closing date of entries, paddock fees are non-refundable. Paddocks ordered after the closing date of entries will be accepted on a space available basis and may be subject to a Late Paddock Fee of $50 additional per week.

- **Weekly Paddock:** $400 **Winter Series Paddock:** $4,400 **Early Bird Winter Series Paddock:** $4,115 (Must be paid in full before Nov 1, 2026.)

GOVERNING LAW & VENUE

- Any and all disputes related to or arising from HITS' management and/or operation of its horse shows shall be governed by the laws of the State of New York without giving reference to New York's conflict of laws principles. Any disputes that cannot be resolved by the parties shall first be subject to a mediation with a New York chosen mediator If mediation fails, the parties agree to present to arbitration at HITS' discretion under the American Arbitration Association, and if not Arbitrated, subject to litigation solely in the Courts of Ulster County New York. The parties agree the time limit to object to horse show charges shall be thirty days from the close of the horse show for the week at issue. Any other claims must be brought within one year.









OCALA WINTER CIRCUIT

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POST TIME FARM PREMIER I & II	January 6-17, 2027 | West Management
HITS OCALA WINTER CIRCUIT	January 20 - March 28, 2027
OCALA SPRING SERIES	March 31 - April 18, 2027 *Stall restrictions apply during Spring Classic II & III. Maximum 322 stall available for competing horses.*
GAIG/USDF REGION 3 DRESSAGE CHAMPIONSHIPS	October 7-10, 2027 *pending*
HITS OCALA FALL SERIES	October 28 - November 7, 2027
HITS POST TIME DRESSAGE	November 27-28, 2027
HITS OCALA HOLIDAY PREMIER	December 1-5, 2027

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SERVICES

- **Feed Store:** Hay, grain and bedding may be purchased on the grounds. For deliveries prior to or upon arrival, use the Feed Order form in the prize list. Place orders by 2 pm for same day delivery. Discrepancies in billing or delivery will not be considered unless brought to the attention of the Feed Office within 24 hours of placing the order. No commercial feed or bedding source will be permitted to deliver on the HITS Ocala Showgrounds at any time.
- **Horse Watch:** Horse Watch extends from approximately 9 pm until 5 am daily. Horses will be checked approximately six times per night each night during Show Weeks. Trainers/owners should provide emergency contact information for Horse Watch personnel. Forms available in the Feed Office or in the Prize List on Feed Order form. Cell phone numbers for Horse Watch will be available in the Feed Office for trainers/owners to be able to contact Horse Watch personnel directly.
- **Trainer's Splits:** This service allows trainers to split the show charges for miscellaneous items to their clients. Splits will be accepted until **close of business Friday.** Only items billed by the Horse Show such as feed, bedding, tack stalls, etc., will be split. Only dollar amounts will be split and totals will be rounded up. Splits will revert back to the trainer for payment if uncollected.
- **Exhibitor Check Cashing** is no longer available. Please make arrangements with local banks.

ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP & FEE REQUIREMENTS

MEMBERSHIP - PEOPLE

- **Owner-Rider-Trainer:** Must be ACTIVE COMPETING members of USEF and USHJA, or join at the show, or pay Show Pass fees. **Note:** Owners and Riders are limited to ONE USEF Showpass per competition year, Trainers MUST be members.
- **Adult or Amateur Status:** Riders showing in classes restricted to Adults or Amateurs must have USEF Amateur Certification. Foreign Exhibitors must present documentation indicating their Amateur status with their home Federation and must **JOIN** USEF as ACTIVE COMPETING Members and Sign for Amateur Status.
- **Safe Sport:** Beginning January 1, 2019, All Senior members of USEF will be required to complete Safe Sport training at USEF.org before competing in a USEF Licensed competition. **An exhibitor will not be allowed to compete until this requirement is met.**
- **International Riders:** All classes held during the 2027 HITS Ocala Circuit will be run under National rules with regard to riders. If the capacity of International riders exceeds the National riders rule, riders will be accepted on a First come, First served basis. **All International Riders must have an active, competing USEF and USHJA membership, as well as having completed SafeSport Training for Riders 18 and Older.**

Reminder: USEF MAAP Requirements All USEF Life and Senior Active members, as well as participants who have regular contact with minor athletes, are required to comply with the U.S. Center for SafeSport training requirement, to be eligible to participate in the competition. All participants must adhere to the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies. More information about these can be found at USEF.org.

MEMBERSHIP - FARMS & OTHER ENTITIES: Farms, Partnerships, and any entities owning a horse competing in a USEF Licensed Competition must be Recorded with USEF, and one recorded owner of the entity must have a current USEF & USHJA Competing Membership.

MEMBERSHIP - HORSES

- **USHJA Horse Registrations:** All horses competing in USEF licensed Hunter/Jumper/Equitation competitions must have or apply for a Registration Number from USHJA.
- **USEF Horse Recording:** Horses earning points toward USEF HOTY Awards and/or Zone Awards, USHJA Hunter Derby and or competing in Grand Prix must be Recorded with USEF Annually or for Life.
- **Microchip:** Beginning December 1, 2018, all horses competing in USEF licensed Hunter/Jumper/Equitation competitions must have a USEF-approved Microchip on file with USEF and USHJA. **Horses will not be allowed to compete until this requirement is met.**
- **Measurement Card:** Small Junior Hunters, Pony Hunters, Children's Pony Hunters, and Pony Jumpers must have valid USEF Measurement Card or copy of a valid Measurement Form, or be a measured at the show prior to showing. Foreign Measurement cards are not acceptable as proof of Measurement.

MEMBERSHIP HORSE FEES:

- **Horse Fee:** USEF $10, USHJA $10
- **Horse Drug Fee:** USEF $15
- **High Performance Fees:** Horses entered in Grand Prix are required to pay the $35 IHP Fee up to a total of the cap $420 per competition year. Please refer to the USEF website for additional information.

THE SHOW SECRETARY WILL NOT ISSUE A NUMBER TO ANY EXHIBITOR UNTIL ASSOCIATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET. ONCE THE NUMBER IS ISSUED, ASSOCIATION FEES, INCLUDING SHOW PASS FEES, WILL NOT BE ADJUSTED FOR THAT SHOW. Failure to provide proper credentials will result in show pass fees and/or Incomplete Entry fees charged in each incident.

The Exhibitor has the ultimate responsibility for proper registration of horse, owner, rider and trainer with USEF/USHJA and for entering the horse under proper ownership where points are concerned.

HEALTH & VETERINARY

- **Sharps & Medical Waste** - Appropriate Sharps Containers for the disposal of used Needles will be placed in all barns and tent stabling areas, at the end of aisles. Sharps must only be disposed of in these containers. Anyone found in violation of proper disposal or in vandalism or removal of any provided Sharps Container will be fined $100 and may face further penalties deemed necessary by Show Management. See GR1210.4 for complete details.
- **Show Veterinarian** - phone number will be posted at the Show Office.
- **Equine Health Requirements <u>will be enforced</u>.** All horses **(competing or not)** that enter the grounds must present the Health Entry Requirements which include a Event Participation Declaration, Coggins and Proof of Vaccination. All horses are subject to examination by HITS officials/designated representatives and/or state officials (collectively "officials") for determining whether such animals are, or have been infected/exposed, or are likely to become infected with an infectious or contagious disease. If after such examination, officials have reason to believe that an animal's health condition places other animals at risk, such officials, at their sole discretion, may quarantine such animal (and others that may have been infected/exposed) or, if appropriate, require that such animals be transported off the grounds. All participants agree to fully cooperate with event officials and abide by their decisions and instructions. Failure to comply shall be grounds for immediate expulsion and potential disciplinary action by organization, state/local or federal animal health officials. All exhibitors are encouraged to review the equine health entry/transport requirements of the destination state prior to entry. Additional information may be obtained from the Florida Department of Agriculture & Consumer Services at 850.488.3022. Any horse with a temperature of 101.5+ must be reported to official show veterinarian. Upon veterinary examination, if diagnostic testing is deemed necessary, testing will be conducted at owner's expense. If veterinarian suspects infectious disease after inspection, the horse will be required to go to isolation or off the property.

SAFETY

- **Emergency Medical Centers:** the nearest Hospital & Trauma 1 Medical Center to HITS Post Time Farm is: **Ocala Regional Medical Center** - 1431 SW 1st Ave, Ocala, FL 34471 – 352.401.1000, 17 miles, 25 minutes by car.
- **Accidents Involving Competitors**. GR1317. In the event of a head injury due to a fall/accident at a licensed competition, the competitor may be prohibited from further competition until released by medical personnel. In some cases, the competitor may not return to competition without a signed release from a licensed medical professional. The competitor may be placed on suspension by USEF until this criteria is met. Competitors are advised to familiarize themselves with this new rule.
- **Protective Headgear:** It is compulsory for all persons at Federation licensed hunter, jumper or hunter/jumper competitions in all Hunter, Jumper and Hunt Seat Equitation classes, when mounted anywhere on the competition grounds, to wear properly fastened protective headgear which meets or exceeds ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials)/SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. It must be properly fitted with harness secured. 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 appropriate safety standards for protective headgear intended for equestrian use, and is properly fitted and in good condition, and the Federation, Show Committee and Licensed Official are not responsible for checking headgear worn for such compliance. GR 801.2,7.
- **Motorized Vehicles:** Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for penalties against those responsible for the child committing the offense. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. The unsafe use of personal electronic transport devices, as determined by the competition officials and management in their sole discretion, that do not require a driver's license to operate, including but not limited to segways, hover boards, and single wheeled scooters is prohibited on competition grounds. Operating such devices in areas where people gather may be deemed "unsafe use" if there is a risk of harm to others. If the operator of the device is a minor, the parent/legal guardian or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor operating the device in violation of this rule is accountable and may be subject to penalties. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule. **Electric Golf Carts** WILL NOT be permitted to plug into any electrical outlet on the grounds. Violation will result in the plug or charger being confiscated by show management, and/or a Fine if deemed necessary.
- **Dogs must be restrained on the Showgrounds**. Loose dogs will be picked up and detained and the owner fined $100. The owner may be barred from showing and expelled from the Showgrounds for a second offense, or for refusal to pay the fine, and will not be entitled to any refund of entry or stabling fees paid or due. Management reserves the right to call Animal Control to have an animal removed from the premises.
- **Electrical/Fire Regulations:** Electrical installation and connections must meet all state and county codes. Aisles shall be maintained clear for a minimum of six feet wide by eight feet high. No obstructions or projections shall be allowed in these aisles. No Class I Flammable Liquids such as gasoline are allowed inside the buildings. Cooking is not permitted within any stable area. Anyone found in violation shall be subject to dismissal from further participation in the Horse Show without recourse. Additional appliances are not permitted within any stable area. Anyone found in violation shall be subject to confiscation of the item(s), and/or a Fine if deemed necessary.
- **Stall Alterations are strictly forbidden**. The removal of stall tent side poles, side ropes and/or stakes/anchors is strictly prohibited. Any exhibitor found in violation will be issued a single warning. If violation continues, Management reserves the right to remove from the Showgrounds all property belonging to or under the control of said violator. Further, Management reserves the right to bar any exhibitor found to be in violation from any further participation in the Horse Show without recourse to any refund of entry or stabling fees paid or due.
- **Stall Customizations:** As part of HITS ongoing commitment to ensure the safety of all participants, particularly the horses in this instance, as well as preserving the integrity of our facilities, we are implementing important updates to our stabling guidelines. These new guidelines apply to all events. We kindly ask for your attention to the following points: Removal of Stall Customizations: Effective immediately, all customizations to the stalls, including but not limited to nails, screws, staples, eye hooks, plastic sheeting, metal wire, twine, and the like must be removed. The use of such materials, especially staples, poses significant risks to the horses and the integrity of our facilities. We strongly recommend the elimination, or at the very least, significant limitation of staples inside the stalls. Our goal is to ensure that all stalls are safe, clean, and in their original condition (minus the bedding). Responsibility of Competitors: It is the competitors' responsibility to ensure that their staff is fully informed of and complies with these updated guidelines. We encourage team leads to hold briefings with their staff to ensure everyone is aware of these changes and understands the importance of adhering to them. Fines for Non-Compliance: In our efforts to maintain the highest standards of facility upkeep and animal safety, HITS will impose a fine of $500 for stalls that are not left in good condition. This measure is not intended to be punitive, but rather to underscore the importance of leaving the stalls in the same condition as they were found (bedding excluded). We believe this will encourage a collective effort towards maintaining a clean and safe environment for everyone, a form of pay-it-forward to all who utilize our stabling.
- **Damage:** Owners and exhibitors shall be held responsible for damage caused by them, their agents or employees to stalls, buildings and other properties on the Showgrounds, and shall be billed accordingly.
- **Alcoholic Beverages** in any form may not be brought onto the Showgrounds.

FACILITY INFORMATION

- **Footing:** at the HITS Ocala Showgrounds is all-weather.
- **Ring sizes:** Stadium - 200x350, Grand Prix - 175x325, Jumper 1 - 200x350, Jumper 2 - 175x250, Hunter 1 - 200x280, Hunter 2 - 150x300, Hunter 3 - 150x300, Hunter 4 - 145x240, Hunter 5 - 145x240, Hunter 7 - 175x275, Post Time 230x300
- **Food Service:** will be available every day.
- **Lunging:** will be allowed in the designated areas only. Details will be posted in the Show Office.

DIRECTIONS: Interstate 75 to Ocala Exit #354 for Rt. 27 North. HITS Post Time Farm is 10 miles on the left.

PARCEL DELIVERIES: Management will not be responsible for mail or parcel deliveries made to exhibitors, vendors or others. Please make arrangements accordingly.

MAIL, TELEPHONE & WEB: HITSShows.com | info@HITSShows.com

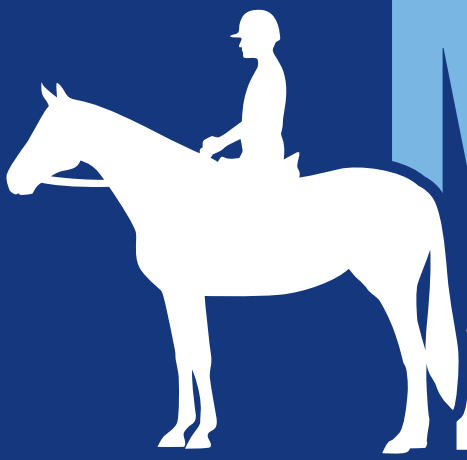
- **Prior to Show:** HITS, LLC, PO Box 130, Saugerties, NY 12477 | 845.246.8833 | info@HITSShows.com
- **During Show:** HITS Post Time Farm | 13710 N US Highway 27, Ocala, FL 34482 | 352.620.2275 | HITSSecretary@HITSShows.com

USEF Competition Name: Ocala Holiday Classic, Ocala Holiday Festival

USEF#: 316545, 323794

Competition Division(s) and Rating(s):

Operated in accordance with the current rules of USEF of which body they are Regular Members and Rated "National" , Rated Jumper Level 4.



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