

# *Music City Arabian Spring Value Show*

*Middle Tennessee Arabian Horse Association*

April 22 & 23, 2023  
Middle Tennessee State University  
Miller Coliseum  
304B West Thompson Lane  
Murfreesboro, TN 37132

Pre-entries Close April 3, 2023

Academy Classes Offered

Region 12 Qualifier

Judge: Leslie Connor (R)

Sport Horse Judge: Karen Winn

Show Secretary Donna Auber

# REGION XII



ARABIAN & HALF-ARABIAN

CHAMPIONSHIP HORSE SHOW



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Show Secretary Ryan Chambers | 314-717-7683  
Entries Close April 1, 2023 | Post Entries Accepted

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# Arabian Horse Association Show Recognition

Competition Sponsor: Middle Tennessee Arabian Horse Association (MTAHA)

AHA Recognition Show/Recording Number: #231215969

The Arabian Horse Association is a major equine association serving members in the United States and Canada. It registers and maintains a database of more than one million Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horses and administers more than \$2.5 million in annual prize money. AHA produces championship events, recognizes over 375 Arabian horse shows and distance rides annually and provides activities and programs that promote breeding and ownership. For information about Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian horses, call 303-696-4500, e-mail [info@ArabianHorses.org](mailto:info@ArabianHorses.org) or visit [ArabianHorses.org](http://ArabianHorses.org).



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The Judges & Stewards Committee is responsible for handling written and signed complaints relating to judges' and stewards' conduct when filed by exhibitors, show officials, AHA members or others, and others accompanied by a filing fee (\$100). Other comments, compliments, questions, requests are encouraged when appropriate (no filing fee required). Write: Judges & Stewards Committee, PO Box 480949, Aurora, CO 80044-0949; (303) 696-4517.

Contact your local club: \_\_\_\_\_



Arabian Horse Association 10605 East Bethany Drive Aurora, CO 80014 303.696.4500 303.696.4599 fax [ArabianHorses.org](http://ArabianHorses.org)  
404 500052 (Rev. 1/2010)

## 2023 Show Officials

### **Judge**

Leslie Connor (R)  
Joplin, MO

### **Sport Horse Judge**

Karen Winn  
Lexington, KY

### **Gate Keeper**

Andra Kowalczyk Martens  
Christiana, TN

### **Show Manager**

Ann Trausch  
Huntsville, AL  
256-653-2091

### **Show Secretary**

Donna Auber  
Mantua, OH  
330.274.2039

### **Ring Master**

Darlene Dixon-Bottorf  
College Grove, TN

### **Veterinarian On Call**

Tennessee Equine Hospital  
(615) 591-1232  
1508 Thompson's Station Road West  
Thompson's Station, TN 37179

### **Farrier**

To be Announced

### **EMT**

On Call

## **Note to Competitors:**

All indoor arenas have a sand & dirt mixed footing.

Main Ring dimensions: 150 foot by 300 foot arena floor

**No lunging is allowed in the indoor warm-up arena during show hours. This will be strictly enforced.**

The outdoor ring will be available at all times. . Arena footing is carefully monitored and will be worked as needed.

## **Show Fees**

Horse or Tack Stall (Friday—Sunday)	\$90.00
Office Fee	\$30.00
AHA Single Event Fee (non-member per rider/trainer/owner)	\$35.00
AHA Fee per horse	\$5.00
Resolution 9.90 fee per horse	\$5.00
Camper Hook Up per day (water + electricity)	\$40.00
Shavings per bag	\$8.00
Returned Check Fee	\$50.00
Failure to Scratch fee per class	\$10.00

Stabling is available at 12 noon on Friday, April 21.

## **Entry Fees**

AHA Halter, In-Hand, and Performance	\$30.00
Lead Line	\$10.00
Stick Horse, Walk & Whoa, Ride A Buck	Free
Academy Classes	\$15.00
Post Entry Fee (per horse entered after 4-3-2023)	\$35.00
TBA Class Sponsor Fee (includes entry fee)	\$60.00

Only one owner per entry form. All fees must accompany entry.  
Exhibitors, owners and trainers must sign the entry form.

**SHOW SECRETARY  
C/O DONNA AUBER  
12550 St. Rt. 44  
MANTUA, OH 44255  
330-274-2039  
[horseshows101@yahoo.com](mailto:horseshows101@yahoo.com)**

**Emailed entries will only be accepted with approval**

**Attention Competitors:**

**Each competitor is responsible for supplying management with correct association numbers (AHA) for horse, owner, rider and trainer before the day(s) of competition. The scores of competitors who fail to supply correct numbers may not be counted toward national awards.**

. Every horse is required to have a current Coggins (dated within 6 months of the show) and out of state horses must have a current Health Certificate dated within 30 days of the show. Beginning December 1, 2015, all horses entering the grounds of a Federation licensed competition must be accompanied by documentation of Equine Influenza Virus and Equine Herpes Virus (Rhinopneumonitis) vaccinations within six months prior to entering the stables. See USEF GR845.

**TBA Classes**

Any class not offered in this show and listed on the AHA standard class list excluding *Dressage, Trail, Working Hunter, Cutting, Working Cow, Reined Cow, Team Penning, Jumper, Carriage Obstacle, Carriage Combination Hunter, Ranch Sorting, Western Dressage and Herd Work/Ranch Cutting* is eligible to be purchased as a TBA for \$60.

The exhibitor who buys the class is exempt from the entry fee. Non-sponsoring exhibitors will pay the entry fee according to their pre or post entry status to the show. Available classes are 169-178 for main ring classes, and classes 229-230 for Sport Horse. These classes may be requested anywhere in the schedule after consulting with the secretary.

Please consult with the show secretary for available slots. Sport Horse TBAs (including championships) must be held on pm day judge is available. No Sweepstakes points may be earned from classes purchased from the TBA list. TBA slots may be requested up until the start of the session the TBA is offered in.

## **(USEF rules will be adhered to though not sanctioned by USEF)**

**Safe Sport Training is required for all adults 18 & over. This will be checked by show management. Either provide your USEF membership number or a copy of your completion certificate at time of check in.**

Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 Show Pass fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) lead line; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot and opportunity/academy classes (opportunity classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity/academy classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes.

### **Awards & Premiums**

Halter/SHIH/Performance/Opportunity Classes  
Equitation and Medal Classes

Halter /SHIH Championships  
Halter Supreme Championships  
SHIH Highest Score

6 Ribbons  
Medal (if 3 or more) + 8  
Ribbons  
2 Neck Sashes  
1 Neck Sash  
Trophy

**Saturday Morning 9 AM April 22<sup>nd</sup>**

**MTSU Livestock Arena**

101. (400) HA/AA Mare/Filly All Ages

102. (450) HA/AA Gelding All Ages

**103 HA/AA Supreme Halter Champion (Classes 101 & 102)**

104. (026) Arabian Gelding All Ages

105. (001) Arabian Mare Breeding All Ages

106. (014) Arabian Stallion Breeding All Ages

**107. Arabian Supreme Halter Champion (Classes 104, 105 & 106)**

108. (961) Arabian Most Classic Head

109. (960) Arabian Most Classic

110. (918) A/HA/AA Halter Showmanship, 18 & under

**BREAK**

111. (515) HA/AA English Pleasure Open

112. (1325) Arabian Country English Pleasure, JTR

113. (951) Western Horsemanship, JTR

114. (156) Arabian Native Costume ATR

115. (1339) HA/AA Hunter Pleasure, JTR

116. (549) HA/AA Country English Pleasure, ATR

117. (524) HA/AA English Pleasure, ATR

118. A/HA/AA Leadline 6 & Under

119. Stick Horse (6 and under) FREE

**BREAK**

120. Hunter seat Academy Equitation W/T/C 18 & Over

121. Western Academy W/T —All Ages

122. Hunt Seat Academy, Walk/Trot/Canter—17 & under

123. W/T/C Academy Equitation 12 & under, Any Tack

124. W/T/C Academy Equitation, 13 & over—Any Tack

125. W/T/C Academy— All Ages, Any Tack

126. Saddle Seat Academy W/T All Ages

127. W/T Academy Equitation 13 & Over, Any Tack

128. W/T Academy Equitation 12 & under, Any Tack



129. Hunt Seat Academy W/T All Ages

130. W/T Academy All Ages, Any Tack

131. Walk & Whoa

132. Ride A Buck

**BREAK**

133. (636) HA/AA Western Pleasure, Junior Horse

134. (540) HA/AA Country English Pleasure, Open

135. (190) Arabian Western Pleasure, Open

136. (939) A/HA/AA Hunter Seat Equitation, Not to Jump, JTR

137. (305) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, Junior Horse

138. (950) AHA Western Horsemanship Medal, JTR

139. (2946) HA/AA Hunter Please ATR Select

140. (83) Arabian English Pleasure, ATR

141. (590) HA/AA Mounted Costume, Open

**Sunday Morning 9:00 a.m. April 23<sup>rd</sup>**

**MTSU Livestock Arena**

- 142. (299) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, ATR
- 143. (938) AHA Hunter Seat Medal, Not to Jump, JTR
- 144. (156) Arabian Native Costume, JTR
- 145. (741) HA/AA Hunter Pleasure, ATR
- 146. (204) Arabian Western Pleasure, Junior Horse
- 147. (629) HA/AA Western Pleasure, ATR
- 148. (890) A/HA/AA Walk/Trot Pleasure, 10 & under (no stallions)
- 149. (1261) A/HA/AA Walk/Trot Pleasure, ATR 11 & over
- 150. (1327) Arabian Western Pleasure, JTR
- 151. (150) Arabian Native Costume, Open
- 152. (1329) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, JTR
- 153. (907) A/HA/AA Walk Trot Equitation 10 & Under (no stallions)

**BREAK**

- 154. (290) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, Open
- 155. (198) Arabian Western Pleasure ATR
- 156. (95) Arabian Country English Pleasure, Open
- 157. (733) HA/AA Hunter Pleasure, Open
- 158. (290) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, Ladies & Gentlemen
- 169. (190) Arabian Western Pleasure, Maiden Horse

**BREAK**

- 160. (733) HA/AA Hunter Pleasure Novice Horse
- 161. (75) Arabian English Pleasure, Open
- 162. (925) Saddle Seat Equitation, JTR
- 163. (290) Arabian Hunter Pleasure, Maiden Horse
- 164. (104) Arabian Country English Pleasure, ATR
- 165. (924) AHA Saddle Seat Medal, JTR
- 166. (620) HA/AA Western Pleasure, Open
- 167. (2344) HA/AA Ranch Rail Pleasure
- 168. (1733) Arabian Ranch Rail Pleasure
- 169-183 (9990) TBA

# Sport Horse In Hand Schedule

Sunday Morning 8 A.M. - 12 P.M. April 23<sup>rd</sup>

## Warm-Up Arena

**PLEASE NOTE: Sport Horse In Hand classes will be run on an open card per class. If you do not show during your class, you will not be able to make it up.**

- 201. (39) Arabian SHIH Mares
- 202. (43) Arabian SHIH Mare , ATH
- 203. (53) Arabian SHIH Gelding
- 204. (57) Arabian SHIH Gelding , ATH
- 205. (46) Arabian SHIH Stallion/Colt
- 206. (50) Arabian SHIH Stallion/Colt , ATH
- 207. (475) HA/AA SHIH Mares
- 208. (479) HA/AA SHIH Mares, ATH
- 209. (494) HA/AA SHIH Geldings
- 210. (498) HA/AA SHIH Geldings, ATH
- 211. (484) HA/AA SHIH Stallion, Open
- 212. (488) HA/AA SHIH Stallion, ATH

**The two highest scores from qualifying classes will determine Champion & Reserves. No showing back is required. Yearlings are not eligible for championships.**

- 213. (40) Arabian SHIH Mare Championship (DO NOT ENTER)
- 214. (54) Arabian SHIH Gelding Championship (DO NOT ENTER)
- 215. (47) Arabian SHIH Stallion Championship (DO NOT ENTER)
- 216. (476) HA/AA SHIH Mare Championship (DO NOT ENTER)
- 217. (495) HA/AA SHIH Gelding Championship (DO NOT ENTER)
- 218. (485) HA/AA SHIH Stallion Championship (DO NOT ENTER)

**The Highest Scoring SHIH Horse will receive a special award.**

- 219. (1095) HA/AA Sport Horse Under Saddle, JTR
- 220. (341) Arabian Sport Horse Under Saddle, Junior Horse
- 221. (1066) Arabian Sport Horse Under Saddle, JTR

- 222. (777) HA/AA Sport Horse Under Saddle, ATR
- 223. (335) Arabian Sport Horse Under Saddle, Open
- 224. (347) Arabian Sport Horse Show Hack, Open
- 225. (773) HA/AA Sport Horse Under Saddle, Open
- 226. (339) Arabian Sport Horse Under Saddle, ATR
- 227. (1050) HA/AA Sport Horse Show Hack, Open
- 228. (779) HA/AA Sport Horse Under Saddle Junior Horse
- 229. (9900) TBA
- 230. (9900) TBA

**THANKS FOR COMING!**

## Show Rules

EVERY CLASS OFFERED HEREIN WHICH IS COVERED BY THE RULES AND SPECIFICATIONS OF THE CURRENT FEDERATION RULE BOOK WILL BE CONDUCTED AND JUDGED IN ACCORDANCE THEREWITH.

This horse show is conducted in accordance with the rules of the USEF, particularly the Arabian, Half-Arabian and Anglo-Arabian Horse and the Arabian Horse Association. The official rule book of each organization will prevail for this show. Each participant is responsible for knowledge of these rules and is subject to these rules. Any changes or corrections of the rules will automatically become part of this prize list. Questions that may arise that are not covered by either AHA or USEF rulebooks will be decided upon by the Show Committee and their decisions will be final.

### **Please read the following entry requirements carefully.**

**Entries:** All entries must be made on the enclosed entry form. Exhibitors requiring extra entry forms may photocopy the entry form. Entries must be made on the enclosed entry form for the Music City Spring Value Arabian Show. Entry forms containing illegible or omitted information will not be processed until the exhibitor in question has supplied the show secretary with the information required. Incomplete and illegible entry forms may be returned at the owner's risk. **IF ENTERED AT THE SHOW, PHOTOCOPIES OF YOUR AMATEUR CERTIFICATION, USEF MEMBERSHIP CARD, AHA MEMBERSHIP CARD AND REGISTRATION PAPERS FOR EACH HORSE ENTERED MUST ACCOMPANY YOUR ENTRY FORM.** The complete and correct name and address of the registered owner must appear in the space entitled Owner Information. Only one owner can appear on each entry form. Entries may be made in the name of a stable or farm only if: (a) the stable or farm has been registered as the bona fide owner appearing on the horse's papers, or (b) the stable or farm has been registered with the USEF and the number shown in the USEF certificate is noted in the space provided. In Arabian and Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian classes, if a farm is used as Owner, the farm must have an AHA Farm/Ranch Membership and that Farm/Ranch Membership card must accompany the entry form. **Every exhibitor, rider, driver, handler and trainer or his/her agent must sign the entry form where indicated** (see USEF rules.) All handlers, rider and drivers must be declared by the session before they enter the ring. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to supply complete information on entry forms. After completing the entry form, send to:

**Show Secretary Donna Auber, 12550 Sr Rt. 44, Mantua, OH 44255.**

The show management cannot accept an entry unless it is accompanied by a valid check or money order **made payable to MTAHA**, or cash for the full amount of entry costs, including entry fees, stall and tack room rentals, drug fee, Res. 9-90 fee and applicable AHA fees. Canadian exhibitors must draw all checks on US funds. There will be a \$50 charge for all returned checks. Exhibitors who have outstanding fees will not be permitted to show and/or exhibit at any show function until the fees have been cleared and the show committee has granted permission. The show committee reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally or cancel any entries of any exhibitor at their discretion as stated in the current USEF rule book.

AHA Competition Level Membership is required. Any owner, trainer, driver, rider or handler who exhibits horses in the show ring or signs the entry form as the responsible person for any individual's horses at the show must be a member of AHA or pay the additional \$35 per person per event Non-Member Single Event Fee.

For complete explanation of registration requirements, see USEF rulebook AR101.

### **Modification notice in USEF Rule Book regarding AR112.13:**

**For all junior horse performance classes:** all snaffle bits must have a round, egg butt, or "D" shaped ring with no attachments of hooks for curb, headstall or reins. Refer to section rules for specific bit requirements.

**Arrival Information:** Stabling will be available no earlier than 12 noon on Friday April 21, 2023. Departure may be no later than 12:00 am on Monday, April 24th unless prior arrangements are made.

**Stabling:** All stall assignments will be made at the discretion of the show committee. Those wishing to stable together must send their entries in together. No stalls will be reserved or held unless the request is received and accompanied by payment for the stalls. All stalls are 10'x10', wood with metal bars. Shavings can be purchased at \$8.00 per bag. Straw bedding is not allowed. ANYONE USING AN UNASSIGNED STALL WILL BE CHARGED \$100. For those arriving before noon on Friday, contact barn manager or show manager.

**Withdrawing Entries:** Horses may be scratched from the show at the owner's option; however, under no circumstances will any fees be refunded to the exhibitor with the exception of class entries as noted in Refund Policy below. Neither show management nor MTAHA shall have any liability to any exhibitor, owner, handler or other persons, firm or corporation by reason of any change or cancellation of the show, except for the return of fees as foresaid. Please be prepared as no entry fees or other fees will be refunded due to schedule changes. Schedule conflicts between rings are the responsibility of the exhibitor. Management reserves the right to change the arena location of classes with prior notification to exhibitors.

**Refund Policy:** If a refund is requested, it must be accompanied by an official veterinarian's excuse. Only class entries will be refunded.

**Scratched Classes:** A \$10 fee will be assessed (per class) to those exhibitors who do not show up for their scheduled class or who have not officially scratched their entry at the show office prior to the session. This will be strictly enforced.

**Gate Call:** The two minute limit for gates will be strictly enforced. The gate will close two minutes after the first horse enters the ring or after the entrance of the final horse in a continuous string of horses.

**Electronic Communication:** Electronic communication devices in the show ring are strictly prohibited.

**Judges:** At the failure of a judge to attend the show or perform their duties, the show committee reserves the right to substitute a judge for the one who is officially designated in the prize list. No contact shall be made with judges during the period of the show unless accompanied by a show committee member.

**Security:** Exhibitors are advised that it is their responsibility to secure their valuables. The Music City Spring Value Arabian Show, Middle Tennessee Arabian Horse Association, its members, agents, employees and volunteers accept no responsibility for losses sustained or caused by an exhibitor or spectator.

**First Aid:** Basic First Aid treatment will be available. Emergency services will be on call.

**Photographs:** Anyone attending the Music City show grants the show management permission to publish photos taken at the show by photographers and/or staff. No written release is required to publish these photos in their promotional material.

**Dogs:** Dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners failing to comply with this rule may be subject to penalty, as well as issuance of warning cards.

**Motorized Vehicle Statement:** 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(s), legal guardian(s), 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 sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Chapter 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

**Discipline:** Any act of discourtesy or disobedience to the officials on the part of the owner, groom, rider, driver or member of the family of the person participating in the show will disqualify the horse from adjudication. The management reserves to itself the right to remove a groom, horse, rider or driver from the show without being liable for compensation or damage. Excessive use of the whip on any horse in a stall, runway, schooling area, show ring or elsewhere on the competition grounds before or during a show, by any person, constitutes a violation and renders the offender to penalty. Any action(s) against a horse by an exhibitor, which are deemed excessive by a judge, steward, Veterinarian or the Show Committee anywhere on the grounds may be punished by elimination from the show.

**Headgear:** Protective Headgear must be used according to USEF rules.

**Veterinary:** A Veterinarian will be on call. See Show Officials list. Sharps containers will be available in the stall areas. Competition management may fine any individuals including trainers, owners, exhibitors, or their agents up to \$100 for improper disposal of needles or other sharp disposable instruments. Show management reserves the right to request measurement of hooves on any or all horses in any and all classes. Show management will be enforcing all USEF and AHA rules. Protests must be made in writing to the show committee for violation of USEF rules. Please refer to USEF/EC rules for further information.

#### **AHA MEMBERSHIP STATEMENT**

**EACH COMPETITOR (THIS INCLUDES AT LEAST ONE RECORDED OWNER AND ALL TRAINERS, DRIVERS, RIDERS, HALTER HANDLERS, COACHES AND THE PERSON(S) SIGNING THE ENTRY BLANK) IN AN ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZED ARABIAN DIVISION, AT THE TIME OF ENTRY INTO A COMPETITION, MUST SUBMIT A COPY OF A VALID AHA MEMBERSHIP/COMPETITION CARD, JOIN AHA OR PAY AN AHA SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP FEE PER COMPETITOR.**

**WHEN AN AGENT SIGNS FOR THE OWNER AT AN AHA RECOGNIZED COMPETITION, BOTH THE OWNER AND AGENT MUST BE MEMBERS OF AHA OR PAY THE AHA SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP.**

**SINGLE EVENT MEMBERSHIP IS NOT ACCEPTABLE AT AHA REGIONAL OR NATIONAL COMPETITIONS.**

**EXHIBITORS IN WALK-TROT CLASSES ARE EXEMPT FROM AHA MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS AT QUALIFYING COMPETITIONS, BUT MUST HAVE AN AHA MEMBERSHIP WITH COMPETITION CARD AT AHA REGIONAL AND NATIONAL COMPETITIONS.**

**EXHIBITORS IN LEAD LINE CLASSES OR PARENTS/GUARDIANS SIGNING FOR MINORS ARE EXEMPT FROM AHA MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS. (BOD 5/12)**

## Opportunity/Academy Class Guidelines:

The purpose of this division is to introduce potential new owners to the joys of showing and riding Arabian horses by giving beginning riders of any breed an opportunity to gain experience by offering beginner classes at our Arabian Class A horse shows.

### Riders:

Riding suits and chaps are not allowed. Riding pants, jodhpurs, breeches or colored jeans are considered appropriate. A neatly fitted shirt or top is suggested. A riding helmet is also mandatory for riders 10 and under and all other riders per USEF guidelines. Appropriate footwear with a small heel is mandatory. **Riders are NOT allowed to cross enter into any non-opportunity/academy riding classes, and are ineligible to compete in opportunity/academy classes once they have shown in a full riding suit or in a Class A Arabian horse show.**

### Horses:

Horses may be used in both Opportunity/Academy Classes and in the Class A portion of the show.

Horses are encouraged to be lesson horses of any breed and should display the characteristics of such, but it is **not** mandatory that they are utilized by in a professional lesson—all horses are welcome, as long as they display good manners and a quiet disposition. A cut-back saddle for saddle seat, western saddle for stock seat, and hunt saddle for hunt seat are to be used. Work bridles and bits, including snaffles, are allowed, and running martingales are permitted and encouraged. However, tie down martingales are not allowed. Any horse or rider that is deemed unsafe or is not abiding by these rules may be eliminated by the horse show management.

Entries are to follow horse show rules but are not AHA or USEF sanctioned classes. Show grooming is permitted, but not necessary.

### Judging:

Equitation classes are to be judged on the ability of the rider to control and show their horse to its best advantage, and upon the riding skills of the rider. Each class should be judged on the rider's basic equitation and horsemanship skills suited to the class discipline, with emphasis placed on the rider's ability to control the horse at all times, identify correct diagonals and leads promptly, and to control their horses rate in a consistent manner. Riders should convey the impression of good posture, balance, and effective control while commanding proper speed of gaits and show ring placement. Headers are allowed in the lineup in all walk-trot classes. **HORSES ARE NOT TO BE JUDGED IN EQUITATION CLASSES**, only the rider's ability to control themselves and their horses and present themselves to their best advantage.

Horses can cross enter in ANY Opportunity/Academy classes, but riders may not cross enter in any class in the Class A portion of the show.



## Division & Class Specifications

**Age of Horses:** Horses are considered to be 1 year old on January 1st following the actual date of foaling.

**Amateurs:** Amateurs and Amateur Owners are as described by the USEF Rulebook.

**Amateur Owners:** Refer to USEF AR 110.4. Leased horses are not eligible.

**Juniors:** Individuals who have not reached their 19th birthday as of December 1st of the current competition year is considered a Junior Exhibitor. The age on December 1st will be maintained the entire competition year. Persons born on December 1st assume the greater age on that date. If a competition is in progress on any November 30th, junior status at the start of the competition will be maintained throughout that competition. Juniors may show in Ladies to Ride and Gentlemen to Ride unless prohibited by the prize list. ***All Junior Exhibitors are considered amateurs for competition purposes.*** DR 119.3 does not apply. All Juniors riding in Hunter and Hunter Seat Equitation sections must wear protective headgear passing testing standards while riding in the designated schooling and exercise areas or the show ring.

**Equitation:** Unless otherwise stated, Equitation classes are open to Arabian stallions, mares and geldings and Half-Arabian/Anglo-Arabian mares and geldings.

**Halter/In Hand and Sport Horse In-Hand Championship Classes:** Senior Champion and Reserve Champion horses shall be at least 2 years old, except geldings, and shall be selected as outlined in GR335.5.

**Lead Line:** Lead line is an exhibition class open to riders who are at least 2 years old and have not reached their 7th birthday. Lead line riders may not cross enter into any other class at the show. Riders, Trainers and owners in the lead line class are exempt from USEF membership, unless they or their horse cross enters into other classes. No stallions are allowed.

**Walk/Trot 10 yrs & Under Classes:** Walk/Trot 10 & under classes are open to riders 10 years old and under. Walk/Trot riders must never have been judged in a class at a recognized or non-recognized competition that requires a canter/lope. Walk/Trot riders may enter only showmanship or halter classes at the show. AHA Membership is not required unless entered in the Showmanship or halter classes.

**Halter Classes** Main Ring Halter Classes will use the "In the Ring Class Procedure". (See USEF, Subchapter AR -2)

**2023 Music City Spring Value Arabian Show  
Sponsorship Packages**

Thank you for your interest in supporting this show! Your support is critical to the club's ability to provide this AHA qualifying show and is greatly appreciated. Remit fees paid to the order of MTAHA.

**Sponsorship Levels/Types:**

- **Class Sponsorship: \$50** – (announced on two classes.)
- **Silver Sponsorship: \$250** - (announced throughout show) 6 classes.
- **Signature Sponsorship: \$300+** - (announced throughout show) 6 classes.

**\*\*To ensure inclusion in the show program in time for printing, materials/ads should be provided no later than April 1, 2023 to Ann Trausch @ [a.n.trausch@gmail.com](mailto:a.n.trausch@gmail.com).\*\***

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL: \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate preferred classes.  
cc

**PAYMENT SHOULD BE TO THE ORDER OF MTAHA**

**MAIL PAYMENT TO:  
Show Manager  
C/O Ann Trausch  
P.O. BOX 12302  
Huntsville, AL 35815**

**MIDDLE TENNESSEE ARABIAN HORSE ASSOCIATION**  
**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**

FOR AFFILIATE MEMBERSHIPS WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO JOIN OR RENEW ONLINE  
ON THE AHA WEBSITE AT WWW.ARABIANHORSES.ORG

Renewal	New Membership
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<i>Name:</i>	<i>AHA#:</i>
<i>SS#:</i>	<i>DOB:</i>
<i>Address:</i>	<i>City:</i>
<i>State:</i>	<i>Zip:</i>
<i>Home Ph:</i>	<i>Work Ph:</i>
<i>Fax:</i>	<i>Email:</i>
<i>Date:</i>	

**Membership Category:**

**Areas in which you are willing to volunteer your time:**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Fun Show</i>                  | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Promotion</i>                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Music City Show</i>           | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Newsletter</i>               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>High Point Awards Program</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Youth</i>                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Membership</i>                | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Meetings/ Special Events</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Recreational Rides</i>        | <input type="checkbox"/> <i>Fund Raising</i>             |

*Other (please specify)*

**AHA New or Renewal Memberships**, Make check payable to: AHA, 10805 East Bethany Dr., Aurora, CO 80014-2605 / (303) 696-4500.

**MTAHA ONLY Supporting or Social Memberships**, Make check payable to MTAHA, address to Show Manager, C/O Ann Trausch, P.O. Box 12302 Huntsville, AL 35815.

Please email Ann Trausch at [a.n.trausch@gmail.com](mailto:a.n.trausch@gmail.com) with any questions.

**Music City Spring Value Show  
Academy/Opportunity Classes Entry Form  
Sunday, April 23, 2023**

Rider/Handler: \_\_\_\_\_

Class #	Name of Horse	Fee

Stall (if horse not in Class A show) \$20.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ (# of horses) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Shavings \$8.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ (# of bags) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Class Entry fees (per class) \$15.00 x \_\_\_\_\_ (# classes) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Under TN law, an 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 pursuant to TN Code Annotated, Title 44, Chapter 20, Part 1.

Please limit one rider/handler per entry form. All fees must accompany entry. Refer to Academy/Opportunity Class Guidelines in the prize list for rules. Horses must use stalls. (No showing out of trailer.) Current negative Coggins results required for all horses. Make checks payable to: MTAHA  
 Entries must be submitted to the show office no later than 9:00 AM Saturday morning. Please check the show office upon arrival for updates to this time.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

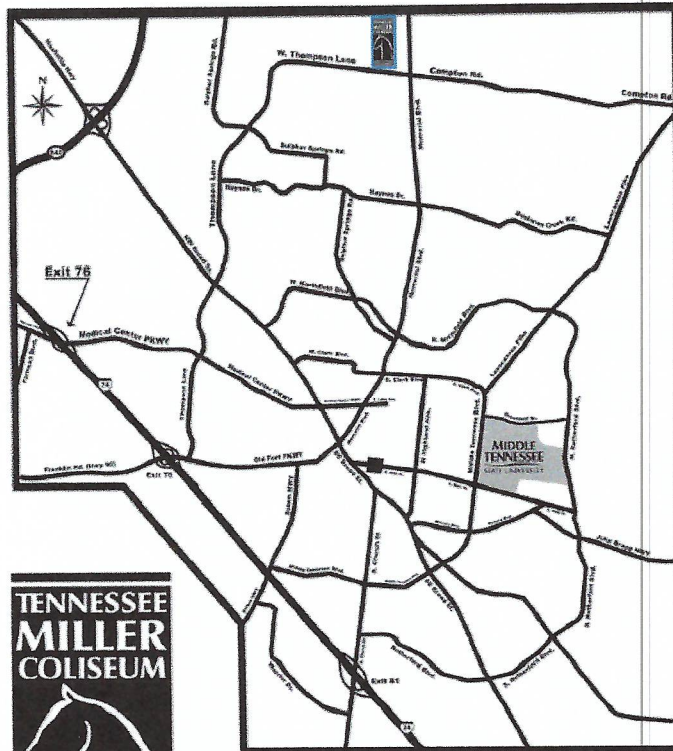
Name (adult) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Minor \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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304-B W. Thompson Lane  
Murfreesboro, Tennessee

MTSU is a Tennessee Board of Regents university, an equal opportunity non-racially identifiable educational institution that does not discriminate against individuals with disabilities.

I-24 East from Nashville ...Take exit 76, turn left at the stop light onto Medical Center Parkway. Turn left onto Thompson Lane. Drive approximately 5 miles; the Coliseum will be on your left.

I-24 West from Chattanooga ...Take exit 76, turn right at the stop light onto Medical Center Parkway. Turn left onto Thompson Lane. Drive approximately 5 miles; the Coliseum will be on your left.

I-65 from North...Follow 65 South to I-24 East and take exit 76, turn left at the stop light onto Medical Center Parkway. Turn left onto Thompson Lane. Drive approximately 5 miles; the Coliseum will be on your left.

I-65 from South...Follow 65 North to 840 East, take exit 55-A (Hwy 41 S/70S E). Proceed 2 miles and turn left on to Thompson Lane. The Coliseum is approximately 2.5 miles on your left.

I-40 from Memphis ...Take 840 East to exit 55 (US-41 S/US-70S E). Proceed 2 miles and turn left on to Thompson Lane. The Coliseum is approximately 2.5 miles on your left.

I-40 from Knoxville ...Follow 40 West to 840 West. Take exit 55 (US-41 S/US-70S E). Proceed 2 miles and turn left on to Thompson Lane. The Coliseum is approximately 2.5 miles on your left.

Highway 231 from Lebanon...Follow 231 South off I-40. Go approximately 19.5 miles. Turn right onto Thompson Lane. The Coliseum is 1/2 mile on the right.

Adjacent parking areas have 117 camper hookups with both water and electricity available. Some of the camper hookups now offer 50-amp service. Restrooms with showers are available in the barns.

**Lodging:**

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel – Murfreesboro  
1850 Old Fort Pkwy, Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
1-855-610-TREE

Hampton Inn and Suites  
325 N Thompson Ln, Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
615-890-2424

Clarion Inn  
2227 Old Fort Pkwy, Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
615-896-2420

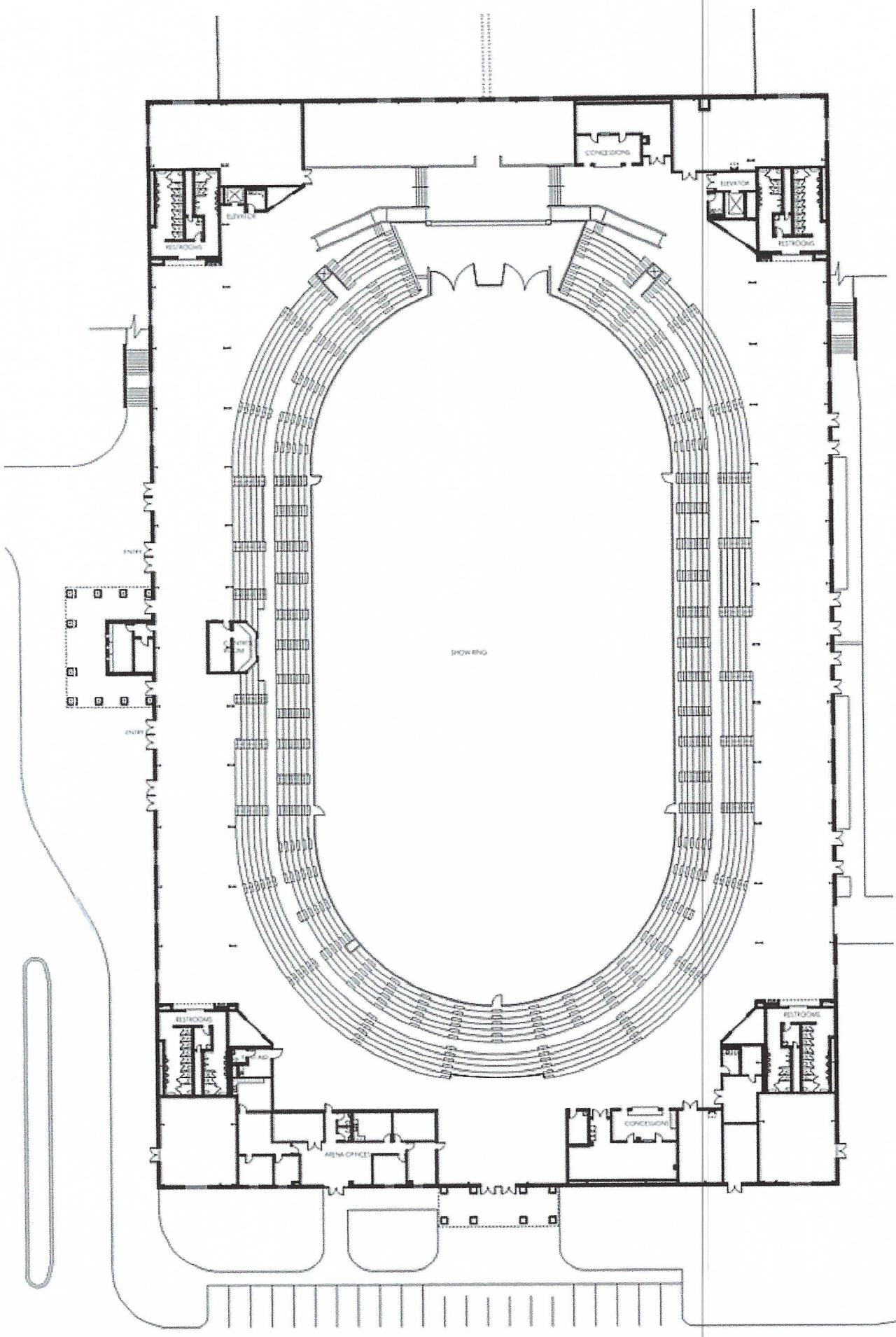
Embassy Suites Nashville SE Murfreesboro  
1200 Conference Center Blvd, Murfreesboro, TN 37129  
615-890-4464

Holiday Inn Express Murfreesboro Central, an IHG Hotel  
615-849-9000  
165 Chaffin Pl, Murfreesboro, TN 37129

Comfort Suites  
615-869-0950  
226 N Thompson Ln, Murfreesboro, TN 37129

**Or Visit: <https://visitrutherfordtn.com> for a list of area hotels**

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**Tennessee Miller Coliseum**

**304 W Thompson Ln, Murfreesboro, TN 37129**

Get on I-840 W from W Thompson Ln and US-70S W/NW Broad St/US Hwy 41 N  
11 min (6.7 mi)

Follow I-840 W to Columbia Pike in Thompson's Station. Take exit 28 from I-840 W  
23 min (26.8 mi)

Follow Columbia Pike to Thompson's Station Rd E  
4 min (.23 mi)

**Tennessee Equine Hospital Main**

**1508 Thompson's Station Rd E**

**Thompson's Station, TN 37179**

**(615) 591-1232**

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**Tennessee Miller Coliseum**

**304 W Thompson Ln, Murfreesboro, TN 37129**

Head south  
171 ft

Turn right  
213 ft

Turn left  
0.2 mi

Turn right at the 1st cross street onto W Thompson Ln  
4.7 mi

Turn left onto Gateway Blvd  
0.5 mi

Turn right onto Medical Center Pkwy  
0.2 mi

Turn right at the 1st cross street onto Arnhart Drive  
0.1 mi  
0.2

**Ascension Saint Thomas Rutherford Hospital**

**1700 Medical Center Pkwy**

**Murfreesboro, TN 37129**

**(615) 396-4100**



# Music City Arabian Spring Value Show

## Murfreesboro, TN      Entries close 4-3-23

**Horse information – Photocopy of Registration papers REQUIRED with your entry**

	Name of First Horse	Reg. No.	DOB MM/DD/YY	Sex	
	Sire	Dam	USDF#	USEF#	

**Rider 1 /Class Information Photocopy of all membership cards REQUIRED with your entry. PLEASE do NOT use AHA class codes numbers when entering classes.**

Class#										<b>TOTAL FEES</b>
Class fees	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Rider 1			DOB MM/DD/YY	Amateur Certificate Yes No Relationship to owner						
AHA#	USEF#		NSH #							
Exp. date										
Address	City		State				Zip			

**Rider 2 /Class Information Photocopy of all membership cards REQUIRED with your entry. PLEASE do NOT use AHA class codes numbers when entering classes.**

Class#/test#										<b>TOTAL FEES</b>
Class fees	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Rider 2			DOB MM/DD/YY	Amateur Certificate Yes No Relationship to owner						
AHA#	Exp. date		USEF#							
Address	City		State				Zip			

**Rider 3 /Class Information Photocopy of all membership cards REQUIRED with your entry. PLEASE do NOT use AHA class codes numbers when entering classes.**

Class#/test#										<b>TOTAL FEES</b>
Class fees	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Rider 3			DOB MM/DD/YY	Amateur Certificate Yes No Relationship to owner						
AHA#	Exp. date		USEF#							
Address	City		State				Zip			

Each person signing this entry form acknowledges that he/she has read the front and reverse of this Entry Form and agrees to the applicable terms, conditions, waivers ALL OWNERS, TRAINERS, RIDERS, DRIVERS & HANDLERS MUST SIGN ON THE BACK. Minor entrants must also have parent/guardian signature(s) on the back., releases, indemnification and consent as set forth herein. Each person agrees that the information is accurate to the best of his/her knowledge.

**OWNER INFORMATION As it appears on registration papers**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

AHA# \_\_\_\_\_ USEF/EC# \_\_\_\_\_

Farm/Ranch \_\_\_\_\_ USEF Farm# \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**TRAINER INFORMATION (must be filled out, if there is no trainer, owner may write same in trainer information)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

AHA# \_\_\_\_\_ USEF/EC# \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Acknowledgement to \_\_\_\_\_

Stable with \_\_\_\_\_

Office Fee	\$30.00
AHA 9-90 Fee \$5	\$5.00
AHA Fee \$5	\$5.00
Post Entry Fee \$35	\$ _____
Per horse(After Apr 3))	
Horse Stall \$90	\$ _____
Tack Stall \$90	\$ _____
AHA Single Event Fee	\$ _____
Camper fee (per day) \$40	\$ _____
Shavings \$8 per bag	\$ _____
TBA Class includes	\$ _____
Entry fee	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____

**ENTRIES must be postmarked by April 3, 2023**  
**Make Checks payable to MTAHA**  
**Send Entries to: Donna Auber**  
**12550 St. Rt. 44**  
**Mantua, OH 44255**

**ALL ENTRY FORMS MUST BE PROPERLY SIGNED ON BACK BY OWNERS, TRAINERS, RIDERS, GUARDIAN AND COACH IF APPLICABLE**

**AHA ENTRY AGREEMENT**

I have read the rules concerning competitions as printed in the Arabian Horse Association (AHA) Handbook / Directory and Competition Prize List and agree to be bound by and subject to those Rules.

**AHA ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION This document waives very important legal rights. Read it carefully before signing.**

In consideration for AHA permitting me to participate in this Competition, and by signing the entry blank, I agree as follows:

**I AGREE** that I choose to participate voluntarily in this Competition, as a rider, driver, handler, lessee, owner, agent, coach, trainer, junior exhibitor, or as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor. **I AM FULLY AWARE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT HORSE SPORTS AND PARTICIPATION IN THIS COMPETITION INVOLVE SERIOUS RISK OF HARM INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, RISKS OF ACCIDENT, SERIOUS BODILY INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, BROKEN BONES, HEAD INJURIES, TRAUMA, PAIN, AND SUFFERING, AND PROPERTY DAMAGE. I ASSUME ALL RISKS OF HARM TO ME, MY HORSE OR MY PROPERTY.**

*I AGREE as a Horse Show Participant (or Parent/Guardian of Participant if a minor) to waive all claims which may otherwise arise from, including but not limited to infectious bacteria, viruses, fungi/mold, parasites or other agents which may be present at the Horse Show (and most other outdoor locations) and can cause infection in humans, as well as in animals.*

**I AGREE** for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns to release AHA, the Competition, the facilities leased by the Competition and the owner(s) of the facilities, and all of their respective officers, officials, directors, employees, agents, personnel, volunteers, affiliated organizations and insurers (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any and all claims for damage, loss, or injury to myself, other persons, horses or other property belonging to me to the fullest extent permitted by law that arises out of or relates in any way to the Competition and my participation in the Competition **INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DAMAGES, LOSS, OR INJURY RESULTING FROM ANY ACTS, FAILURE TO ACT, NEGLIGENCE OR NEGLECT OF OTHER ENTRANTS, THE RELEASED PARTIES, THEIR CONTRACTORS OR INVITEES, as well as for theft, vandalism, fire, other casualty damage, or damage arising out of any defects in the premises.**

**I AGREE** to indemnify and hold harmless (that is pay all losses, damages, attorneys fees and costs of) the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, demands, penalties, actions, losses, costs, damages, injuries, liabilities and obligations (including attorneys fees) of whatsoever kind and nature, which may be asserted against or incurred by any of them as a result of (1) my participation in the Competition or (2) any act, failure to act, or neglect (a) by me, my agents, employees, riders, handlers, trainers, coaches, drivers, contractors or invitees, or (b) by any animal owned or exhibited by me or in my custody or control.

**I AGREE** and represent that I am qualified and eligible to enter and/or participate in the Competition, and every horse I am entering is qualified and eligible as entered.

**I AGREE** to accept AS FINAL any decision of AHA, the Show Commission or Show Officials concerning my qualification or the qualification of my horse to enter the Competition or any results of the Competition, except to the extent that the Rules of AHA, the Competition, EC or USEF Equestrian permit a protest or hearing of such decisions. Should a hearing be requested, I agree to accept AS FINAL the decision of the particular hearing body. I agree to release, hold harmless and not to sue AHA, the Competition Sponsor, their officers, directors, employees, volunteers or members concerning any decision of AHA, the Competition, its Show Commission, Show Officials or any hearing body that relates to my qualifications or my horse(s)' qualifications to enter the Competition or any results of the Competition.

**I AGREE** that AHA has the sole right to control, sell, supervise or give away (or assign to others the right to do so) the exclusive rights to broadcast, televise, reproduce, transmit and disseminate all or part of this event, and I agree that AHA may use or assign, in any way AHA sees fit, photographs, films, videos, audios, cablecasts, or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the Competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the Competition or AHA. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way which implies endorsement of any company, product, product category or service. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation.

**By signing below** as a parent or guardian of a junior exhibitor, I consent to the child's participation and agree to all of the above provisions, and further agree to assume all of the obligations of this AHA Assumption of Risk, Release and Indemnification personally and on behalf of the child.

This AHA Assumption of Risk, Release and Indemnification is governed by the Laws of the State of Colorado and is intended to be interpreted as broadly as possible. I agree that exclusive jurisdiction and venue (place) for any legal action against AHA, its officers, directors, employees, volunteers or agents shall be in the local district courts or the federal court of the State of Colorado. If any part of this agreement is determined to be unenforceable, all other parts shall remain effect.

**USEF FEDERATION ENTRY AGREEMENT**

By entering a Federation-licensed Competition and signing this entry blank as the Owner, Lessee, Trainer, Manager, Agent, Coach, Driver, Rider, Handler, Vaultor or Longeur and on behalf of myself and my principals, representatives, employees and agents, I agree that I am subject to the Bylaws and Rules of The United States Equestrian Federation, Inc. (the "Federation") and the local rules of the Arabian Horse Association and this Competition. I agree to be bound by the Bylaws and Rules of the Federation and of the competition. I will accept as final the decision of the Hearing Committee on any question arising under the Rules, and agree to release and hold harmless the competition, the Federation, their officials, directors and employees for any action taken under the Rules. I represent that I am eligible to enter and/or participate under the Rules, and every horse I am entering is eligible as entered. I also agree that as a condition of and in consideration of acceptance of entry, the Federation and/or the Competition may use or assign photographs, videos, audios, cable - casts, broadcasts, internet, film, new media or other likenesses of me and my horse taken during the course of the competition for the promotion, coverage or benefit of the competition, sport, or the Federation. Those likenesses shall not be used to advertise a product and they may not be used in such a way as to jeopardize amateur status. I hereby expressly and irrevocably waive and release any rights in connection with such use, including any claim to compensation, invasion of privacy, right of publicity, or to misappropriation. The construction and application of Federation rules are governed by the laws of the State of New York, and any action instituted against the Federation must be filed in New York State.. See GR908.4.

**BY SIGNING BELOW, I AGREE** that I have read, understand, and agree to be bound by all applicable Federation Bylaws, rules, and policies including the USEF Safe Sport Policy and Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) as published at www.usef.org, as amended from time to time, as well as all terms and provisions of this Prize List. If I am signing and submitting this Agreement electronically, I acknowledge that my electronic signature shall have the same validity, force and effect as if I affixed my signature by my own hand.

Owner <b>** Mandatory Must be Adult</b>	Print Name	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Trainer or Custodian of horse @ show <b>** Mandatory Must be Adult</b>	Print Name	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Rider 1 <b>** Mandatory Must be Adult</b>	Print Name	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Rider 2 <b>** Mandatory Must be Adult</b>	Print Name	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Coach – (if applicable) USEF #	Print Name	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	<b>**Adult Signature</b>
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	<b>**Adult Signature</b>

**\*\*\*\*\* EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER FOR EXHIBITOR**

**MANDATORY SIGNATURES MUST BE SIGNED BY ADULTS ONLY \*\***

**AHA Membership is not required for Parents/Guardians signing for minors but MUST be a EC or USEF member in good standing with safe sport.**