

CENTRAL STATES 2008-9 WINTER TOURNAMENT RULES

HORSES: All horses must be a mare or gelding, ABSOLUTELY NO STALLIONS. Academy horses must be school horses regularly used in a lesson program, and must not be in training. Show horses may show in Show Practice classes only.

EQUIPMENT: Academy horses are allowed one pad or wedge with up to a 16 oz. shoe. Anything heavier will be considered a show package and will not be permitted in academy classes. All academy classes are Saddle Seat and require a flat English type saddle, but any type bridle may be used. Show practice horses should use appropriate saddles, but any type bridle is acceptable. Protective Equipment is optional. **NO BLACKING OR BRAIDING. RIDERS: NO RIDING SUITS.** Jods and jod boots recommended. Use of helmets is encouraged.

CLASS SPECIFICATIONS: Classification of individual riders is up to the discretion of each instructor. All classes are academy classes, unless they are called show practice. **ALL ACADEMY CLASSES ARE SADDLE SEAT ONLY.**

ADVANCED: Open to show and academy riders. **Academy horses only.**

INTERMEDIATE: Academy riders only. **Academy horses only.**

BEGINNER: Academy riders and horses only. Instructors may enter the arena.

SHOW PRACTICE: Academy and show riders. Academy and show horses.

ACADEMY PLEASURE: Academy riders and horses only; **no show riders** or Advanced academy riders.

COMMAND: Academy riders and horses only. Judged on the rider's ability to follow instruction. May be asked for stops, circles, reverse at any gait, backing, etc.

SHOW PRACTICE: Current USEF rules will be followed. **EXCEPTION:** Any type bridle may be used, any type martingale is permitted, and protective equipment is optional. No stretchers or chains.

PLEASURE DRIVING SHOW PRACTICE: Open to all drivers. Instructors may ride in the cart with the driver. **Hooking and warmup will be allowed in the show ring only.** Carts must be **outside the building** until the last riding class is completed.

- Rider's age as of December 1st will determine his/her age group throughout the season. Once a rider has cantered, return to walk/trot is prohibited. Riders cannot return to a lower class level once they have advanced. A show rider is anyone who has participated in a class requiring a riding habit at any show, anywhere. An academy rider is any rider enrolled in a lesson program who has not shown in a class requiring a riding habit.
- Classes to be divided with no more than six exhibitors per division. Horses are not to be judged in academy classes. Academy classes are to be judged on the ability of the rider to control and show his/her horse to the best advantage. Correct diagonals and leads are important. Contact Lynn McCallister with any questions.

Call all entries in by the Wednesday before the show at 913-851-2693 or 913-579-7709.

Negative coggins is required on all horses.

TENTATIVE CLASS LIST

1. Western Pleasure Show Practice
 2. Hunt Seat Show Practice
 3. Hunt/Stock Command WTC
 4. Hunt/Stock Walk/Trot
 5. Hunt/Stock Command Walk/Trot
 6. Leadline Walk only
 7. 8 & Under Walk and Optional Trot on Lead
 8. Any Age Walk/Trot Command on Lead
 9. Intermediate Academy Adult WTC
 10. Intermediate Academy 11-13 WTC
 11. Intermediate Academy 10 & Under WTC
 12. Intermediate Academy 14-17 WTC
 13. Academy Walk/Trot 8-10
 14. Academy Walk/Trot 7 & under
 15. Academy Walk/Trot Command 10 & under
 16. Academy Walk/Trot 11-13
 17. Academy Walk/Trot 14-17
 18. Academy Walk/Trot Command 11-17
 19. Academy Walk/Trot Adult
 20. Beginner Academy Adult WTC
 21. Beginner Academy 14-17 WTC
 22. Beginner Academy 11-13 WTC
 23. Beginner Academy 10 & Under WTC
 24. Academy Command WTC
 25. Academy Walk/Trot Command Adult
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26. Academy Pleasure WTC
 27. Advanced Academy Adult (18 & over) WTC
 28. Advanced Academy 14-17 WTC
 29. Advanced Academy 13 & Under WTC
 30. Academy Showmanship WTC
 31. Walk/Trot Show Practice
 32. 5-Gaited Show Practice
 33. UPHA 10 & Under Walk/Trot Show Practice
 34. English Pleasure Show Practice-Saddle Seat
 35. Park/3-Gaited Show Practice-Saddle Seat
 36. Equitation Show Practice (Pocket Pattern) (Workout only, no rail work)
 37. UPHA Challenge Cup Show Practice (Workout only, no rail work)
 38. Pleasure Driving Show Practice