

RULES, REGULATIONS, & GENERAL INFORMATION

Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF rule book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith.

CONDITIONS OF COMPETITION:

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 non-member 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 nonmember registration 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) NRHA endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) opportunity 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. EC 7/21/08 Effective 12/1/08

NYRA REVOCABLE LICENSE:

MUST BE SIGNED. In compliance with the New York Racing Association 2009 contract, no horses are allowed to be stabled on the Saratoga Race Course without a completed and signed revocable license to use NYRA facilities for the 2009 Skidmore College Saratoga Classic Horse Show and release and waiver of liability and indemnification agreement.

MOTOR BIKE RULE:

In compliance with the New York Racing Association 2009 contract, and a mandate from the NY resident thoroughbred trainers, **NO MOTOR BIKES** are allowed on the property. *PLEASE Bring your Bicycle instead!*

NEW YORK STATE:

The NY State Department of Agriculture and Market Regulation requires that all horses entering the grounds or being transported on a public highway carry a negative Coggins test taken within a two year period. In addition, horses must have proof of rabies vaccination. All horses must be serviceably sound.

STABLING:

Stall fee is \$195 per stall. There will be approximately 450 permanent stalls with Dutch doors and 200 tented stalls with permanent doors. The Management reserves the right to limit stalls to six hundred fifty (650). **No stalls will be reserved without receipt of stall fees with entries.** The Management recommends exhibitors bring stall screens. Initial bedding will not be provided. No extension cords allowed! All electrical cords must be grounded. No refunds on stalls after the closing date of entries. A GROUNDS FEE of \$50.00 *per day* will be charged to any horse not using a stall. Trailers and vans may not park in the stabling area and may only park in an area specified by the Stabling Office.

FEED and BEDDING (Please pre-order prior to arrival):

THOROBRED FEED of Saratoga will handle all feed and bedding at the Show. Please call 518-584-4900. Credit card, cash payment or open check is required and *No delivery on Sundays*. Only straw or shavings may be used in the stalls. Sawdust is not permitted. **Please use enclosed order form to preorder feed & bedding.**

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE:

Horses may arrive no earlier than **NOON, Monday, June 8, 2009** and leave no later than **NOON, Monday, June 22, 2009**. Any exceptions must be cleared with management. Horses leaving after **week I** must leave no later than **9 PM, Sunday, June 14, 2009**. Horses arriving for **week II** may arrive no earlier than **3:00 PM, Monday, June 15, 2009**.

HORSE SHOW OFFICE:

THE OFFICE will be open one (1) hour prior to the show and will close one-half (1/2) hour upon the conclusion of that day's classes. Tuesdays prior to the show, the office will be open 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for Rider Number pickup. HORSE SHOW SECRETARY must be notified of any splitting of horse show bills (i.e./tack stalls, tables etc.) by **FRIDAY** of each horse show week.

ENTRIES:

ENTRIES CLOSE and must be RECEIVED no later than Friday, May 8, 2009. (Entries POSTMARKED May 8 will NOT be considered received on time.) **No entry will be processed for acceptance unless accompanied by a completed and signed entry form AND payment in full by check or valid credit card for the stall and nominating fees for each horse entered. Open checks WILL NOT be accepted for stall and nomination fees.** A separate entry form must be completed for EACH horse show (Saratoga Classic I & Saratoga Classic II). Entry forms will be accepted only when signed by the owner, trainer and each rider, or their authorized agent and accompanied by payment for stall fees. PAYMENT in full for each show (Saratoga Classic I & Saratoga Classic II) must be made individually. Payments are due no later than Sunday, June 14th for the Saratoga Classic I, and no later than Sunday, June 21st for the Saratoga Classic II. Rider numbers for Week II will NOT be issued until payment in full is received for Week 1. Exhibitors shall be responsible for all entry, office,

stall and nomination fees of all horses entered by them or their agent. RETURNED CHECKS: A fee of \$50.00 will be charged for any checks returned for any reason. Horses that show in a class in which they are not entered will be charged double the entry fee for that class.

MEASUREMENT and MEMBERSHIP CARDS:

All ponies, junior hunters and children's hunter ponies must present measurement cards or will be required to be measured. See Rule HU169. Each entry form must give the owners **USEF/USHJA membership number**, proper mailing address, telephone number, and either a Social Security number or employer's Federal Identification Number. A copy of each owner's, trainer's, handler's and rider's **USEF and USHJA membership cards must be presented** to the Show Secretary before any numbers will be given out. *Please send a copy with your entries.*

POST ENTRIES:

Post Entries will be accepted and will be charged a **late fee of \$25.00** per section.

SCRATCHES:

Scratches after the start of the show will be accepted upon receipt of a vet certificate. Entry fees will be refunded after a **scratch fee of \$25.00** is deducted. If the entry fee is by division only, no money can be refunded after the start of the division. **STALL FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.**

NON-SHOWING HORSES:

Due to the limited number of stalls available, non-showing horses will be required to pay a fee of **\$150** in addition to their stall fee. Horses **must** be registered on an entry form with the show secretary and with the stabling manager. Management reserves the right to charge any horse not accumulating entry fees of \$100 an additional non-showing fee.

PRIZE MONEY:

Prize Money will be applied to your bill. Any prize money over the amount of the bill will be mailed within thirty (30) days of the close of the competition. Checks will be payable to the owner, unless otherwise stated and will be paid **only** when the SS# or Federal Tax ID# has been provided to the Horse Show office by completion of the *Skidmore College Prize Money Check Request Form* and entry blank. All recipients of prize money totaling \$600.00 or more will receive an IRS Form 1099.

PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR:

Protective Headgear which meets or exceeds ASTM/SEI standards for equestrian use and carries an SEI tag must be worn by all riders at all times while mounted on a horse or pony. Headgear must be properly fitted with the harness secured at all times. (See Rule GR 801)

GOLF CARTS/ATV's:

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, on the competition grounds of recognized competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. 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 Rule 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

MANAGEMENT:

The Management reserves the right to cancel, combine or split any class if entries warrant or the rules of the USEF require it. The Management also reserves the right to change the order of classes before or during the show, to move classes to another ring, and to decline any entry and to return money owed before or during the show without being liable for compensation. SKIDMORE COLLEGE SARATOGA CLASSIC HORSE SHOW, its officials, sponsors and employees shall not be held responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to any exhibitor, spectator, guest, rider, groom, attendant or other employee, animal or equipment at this show. This will be a condition of entry. **There is to be no Traffic (cars, horses, bicycles, golf carts, etc...) on the roadways near the Oklahoma Training Track. This area is off limits to all Horse Show participants.** Should any questions arise that are not covered in the rules, they will be referred to the Horse Show Committee, whose decision shall be final.

STARTING/JUMPING ORDERS:

Jumping orders will be produced in accordance with USEF Rule HU157 and JP112. Orders will be established for every class over fences. A systematic rotation will be employed within each section. Riders with conflicts due to other rings running at the same time should communicate with the starter so that necessary adjustments can be made. At no time will the rings be held up more than three (3) minutes due to conflicts. A dotted line may be used and posted on the course chart and designated in the ring.

DOGS:

All Dogs must be on a leash at all times and have proof of rabies vaccine. Loose dogs will be detained and their owners fined **\$250.00**.

CAMPERS:

ONLY Ten Camper spots are available. Camper reservations are based on availability. You must call the show office at 518-580-5632 to make a reservation and include payment of **\$250** per week with entry form.

ELECTRICAL/FIRE REGULATIONS:

By order of the Saratoga Springs fire department: The fire lanes around the barns must be kept clear at all times. Vehicles may not be parked in barn aisles or on any service roads. Vans will be parked in a designated area. No vans will be allowed in the show grounds parking areas. Car passes will be issued at the Horse Show office. You must have a pass to enter the show grounds and stabling areas during and after horse show hours. No extension cords allowed. All electrical cords must be grounded.

JUMPER NOMINATING FEE:

To be eligible for indicated jumper divisions (see class list), horses must be nominated and the nominating fee paid by the close of entries. NOMINATIONS for all jumper sections and classes close as indicated above. Post nominating may be accepted after the closing date at the regular nominating fee, plus a \$25.00 late fee. DECLARATIONS to show a horse nominated for a jumper division must be made during Horse Show Office hours and received by the Horse Show Secretary no later than the close of the office THE DAY BEFORE the class is to be held, unless otherwise stated. Declarations made on the day of the class will be charged a fee of \$10.00 per class.

CAR PASSES: Car passes will be issued at the Horse Show office. You must have a pass to enter the show grounds and stabling areas during and after horse show hours.

SCHOOLING:

Tuesdays 9:00 am – 4:00 pm and as announced. Exhibitors will be allowed to hack in the rings, weather permitting, up to one hour before the start of each day.

POLING: and/or the use of bamboo pole offsets are prohibited. Any rider or trainer found poling or using offsets and/or who, on the opinion of the judges or committee, uses their whip or spurs in an excessive manner will be immediately eliminated from the class where the incident occurred, be suspended from further showing for a 24 hour period, and will forfeit entry fees for that class. Any horse upon which a violation of the manual poling and/or use of bamboo offset rule is perpetrated will be suspended from competition for a 24 hour period starting from the time of the incident, and will forfeit all entry fees. Further violations by that exhibitor on the same horse or another horse will result in said exhibitor being barred from any further competition at the show.

FOOTING/RINGS:

All footing at the Skidmore College Saratoga Classic Horse Show is sand. Ring sizes are diagramed below.

LUNGEING:

Due to NYRA summer regulations, **LUNGEING IS IN DESIGNATED POSTED AREAS ONLY!!!!** A \$200.00 fine will be issued to anyone found lungeing in an area that is not designated as a "LUNGEING AREA." Lungeing rule will be strictly enforced and recorded trainers will be fined and held responsible for any damages.

VETERINARIAN: Official Show Veterinarian's phone number will be posted at the Horse Show Office.

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MEDICAL WASTE:

Sharps must be placed in the proper receptacles. Any one found in violation shall be subject to a fine or other penalties deemed necessary by show management.

The WCHR Winner's Circle

These ribbons to be presented to the rider with the highest scoring round in each of the following divisions during our World Champion Hunter Rider (WCHR) week I of the Skidmore College Saratoga Classic Horse Show: Professional Hunter, Amateur Owner Hunter, Junior Hunter, Pony Hunter, Adult Amateur Hunter, and Children's Hunter. The overall highest scoring Hunter round of the show will also be awarded a special trophy as well as the rider of the Grand Hunter Champion.

Grand Champion Awards

Grand Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the horse accumulating the most points in any one of the following sections: Green Working Hunter; Green Conformation Hunter (not including model); Regular Working Hunter and Regular Conformation Hunter (not including model). In case of a tie, the horse with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Champion. The rider of the Grand Champion horse during WCHR week I will receive a special award, a Lawn Jockey/Yardell that will be painted in their own/preferred barn colors.

Grand Amateur Owner Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the Amateur Owner Hunter accumulating the most points in either section. In case of a tie, the horse with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Amateur Owner Hunter Champion. The Rider of the horse accumulating the most points in the A/O section during the both weeks I and II will receive a special award.

Grand Junior Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the horse accumulating the most points in the Junior Hunter Section. In case of a tie, the horse with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Junior Hunter Champion.

Grand Pony Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the Pony Hunter accumulating the most points in one of the following sections: Green Pony Hunter; Small Pony Hunter; Medium Pony Hunter; Large Pony Hunter. In case of a tie, the pony with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Pony Hunter Champion. The Rider of the pony accumulating the most points in the Pony Hunter Section Week I, will receive a special award.

Grand Adult Amateur Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the Adult Amateur Hunter accumulating the most points in the Adult Amateur Hunter Section. In case of a tie, the horse with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Adult Amateur Hunter Champion.

Grand Children's Hunter Champion

To be awarded each week to the horse or pony accumulating the most points in the Children's Hunter Section. In case of a tie, the horse or pony with the most points over fences shall be declared the Grand Children's Hunter Champion.

HUNTER DIVISIONS

Hunter classes will be run in accordance with USEF and Zone 2 specifications unless otherwise stated.

Handy Hunter: Obstacles will simulate those found in hunt country. The course will have two changes of direction and at least one combination. Ponies may be required to trot over one lowered fence on the course. Emphasis will be placed on turns and promptness. Each round will be given a numerical score based on performance. This class may not be used as a conformation class. Exception Green Hunter Pony Division. See HU168.

Championships will be awarded to the two of four horses scoring the most points over fences. In addition, only these horses will receive full points for ribbons won under saddle and half points for model classes (full pts. in Regular Conformation).

Courses in all hunter classes may include: gates, brush, walls, in and outs, oxers, aiken, rails, coop, and panels.

Hunter Under Saddles to be shown at a walk, trot, and canter. Light contact with the horse's mouth is required. May be asked to hand gallop one way of the ring, however, no more than eight (8) entries may be asked at one time. No martingales are allowed. Green and non-rated divisions will not be asked to hand gallop.

Hunter Over Fences to be judged on performance and soundness unless otherwise noted.

Hunter Prize Money

\$100 Class: \$40 \$25 \$15 \$10 \$5 \$5	\$225 Class: \$75 \$55 \$45 \$25 \$15 \$10
\$125 Class: \$45 \$30 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5	\$350 Class: \$105 \$80 \$65 \$50 \$30 \$20

Low Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$135 / Individual Classes: \$40

Open to all horses and ponies. Fences: 3'.

Class 1: Low Working Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 2, 3, 4: Low Working Hunter over Fences

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

CDHJC Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$100 / Individual Classes: \$40

Open to all Horses. Fences 3'6"

Class 5: CDHJC Working Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 6, 7: CDHJC Working Hunter

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$1,000 Pre-Green Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$180 / Individual Classes \$50

A Pre-Green Hunter is a horse of any age in its first 2 consecutive years of showing that has never shown over fences 3'6" or higher. Pre-Green may not be reinstated. To be shown over fences 3' to 3'3". Horses may not cross enter into any division with fence heights 3'6" or higher. To be judged on performance. Horses not to jog.

\$500 Pre-Green Hunter 3'

Class 8: \$100 Pre-Green Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 9, 10, 11, 12: \$100 Pre-Green Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$500 Pre-Green Hunter 3'3"

Class 13: \$100 Pre-Green Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 14, 15, 16, 17: \$100 Pre-Green Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 First Year Green Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$225

Class 18: \$100 First Year Green Under Saddle

Classes 19, 20*, 21, 22: \$350 First Year Green Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 Second Year Green Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$225

Class 23: \$100 Second Year Green Under Saddle

Classes 24, 25*, 26, 27: \$350 Second Year Green Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 Green Conformation Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$225 / Class 28: \$30

Class 28: Model Green Conformation Hunter

Class 29: \$100 Green Conformation Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 30, 31*, 32, 33: \$350 Green Conformation Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$1,000 Regular Conformation Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$200 / Class 34: \$30

Class 34: Model Regular Conformation Hunter

Class 35: \$100 Regular Conformation Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 36, 37*, 38, 39: \$225 Regular Conformation Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 Regular Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$225

Class 40: \$100 Regular Working Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 41, 42*, 43, 44: \$350 Regular Working Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$3,000 Amateur Owner Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$225

\$1,500 Amateur Owner Hunter 18-35

Class 45: \$100 Amateur-Owner Under Saddle 18-35

Classes 46, 47*, 48, 49: \$350 Amateur-Owner 18-35

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 Amateur Owner Hunter 36 & Over

Class 50: \$100 Amateur-Owner Under Saddle 36 & Over

Classes 51, 52*, 53, 54: \$350 Amateur-Owner 36 & Over

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

Class 184: The \$5,000 Junior/Amateur Owner Hunter Classic. See Special Events.

\$6,000 Junior Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$225

\$1,500 Small Junior Hunter 15 & Under

Class 55: \$100 Small Junior Under Saddle 15 & Under

Classes 56, 57*, 58, 59: \$350 Small Junior Hunter 15 & Under

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

\$1,500 Small Junior Hunter 16-17

Class 60: \$100 Small Junior Under Saddle 16-17

Classes 61, 62*, 63, 64: \$350 Small Junior Hunter 16-17

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

\$1,500 Large Junior Hunter 15 & Under

Class 65: \$100 Large Junior Under Saddle 15 & Under

Classes 66, 67*, 68, 69: \$350 Large Junior Hunter 15 & Under

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

\$1,500 Large Junior Hunter 16-17

Class 70: \$100 Large Junior Under Saddle 16-17

Classes 71, 72*, 73, 74: \$350 Large Junior Hunter 16-17

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

Class 184: The \$5,000 Junior/Amateur Owner Hunter Classic. See Special Events.

\$4,500 Pony Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$225

\$1,500 Small Pony Hunter

Open to ponies not exceeding 12.2 hands. Fences: 2' 3".

Class 75: \$100 Small Pony Under Saddle

Classes 76, 77: \$350 Small Pony Hunter

Class 78: \$350 Small Pony Conformation

Class 79*: \$350 Small Pony Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Conformation to count 25%.

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

\$1,500 Medium Pony Hunter

Open to ponies over 12.2 hands and not exceeding 13.2 hands. Fences: 2' 6".

Class 80: \$100 Medium Pony Under Saddle

Classes 81, 82: \$350 Medium Pony Hunter

Class 83: \$350 Medium Pony Conformation

Class 84*: \$350 Medium Pony Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Conformation to count 25%.

*** Handy Hunter Class
Champion and Reserve**

\$1,500 Large Pony Hunter

Open to ponies over 13.2 hands and not exceeding 14.2 hands. Fences: 3'.

Class 85: \$100 Large Pony Under Saddle

Classes 86, 87: \$350 Large Pony Hunter

Class 88: \$350 Large Pony Conformation

Class 89*: \$350 Large Pony Hunter

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Conformation to count 25%

*** Handy Hunter Class**

Champion and Reserve

\$2,000 Green Pony Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$200

In classes over fences, ponies not exceeding 12.2 hands jump 2' 3", ponies over 12.2 hands but not exceeding 13.2 hands jump 2' 6", and ponies over 13.2 hands but not exceeding 14.2 hands jump 2' 9".

Class 90: \$100 Small & Medium Green Pony Under Saddle

Classes 91, 92, 93: \$225 Small & Medium Green Pony Hunter

Class 94: \$225 Small & Medium Green Pony Conformation

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Conformation to count 25%.

Champion and Reserve

Class 95: \$100 Large Green Pony Under Saddle

Classes 96, 97, 98: \$225 Large Green Pony Hunter

Class 99: \$225 Large Green Pony Conformation

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Conformation to count 25%.

Champion and Reserve

\$1,500 Children's Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$180 / Individual Classes: \$50

To be shown by Junior Exhibitors. Height of fences for horses: 3', large ponies: 2' 6", small and medium ponies: 2' with spreads not to exceed fence heights. Riders may cross enter only into unrated classes and any equitation class not to exceed 3'6". Riders may cross enter between horse and pony divisions at the same competition. Horses and Ponies may cross enter only in unrated classes, Equitation classes not exceeding 3'6", Adult Amateur Hunters, and First Year Green and Second Year Green Hunters if otherwise eligible.

\$500 Children's Hunter Horse 14 and Younger

Class 100: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 14 and Younger Under Saddle

Classes 101, 102*: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 14 and Younger *NAL/WIHS

Class 103*: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 14 and Younger *M&S

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$500 Children's Hunter Horse 15-17

Class 104: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 15-17 Under Saddle

Classes 105, 106*: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 15-17 *NAL/WIHS

Class 107*: \$125 Children's Hunter Horse 15-17 *M&S

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$500 Children's Hunter Pony

Class 108: \$125 Children's Hunter Pony Under Saddle

Classes 109, 110, 111*: \$125 Children's Hunter Pony *M&S

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

* First Round of Classics.

\$1,500 Adult Amateur Hunter Section

Division Entry Fee: \$180 / Individual Classes: \$50

To be shown by riders who are no longer eligible to compete as Junior Exhibitors, in possession of current USEF Amateur Certification. Ponies may be shown by Adults, suitability to count. Riders may not compete in any other class at the same competition where the fence height exceeds 3' 3", except Adult Amateur Jumper. Horses may be shown by a different rider in any other division or class at the same competition. Fences not to exceed 3', spreads not to exceed fence heights. Entries may be jogged at the judge's discretion.

\$500 Adult Amateur Hunter 18-35

Class 112: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter Under Saddle 18-35

Classes 113, 114*: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 18-35 *M&S

Class 115*: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 18-35 *NAL/WIHS

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$500 Adult Amateur Hunter 36-50

Class 116: \$125 Adult Amateur Under Saddle 36-50

Classes 117, 118* \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 36-50 *M&S

Class 119*: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 36-50 *NAL/WIHS

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$500 Adult Amateur Hunter 51 & Over

Class 120: \$125 Adult Amateur Under Saddle 46 & Over

Classes 121, 122*: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 46 & Over *M&S

Class 123*: \$125 Adult Amateur Hunter 46 & Over *NAL/WIHS

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

* First Round of Classics.

Local Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$110 // Individual Classes: \$40

Open to horses and ponies that are stabled within a 75-mile radius of the horse show grounds. Fences: 2' 9".

Class 124: Local Working Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 125, 126: Local Working Hunter

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

Baby Green Working Hunter

Division Entry Fee: \$135 / Individual Classes: \$40

Open to horses and ponies in their first year of showing that have not shown over a course 3' or higher. Fences: 2' 6".

Class 127: Baby Green Working Hunter Under Saddle
Classes 128, 129, 130: Baby Green Working Hunter
Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

Short Stirrup Section

Entry Fee: \$35 Per Class

Open to riders 12 years old and younger who have not competed in any show over fences exceeding 2'.

Open to horses and ponies. Children entered in these sections may not enter any other classes at this show.

Fences not to exceed 2'.

Short Stirrup Hunter

Class 131: Short Stirrup Hunter Under Saddle

Classes 132, 133: Short Stirrup Hunter

Trophy and Eight Ribbons



Featuring
SKIDMORE'S WEBBY CUP
Champion and Reserve

Short Stirrup Equitation

Class 134: Short Stirrup Equitation on the Flat

Class 135: Short Stirrup Equitation over Fences

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Lead Line Class

In lieu of an entry fee, please make a gift of any size to Skidmore College for scholarship funding. Thank you!

Class 136: Open to riders seven years and younger. Judged on manners, suitability and position at the walk.

Trophy and Ribbons

HUNTER SEAT EQUITATION DIVISION

Entry Fee: \$35 Per Class, unless otherwise stated

Junior competitors in this division shall not have reached their 18th birthday. For horse show purposes, the age of a Junior Exhibitor on December 1, 2008 shall be maintained until November 30, 2009.

Trophy and Eight Ribbons in all classes.

Class 137: Open Equitation 11 and under Over Fences * 2'3" Fence Height

Class 138: Open Equitation 11 and under Flat

* Riders in classes 137 & 138 may not have shown in any classes with fence height at 3'3" or higher.

Class 139: Open Equitation 12 to 14 over Fences 3' Fence Height

Class 140: Open Equitation 12 to 14 Flat

Class 141: Open Equitation 15 to 17 Over Fences 3'6" Fence Height

Class 142: Open Equitation 15 to 17 Flat

Class 143: Ralph P. Symmes Medal

Open ONLY to Junior Members of the CDHJC. A final class will be held at a designated show for those riders who qualify. The finals will consist of a jumping phase followed by a flat phase for the riders selected at the discretion of the judge. Each phase will count 50%. To qualify for the finals, a rider must accumulate five (5) points at recognized shows. Qualified riders will be sent an invitation to ride in this class and only those riders so invited will be eligible to ride. Each show holding a qualifying class must be a member of the CDHJC and must run this class over fences which will be a minimum of 3' and a maximum of 3'3" and may elect to use the flat phase in addition to, but only on a 50/50 basis. A complete list of all entrants must accompany show results. The entry fee for this class will be the same as that for a regular open equitation class. A trophy and a minimum of eight ribbons must be awarded. A minimum of three (3) riders must complete the course in order for the class to be valid. Membership in the CDHJC may be made by a Junior wishing to show in this class on the day of the show. In such a case, only Symmes Class points count that day - all other points begin to accumulate with the next recognized show. One (1) win or a total of eight (5) points qualifies a rider for the Finals. The Symmes Finals Medal Class may be won by an individual only once.

Class 144: THIS National Children's Medal

Entry Fee: \$45

Open to all Junior members of the USEF and CEF who have never competed in a National Equitation Final with fences at 3'6" (i.e.; Pessoa/USEF Medal; ASPCA Maclay; USET; CET or CEF Finals; WIHS Capital Cup). To be shown over a minimum of eight fences 2'9" to 3' in height, spread not to exceed fence height. The course may be either a Jumper or Hunter type course and must include at least two changes of direction and a combination. Water obstacles (i.e.; water jump, liverpool) are not permitted. The top four riders are required to perform at least two individual tests from USEF Tests 1-19. An Open Numerical Scoring System must be used in the first round, with each rider's score announced at the completion of their round. There is no minimum requirement to fill the class.

Class 145: ASPCA Horsemanship Class	Entry Fee: \$45
Class 146: Pessoa USEF Hunter Seat Medal	Entry Fee: \$45
Class 147: Platinum Performance/USEF Talent Search	Entry Fee: \$45
Class 148: WIHS Equitation Class Hunter	Entry Fee: \$45
Class 149: WIHS Equitation Class Jumper	Entry Fee: \$45
Class 150: USEF Pony Medal	Entry Fee: \$45

Class 151: HBO Children's Horse & Pony Medal **Entry Fee: \$45**

Open to Junior Riders who are not competing at the same show in any hunter or equitation class in which the fences exceed 3' 3". To be shown over a minimum of 8 fences the required height including a combination and at least two changes of direction after the first fence. Two or more tests of the top four competitors are required. The same horse must be used in all phases. Only one rider per horse. Three riders must complete the course in order for points to count. The rider must be a member in order for points to count toward qualifying for the Finals. Height of fences: Horses: 3', Small and Medium Ponies: 2' and Large Ponies : 2'6".

Class 152: HBO Junior Medal **Entry Fee: \$45**

Open to Junior Riders. To be shown over minimum of 8 fences at 3' 6" including a combination and at least two changes of direction after the first fence. Two or more tests of the top four competitors are required. The same horse must be used in all phases. Only one rider per horse. Three riders must complete the course in order for points to count. The rider must be a member in order for points to count toward qualifying for the Finals.

Class 183: Skidmore College Presidents Cup **See Special Events for Class Description**

Class 153: Ariat National Adult Medal **Entry Fee: \$45**

Open to all Amateur members of the USEF and CEF who are eligible to compete in the Adult Amateur Hunter Section at this show. A rider may not compete at the same horse show in any hunter or equitation class in which the jumps exceed three feet, three inches (3'3"). To be shown over a minimum of eight fences not to exceed 3' in height, spread not to exceed fence height. The course may be either a Jumper or Hunter type course and must include at least two changes of direction and a combination. Water obstacles (i.e.; water jump, liverpool) are not permitted. The top four riders are required to perform at least two individual tests from US Equestrian Tests 1-19. An Open Numerical Scoring System must be used in the first round, with each rider's score announced at the completion of their round. There is no minimum requirement to fill the class.

Class 154: HBO Adult Medal **Entry Fee: \$45**

Open to Adult and Amateur Riders. To be shown over minimum of 8 fences at 3' including a combination and at least two changes of direction after the first fence. Two or more tests of the top four competitors are required. The same horse must be used in all phases. Only one rider per horse. Three riders must complete the course in order for points to count. The rider must be a member in order for points to count toward qualifying for the Finals.



SKIDMORE

C O L L E G E

Skidmore Admissions Informational Table.
Stop by to speak with an admissions counselor about applying to Skidmore. A representative will be available in the spectator tent on Friday, June 12th from 2:00 - 4:00 PM.

JUMPER SECTION

Nominating Fee: \$175

Nominating Fee for Children's/Adult Jumper Section: \$100

To be eligible to compete in the Level 6 and Level 7 Jumper Divisions, and Junior/Amateur-Owner Jumper Sections, horses must be nominated and pay the nominating fee of \$175 by the closing date of the entries. To be eligible to compete in the Children's/Adult Jumper Section horses must be nominated and pay the nominating fee of \$175 by the closing date of the entries.

Horses showing only in Level 2 and Level 3 Jumper Classes are exempt from the nominating fee.

Jumper classes will be run in accordance with USEF and Zone 2 specifications unless otherwise stated.

All Horses competing in Jumper classes offering prize money of \$2,500 or more in the Jumper Division must be recorded with the USEF in accordance with Rule JP-1, 101.1 except where prohibited by state or local law.

Ties: In the event of an equal quantity of faults for other than first place, final placement will be determined by the time taken to complete the first round course.

Courses: In all jumper classes, courses may consist of any of the following: brush, gates, oxers, post and rails, water, liverpool, ditch, wall, panels, coops, and combinations (doubles and triples). See USEF JP120.

Attire: Correct attire must be worn at all times. The Management, at its discretion, may allow riders to compete without riding coats. If a riding coat is not worn, riders must wear a shirt with a collar or choker, neatly tucked into riding breeches. A raincoat may be worn if conditions require. In all cases, riders must appear neatly attired.

Declarations of horses must be made the day before the classes are to be run. The Horse Show office will remain open 1/2 hour after the last class each day.

USEF Level 2/Meter 1.0 Jumper Classes

Entry Fee: \$40 per class

Open to all horses. Fences: 3' 3" with spreads 3' 3" to 3' 9". Speed 382 yd/min.

Classes 155, 156: Level 2 Jumpers Table II, Section 2.2 (b) **Trophy and Eight Ribbons**

USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07 Jumper Division

Entry Fee: \$40 per class

Open to all horses. Fences: 3' 6" with spreads 3' 6" to 4' 0". Speed 382 yd/min.

Class 157: Level 3 Jumper Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Classes 158, 159: Level 3 Jumper Table II, Section 2.1

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$2,000 USEF Level 5/Meter 1.22 Jumper Division

Entry Fee: \$50 per class

Open to all horses. Fences: 4' 0" with spreads 4' 0" - 4' 6". Speed 382 yd/min.

Class 160: Level 5 Jumper Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Classes 161, 162: Level 5 Jumper Table II, Section 2.1

Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$3,000 USEF Level 6/Meter 1.30 Jumper Division

Entry Fee: \$50 per class

Open to all horses. Fences: 4'3" in height with spreads 4'3" - 4'9". Speed 382 yd/min.

Classes 163, 164, 165: \$1000 Level 6 Jumper Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$300 \$200 \$140 \$100 \$80 \$70 \$60 \$50

\$7,000 USEF Level 7/Meter 1.37 Jumper Division

Entry Fee: \$50 Classes 166, 167; \$225 Class 168

Open to all horses. Fences: 4' 6" in height, spreads from 4'6" - 5'0". Speed 382 yd/min.

Classes 166, 167: \$1000 Level 7 Jumper Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

\$300 \$200 \$140 \$100 \$80 \$70 \$60 \$50

Class 168: \$5000 Level 7 Jumper Table II, Section 2.2 (a)

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$1500 \$1000 \$700 \$500 \$400 \$350 \$300 \$250

\$10,500 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper Section

Featuring the *Ted Grant Memorial Trophy* presented to the horse who Accumulates the most points in the Jr./A/O Jumper Section during week I.

Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper High Division

Entry Fee: \$50 Classes 169, 170; \$225 Class 171

Open to exhibitors and horses eligible in accordance with the USEF. Fences: 4' 6" in height, spreads from 4'6" - 5'0". Speed 382 yd/min. Horses may compete in either the high or low division, but not both in the same day.

USEF Level 7/Meter 1.37

Class 169: \$1000 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper High Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Class 170: \$1000 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper High Table II, Section 2.1

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

\$300 \$200 \$140 \$100 \$80 \$70 \$60 \$50

Class 171: \$5000 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper High Stake Table II, Section 2.2 (a)

To be eligible for **Class 171**, a horse has to have shown in another Junior/ Amateur Owner Jumper High class. *Traditional Attire Required in Class 171*

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$1500 \$1000 \$700 \$500 \$400 \$350 \$300 \$250

Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper Low Division

Entry Fee: \$40 Classes 172, 173; \$150 Class 174

Open to exhibitors and horses eligible in accordance with the USEF. Fences: 4'0" with spreads 4'0" - 4'6". Speed 382 yd/min. Horses may compete in either the high or low division, but not both in the same day.

USEF Level 5/Meter 1.22

Class 172: \$500 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper Low Table II, Section 2.2 (b)

Class 173: \$500 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper Low Table II, Section 2.1

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

\$125 \$100 \$70 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$35 \$35

Class 174: \$2,500 Junior/Amateur Owner Jumper Low Stake Table II, Section 2.2 (a)

To be eligible for **Class 174**, a horse has to have shown in another Junior/ Amateur Owner Jumper Low class. *Traditional Attire Required in Class 174.*

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

\$750 \$500 \$375 \$250 \$200 \$175 \$125 \$125

\$6,000 Children's/Adult Jumper Section

Nominating Fee: \$100

Entry Fee: \$40 per class

\$500 Children's Jumper Division

To be ridden by exhibitors who have not reached their 18th birthday prior to December 1 of the current competition year. Fence heights will be set in accordance with JP 120 not to exceed Level 4. Riders may not compete in any other class at the same competition where fences exceed Level 4 except the USEF Talent Search Class. Horses may show at Level 7 (1:40) or below with another rider. Cash winnings do not influence this classification. Sections and/or prize money, if offered, may be divided and/or combined with the Adult Jumpers at the discretion of the management. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0". USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07

Class 175: \$250 Children's Jumpers Table II, Section 2.2(b)

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Class 176: \$250 Children's Jumpers Table II, Section 2.1

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

Note: Marshall & Sterling & NAL/WIHS Classics will count toward Division Championship.

\$500 Adult Jumper Division

To be ridden by exhibitors who are no longer eligible to compete as Junior Exhibitors. All exhibitors must be Amateurs in accordance with GR 808 and must show USEF Amateur Certification. Fence heights will be set in accordance with JP 120 not to exceed Level 4. Riders may not compete in any other class at the same competition where fences exceed Level 4 except the USEF Talent Search Class. Horses may show at Level 7 (1:40) or below with another rider. Cash winnings do not influence this classification. Sections and/or prize money, if offered, may be divided and/or combined with the Children's Jumpers at the discretion of the management. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0". USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07

Class 177: \$250 Adult Jumpers Table II, Sect. 2.2(b)

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Class 178: \$250 Adult Jumpers Table II, Section 2.1

Prize Money and Eight Ribbons

Champion and Reserve

Note: Marshall & Sterling & NAL/WIHS Classics will count toward Division Championship.

SEE SPECIAL EVENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING CLASS DESCRIPTIONS:

Class 185: \$1,500 Marshall & Sterling Children's Jumper Classic

Class 186: \$1,500 Marshall & Sterling Adult Jumper Classic

Class 189: \$500 NAL/WIHS Children's Jumper Classic

Class 190: \$1,500 NAL/WIHS Adult Jumper Classic

SPECIAL EVENTS

Skidmore College Alumni Division (Week II Only)

Class 179: Skidmore College Alumni Equitation Fences Challenge Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Class 180: Skidmore College Alumni Equitation Flat Trophy and Eight Ribbons

Alumni classes are open to all Skidmore College alumni only.

In lieu of an entry fee, please make a gift of any size to the scholarship fund. Thank you!

Best Junior Rider

Entry Fee: \$35

Class 181: Best Junior Rider/Horse

Awarded to the Junior rider who, in the opinion of the judges, has exhibited the most consistent ability on a horse.

Trophy and Ribbon

Class 182: Best Junior Rider/Pony

Awarded to the Junior rider who, in the opinion of the judges, has exhibited the most consistent ability on a pony.

Trophy and Ribbon

Junior Equitation Challenge

Class 183: Skidmore College Presidents Cup*

No Entry Fee

Open to all 1st, 2nd and 3rd place ribbon winners of classes 152, 141, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149,(or WIHS overall) at the Skidmore College Saratoga Classic Horse Show I or II. To be shown over an equitation type course of obstacles at 3'6" including a combination and at least two changes of direction after the first fence. Open numeric score in the first round; the top four or 20% of the riders, whichever is greater, are required to perform two tests, (USEF 1-19).

Trophy and Ten Ribbons.

Also presented will be a special award for the Trainer of the winning rider.

** This class is approved to be included on the Bates Equitation Computer Ranking List for 2009. Awards for the top riders and trainers from the list will be presented at the Syracuse Invitational Sporthorse Tournament held in the Fall of 2009.*

\$5,000 Junior/Amateur Owner Hunter Classic

Class 184: The \$5,000 SKIDMORE Cup**Entry Fee: \$180**

Open only to entries that have shown in the Junior Hunter or Amateur Owner Sections. To be ridden by Juniors and Amateur-Owners, or an amateur member of the owner's family. Each competitor will jump one round over a course of hunter type fences 3'6" in height. Open Numerical Scoring System must be used in the first round, with each rider's score announced at the completion of their round. The 10 horses with the highest scores from the first round will return, lowest scores first, to jump a second round over a modified course. The average scores of both rounds will determine the overall placing. Horses will be jogged for soundness. Proper Attire Required. *This class does not count towards any division or section championship, but does offer Bonus Classic points toward USEF Horse of the Year Awards.*

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons**\$1500 \$1000 \$700 \$500 \$400 \$350 \$300 \$250****Marshall & Sterling Hunter and Jumper Classics****Class 185: \$1,500 Marshall & Sterling Children's Jumper Classic****Entry Fee: \$100**

Open to entries that have shown in at least one class in the Children's Jumper Section at this show. The classes will be run under USEF Table II, Section 2a. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0".

USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07 Proper Attire Required. *(See M & S League Specifications for further information)*

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons**\$450 \$300 \$225 \$150 \$120 \$105 \$75 \$75****Class 186: \$1,500 Marshall & Sterling Adult Jumper Classic****Entry Fee: \$100**

To be ridden by an Adult Amateur. To be eligible, the rider must have shown in at least one other Adult Amateur Class. To be conducted and scored under USEF Table II, Section 2a. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0". USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07. Proper Attire Required.

(See M & S League Specifications for further information)

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons**\$450 \$300 \$225 \$150 \$120 \$105 \$75 \$75****Class 187: \$500 Marshall & Sterling Children's Hunter Classic****Entry Fee: \$60**

Open to entries that have shown in at least one class in the Children's Hunter Section at this show. Proper Attire Required. *(See M & S League Specifications for further information.)*

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons**\$125 \$100 \$70 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$35 \$35****Class 188: \$500 Marshall & Sterling Adult Hunter Classic****Entry Fee: \$60**

Open to entries that have shown in at least one class in the Adult Hunter Section at this show. Proper Attire Required. *(See M & S League Specifications for further information.)*

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons**\$125 \$100 \$70 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$35 \$35**

North American League and Washington International Horse Show Hunter and Jumper Classics

Class 189: \$500 NAL/WIHS Children's Jumper Classic

Entry Fee: \$60

Open to Junior riders who have shown in at least one class in the Children's Jumper Section at this show. A rider need not be a member of the North American League and/or WIHS to compete, but only current members will accrue points toward year-end finals to be held at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show and The Washington International Horse Show. To be conducted and scored under USEF Table II, Section 2(a) - Time First Jumpoff. Class specifications as stated in current Zone specifications. Proper Attire Required. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0". USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons

\$125 \$75 \$65 \$60 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$40

Class 190: \$1,500 NAL/WIHS Adult Jumper Classic

Entry Fee: \$100

Open to Amateur riders 18 years of age and older who have shown in at least one other Adult Amateur Jumper Class. A rider need not be a member of the North American League and/or WIHS to compete, but only current members will accrue points toward year-end finals to be held at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show and The Washington International Horse Show. To be conducted and scored under USEF Table II, Section 2.2(a) - Time First Jump-off. Class specifications as stated in current Zone specifications. Proper Attire Required. Fences 3' 6", spreads 3'6" to 4'0". USEF Level 3/Meter 1.07

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons

\$375 \$225 \$195 \$180 \$150 \$135 \$120 \$120

Class 191: \$500 NAL/WIHS Children's Hunter Classic

Entry Fee: \$60

Open to junior riders. A rider need not be a member of the North American League and/or WIHS to compete, but only current members will accrue points toward year-end finals to be held at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show and The Washington International Horse Show. To be conducted in accordance with USEF HU146 and current Zone specifications. To be eligible, the horses must have entered, shown, and completed the course in at least two classes in the same section in accordance with USEF HU111 and HU117. Proper Attire Required.

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons

\$125 \$75 \$65 \$60 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$40

Class 192: \$500 NAL/WIHS Adult Hunter Classic

Entry Fee: \$60

Open to adult amateur riders. A rider need not be a member of the North American League and/or WIHS to compete, but only current members will accrue points toward year-end finals to be held at the Pennsylvania National Horse Show and The Washington International Horse Show. To be conducted in accordance with USEF HU146 and current Zone specifications. To be eligible, the horses must have entered, shown, and completed the course in at least two classes in the same section in accordance with USEF HU108 and HU144. Proper Attire Required

Prize Money and Ten Ribbons

\$125 \$75 \$65 \$60 \$50 \$45 \$40 \$40