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MARCH 16-18 • APRIL 13-15

2012 RMI TRI-STATE SERIES AWARDS
JUMPER MINI PRIX • HUNTER CLASSICS
DOUBLE HUNTER BREEDING DIVISIONS

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TRI-STATE EXHIBITION CENTER

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RMI Tri-State I

MARCH 16-18

RMI Tri-State II

NO SHOW

Enjoy Easter at Home

RMI Tri-State III

APRIL 13-15

Host Event



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RMI Tri-State I
March 16-18, 2012
 POST ENTRY DATE: Monday, March 5th

OFFICIALS:

| | | |
|----------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Jenny Paisley | H/HE/J/HB | Albuquerque, NM |
| Woody Dykers | H/HE/HB/J | Alpharetta, GA |
| Peter Hugo | J/HE/H | Franklin, TN |
| Lynne Ridgeway | Steward | Forest Park, GA |

RMI Tri-State III
April 13-15, 2012
 POST ENTRY DATE: Monday, April 2nd

OFFICIALS:

| | | |
|----------------|-----------|----------------|
| Lucie McKinney | H/HE/HB/J | Ft Myers, FL |
| Lynn Forgione | H/HE/HB | Davidson, NC |
| Woody Dykers | J/HE/H | Alpharetta, GA |
| Becky Thornton | Steward | Knoxville, TN |

ADDITIONAL OFFICIALS

| | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| COURSES: | Mike Belisle, Peter Hugo, John Rush | |
| TECHNICAL COORD: | Mike Belisle | |
| OFFICE-DURING SHOW: | Pam Rush | 423-728-5070 |
| MANAGER/ | John Rush | rushshows@aol.com |
| COMP. SECR.: | 904-396-4106 prior to show | |
| VETERINARIAN ON CALL: | Lee Bancroft | 423-479-2083 |
| FARRIER: | Nathan Hammett | 423-902-9020 |

Tri-State Exhibition Center
 200 Nature's Trail SW
 McDonald (Cleveland), TN 37353

DIRECTIONS: Take I-75 to Tennessee Exit #20. Go west and Tri-State Exhibition Center is 1/4 mile on the right.

enter online - www.rushshows.com

TRI-STATE III
 SPECIAL CLASSES



- WARNING-

Under Tennessee Law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury to or death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, title 44, chapter 20. Each participant who engages in an equine activity expressly assumes the risks of engaging in and legal responsibility for injury, loss, or damage to person or property resulting from the risk of equine activities.

RULES AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Every class offered herein which is covered by the Rules and Specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted in accordance therewith. In all classes wherein the rules of the USEF do not apply, association rules, if applicable, or Management in all other cases, shall settle any dispute or question that may arise and its decision shall be final. Management reserves the right to refuse, accept conditionally, or to cancel entries, disqualify riders or exhibitors, prohibit exhibition or entries, and cancel or combine classes, or to reschedule classes, to change rings or rotate judges; and to change specifications in jumper classes. Management may designate a jumping order, use THE ONE MINUTE RULE, and/or use a "dotted line."

ENTRIES

- 1) No horse may participate in the event or be on the grounds without having a completed entry blank, including signatures acknowledging the agreement printed thereon.
- 2) **Owners and exhibitors** are responsible for all horses and fees incurred by them or their agents, even though payment may not be submitted along with the entry. Fees owed from previous shows may be added to this or future show accounts.
- 3) **CLOSING DATE** is stated on officials' page and entry blank. **STALL RESERVATIONS** with check or complete credit card information prior to closing date receive a discounted stall price. **ENTRIES** received after closing date incur an additional fee of \$35 per horse. Refunds for entries are given with cancellation prior to show less a \$35 processing fee; no refund for stall fees paid if temporaries are erected. Classes entered and not scratched before class commences will be charged to the exhibitor.
- 4) **RETURNED CHECKS** will be assessed \$30.00 for each re-deposit and \$50 if check cannot be presented through a bank as a cash item.
- 5) **NUMBERS** are issued only with completed entry blank and an open check or complete credit card information in the office.

6) **ADDITIONAL FEES** may be incurred: Non-stabling fee \$35 (for entries not requiring a stall). Office Fee \$35. Non-showing Fee \$50.

7) **NON SHOWING HORSES** must complete an entry blank and be assigned a number.

MEASUREMENT: Entries must present a valid USEF card or be measured before showing. **Pony/horse measurement is scheduled for Friday at 4:00pm.**

DISCOURTESY: to an official by any owner, rider, trainer, or groom will disqualify any horses with which they are associated and fees for horses forfeited.

SHARPS CONTAINERS: Exhibitors are requested to properly dispose of needles in the bio-hazard containers available on the barns.

PRIZE MONEY: paid at conclusion of show or credited to account. Refund checks must be cashed within 60 days.

CHAMPION AND RESERVE: awarded in accordance with USEF rules; all performance classes in a section have full points court toward championship, **EXCEPTION:** High Performance Under Saddle to get half-points. Ribbons to eight places awarded in all classes.

HUNTER CLASSES: judged on performance, soundness, manners. Suitability of animal and rider will be emphasized with extreme speed penalized. **FENCES:** As in USEF HU-3. **UNDER SADDLE:** classes except Green and Short Stirrup, may walk, trot, canter and gallop.

FEED AND BEDDING: orders must be made by 12:00 noon. No deliveries on Sunday. **NO OUTSIDE DELIVERIES ALLOWED WITHOUT PRIOR ARRANGEMENT WITH MANAGEMENT.**

STALLS: 10x10 permanent w/ doors available the day before show; temporary stalls may be assigned if entries warrant. **ONE STALL PER ANIMAL. NO SHARING OF STALLS;** An exhibitor who wants to arrive early or leave late must communicate and confirm arrangements.

SCHOOLING: in designated areas only A Medic is on duty only when scheduled classes are performing. Starters have authority to scratch riders who do not follow directions. Schooling is permitted in hunter rings the day before competition subject to management's discretion. Paid warm-up MAY be available after scheduled classes on show days at management's discretion. Flat work is available in all rings all days up to one hour prior to commencement of scheduled classes; management may designate a ring closed if conditions warrant.

PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR: All exhibitors are required to wear ASTM/SEI approved helmets while jumping on competition grounds. Junior exhibitors must wear ASTM /SEI approved helmets whenever mounted. It is the responsibility of the rider, the parent/guardian or

trainer of the junior exhibitor to ensure that the head gear worn complies with appropriate safety standards, is properly fitted, and in good condition.

DOGS: Must be leashed and under control or \$30 will be assessed the Owner and dog may be impounded.

COGGINS TESTS: Negative certificates dated within 1 year are required for admittance to the grounds.

MOTORIZED VEHICLES: Operated by licensed drivers. 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 recognized 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. Violations of this rule will be cause of 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 devised for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

FOOTING: Rings and warm-up areas are M-10 aggregate.

RING SIZE (all are approximate): Ring I: 240' x 145'; Ring II: 245' x 125'; Ring III: 240' x 130'; Schooling areas 240' x 120'.

RV/CAMPER SPACES: Water & electric hookups available. Camper fee assessed per show; includes trailers with living quarters which are connected to any electric or water service on show grounds. **CAMPERS MUST BE IN DESIGNATED AREAS. DUMP STATION on the grounds.**

LICENSEE: Rush Management, Inc. John A. Rush III- CEO

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HUNTER DIVISION

First class of A-rated Pony section is Conformation. Sections with a Classic, the second class is to be scored as first round. Last over fences class of "A" section is Handy except for Green Pony. Last class of section is Under Saddle. All unrated sections are open to horses and ponies unless otherwise noted.

\$100/class paid \$40,25,20,15 * \$150/class paid \$60,40,30,20
 \$250/class paid \$70,54,40,36,30,20

Section Fee: \$150

\$500 SMALL/MEDIUM GREEN PONY Fences 2'3/2'6
 2,3,4,5,6
\$500 LARGE GREEN PONY Fences 2'9
 8,9,10,11,12

Section Fee: \$175 (includes \$500 Classic)

\$500 SMALL PONY Fences 2'3
 14,15,16,17,18
\$500 MEDIUM PONY Fences 2'6
 20,21,22,23,24
\$500 LARGE PONY Fences 3'
 26,27,28,29,30

Section Fee: \$140/Class Fee: \$35

CHILDREN'S PONY Fences 2'/2'6
 31,32,33,34,35
CHILDREN'S HORSE 3'3 Fences 3'3
 36,37,38,39,40
CHILDREN'S HORSE 14& U Fences 3'
 41,42,43,44,45
CHILDREN'S HORSE 15-17 Fences 3'
 46,47,48,49,50

Section Fee: \$200 (includes \$1,000 Classic)

\$500 SMALL JUNIOR Fences 3'6
 51,52,53,54,55
\$500 LARGE JUNIOR Fences 3'6
 61,62,63,64,65
\$500 AMATEUR-OWNER 3'3 Fences 3'3
 71,72,73,74,75
\$500 AMATEUR-OWNER 18-35 Fences 3'6
 76,77,78,79,80
\$500 AMATEUR-OWNER 36+ Fences 3'6
 81,82,83,84,85

Section Fee: \$140/Class Fee \$35

ADULT AMATEUR 18-35 Fences 3' and 3'3"
86,87,88,89,90
ADULT AMATEUR 36+ Fences 3' and 3'3"
91,92,93,94,95

Section Fee: \$160

\$600 GREEN WORKING Fences 3'6"/3'
109,110,111,112

Class Fee: \$45

\$600 Performance 3'3' Fences 3'3"
114,115,116,117
\$600 HIGH PERFORMANCE Fences 3'9"-4'
119,120,121,122

Section Fee: \$140/Class Fee \$35

PREGREEN HUNTER 3' Fences 3'
123,124,125,126,127
PREGREEN HUNTER 3'3' Fences 3'3"
128,129,130,131,132

Section Fee: \$90/Class Fee: \$35

HOPEFUL HUNTER Fences 2'
135,136,137
SCHOOLING HUNTER Fences 2'3"
140,141,142
LOW HUNTER Fences 2'6"
145,146,147
SHOW HUNTER Fences 2'9"
150,151,152
OPEN HUNTER Fences 3'
155,156,157
SCHOOLING PONY Fences 2'3"/2'6"/2'9"
168,169,170

BLUE/RED WARM-UP Class Fee: \$40

81+ = Blue Ribbon / 75-80 = Red Ribbon. Open all day time permitting.

May show multiple trips and/or multiple heights.

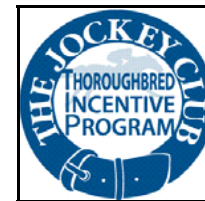
173 Friday Ring I 177 Sunday Ring I
175 Saturday I 178 Sunday Ring II
176 Saturday II

Tri-State III Only

RMI is pleased to offer classes as part of The Jockey Club Thoroughbred Incentive Program (TJCTIP). TJCTIP is to encourage the retraining of Thoroughbreds into other disciplines upon completion of careers in racing¹ or breeding.

The following classes, which will be judged concurrently with the general class, have NO additional entry fee for horses that are Registered Thoroughbreds and provide the necessary information.

155 - Open Hunter Over Fences
155TB - TIP Low Thoroughbred Hunter
156 - Open Hunter Over Fences
156TB - TIP Low Thoroughbred Hunter
157 - Open Hunter Under Saddle
157TB - TIP Low Thoroughbred Hunter Under Saddle



268 - .95m jumper
268TB - TIP Thoroughbred Jumper II
269 - .95m jumper
269TB - TIP Thoroughbred Jumper II
270 - .95m jumper
270TB - TIP Thoroughbred Jumper II



To be eligible for special ribbons, recognition and the High Point Bonus (\$100 for Hunter, \$100 for Jumper), each exhibitor MUST provide the following information:

- (1) copy of The Jockey Club Certificate of Foal Registration; OR
- (2) a letter from The Jockey Club verifying the horse's identity; OR
- (3) a successful lookup result from The Jockey Club's Tattoo Identification Services of the horse's lip tattoo; AND

Horse's registered name with The Jockey Club
Registration number or tattoo number
Horse's sire name AND dam name

Thoroughbreds who have not raced or been in a breeding program are still eligible if the horse otherwise meets the qualifications.

ATTENTION TRAINERS -

ACADEMY CLASSES & OPPORTUNITY CLASSES

NO USEF/USHJA MEMBERSHIPS REQUIRED

NO USHJA HORSE FEES REQUIRED

USEF/USHJA fees may apply if shown in other sections.

OPPORTUNITY CLASSES

Last class of section is hunter under saddle or equitation flat.

LOW CHILD/LOW ADULT- Fences 2'6. The rider is eligible for equitation and unrated classes where fences do not exceed 3'.

SHORT/LONG STIRRUP- Fences 2'. No combinations. Short - Riders 12 years and under; Long - Riders over 12 years of age. **Will be pinned as A & B sections if entries warrant.** The rider is eligible for Cross Rails, Low Child or Low Adult Hunter and Equitation and unrated classes where fences do not exceed 2'6.

Section Fee: \$90/Class Fee: \$30

OPP LOW CHILD HUNTER

182,183,184

OPP LOW ADULT HUNTER

187,188,189

OPP SHORT/LONG STIRRUP

192,193,194

OPP LOW CHILD EQ

200,201,202

OPP LOW ADULT EQ

203,204,205

OPP SHORT/LONG STIRRUP EQ

206,207,208

OPPORTUNITY BLUE/RED Warm-Up

209- Saturday

210-Sunday

ACADEMY CROSS RAIL EQUITATION CLASSES

Cross rail fences 12" - 18" with no combinations. Not penalized for trotting between fences. Judged on position and control. Riders of any age; Sections A & B will be offered if entries warrant. Rider eligible for Walk-Trot, Cross Rails, and Opportunity Classes at this show. Class Fee: \$20.

Saturday Cross Rails

212 XR Twice Around

213 XR Figure Eight

214 XR W-T-C

Sunday Cross Rails

215 XR Twice Around

216 XR Figure Eight

217 XR W-T-C

ACADEMY WALK-TROT CLASSES

The rider may only compete in Walk-Trot and Cross Rails at this show.

Judged on suitability and control. Class Fee: \$20.

Saturday Walk-Trot

218 WALK-TROT Equitation

219 WALK-TROT U/S

220 WALK-TROT Pleasure

Sunday Walk Trot

221 WALK-TROT Equitation

222 WALK-TROT U/S

223 WALK-TROT Pleasure

EQUITATION CLASSES

Specifications found under USEF Subchapter EQ-1 or refer to association rules. Last class of age group equitation is flat class.

AGE GROUP EQUITATION - CLASS FEE: \$30

| | | |
|-------------|---------------------|------------|
| 227,228,229 | Equitation 11&Under | Fences 2'3 |
| 230,231,232 | Equitation 12-14 | Fences 3' |
| 233,234,235 | Equitation 15-17 | Fences 3'3 |
| 236,237,238 | Equitation Adult | Fences 3' |

MEDAL CLASS FEE: \$40

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| 239 | USEF/Person National Hunter Seat Medal |
| 240 | Equisport/USEF Pony Medal |
| 241 | Platinum Performance/USEF Talent Search |
| 242 | WIHS Hunter Phase |
| 243 | WIHS Jumper Phase |
| 244 | WIHS Pony |
| 245 | NHSAA/ASPCA Maclay |
| 246 | ARIAT Adult Medal |
| 247 | THIS Children's Medal |
| 248 | ETHJA Junior Equitation |
| 249 | ETHJA Pony Equitation |

JUMPER DIVISION

Please refer to the proper Table and Section of the USEF Rule Book for complete class specifications. Individual class Table and Section is reflected on time schedule. TIES other than first are decided by time taken in the first round. Jump order established per USEF JP112. Time calculated at 382 yards per minute. Forty-five second clock in effect to start.

Clear Round/Blue Ribbon

257,258,259

Class Fee: \$30

Open Card

CLASS FEE \$40

.85m JUMPER

260,261,262

Fences 2'9

.95m Jumper

268,269,270

Fences 3'1

1m Jumper

272,273,274

Fences 3'3

1.10m Jumper

276,277,278

Fences 3'7

Pony Jumper

279,280,281,282

Fences 3'3

\$1000 1.15M JUMPER

Fences 3'9

283,284 CLASS FEE: \$60 \$500/class: \$140,120,100,70,40,30

LOW CH/AA JUMPER

Fences 1.0m (3'3")

308,309,310

\$1900 CHILD/ADULT JUMPER

Fences 1.1m (3'7")

311,312 CLASS FEE: \$50 \$200/class: \$80,60,40,20

326 \$1500 Stake to count as third class for division Championship

325 \$1,000 1M Stake

Paid \$350,250,150,130,120

ENTRY FEE: \$110

Fences 3'3

Open to any horse and rider combination not showing above 1.20m at this competition.

326 \$1,500 1.10M WIHS/NAL CHILD/ADULT AMATEUR JUMPER

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

ENTRY FEE: \$120

Fences 3'7

Open to junior and amateur riders; rider need not be a member of NAL nor WIHS in order to compete. Only standing martingales or running martingales used in the conventional manner are permitted.

330 \$3,000 WELCOME STAKE - 1.25m

Paid \$700,450,400,375,325,275,250,225

ENTRY FEE: \$175

Fences 4'1

331 \$5,000 JUMPER PRIX - 1.25m

Paid \$1500,1100,750,500,350,300,250,250

ENTRY FEE: \$250

Fences 4'1

TRI-STATE I - Gambler's Choice
TRI-STATE III - Take Your Own Line

\$ 5,000 JUMPER PRIX

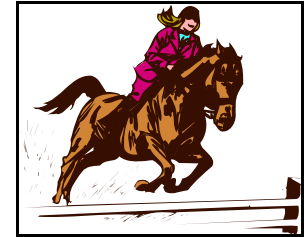
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winner to receive \$300 Breeding Fee Certificate in addition to prize money. Certificates may be won at all RMI Jumper Prix, are transferable and cumulative.

High Point JR/AO-CH/AA Jumper

"Isn't This Fun" Memorial Trophy



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Franklin, TN 1-800-799-8225

Presented to the horse who accumulates the most points in RMI jumper classes restricted to juniors or amateurs (Jr/AO or CH/AA). Horses accumulate points based on points (10,6,4,2,1,1/2) earned in classes held December 1 to November 30 as follows: only one class per section at each RMI show will count; the highest money class or the last class of the respective section when there is no prize money offered.

The winner will have the horse and owner's name engraved on the perpetual trophy, and he/she will receive a trophy replica and a new riding jacket from Judy's Tack Shop.

2005 - Apeldoorn

2008 - Fidelio

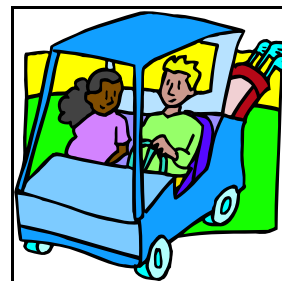
2006 - Lavaró

2009 - Kiwi

2007- Donegal

2010 -Amerikan Romance

2011 - Caviliere Noche



Golf Carts Available on show grounds:

reservations **REQUIRED**
rushshows@aol.com

Class 400 - II2(b)

Sections will be pinned with two heights together though jumping at respective heights. Combination of 5&6 or 6 & 7/8 determined by number of entries.

CLASS FEE: \$65

PRIZE MONEY: \$150,\$110,\$75,\$65,\$50,\$50

Sec A 5 Year Old Jumper - Fences 1.15m / 3'9"
Sec B 6 Year Old Jumper - Fences 1.20m / 4'
Sec C 7/8 Year Old Jumper - Fences 1.30m / 4'3"

YOUNG JUMPER CHAMPIONSHIPS -
www.youngjumpers.com

Any horse in possession of Breed Registry papers or a Nomination Certificate issued by the International Jumper Futurity in the proper year is eligible for the Young Jumper Classes. However, only those horses who are properly recorded with the Young Jumper Championships prior to competing in this class will earn points towards qualifying for the East Coast Finals. Draw reins, standing martingales, and the use of off-sets are not permitted in YJC classes. For further information, please contact YJC at ijoffice@aol.com or llallen@usa.net.



HUNTER CLASSICS

BONUS POINTS FOR HOTY and ZONE 4 AWARDS

Judged on performance and soundness, suitability and manners to count. Open numerical scoring. **Scores from second class of division will be first round score.** At least the top twelve (12) if available or 25% of the first round horses/ponies with the highest scores will return for a classic round. The first round and classic round scores will be added and placed in order of their total score; in the case of tie scores, the classic round score will decide

\$500- \$150,110,75,50,35,30,25,25

\$1000 - \$300,220,150,100,70,60,50,50

Entry fee included with division fee

351 - \$500 Pony Hunter Classic

352 - \$1000 Junior/Amateur-Owner Hunter

Entry fee \$50

356 - \$500 WIHS/NAL Child Hunter Classic

357 - \$500 WIHS/NAL Adult Amateur Hunter Classic

Hunter & Pony Hunter Breeding

Specifications found under USEF Chapter HU-12

CLASS FEE: \$50 / NO GROUNDS OR OFFICE FEE

DOUBLE SECTIONS AT ALL SHOWS

Double Best Young Horse Winner receives
\$300 Breeding Fee Certificate compliments of

Prairie Pines Sporthorses

Group 1

401 Yearling
402 Two Year Olds
403 Three Year Olds
404 Best Young Horse

Group 2

405 Yearling
406 Two Year Olds
407 Three Year Olds
408 Best Young Horse

Group 1

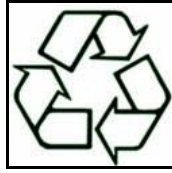
409 Pony Yearling
410 Pony Two Year Olds
411 Pony Three Year Olds
412 Best Young Pony

Group 2

413 Pony Yearling
414 Pony Two Year Olds
415 Pony Three Year Olds
416 Best Young Pony

Every little bit helps;

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RMI is offering you a way to be GREEN at the horse show and help a worthwhile charity. At the end of the show we know many of our exhibitors keep only their special ribbons and throw many in the circular file. Now you have a better option: bring your ribbons back to the office and we will pay \$.50/ribbon to the charity.

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REQUEST HUNTER/JUMPER RATE**

TRI-STATE III (Cleveland, TN) - judge Woody Dykers

Friday, April 13, 2012 - Ring 2 - 8:30am

MID-FLORIDA II (Ocala, FL) - judge Pamela Hunt

Friday, May 4, 2012 - Ring 3 - 9:00am



PUREBRED CLASSES:

- 1001 Mares-Three Years Old & Over
- 1002 Stallions & Gelding-Three Years Old & Over
- 1003 In-Hand Championship
- 1004 *Green Working Hunter Under Saddle
- 1005 *Green Working Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1006 *Green Working Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1007 *Green Conformation Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1008 *Regular Working Hunter Under Saddle
- 1009 *Regular Working Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'
- 1010 *Regular Working Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'
- 1011 *Regular Conformation Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'

HALF-BRED CLASSES:

- 1012 **Green Working Hunter Under Saddle
- 1013 **Green Working Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1014 **Green Working Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1015 **Green Conformation Hunter Over Fences- 2'/2'3"
- 1016 **Regular Working Hunter Under Saddle
- 1017 **Regular Working Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'
- 1018 **Regular Working Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'
- 1019 **Regular Conformation Hunter Over Fences-2'6"/3'

General:

Entries competing ONLY in Connemara classes have a special Stall Price of \$75 (bedding NOT included), entry not requiring a stall shall have a special Non-Stabling price of \$25. Connemara entries shall have a special Office Fee of \$25. No USHJA fees.

Entries must be serviceably sound. Emphasis is placed on manners and an appropriate way of going.

Entries may be shown as native ponies or as appropriate to their performance section. **Braiding and shoeing are optional.** No Connemara may be shown with excessively long toes. No artificial devices may be used. Connemara are not to stand in a stretched position.

Purebreds and half-breds may be combined in one class. However, if a class states that it is for purebred Connemara only, no entry registered in the half-bred division of the Registry or Stud Book may enter such class. In any in-hand class, if there are (8) eight or more Connemara and Half-bred Connemara (and a minimum of

three each), the class will be split into purebred and half-bred.

In-Hand classes:

1. Entries are to be judged on the breed standard as described in USEF CO102. Emphasis is placed on breed type, conformation, substance, quality, temperament, and way of going. Transmissible weakness and/or unsoundness are to be counted strongly against breeding stock.

2. Entries to be shown in-hand at walk and trot on the line. Only one attendant per animal is allowed in the ring. **May be shown in a halter or bridle.** Whips not to exceed 48" may be carried.

3. Championship In-hand Class: Championship and Reserve Championship will be awarded entries that have placed first or second in their qualifying classes. The Championship will be awarded to one of the horses which has placed first in a qualifying class. After the Championship has been awarded, the entry which has placed second in the qualifying class to the horse awarded the Championship shall compete with the remaining first place winners for the Reserve Championship. Should any first or second place winners in a qualifying class not compete for the Championship or be disqualified for being unsound, being unruly or not performing the class routine in the Championship class, the horse receiving the next highest ribbon in the qualifying class shall have the option of moving up for the Championship and Reserve Championship only.

Hunter Classes:

The rules of the Open Hunter Division shall apply to all Connemara and Half-bred Connemara hunter classes except:

- a. Breed Type shall be considered in Conformation classes for Purebreds
- b. Stallions may be shown in all performance classes.
- c. Adults may show ponies in all Connemara classes.
- e. Connemara Green Working Hunter classes are open to any horse in its first or second year of showing which has not shown over fences 2'3" or higher.

f. For the purpose of USEF Hunter Horse of the Year awards, points from the Purebred classes denoted with * will count; Half-bred classes denoted with ** will count.

If there are (3) three or less in a Purebred or Half-bred Connemara hunter class, the Purebred and Half-bred classes may be combined and still count for the Hunter Horse of the Year awards.

Regular 13.2 hands and under to jump 2'6"; over 13.2 hands to jump 3'. **Green** 13.2 hands and under to jump 2; over 13.2 hands to jump 2'3". All in and outs, if used, will be two strides.

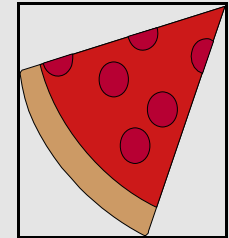
FUN and GAMES in TENNESSEE

TRI-STATE I - enjoy a bag of Kettle Korn, pick up your bag at the show office.

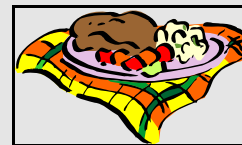


Friday Night - Exhibitor dinner and Free Concert by The Curtis Band for the whole family

TRI-STATE III
Saturday Night
Horseless Horse Show



Were you there last year? Fun and frivolity abound as we try to jump as high and smooth as our equine friends. Special guest judge and prizes. Pizza compliments of RMI. Entry fee goes 100% to Rainbow Therapeutic Riding Program.



Sunday- Exhibitor Appreciation - stop by the show office on Sunday and have something good on us.

Best Wishes for your 2012 Season from RMI

Ephesians 2:8-9

Curious? Contact us to get your personal, complimentary copy of More Than a Carpenter by Josh McDowell or pick-up a copy at the show office.

CURTIS

RMI and Hillcrest Farm LLC are pleased to present a
free concert for exhibitors
and the community

Friday, March 16, 2012
Tri-State Exhibition Center Arena
7:00pm

Exhibitor Dinner at 6:00pm
compliments of RMI

CURTIS is a Christian Rock/Worship band from Tri Cities, TN. The band was started in 2007 by front man Andy Curtis. CURTIS was able to make a name for themselves locally in a short period of time with a unique style of play, combining memorable melodies with driving guitar rock. Before long, the band was out and traveling, playing at churches and noted Christian events. Curtis (The Curtis Band) released their first self-titled record in 2007, which gained the band recognition in indie Christian music scenes around the south. The band was able to see tracks "Passion" and "Marks of the Cross" fall into success with radio rotation and being sung by several churches as part of their worship, all as an independent band. As an independent band, they travel with several ministries in efforts to make people realize the love and compassion of Christ and the salvation and restoration that can be found in him alone. Not only does the band showcase an awesome modern rock sound, they have hearts that reach people for the glory of the Lord.

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TENTATIVE SHOW SCHEDULE (as of 1/15/12) - check online regularly for updates

| 9:00 am Ring 1 | Ring 2 | 9:00 am Ring 3 |
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| <p>173 BLUE/RED 109-110-111(112) GREEN 119-120-121(122) HIGH PERF 3'9 123-124(127) PREGREEN 3' 128-129(132) PREGREEN 3'3 114-115-116(117) Performance 3'3 137 HOPEFUL U/S 135-136 HOPEFUL 2' 142 SCHOOLING U/S 140-141 SCHOOLING 2'3 147 LOW U/S 145-146 LOW HTR 2'6 152 SHOW HTR U/S 150-151 SHOW HTR 2'9 157TIP OPEN HTR U/S 155-156TIP OPEN HUNTER 3'</p> <p>Ticketed Schooling until 5:00pm</p> | <p>LIMITED NUMBER OF PADDOCKS AVAILABLE at \$75 RESERVE YOURS</p> <p>Ticketed Schooling 10:00am to 2:00pm</p> <p>2:00pm Hunter Breeding Group 1 401-404/409-412 Group 2 405-408/413-416</p> <p>Not Before 3:00pm 168-169(170) SCHOOLING PONY 2'3/2'6/2'9</p> | <p>257 Clear Round/Blue Ribbon 260 .85 -II2b 268TIP .95 -II2b 272 1.00 -II2b 273 1.00 -II2c 276 1.10 -II2b 277 1.10 -II2c 283 \$1.15 -II2b</p> <p>330 \$3000 1.25m Welcome</p> <p>FRIDAY - MARCH 16 6:00 Exhibitor Dinner 7:00 CURTIS BAND CONCERT</p> |
| 8:00 am | SATURDAY 8:00 | 8:30 am |
| <p>175 BLUE/RED 125-126 PREGREEN 3' 130-131 PREGREEN 3'3 36-37 CHILD HUNTER 3'3 (235) 233-234 EQ 15-17 3'3 (232) 230-231 EQ 12-14 3' 41-42 CH 14&U 3' 46-47 CH 15-17 3' 356 \$500 CHILD CLASSIC 246 ARIAT ADULT 236 ADULT EQ 3' 86-87 ADULT AM 18-35 3' 91-92 ADULT AM 36+ 3' 357 \$500 AD AM CLASSIC 71-72 A-O 3'3 76-77 A-O 18-35 3'6 81-82 A-O 36+ 3'6 242 WIHS-Hunter Ph 51-52 SMALL JR 3'6 61-62 LARGE JR 3'6 352 \$1000 JR/AO CLASSIC 209 OP BLUE/RED 189/184 OP LOW AD/LOW CH U/S 187-188 OP LOW AD 2'6 182-183 OP LOW CH 2'6</p> | <p>218 W-T Eq 219 W-T U/S 220 W-T Pleasure 214 XR W-T-C Eq 209 OP Blue/Red 212-213 XR Eq 194 OP Short/Long U/S 229 EQ 11-U Flat 192-193 OP Short/Long Hunter 2' 176 BLUE/RED 227-228 EQ 11-U 2'3 31-32 CHILD PONY 2'/2'6 240 USEF PONY(open) 14-15 SMALL 2'3 2-3(6) SM/MED Gr(u/s) 2'3/2'6 20-21 MEDIUM 2'6 8-9(12) LARGE Gr(u/s) 2'9 26-27 LARGE 3' 351 \$500 PONY CLASSIC</p> | <p>258 Clear Round/Blue Ribbon 261 .85 -II2b 269TIP .95 -II2b 279 Pony-Opt 1st Rnd 280 Pony - II2c 274 1.00 -II2c 308 Low Ch/AD 1m-II2b 309 Low Ch/AD 1m-II2.1 278 1.10 -II2c 311 \$CH/AA -II2c 312 \$CH/AA -II2.1 284 \$1.15 -II2.1 400 \$Young Jumper - II2b</p>  |
| 8:00 am | SUNDAY 8:00 | 8:30am |
| <p>238 AD EQ FLAT 90/95 AD AM 18-35/36+ U/S 177 BLUE/RED 237 EQ ADULT 88-89 ADULT AM 18-35 93-94 ADULT AM 36+ 75 A-O 3'3 U/S 80/85 A-O 3'6 18-35/36+ U/S 73-74 A-O 3'3 78-79 A-O 18-35 83-84 A-O 36+ 239 USEF Medal 245 ASPCA 55 SMALL JR U/S 65 LARGE JR U/S 53-54 SMALL JR 63-64 LARGE JR (40)38-39 CHILD HUNTER 3'3 (45)43-44 CHILD 14&U (50)48-49 CHILD 15-17 247 THIS CH MEDAL 248 ETHJA Junior Eq 210 OP BLUE/RED 202/205 OP LOW CH/LOW AD EQ FLAT 200-201 OP LOW CHILD EQ 2'6 203-204 OP LOW ADULT EQ 2'6</p> | <p>35 CHILD PONY U/S 178 BLUE/RED 33-34 CHILD PONY 244 WIHS PONY (open) 18 SMALL PONY U/S 16-17 SMALL PONY 4-5 SM/MED GREEN 24 MEDIUM PONY U/S 22-23 MEDIUM PONY 10-11 LARGE GREEN 30 LARGE PONY U/S 28-29 LARGE PONY 249 ETHJA Pony Eq 221 W-T Eq 222 W-T U/S 223 W-T Pleasure 217 XR W-T-C Eq 210 OP BLUE/RED 215-216 XR Eq 208 OP EQ Short/Long Flat 206-207 OP EQ Short/Long</p> | <p>259 Clear Round/Blue Ribbon 241 USEF Talent Search 243 WIHS -Jumper 262 .85 - II2b 270TIP .95 - II2b 281 Pony -II2b 282 Pony - II2b 310 Low Ch/Ad 1m -II2b CLEAR ROUND CLASS CLOSED 325 \$1000 1.0 - II2b 326 \$1,500 CH/AD - II2b</p> <p>331 \$5,000 JUMPER STAKE Tri-State I Gambler's Choice Tri-State III Take Your Own Line</p> <p><i>Tri III - TIP hunter & jumper classes are noted; check with office for qualifications at no additional cost to participate</i></p> |