

SNHSA's Vision: *To bring the joy of horse sports to as many people as possible.*



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Important Message from the President

Thank you to all who attended the first show of the season at Brownlee Equestrian in May. It was great to catch up with friends and colleagues, as well as welcoming many new members to SNHSA.

*As any of us in the horse world know all too well, the only constant is change. And with that said, I have a few changes to announce! **The Brownlee Equestrian show originally scheduled for June 15th has been rescheduled to July 13th. SNHSA has also extended the Application Deadline for the Junior Ambassador Program until the first workshop, also rescheduled for June 17th from 1 to 2 pm at Maplewood Stables.** I would like to personally encourage all of our members - not just the Junior Ambassadors - to attend the workshop, taught by Julie Winkle, on Course Design and Strategy. More details on this workshop, as well as additional upcoming clinics, are available below and on the SNHSA website.*

Finally, don't forget to send in your declaration form to be considered for a nomination to the USHJA Affiliate Hunter Divisions at the Nationals Show in Las Vegas! Last year was a one-of-a-kind experience for all of the riders that represented SNHSA, and I am so looking forward to being able to support riders nominated by SNHSA again this year. I hope you all share my excitement for the season ahead! See you at the shows!

~ Liz Reader

~ USHJA AFFILIATES CHAMPIONSHIP OPPORTUNITY ~



2019 AON/USHJA National Championship opportunity for USHJA Affiliates in 2' and 2'6" Hunter Sections

As a USHJA Affiliate Member Organization, SNHSA has the opportunity to nominate horse and rider combinations for 2' Hunter and 2'6" Affiliate Hunter sections at AON/USHJA National Champions at The Las Vegas National, CSI4*-W, to be held at the South Point Hotel, Casino, & Spa's unique Arena & Equestrian Center, Nov. 12-17.

Affiliate competitors do not have to be USHJA members, but they have to be SNHSA members.

Last year, five SNHSA members traveled to the National Championships that were held in Las Vegas. They had an experience of a lifetime. Read more about the USHJA Championships at: <https://www.ushja.org/competition/national-championship>

To be considered this year, interested riders must complete and submit a Declaration of Intent form, along with a \$25 fee.

[2019 SNHSA USHJA AFFILIATE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP DECLARATION OF INTENT form](#)

~ TACK DONATIONS WELCOMED ~

4-H Consignment Tack Sale Project

Need to make space in your tack room? Do you have any tack collecting dust? Consider donating it to benefit association opportunities and Junior Ambassador Program!

Throughout this summer, SNHSA will be collecting donations for the annual 4-H tack sale next February. This past sale, we collected a small amount of donations and raised \$417.16 for our junior ambassadors, imagine what we can do with a whole year to collect donations!

Items that will be accepted are all gently used or new tack items, ranch/horse related household items and all equine-related books and trinkets. Drop-offs will be taken at all SNHSA shows this summer and at participating barns. If you would like more information, please ask anyone on our board! We are excited to see your donations and appreciate your participation!



Upcoming Clinics (Available on www.SNHSA.org)

2019 SNHSA Clinics

The first four clinics are offered by SNHSA for the Junior Ambassadors Program and all are hosted by Maplewood Stables. A \$50 Clinic fee is required for those not registered in the Junior Ambassador Program. To view details of the clinics, go to www.snhsa.org

Jun. 17 Course Design and Strategy Clinic, hosted by Maplewood Stables, taught by Julie Winkel. Clinic fee is \$50; 1:00 to 2:00 pm, includes lunch if RSVP by June 7 by emailing Julie Winkel at jwinkel@maplewoodstables.com
[Flyer, Registration, Waiver & Release](#)

Aug. 1 Judging Clinic

Aug. 9 Conformation Clinic

Aug. 31 Mental and Physical Preparedness Clinic

Dec. 8-9 6th Annual Educational Clinic Series with Bernie Traurig

Upcoming Shows and Meetings & Quick Links (Available on www.SNHSA.org)

SNHSA Upcoming Events

June 24.....SNHSA Board Meeting, 9:30 to 11 a.m. at 4955 Energy Way, in Reno.

Contact Susan at susanhowe@gmail.com or Liz Reader at snhsa.president@gmail.com if interested in attending.

2019 SNHSA Horse Shows

June 21-23.....10th Annual Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby benefiting Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation

Website: www.fmhunterderby.com [Prize List](#) [Entry Form](#)

Points count toward SNHSA Year-End Awards if the SNHSA Special Declaration form is submitted and the \$5 SNHSA Horse fee is paid at the Registration table prior to entering the ring [SNHSA Special Declaration Form](#)

June 28-30.....8th Annual Meadow View Farms Charity Horse Show benefiting the Northern Nevada Children's Cancer Foundation

Website: www.mvfcharityhorseshow.com [Prize list](#) [Daily Schedule](#)
[Registration form](#) (Pre-registration deadline is June 21)

Derby points count toward SNHSA Year-End Awards if the SNHSA Special Declaration form is submitted prior to entering the ring
[SNHSA Special Declaration Form](#)

July 13.....Brownlee Equestrian Horse Show (Note change of date)
[Prize List & Registration Form \(prize list updated\)](#)
Pre-registration due by July 11

Quick Links

[2019 SNHSA Points](#) as of 6/1/19

[2019 SNHSA Show Calendar](#) (updated 6/10/19)

****NOTE: DATE CHANGES for next Brownlee Equestrian show and two clinics**

[2019 SNHSA Rule Book and By Laws](#)

[2019 SNHSA Rule Book Changes and Amendments \(updated 5/14/19\)](#)

[2019 SNHSA Membership Form](#)

~ Upcoming Charity Events ~

June 28-30 Meadow View Farms Charity Horse Show Benefiting the Northern Nevada Children's Cancer Foundation

Meadow View Farms
Sarah and Lynn Mullins
2600 Rhodes Road, Reno
775-745-2753 or 775-830-8979
www.meadowviewfarms.biz



2018 \$1,500 Hunter Derby Champion
Andrew Jayne & Sumiko

The countdown is on for the **8th Annual MVF Charity Horse Show**, June 28-30 and we can't wait to see you all there! We are thrilled to welcome judges **Dianne Grod and Melissa Kalember!**

We are looking forward to **Friday's Jumper Team Relay, Saturday's Jumper Derby, and Sunday's Hunter Derby**, along with all of your favorite SNHSA rated divisions!

Our Friday night cocktail party and Saturday night dinner is once again catered by Liberty, and our Brunch is once again

donated by The Cup Cafe!

The website is now live so be sure to visit www.mvfcharityhorseshow.com to find all of the paperwork you need for sponsorships, tables, and tickets to all of your favorite special derby classes. We look forward to seeing you all at the show!

[Website](#)
[Prize List](#)
[Schedule](#)
[Registration form \(June 21 pre-entry deadline\)](#)



2018 \$1,500 Jumper Derby Relay winners
- Nerd Alert Team



2018 \$1,500 Jumper Derby winner Sammy Rothman & Cora Z

Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby

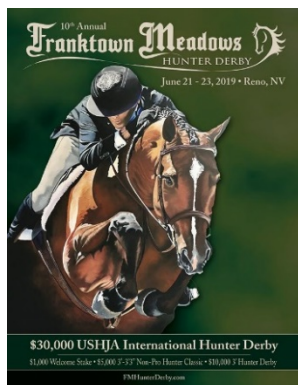
4200 Old US Hwy 395 N., Washoe Valley

775-722-4261

www.fmhunterderby.com

www.franktownmeadows.com

JUNE 21-23; The 10th Annual Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby Benefiting Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation



The Only Standalone Hunter Derby in the Country

The Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby's exclusive setting showcases the tradition and horsemanship of Show Hunters in a way not often seen at today's horse shows. The Show Hunter Hall of Fame voted the Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby as one of the top six hunter derbies in the country for 2016, 2017 and 2018.

A Charitable Event

Each year, the Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby raises funds and brings awareness to select local charities. Water and Rails, the non-profit hosting this event, has contributed more than \$400,000 to charity since its inception in 2005, and is proud to direct its proceeds for this year to the following beneficiary:



Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation is the leading global organization funding type 1 diabetes (T1D) research. Their strength lies in their exclusive focus and singular influence on the worldwide effort to end T1D. Type 1 diabetes is an autoimmune disease that strikes both children and adults

suddenly. It has nothing to do with diet or lifestyle. There is nothing you can do to prevent it. And, at present, there is no cure.

Family Entertainment

An uncompromising spectator experience for all ages. The Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby's spacious park-like setting, coupled with delightful cuisine and enticing vendors, keeps every family member content as they watch some of the best horses and riders compete.

Incomparable VIP

The Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby has a longstanding tradition of creating a new VIP look and feel each year. This sophisticated, yet inviting space, offers a prime opportunity to network with clients, mingle with business heads, community leaders, and equestrians.

Purchase Tickets

Visit www.FMHunterDerby.com for all event info!

Sponsorship Opportunities

The Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby delivers winning assets and tailored solutions to meet each partner's unique marketing objectives. Branding opportunities for partners can include customized jumps, product placement in the ring and in hospitality areas, in-arena signage, charity alliance programs and special exhibitions ensuring your brand is recognized as a true supporter of top national competition.

Contact

Aimee LaFayette at FMHunterDerby@gmail.com | (775) 722-1699 to learn how you or your business can be a part of the event's 10th anniversary!



Jenny Karazissis and Big Shot

The SNHSA Member and Communications Committee updated and improved their website, www.SNHSA.org, last season. Please check it out!



Important information:

- Current points compilation
- Current season SNHSA Rule Book and 2019 amendments
- Sponsorship information and forms
- Forms (membership, special declaration, formal complaints, Medal and Challenge Cup Bio forms)
- National, regional and local resource links
- Clinics offered locally

Available items include:

- **A horse show and event evaluation survey** for you to provide feedback regarding any SNHSA-sanctioned show during the season. *(Your feedback will help to either reinforce what was good at the shows, or with constructive criticism or comments, it will help to improve events/shows for the future.)*
- **Upcoming prize lists and clinic registration forms in calendar and list formats**
- Compilation records of past Year-End Points records, trophy, Medals and Challenge Cup Tournament winners, Year-End Banquet programs, and Newsletters
- Contact form to ask the Board questions, inquire or comment
- Photos courtesy of Create Memories, Josh Brownlee and Genesis Ell Photography

~ 2019 SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES ~

2019 SNHSA SPONSORSHIPS

SNHSA sponsors are the life-blood of our organization, and we are looking for YOU! Please consider sponsoring a division this year! Sponsorships start at \$250.

[2019 SNHSA Division Sponsorship Form](#)

The Sierra Nevada Horse Show Association (SNHSA) is an organization that promotes quality schooling and related equestrian competitions in Northern Nevada. In order to continue with this mission, the organization seeks sponsors for 27 sanctioned divisions, Medals and Junior Ambassador-sponsored programs. By becoming a sponsor, you and/or your business will receive numerous marketing benefits throughout the show season in the form of public announcements, banner placement opportunities at sanctioned events, and logo placement in the monthly newsletter depending upon the Sponsorship level chosen.

Champion Sponsor



Shadowwood Farm Saddle Club
Special Hunter

Blue Ribbon Sponsor

Mercer Family
Mini Hunter

Classic Sponsors



Chase International
Equitation 13 & Under



Pair of Aces Stables
Low Child/Adult Amateur Jumper



Balance Point Training
Level 1 Jumper



Meadow View Farms
Children's/Adult Amateur Modified Hunter



Franktown Meadows Equestrian Facility
Pony Hunter



Breakaway Farms
SNHSA Jr/Am Challenge Cup



Brownlee Equestrian
Equitation 14-17

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