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Message from SNHSA

Hello Everyone,
This weekend features 2 show venues, AJA Equine and wild card SNHSA Benefit, as well as a chance to increase points, both with SNHSA and USHJA! If you've already signed up with USHJA, you are on your way to earning USHJA points and a chance to earn logo wear or attend USHJA Nationals in November!

Those who competed at the Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby will be rewarded with 1.5 times the normal SNHSA points (if they filled out a Special Declaration form) and those points will be revealed later this month after the Jumper Divisions Benefit points are tallied.

Be sure to check out our free educational clinic on Foal Handling & Ground Work offered next Saturday, July 16, at Genesis Equestrian! More information is listed below. It's free and you can win some free Hunter/Eq Benefit classes just for attending!

Hope to see you at the show this weekend!

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2022 USHJA OUTREACH PROGRAM UPDATE

2022 USHJA Outreach Program

SNHSA has chosen to participate in The USHJA Outreach Program, and our local shows will now be recognized by USHJA in their outreach program! We have submitted points from the June 11-12 Brownlee Eq show, as well as Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby . If you are a USHJA Outreach member and have your horse registered, you are already receiving points!

Each Zone (we are Zone 10) will offer year-end awards at Gold, Silver and Bronze levels. Points accrue for USHJA Outreach in Equitation, Hunter and Jumper divisions, as follows. Note that this is a different point system than the SNHSA points system and will not affect SNHSA year-end points or awards.

1st place – 10 points, 2nd place – 6 points, 3rd place – 4 points, 4th place – 2 points, 5th place – 1 point, 6th place – ½ point

What should you do:

1. Compete in classes at local SNHSA shows.
2. Become an Outreach member (or higher) on or before the first day of competition to accrue rider points. **Membership is free. See links below**
3. Register your horse with USHJA for points to be tracked. To become a member of the Outreach Program, Horse Registration is $20 for an Annual Recording, or $75 for a Lifetime Recording. **See links below.**

SNHSA has raised its horse fee to $10 to cover show fees and expense per horse that USHJA requires to administer the program regardless of individual SNHSA OR USHJA member participation.

Membership Form
Online Membership Link
Horse Registration Form
Online Horse Registration Link

2022 UPCOMING SNHSA SHOWS and EVENTS

July 8.....AJA Equine Horse Show
Prize list and Registration Form
*(Pre-registration deadline is **Wednesday, July 6 at 7 pm***
Fillable Registration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary)
EHV Declaration Form
(Proof of EHV Vaccination in past 6 months and EHV Form required. Use this form for the SNHSA Jumper Benefit Show.)
FILLABLE EHV Declaration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary. Use this same form for the SNHSA Jumper Benefit Show.)

July 9-10.....SNHSA Jumper Divisions Benefit Horse Show
Prize list and Registration Form
*(Pre-registration deadline is **Wednesday, July 6 at 7 pm***
Fillable Registration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary)
EHV Declaration Form
(Proof of EHV Vaccination in past 6 months and EHV Form required. This is the same form as for the AJA Equine Horse Show)
FILLABLE EHV Declaration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary. This is the same form for the AJA Equine Horse Show)

SNHSA Challenge Cup Tournament Registration Form
SNHSA Challenge Cup Tournament Fillable Registration Form
Drawing for Order of Go requires a Challenge Cup Bio sheet to be completed
CHALLENGE CUP BIO SHEET
FILLABLE CHALLENGE CUP BIO SHEET
SNHSA Pro/JR-AM Speed Derby Registration Form
SNHSA Pro/JR-AM Speed Derby Fillable Registration Form

SPECIAL NOTE FOR SNHSA MEMBERS: *For points to count from participation in the Challenge Cup Tournament and Speed Derby, a completed SPECIAL DECLARATION FORM must be submitted prior to entering the arena for the division. The form must specify the division to allocate earned points.. Without the completed form, points will not be awarded.. The completed form also provides 1.5 times the normal point value.*
SNHSA SPECIAL DECLARATION FORM for Challenge Cup Tournament
SNHSA SPECIAL DECLARATION FORM for the Speed Derby

SNHSA Educational Clinic Series

Foal Handling & Ground Work Clinic
Saturday, July 16, 9 a.m. to noon
Hosted by Genesis Equestrian, 13945 N. Red Rock Rd., Reno, NV 89508
For more information:
Elizabeth Lacroix (775) 781-9617
lacroixel@yahoo.com

SNHSA offers its second 2022 educational clinic, Foal Handling & Ground Work, taught by Elizabeth Lacroix. This is a FREE clinic and each attendee will receive a raffle ticket toward "free 2022 SNHSA Hunter/Eq Benefit classes."

Elizabeth Lacroix has been breeding, raising and handling foals since 2003, when she worked at the Ramsey Stud farm as a teenager. Now she breeds between two to five mares a year producing quality sport ponies and arabian sport horses. Her gentle and effective approach to foal handling and training yields excellent results in the youngest stages of a foals development, setting them up for future success in the show ring, at home and in the breeding pen.

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Click for Foal Handling flyer

Aug. 13-14.....Ironwood Events Center Schooling Show
Prize list and Registration Form *(2 classes added)*
*(Pre-registration deadline is **Wednesday, Aug. 10 at 7 pm***
***Earlier registrations will be vey much appreciated**)*
Fillable Registration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary)
EHV Declaration Form
(Proof of EHV Vaccination in past 6 months and EHV Form required)
FILLABLE EHV Declaration Form
(Save to device. Click on saved document, fill it out, email it to show secretary. Use this same form for the SNHSA Jumper Benefit.)

Points as of 6/13/22
2022 SNHSA Show Season Calendar
(as of 6/23/22)

TELL US WHAT YOU THINK!

Win Free Classes

As SNHSA members, **your input is very important to us.** We are interested in any issues concerning our organization, the prizes offered, the information we disseminate, the rules, etc. Surveys offer a way to tell us what we are doing right OR what might need to improve!
All feedback is requested, whether positive or negative. Your responses will be shared with the board to assist in future planning; however, your contact information will not be shared with show managers or Board members if you check the box for anonymity. We request your name and a valid email address on the survey, but the SNHSA secretary is the only person who will have the contact information.
There are **two new surveys** on the snhsa.org webpage: snhsa.org/ surveys/

- 2022 SNHSA General Satisfaction Survey *(complete only once)*
- 2022 SNHSA Show Evaluations *(complete one for each show)*

At the 2022 SNHSA Year-End Awards, to be held Jan. 14, 2023, three lucky people will win 3 FREE classes for the SNHSA 2023 Hunter-Jumper-Equitation Benefit shows just for filling out at least one of our 2022 SNHSA surveys! The more Show Evaluation surveys completed, the better your chance at winning, as each completed 2022 Show Evaluation Survey provides one raffle chance. With 13 scheduled shows for the 2022 season, each person could earn 13 raffle chances from show evaluations. A completed 2022 General Satisfaction Survey will also earn a person one chance. In all, 14 total chances can be earned!
Surveys must be completed by Dec. 31, 2022 to be considered for the raffle.

SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT

Sponsor Spotlight on Genesis Equestrian

Division Sponsor of Level 2 Jumper

Genesis Equestrian offers boarding, training, lessons, sales and has a quality breeding program producing champion Welsh ponies and Arabian sport horses. We specialize in hunter/jumpers but all disciplines are welcome to board!

How long has your facility been in existence? What prompted you to start this business?
Elizabeth Lacroix started Genesis Equestrian in 2004 when she turned 18 showing in Arabian breed events and later in the open hunter/jumper world. Elizabeth wanted to offer a barn where sportsmanship, friendship, fun and a focus on horsemanship was accessible to every horse lover who wanted to learn.

Can you tell me something interesting about your business?
Genesis Equestrian is the only hunter/jumper barn in northern Nevada and only one of 5 on the west coast that offers a hunter/jumper program that has a focus on the Arabian horse! We travel all over the west coast to compete with other Arabian and Arabian cross horses and ponies in hunter/jumper events, even making a trip or two to the AHA Sporthorse National competitions!

Anything else you would like to share?
"We at Genesis are very excited to also be the home for the 501(c)3 non-profit Nevada Equestrian Outreach (NEO) foundation! A non-profit focusing on the healing powers of horses and military veterans suffering from PTSD. NEO is unique to the entire country as the only equestrian based veteran focused non-profit in the USA to offer its services to female veterans only. It is also staffed exclusively by females."

Where are your stables located?
13945 N. Red Rock Rd., Reno, NV 89508

What is your contact information should someone want to call you or email you for questions or even orders/service?
Elizabeth Lacroix, 775-781-9617
lacroixel@yahoo.com
https://www.facebook.com/genesiseq

SNHSA LOCAL BARN NEWS

Balance Point Training

Juci Somogyi, trainer
2955 Rhodes Rd., Reno, NV 89521
(775) 233-6274
http://www.balancepointtraining.com/

Balance Point Training hosts clinic with Angelo Telatin

Balance Point Training will host a clinic with Angelo Telatin July 29-31 at their facility, 2955 Rhodes Road, in south Reno. The clinic begins Friday afternoon with a lecture, and ride times on Saturday and Sunday. Ride times will be announced as the clinic fills. Contact Juci Somogyi at 775-233-6274 for more information. Cost is $325 for all three days or $25 for the Friday lecture only.

Angelo Telatin is an associate professor at Delaware Valley University Equine Science and Management department and one of only 54 British Horse Society Fellows in the world. This qualification, only awarded to those considered to be reliable ambassadors of the sport, is described by the BHS as "the jewel in your equestrian crown." He also has a master's degree "Laurea" from the University of Padua, one of the most prestigious universities in Europe. For his final thesis in Equine Behavior, he explored "The Comparison between Equine Training Techniques and the Psychology of Learning" and a PhD in Equine Behavior and training. This unique life experience allowed him to fuse the academic discoveries in animal communication with horse training techniques into a new and powerful training tool: Conscious Horsemanship.

Telatin has personally won and coached many students to win numerous championships in show jumping. He is the head coach for the Delaware Valley college Intercollegiate Dressage Team (IDA) and he prepares riders for regional and national competitions where they have won many individual and team medals.

Participants remark that his approach to horses pinpoints what has previously been the "missing link" in their horses' training because his teaching is easy to understand and applicable to every riders' abilities and daily riding practices. His approach features no gimmicks and no new training techniques, just sound horsemanship.

Whether you have an issue with loading your horse in the trailer, issues with riding, issues with handling your horse safely while working in hand, issues when jumping, issues with clipping your horse, the list goes on...Angelo can help! He is happy to work with show jumpers, dressage riders, trail riders, eventers and anyone who wants to improve their relationship with their horse.

SNHSA LOGOWEAR!

SNHSA Logowear available

As a result of survey feedback, the first logowear item is available for purchase. A royal blue Sport-Tek Ladies sport-wick textured 1/4 zip pullover with the SNHSA logo is available for purchase at our local shows or by contacting any SNHSA board member! We have a new supply of akk sizes! We will have these available at the next SNHSA show, at Pair of Aces, for sale at the registration desk. Cost is $40 each.

Thank you to SNHSA SPONSORS

2022 Sponsorships

Year after year, SNHSA provides quality Year-End Awards to its members. The association counts on sponsors to provide the ability to be able to purchase and provide these awards. Please consider sponsoring as a Friend, or being a Division Sponsor, Blue Ribbon Sponsor, or a Title Sponsor for one of SNHSA's Benefit weekends. SNHSA also seeks donations in the form of donations or in-kind contributions. If you are a member rider, parent of a rider or friend of a rider, please think about business contacts you have in the area and maybe you could reach out to them to ask for support for your sport!

Sponsors are announced at each horse show, in each e-newsletter, at the Year-End Awards Banquet and on the snhsa.org website.

2022 SNHSA Sponsorship Levels
2022 SNHSA Sponsorship form
2022 SNHSA Fillable Sponsorship form (Save to device, fill out, email to SNHSA)
2022 SNHSA Sponsorship Online Form (pay online using credit card; a convenience fee is added)

2022 Blue Ribbon Sponsor

American National, Cameron McSweeney Agency

Insurance for Farm, Business, Home, Auto
Sponsor of 13 & Under Equitation and Kindergarten Jumper
https://an.insure/cameronmcsweeney

2022 Division Sponsors

Tahoe Equine Rehab and Conditioning Center
Sponsor of Pre-Training Jumper
https://www.TahoeEquineRehab.com

Shade Concepts, Inc.
Sponsor of Pony Jumper
https://www.shadeconceptsinc.com

Franktown Meadows Equestrian Facility
Sponsor of Children's Pony Hunter
https://franktownmeadows.com

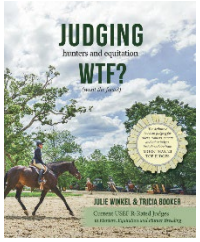
AJA Equine
Sponsor of Equitation 14-17
https://www.ajaequine.com

Franktown Meadows Riding Academy
Sponsor of Long/Short Stirrup Hunter
https://franktownmeadows.com/riding-academy

Breakaway Farms
Sponsor of Mini Hunter
https://www.breakawayfarmsnv.com

Genesis Equestrian
Sponsor of Level 2 Jumper
Facebook page @genesiseq

Equivont
Sponsor of Low Child/Adult Amateur Jumper
https://www.equivont.com



Judging Hunters and Equitation WTF? (Want The Facts?)
Sponsor of Special Hunter
https://www.judgingwtf.com/

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Sponsor of Puddle Jumper
https://constellationtreats.com

McCormack Plastic Surgery
Sponsor of Level 3 Jumper
www.plasticsurgeryrenotahoe.com

SEE SHOW RESULTS ON HORSESHOWTIME.COM

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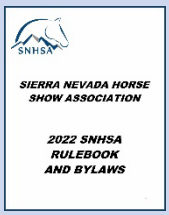
2020-2021-2022 SEASON SHOW RESULTS

Beginning August 2020, SNHSA show secretaries started using horseshowtime.com to organize show registration, show management and show results.
Go to horseshowtime.com and search by year, month, and show for results by rider, horse, class, number, owner or trainer.
The following 2021-2022 SNHSA shows are available:

2022
July 9-10.....SNHSA Jumper Divisions Benefit Horse Show (upcoming)
July 8.....AJA Equine Horse Show (upcoming)
June 24-26.....Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby
June 11-12.....Brownlee Equestrian Horse Show
May 29-30.....Maplewood Stables Horse Show Benefiting "GoodToKnow Horses"
May 14-15.....Brownlee Equestrian Horse Show
April 23-24.....Pair of Aces Stables Horse Show
Dec. 11-12.....Meadow View Farms Charity Christmas Classic benefiting NNCCF

2021
Apr. 24-25.....Ironwood Events Center 2-day horse show
June 19-20.....Brownlee Equestrian 2-day horse show
June 25-27.....Franktown Meadows Hunter Derby
Oct. 9-10.....Pair of Aces Stables Horse Show
Oct. 16-17.....Franktown Meadows 2-day Schooling show
Nov. 6.....Ironwood Events Center Horse Show
Nov. 6-7.....SNHSA Jumper Division Benefit & Medal Finals

2022 RULEBOOK UPDATE



Attention SNHSA members!

The **2022 SNHSA Rule Book changes and amendments** has been updated and is available online. The links below will also access the change document and the 2022 Rulebook.
Updates to the 2022 season include

- SNHSA Challenge Cup Tournament fence height rules per team (updated 4/29/22)
- 2022 Board members and officers (updated 5/16/22)
- the addition of a new Pony Jumper division
- discontinuance of Special Rule Allowances for the 2020-21 seasons
- change of member and non-member fees
- points policies
- refine fence heights of Challenge Cup and Speed Derby to match corresponding divisions for Special Declarations

2022 SNHSA Rulebook changes and amendments *(updated 5/16/22)*
2022 SNHSA Rulebook and By Laws, updated 5/16/22, available on the SNHSA.org website

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