

# Hear the Beat Horse Shows

2010

Sanctioned by Blue Ridge Horse Force



Proceeds benefit

## HOOFBEATS

Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc.

May 16, 2010

June 6, 2010

September 12, 2010

at the

Virginia Horse Center

East Complex Arena

in Lexington, Virginia

Judge: TBD

Announcer: Molly Moore

Coordinators: Deborah Work  
& Carol Branscome



Horse Show: 9:00 a.m.

Virginia  
Horse Center  
Lexington, VA

# Hear the Beat Horse Show

## TENTATIVE TIME SCHEDULE

\$8 per entry. All entries must be checked in with the announcer prior to the start of each class. Tack changes will be accommodated.

\*Denotes BRHF sanctioning

### SUNDAY MORNING - EAST COMPLEX - 9:00 AM

1. Model Hunter\*
2. Leadline\*
3. Independent Therapeutic - walk\*
4. Independent Therapeutic - walk/trot\*
5. Beginner Hunter Rider - walk/trot\*
6. Beginner Hunter Rider - walk/trot/canter\*
7. Youth Hunter Pleasure - walk/trot\*
8. Youth Hunter Pleasure - walk/trot/canter\*
9. Adult Hunter Pleasure - walk/trot\*
10. Adult Hunter Pleasure - walk/trot/canter\*
11. Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony - walk/trot\*
12. Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony - walk/trot/canter\*
13. Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony - 18" crossrails\*
14. Beginner Hunter Rider - 18" crossrails\*
15. Youth Hunter Pleasure Hack - walk/trot/canter - (4) 2' fences\*
16. Adult Hunter Pleasure Hack - walk/trot/canter - (4) 2' fences\*
17. Hopeful Hunter Horse/Pony - (4) 2'3" fences\*
18. Hopeful Hunter Horse/Pony - (4) 2'3" fences\*
19. Hopeful Hunter on the Flat\*
20. Youth Open Hunter Equitation on the Flat\*
21. Adult Open Hunter Equitation on the Flat\*
22. Open Pleasure-Go As You Please-(all breeds of horses, ponies & mules)
23. Open Pleasure-walk/trot-(all breeds of horses, ponies & mules)
24. Open Pleasure-walk/trot/canter-(all breeds of horses, ponies & mules)
25. 4-H & Pony Club Class

## FOR ACCOMMODATIONS

Go to [www.horsecenter.org](http://www.horsecenter.org)

or

Call the hotel of your choice

SUNDAY AFTERNOON - EAST COMPLEX  
NOT BEFORE 1:00PM

26. Showmanship\*
27. Model Western\*
28. Leadline\*
29. Beginner Western Rider - Go As You Please\*
30. Junior Horse Western Pleasure - Go As You Please - youth/adult\*
31. Senior Horse Western Pleasure - Go As You Please - youth/adult\*
32. Beginner Western Rider - walk/jog\*
33. Junior Horse Western Pleasure - walk/jog - youth/adult\*
34. Senior Horse Western Pleasure - walk/jog - youth/adult\*
35. Beginner Western Rider - walk/jog/lope
36. Junior Horse Western Pleasure - walk/jog/lope - youth/adult\*
37. Senior Horse Western Pleasure - walk/jog/lope - youth/adult\*
38. Stockseat Equitation - Go As You Please\*
39. Stockseat Equitation - walk/jog\*
40. Stockseat Equitation - walk/jog/lope\*
41. Flag Race\*
42. Pole Bending\*
43. Cloverleaf Barrels\*
44. Keyhole Race\*

Bedding and hay must be purchased from the Stable Office!

JOIN US FOR ALL 3 SHOWS

Ride for End of Series Prizes

Overall High Point Horse/Rider - \$100.00

Overall High Point Gymkhana Horse/Rider - \$50.00

Prize & Money given at the final series show  
on September 12, 2010



# ACTHA

AMERICAN COMPETITIVE TRAIL HORSE ASSOCIATION

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## THE VIRGINIA STATE COMPETTIVE TRAIL CHALLENGE

VIRGINIA HORSE CENTER, LEXINGTON, VIRGINIA

SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 2010 (raindate June 27)

**This event includes six miles of trails with challenging judged obstacles at the Virginia Horse Center. This event is pointed with ACTHA and offers hills, woods, water and cross country.**



**All participants must register online to participate!**

**Ribbons for 1st-6th Place**

**Limited to first 100 riders**

**BENEFITING**



**For additional information visit:**

**[www.actha.us](http://www.actha.us)**

**or**

**[www.hoof-beats.com](http://www.hoof-beats.com)**

**email: [chinook@rockbridge.net](mailto:chinook@rockbridge.net)**



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THERAPEUTIC RIDING**

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# Show & Class Sponsorship Form

Benefitting

Hoofbeats Therapeutic Riding Center

Sunday May 16, June 6 and September 12, 2010

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Choice of class you wish to sponsor: English/Western/Gymkhana  
Sponsorship Includes all Three Shows

Check your choice:

- \$25.00 for each class sponsored. Name will appear in show program and announced during the sponsored class  
# of classes Total: \$\_\_\_\_\_
- \$200.00 to sponsor 10 classes. Includes free full page ad, name to appear in show program and announced during sponsored class. (attach business card)
- \$25.00 business card ad (1/4 page, attach business card)
- \$40.00 1/2 page ad (attach copy)
- \$75.00 whole page ad (attach ad copy)
- \$125.00 Hunter Trophies\* (includes 1/2 page ad)
- \$125.00 Western Trophies" (includes 1/2 page ad)
- \$\_\_\_\_\_ Donation (Name listed in Program)

\*Trophy sponsors receive full page ad in the program, "sponsored by" listing and/or web listing on HTRC website/ad in HTRC Newsletter and name announced throughout the show. (attach copy)

Make checks payable to: Hoofbeats Therapeutic Riding Center

HTRC

PO Box 979

Lexington, Virginia 24450

YOUR SUPPORT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!

# DIVISIONS

## Leadline Division

Open to all young riders. Riders registered with the BRHF earn points without consideration of the horses. This is the only division where points are not awarded on horse rider pairs. In other words any horse may be used at any show. All leadline participants that are members of BRHF will receive participation ribbons at the awards banquet.

## Independent Classes

The Hear the Beat Horse Show offers Model Hunter and Model Western, classes. Youth Open Hunter Equitation on the Flat\* and Adult Open Hunter Equitation on the Flat\*.

## Hunter Division

**Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony:** Consists of three classes: Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony Walk/Trot, Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony Walk/Trot, Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony over 18" cross rails. In each particular division, a horse will be considered a beginner for 12 months from the first date of show (i.e. Feb./Jan). If a horse/rider moves up from beginner level before the one-year expiration, he/she cannot return to beginner status. **An entry in this class may not show in any other over fences class at the same show (except Hunter Hack), and may not cross enter to Beginner Hunter rider.** Once a horse/rider combination wins Beginner Hunter Horse/Pony Division they may not win the division another year.

**Hunter Pleasure:** Consists of three classes: Hunter Pleasure Walk/Trot, Hunter Pleasure Walk/Trot/Canter, Hunter Hack with two 2' fences. There will be an adult division and youth divisions. Judged as a performance class.

## Hunter Equitation Division

**Beginner Hunter Rider:** Consists of three classes: Beginner Hunter Rider Walk/Trot, Beginner Hunter Rider Walk/Trot/Canter, Beginner Hunter Rider 18" cross rails. To be judged as an equitation Class. Intended for riders of any age beginning their show experience. Riders may not show in any other over fences class at the same show (Except Hunter Hack). Rider will be considered a beginner for 12 months from the first date of show (i.e. Feb./Jan) in any discipline. If a rider moves up from beginner level before the one-year expiration, he/she cannot return to beginner status. **Riders cannot cross enter to Beginner Horse/Pony.** If a rider or their family or trainer does not feel after the one-year status they are ready to safely move up to Intermediate Hunter Rider, they may appeal to the BRHF board to extend their beginner status for another year. To appeal contact the BRHF board president. Once a rider wins Beginner Hunter Rider Division they may not win the division another

## **Hunter Equitation Division, (continued)**

### **Hopeful Hunter Horse/Pony Division**

For horses and ponies. Consists of three classes: 2 jump courses of fences not to exceed 2'3" and an under saddle class. Once a horse/rider wins Hopeful Hunter Division they may not win the division another year. Judges as a performance class.

### **Therapeutic Riding Division**

These two divisions are open to riders of any age who are currently enrolled in a therapeutic riding program. A rider in either of these divisions may not cross enter in any other division at the same show. As with other classes, riders wishing to be eligible for year end awards must be members of the BRHF. Therapeutic riders may cross enter into the following classes - Model, In-Hand Trail, Showmanship and costume.

### **Therapeutic Rider with Assist Division**

Assist shall be defined as any manner of assist including one spotter, one headwalder, and two sidewalkers. Riders will not be penalized as to size or manner of assist team. This division consists of two classes. Therapeutic Rider with Assist - Walk, and Therapeutic Rider with Assist - Walk/Trot.

### **Independent Therapeutic Rider Division**

These riders have no assist present inside the arena. This division consists of two classes: Independent Therapeutic Rider - Walk, and Independent Therapeutic Rider - Walk Trot.\*

### **Open Division**

Consists of four classes: Open Pleasure - Go As You Please, Open Pleasure - Walk/Trot, Open Pleasure - Walk/Trot/Canter, and Open Pairs. Open to all breeds of horses, ponies and mules. Judged on manners, performance, quality and suitability at a walk, trot (jog), and canter (lope). Must stand and back.

### **4-H and United States Pony Club Division**

Consists of one class open to current members of either a 4-H or U.S. Pony Club. Judged on manners, performance, quality and suitability at a walk, trot (jog), and canter (lope). Must stand and back.

Ribbons will be awarded through sixth place.

Trophies will be awarded to division champions.

## **DIVISIONS (continued)**

### **Western Division**

Beginner Western Rider: Consists of three classes: Beginner Rider Western Pleasure Walk/Jog, Beginner Rider Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope, Beginner Rider Western Pleasure Go As You Please (no racking). Judged as a performance class. Intended for riders of any age beginning their show experience. Riders to be considered beginners for twelve months from their first show date in any discipline.

Youth Rider /Junior Horse Western Pleasure: Consists of three classes: Western Pleasure Walk/Jog, Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope, Western Pleasure Go As You Please. Judged as a performance class.

Youth Rider /Senior Horse Western Pleasure: Consists of three classes: Western Pleasure Walk/Jog, Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope, Western Pleasure Go As You Please. Judged as a performance class.

Adult Rider /Junior Horse Western Pleasure: Consists of three classes: Western Pleasure Walk/Jog, Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope, Western Pleasure Go As You Please. Judged as a performance class.

Adult Rider /Senior Horse Western Pleasure: Consists of three classes: Western Pleasure Walk/Jog, Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope, Western Pleasure Go As You Please. Judged as a performance class.

Stock Seat Equitation: Consists of three classes: Stock Seat Equitation Go As You Please, Stock Seat Equitation Walk/ Jog, Stock Seat Equitation Walk/ Jog/Lope.

## **ENTRY BLANKS**

Entry blanks, can be found at [www.horsecenter.org](http://www.horsecenter.org) under the show date or at [www.hoof-beats.com](http://www.hoof-beats.com) or by contacting Deborah Work at 540-464-2953 or email [dwork@horsecenter.org](mailto:dwork@horsecenter.org).



## Gymkhana Division

Consists of four classes, riders can be any age.

**Cloverleaf Barrel:** Three barrels, 1st and 2nd barrel must be a minimum of 30' from timing line and 15' from side fences. 3rd barrel must be minimum 30' from back fence. 5 second penalty per barrel knocked down.

**Pole Bending:** Six poles, first pole 21' from timing line, 21' spacing between poles. 5 second penalty per pole knocked down

**Flag Race:** Rider starts holding small flag, races to end of arena, switches flags with one placed in a bucket atop a barrel approximately 30' from end of arena. Rider must travel around barrel, disqualified if flag is dropped or exchange not made.

**Keyhole Race:** (poles) Enter the keyhole between four (4) poles which are six (6) feet apart in width and ten (10) feet apart in length. Reverse and return to starting line between the poles. Poles start 80 feet from the starting line. Knocking over a pole will be a five (5) second penalty. Off course is a disqualification.

## DEFINITIONS

**Beginner Rider:** Rider will be considered a beginner for 12 months from the first date of showing in any discipline. Note: changing disciplines does not restart the 12 month clock.

**Beginner Horse/Pony:** In each particular division, a horse will be considered a beginner for 12 months from the first date of showing. Note: a horse changing divisions between English and western or vice-versa can be shown as a beginner for 12 months in the new division.

**Youth Rider:** Rider who is 17 years and under as of January 1.

**Adult Rider:** Rider who is 18 and over as of January 1.

**Junior Horse:** Horse that is 5 years of age and under as of January 1.

**Senior Horse:** Horse that is 6 years of age and over as of January 1.

**Pony:** Horse that is 14.2 hands and under.

## CONTACT

For entry blanks, questions or more information, please contact Deborah Work at 540-464-2953 or email [dwork@horsecenter.org](mailto:dwork@horsecenter.org).

## **RULES**

This show is sanctioned by the Blue Ridge Horse Force (BRHF). You must be a member PRIOR to this show in order to be eligible to receive their points. Please see their web site at [www.brhf.com](http://www.brhf.com) for a complete list of rules and regulations.

You do NOT have to be a member of BRHF or the Virginia Horse Shows Association in order to participate in any part of this show.

Upon arrival at each show, all exhibitors must leave at the show office a copy of a current negative Coggins report for each horse brought on the grounds.

Stalls will be available from 12:00 Noon the day before the show until the close of show for \$25 per stall. Anyone without a stall will be charged a \$10 grounds fee per horse.

Schooling will be allowed in the East Complex Arena until 7:30 a.m. the day of the show and in the Barn 7 arena throughout the show.

The Judge's decision will be final.

Show management reserves the right to combine classes with less than three entries.

Show management reserves the right to bar any animal, exhibitor or spectator from the show grounds for improper behavior.

Proper show attire, including footwear, is requested.

For your safety, ASTM-approved helmets are requested in all classes. They are REQUIRED in all over fences classes.

The Virginia Horse Center, Hoofbeats Therapeutic Riding Center, Inc., Hear the Beat Horse Show officials and staff, and the Blue Ridge Horse Force will not be held responsible for any accident or loss that may occur to any exhibitor, spectator, groom, or animal at the show.

Early entry credit of \$5.00 per horse will be given to FULLY COMPLETED and PAID entries received prior to the Wednesday before each show date. All early entries should be mailed to: VHC, ATTN: D Work, 487 Maury River Road, Lexington, VA 24450

The Horse Show Office is located in the East Complex. It will be open one hour before the start of the show day and will remain open until the close of the show. The Horse Show Office telephone number is 540-464-2992.

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Post Office Box 979  
Lexington, VA 24450

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