

"Little Gasparilla"

March 6-7, 2026



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An ASHBA Star  
Rated Show

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USEF American Saddlebred & Half Saddlebred rules will be  
used for competition

**“Little Gasparilla”**

**March 6-7, 2026**

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## “Little Gasparilla”

### Rules & Regulations

In the event a rule needs to be clarified the horse show manager will act as steward.

All exhibitors are required to thoroughly acquaint themselves with all federal and state laws governing horses and horse shows.

### Entries

Entries close February 11, 2026. Entries must be made on the official entry blank or on line at [www.horseshowsonline.com](http://www.horseshowsonline.com). One horse per entry form. The complete name and address of the registered owner must appear on the entry form. Entries may be mailed or emailed. Payments may include an open check, credit card information or a check for all fees. **IMPORTANT: STALL FEES WILL BE CHARGED WHEN ENTRIES ARE ACCEPTED. If you enter online – stall fees will be charged when back numbers are assigned; please submit the correct credit card information when making your online entries – refunds will not be issued. If you enter via email – stall fees will be charged when back numbers are assigned. If you enter via mail – please submit a check (or checks) for your stall fees; if you submit credit card information with mailed entries – stall fees will be charged when back numbers are assigned.**

### Stabling and arrival information (IMPORTANT FOR 2026)

- You may start to set up after 8am on Tuesday March 3
  - Horses may arrive Wednesday March 4 for an additional charge of \$50.00 per horse.
- Thursday March 5 - there is no additional charge to move in on Thursday; it is included in the cost of the stall
- All horses, stabled on the show grounds must pay a stall fee; if you bring a horse onto the grounds before Sunday March 8 – you will be charged a stall fee for “Little Gasparilla” \$150.00 (even if you are not showing that horse at “Little Gasparilla”)

### Refund Policy

Refund requests received prior to the closing of entries will be made in full; except for the \$50.00 office fee. Refund requests made after the closing date must be received prior to March 6 the request must be on a veterinarian's letterhead. If the above is complied with, a refund of entry fees will be made. Stall fees will not be refunded.

### Feed and Bedding

All feed and bedding orders must be placed and pre paid with the Florida State Fairgrounds Horse Show Office 813 740 3500. **Link to online ordering:** [Shavings - Florida State Fair](http://Shavings - Florida State Fair) ([www.floridastatefair.com/equestrian/shavings/](http://www.floridastatefair.com/equestrian/shavings/))

### Health Certificates and Coggins Test

State Law mandates that each exhibitor be in possession of a negative Coggins test conducted within the past 12 months on each horse at the show. All out of state horses must possess a health certificate issued by a veterinarian within 30 days of the show with temperature recording on each animal. It is the exhibitor's responsibility to be familiar with the rules regarding horses in the state of Florida.

### RV Parking

Water and electrical hookups will be available to exhibitors. Please make reservations by calling the Florida State Fair Authority—Security Division. 813 621 7821, ext. 268.

### Limit Horse or Rider Rule

First place ribbons won in any under saddle class count towards Maiden/Limit/Novice status in any under saddle class but do not count towards the status in driving classes. First place ribbons in any driving class count towards the status in driving classes but do not count towards the status in riding classes.

### Show Ring

All entries are advised to come to the warm up ring prior to their class and check in with the paddock master. The gate to the show ring will be closed two minutes after the first entry enters the ring. The show ring will be closed one hour prior to each session. Please check in the office for times for ring maintenance.

### Horse Show Facilities

The shows are held in the Charlie Lykes Arena at the Florida State Fairgrounds. The ring dimensions are 125' x 247' and the footing in both the show ring and the warm up ring is dirt, sand and sawdust. Dogs must be on a leash at all times.

### Miscellaneous

The "Little Gasparilla" Horse Show reserve the right to decline and exhibitor and/or exhibitor's horses before the show and the right to order any exhibitor and/or exhibitor's horses from the premises without being held liable for damages of any kind and this shall be accepted as a condition of entry. In this event, all fees paid shall be forfeited.

"Little Gasparilla", its management, sponsors, employees or independent contractors will be responsible for any article of any kind or nature that is lost, destroyed, or stolen, nor liable for any injury sustained to horses, exhibitors, spectators or employees

### Fees:

Horse and Tack Stalls    \$160.00  
Early Arrival -Horse Stalls only; arrival Wednesday March 4  
\$50.00 per stall  
Box Seats (6 seats) \$200.00  
Office fee per show horse \$50.00  
Office fee per academy rider \$50.00

\*Horses arriving prior to Sunday March 8 who are not showing at "Little Gasparilla"  
Will be required to order and pay for a stall for "Little Gasparilla" \$150.00

**Sheraton Tampa Brandon**

**Host Hotel**

**10221 Princess Palm Ave, Tampa FL 33601**

**813 246 7119**

**Link to Horse Show Room Block**

[Reservation-Link](#)





## Little Gasparilla Horse Show

March 6-7, 2026

### Tentative Schedule

#### **Friday 10:00am**

1. WTC Training Class
2. Saddle Seat Equitation WT 12 & Under
3. Roadster Pony Stake
4. ASB Walk/Trot Pleasure 12 & Under
5. ASB Three Gaited Country Pleasure Adult
6. ASB Three Gaited Show Pleasure Adult
7. ASB Western Country Pleasure
8. Open Pleasure Driving
9. ASB Hunter Country Pleasure
10. Hackney Pony Park Pleasure Driving Stake
11. Morgan Western Pleasure
12. ASB Country Pleasure Driving
13. Open Western Pleasure
14. ASB Park Pleasure
15. Open Pleasure WT Any Age/Any Breed
16. ASB Show Pleasure Driving
17. TBA

#### **Friday 6:30pm**

18. ASB Fine Harness Stake
19. ASB Three Gaited Show Pleasure Jr. Exhibitor
20. Roadster Under Saddle Stake
21. ASB Five Gaited Show Pleasure
22. Roadster Pony Under Saddle
23. Morgan Hunter Pleasure
24. Hackney Pony Stake
25. ASB Three Gaited Amateur/Jr. Exhibitor
26. Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under
27. ASB Three Gaited Stake
28. Open English Pleasure
29. ASB Park Pleasure Driving Stake
30. TBA
31. ASB Five Gaited Amateur/Jr. Exhibitor
32. Harness Pony Stake
33. ASB Three Gaited Park Open
34. Morgan English Pleasure
35. TBA
36. ASB Three Gaited Show Pleasure Veteran Horse
37. Hackney Pony Pleasure Driving Stake
38. ASB Three Gaited Park Amateur/Jr. Exhibitor

39. ASB Three Gaited Country Pleasure Jr. Exhib.
40. Roadster to Bike Stake
41. ASB Five Gaited Stake

#### **Saturday 10:00am (Academy)**

42. Lead Line (Walk only all blue)
43. WT Equitation on the Lead
44. Show Rider WTC
45. Showmanship Adult WTC
46. Equitation Adult WTC
47. Showmanship 14-17 WTC
48. Equitation 14-17 WTC
49. Showmanship 13 & Under WTC
50. Equitation 13 & Under WTC
51. Showmanship 14 & Over WT
52. Equitation 14 & Over WT
53. Showmanship 11-13 WT
54. Equitation 11-13 WT
55. Showmanship 9-10 WT
56. Equitation 9-10 WT
57. Showmanship 7-8 WT
58. Equitation 7-8 WT
59. Showmanship 6 & Under WT
60. Equitation 6 & Under WT
61. Hunt Seat Showmanship 14-17 WTC
62. Hunt Seat Equitation 14-17 WTC
63. Hunt Seat Showmanship 13 & Under WTC
64. Hunt Seat Equitation 13 & Under WTC
65. Hunt Seat Showmanship 14 & Over WT
66. Hunt Seat Equitation 14 & Over WT
67. Hunt Seat Showmanship 11-13 WT
68. Hunt Seat Equitation 11-13 WT
69. Hunt Seat Showmanship 10 & Under WT
70. Hunt Seat Equitation 10 & Under WT
71. Western Seat Showmanship WJL Any Age
72. Western Seat Showmanship WJL Any Age
73. Western Seat Showmanship WJ Any Age
74. Western Seat Equitation WJ Any Age
75. Academy Showmanship Driving
76. Novice Rider WT Showmanship Any Age/Any Seat
77. Novice Rider WT Equitation Any Age/Any Seat

**Saturday 6:30pm**

- 78. Academy WTC Stake
- 79. Academy WT Stake

**Saturday 7:00pm**

- 80. ASB Hunter Country Pleasure Stake
- 81. Saddle Seat Equitation WT 12 & Under Stake
- 82. WTC Training Class Stake
- 83. ASB Country Pleasure Driving Stake
- 84. ASB Walk/Trot Pleasure 12 & Under Stake
- 85. ASB Show Pleasure Driving Stake
- 86. Open Western Pleasure Stake
- 87. ASB Five Gaited Show Pleasure Stake
- 88. TBA
- 89. Open Pleasure WT Any Age Stake
- 90. ASB Three Gaited Am/Jr Exhib. Stake
- 91. Morgan Western Pleasure Stake
- 92. ASB Western Country Pleasure Stake
- 93. ASB Park Pleasure Stake
- 94. ASB Three Gaited Show Pl. Jr. Exhib. Stake
- 95. Roadster Pony Under Saddle Stake
- 96. ASB Three Gaited Country Pl. Jr. Exhib. Stake
- 97. Open Pleasure Driving Stake
- 98. Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under Stake
- 99. ASB Three Gaited Park Am/Jr. Exhib Stake
- 100. ASB Three Gaited Show Pl. Veteran Horse Stake
- 101. ASB Three Gaited Country Pl. Adult Stake
- 102. Morgan Hunter Pleasure Stake
- 103. Open English Pleasure Stake
- 104. ASB Three Gaited Park Stake
- 105. Morgan English Pleasure Stake
- 106. ASB Three Gaited Show Pl. Adult Stake
- 107. ASB Five Gaited Am/ Jr. Exhib. Stake

**It is not necessary to qualify for any Stake Class in any Division**

**American Saddlebred Division**

**Five Gaited Section**

31. Five Gaited Amateur/ Junior Exhibitor Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
41. Five Gaited Stake Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
107. Five Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening

**Three Gaited Section**

25. Three Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
27. Three Gaited Stake Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
90. Three Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening

**Fine Harness Section**

18. Fine Harness Stake Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening

**Show Pleasure**

6. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Amateur Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Morning
16. Show Pleasure Driving Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Morning
19. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Jr. Exhibitor Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
21. Five Gaited Show Pleasure Entry Fee \$55.00  
Friday Evening
36. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Entry Fee \$55.00  
Veteran Horses 11 & Over  
Friday Evening
85. Show Pleasure Driving Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening
87. Five Gaited Show Pleasure Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening
94. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Jr. Exhib. Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening
100. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Entry Fee \$65.00  
Veteran Horses 11 & Over Stake  
Saturday Evening
106. Three Gaited Show Pleasure Amateur Stake Entry Fee \$65.00  
Saturday Evening

**Country Pleasure**

5. Three Gaited Country Pleasure Amateur Friday Morning	Entry Fee \$55.00
7. Western Country Pleasure Friday Morning	Entry Fee \$55.00
9. Hunter Country Pleasure Friday Morning	Entry Fee \$55.00
12. Country Pleasure Driving Friday Morning	Entry Fee \$55.00
39. Three Gaited Country Pleasure Jr. Exhibitor Friday Evening	Entry Fee \$55.00
80. Hunter Country Pleasure Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00
83. Country Pleasure Driving Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00
92. Western Country Pleasure Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00
96. Three Gaited Country Pl. Jr. Exhib. Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00
101. Three Gaited Country Pl. Amateur Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00

**Park Pleasure**

14. ASB Park Pleasure Friday Morning	Entry Fee \$55.00
29. ASB Park Pleasure Driving Friday Evening	Entry Fee \$55.00
93. ASB Park Pleasure Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00

**Park**

33. Three Gaited Park Open Friday Evening	Entry Fee \$55.00
38. Three Gaited Park Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Friday Evening	Entry Fee \$55.00
99. Three Gaited Park Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00
104. Three Gaited Park Stake Saturday Evening	Entry Fee \$65.00



## **Roadster Division**

### **Roadster Horse**

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|---|-------------------|
| 20. Roadster Under Saddle Stake<br>Friday Evening | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 40. Roadster to Bike Stake<br>Friday Evening      | Entry Fee \$55.00 |

### **Roadster Pony**

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| 3. Roadster Pony Stake<br>Friday Morning                 | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 22. Roadster Pony Under Saddle<br>Friday Evening         | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 95. Roadster Pony Under Saddle Stake<br>Saturday Evening | Entry Fee \$65.00 |

## **Hackney/Harness Division**

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| 10. Hackney Pony Park Pleasure Driving Stake<br>Friday Morning | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 24. Hackney Pony Stake<br>Friday Evening                       | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 32. Harness Pony Stake<br>Friday Evening                       | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 37. Hackney Pony Pleasure Driving Stake<br>Friday Evening      | Entry Fee \$55.00 |

## **Morgan Horse Division**

### **Morgan English Pleasure**

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| 34. Morgan English Pleasure<br>Friday Evening          | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 105. Morgan English Pleasure Stake<br>Saturday Evening | Entry Fee \$65.00 |

### **Morgan Western Pleasure**

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|---|-------------------|
| 11. Morgan Western Pleasure Open<br>Friday Morning    | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 91. Morgan Western Pleasure Stake<br>Saturday Evening | Entry Fee \$65.00 |

### **Morgan Hunter Pleasure**

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| 23. Morgan Hunter Pleasure<br>Friday Evening          | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| 102. Morgan Hunter Pleasure Stake<br>Saturday Evening | Entry Fee \$65.00 |

### **Equitation Division**

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|---|-------------------|
| 2. Saddle Seat Equitation Walk/Trot 12 & Under  | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Morning                                  |                   |
| 26. Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under           | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Evening                                  |                   |
| 81. Saddle Seat Equit. Walk/Trot 12 & Un. Stake | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening                                |                   |
| 98. Saddle Seat Equitation 17 & Under Stake     | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening                                |                   |

### **Miscellaneous Division**

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|---|-------------------|
| 1. WTC Training Class   | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Horse cannot have shown in more than 6 classes in the past 3 years. |                   |
| Friday Morning  |                   |
| 4. ASB Walk/Trot Pleasure 12 & Under                                | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Morning  |                   |
| 8. Open Pleasure Driving  | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Morning  |                   |
| 13. Open Western Pleasure   | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Morning  |                   |
| 15. Open Walk/Trot Pleasure Any Age/Any Breed                       | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Morning  |                   |
| 28. Open English Pleasure   | Entry Fee \$55.00 |
| Friday Evening  |                   |
| 82. WTC Training Class Stake  | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Horse cannot have shown in more than 6 classes in the past 3 years. |                   |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |
| 84. ASB Walk/Trot Pleasure 12 & Under Stake                         | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |
| 86. Open Western Pleasure Stake                                     | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |
| 89. Open Walk/Trot Pleasure Any Age/Any Breed                       | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Stake   |                   |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |
| 97. Open Pleasure Driving Stake                                     | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |
| 103. Open English Pleasure Stake                                    | Entry Fee \$65.00 |
| Saturday Evening  |                   |



To be determined  
Class 17, 30, 35, 88  
Classes may be purchased for \$150.00  
Contact Mary Jo Schmidt 813 785 7433  
John Lampropoulos 603 770 1884

### **Academy Division**

Entry Fee in all Academy classes \$50.00

Entries will close at noon on Friday

To qualify for the Championship you must have been entered, shown and judged in at least one academy class in the division.

- 42. Lead Line (Walk only all blues)
- 43. WT Equitation on the Lead
- 44. Show Rider WTC
- 45. Showmanship Adult WTC
- 46. Equitation Adult WTC
- 47. Showmanship 14-17 WTC
- 48. Equitation 14-17 WTC
- 49. Showmanship 13 & Under WTC
- 50. Equitation 13 & Under WTC
- 51. Showmanship 14 & Over WT
- 52. Equitation 14 & Over WT
- 53. Showmanship 11-13 WT
- 54. Equitation 11-13 WT
- 55. Showmanship 9-10 WT
- 56. Equitation 9-10 WT
- 57. Showmanship 7-8 WT
- 58. Equitation 7-8 WT
- 59. Showmanship 6 & Under WT
- 60. Equitation 6 & Under WT
- 61. Hunt Seat Showmanship 14-17 WTC
- 62. Hunt Seat Equitation 14-17 WTC
- 63. Hunt Seat Showmanship 13 & Under WTC
- 64. Hunt Seat Equitation 13 & Under WTC
- 65. Hunt Seat Showmanship 14 & Over WT
- 66. Hunt Seat Equitation 14 & Over WT
- 67. Hunt Seat Showmanship 11-13 WT
- 68. Hunt Seat Equitation 11-13 WT
- 69. Hunt Seat Showmanship 10 & Under WT
- 70. Hunt Seat Equitation 10 & Under WT
- 71. Western Seat Showmanship Any Age WJL
- 72. Western Seat Equitation Any Age WJL
- 73. Western Seat Showmanship Any Age WJ
- 74. Western Seat Equitation Any Age WJ
- 75. Academy Showmanship Driving
- 76. Novice Rider WT Showmanship Any Age/Any Seat
- 77. Novice Rider WT Equitation Any Age/Any Seat

**Entries close Friday**

**12:00 pm (NOON)**



### **Academy Stake—Saturday 6pm**

- 78. WTC Championship
- 79. WT Championship



## **UPHA Chapter 16 Academy Rules & Regulation**

The Academy division is for those riders and/or drivers who have never shown in an “A” circuit show.

**Helmets are required for ALL riders in compliance with the 2009 congressional helmet law.**

**AGE & DIVISION:** Membership to the Florida State High Point Program is required for all riders wanting to compete in the Academy classes. A rider’s age for the competition year is determined on December 1st the preceding year.

**CLASS RULES:** Headers are allowed in if needed for safety, no towels or whips allowed in with them. Classes will be split at the 13<sup>th</sup> rider. Splits will be shuffled to keep equitation and showmanship back to back (i.e.: 1a, 2a, 1b, 2b). Class holds will be 2 minutes in length. **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Holds must be requested 15 minutes before the academy session/show begins. Gate times will be strictly enforced and as one class exits the next will promptly be called. Horses will individually enter and exit the arena for each class, unless an exception granted by UPHA President or Vice-President.

**ACADEMY HORSES:** Horses in academy classes **MUST** be a lesson horse regularly used in a professionally operated lesson program. The horses must display safety characteristics accordingly. Horses will be excused from the competition for unsafe behavior such as going too fast for a rider to handle. ***Horses are not to be judged, and must be serviceably sound.*** No farm/barn affiliation should be visible on the horse, tack, or rider.

**TURN OUT:** Required is a plain shod horse, 1 therapeutic pad and or wedge allowed. No saddle seat mane braids or artificial appliances are to be used. Hoof blacking and hunter braiding is optional. Any protective leg wraps, knee boots, bell boots, splint boots are allowed, but must be similar color to the horse’s body color (i.e., no white wraps allowed unless the horse’s body is white).

**ACADEMY EQUITATION:** Judged on the rider’s basic equitation skills with correct diagonals and leads, proper use of ring is considered.

**ACADEMY SHOWMANSHIP:** Judged on the rider’s horsemanship abilities. It is judged on the rider’s ability to control and show his/her horse. The rider’s command of the horse, for example, speed, collectiveness, and placement in the ring is to be considered. Walk-trot riders should not be penalized for incorrect diagonals. For walk-trot-canter riders, promptness in finding the correct leads and diagonals is important.

**WALK/TROT ON THE LINE CLASS:** Riders are to be judged on form and presentation style. Walk-Trot riders will enter the ring at a walk, be judged on the rail as a group at the walk both directions of the ring. The class will line up. Each rider and leader will individually trot down one long rail, reverse and trot back, and return to the line-up. Trainers may designate a temporary header in the line-up should he/she need to run with another of the riders. In equitation classes diagonals will count, trainers may help with diagonals. In showmanship class, diagonals will not count. If a show only has one Walk/Trot lead line class on the schedule, it is to be conducted as an equitation class.

**NOVICE CLASSES:** For each age division and for riders who have not received 3 blue ribbons in any and all academy divisions (except Lead Line classes).

## **TACK AND APPOINTMENTS:**

**SADDLE SEAT:** Tack: Horses may be shown in a snaffle bridle with a running martingale or German martingale, Pelham, or double bridle, no draw reins allowed. Saddles must be a cutback English saddle. No tie downs, side/over checks, standing martingales, or blinkers are allowed. Attire: Jodhpurs, jodhpur boots or paddocks boots, long sleeve button-down or collared shirts, tie and gloves are required. Vests are optional, no derbies allowed. Riding whip and non-roweled spurs are optional. Long hair must be secured back in a bun or braid(s).

**HUNT SEAT:** Tack: Horses may be shown in a snaffle bridle with or without a running martingale or German martingale, Pelham or double bridles are allowed, no draw reins are allowed. Saddles must be hunt seat saddles. No tie downs or blinkers are allowed, standing martingales for over fences classes are permitted. Attire: Breeches, an appropriate hunt seat shirt, hunt boots, paddock boots, or black half chaps with black paddock boots and gloves are required. Riding crop and non-roweled spurs are optional. Long hair must be secured back in a bun or braid(s).

**WESTERN:** Tack: Horses may be shown in a snaffle bridle with or without a running martingale with two hands or a single curb bit bridle with one hand. Saddles must be western saddles. No tie downs, standing martingales, or blinkers are allowed. Attire: Jeans or pants, a western style shirt, jodhpur, paddock or western boots and gloves are required. Chaps and Western hats are not allowed. "Polo" shirts are not allowed. Whips and non-roweled spurs are optional. Long hair must be secured back in a bun or braid(s).

**DRIVING:** Tack: Any 2 wheeled vehicle is allowed. Any work or show harness and cart may be used as long as it is in good working condition. Attire: Any academy attire is appropriate or you may wear pleasure driving attire. Glasses or goggles and gloves are required. Driving whip is optional. Instructor may ride along with the driver; however, no instruction can be given.

## **ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE IN THE ACADEMY PROGRAM**

Riders and drivers who have competed in any "show riders," USEF, Star Rated, A-Circuit type classes at any show in any discipline are ineligible to compete in the Academy program and must register FSHPP Performance Division program (exception: "A-circuit" level riders may compete in Academy driving classes, also "A-circuit" level drivers may compete in Academy riding classes).

Academy riders/drivers may participate in any open breed schooling shows and still be eligible to compete in UPHA Chapter 16 Academy classes and earn FSHPP points as long as these guidelines are followed:

1. If you compete in Academy W/T, you **can not** canter at any other shows.
2. If you compete at a schooling show in dressage, you must only compete in Intro level tests, and not in a jacket. Above Intro level, you are considered an "A-Circuit" rider, even if it is at a schooling show.
3. If you compete at a schooling show in hunter/jumper classes they must be considered "short" stirrup or "long" stirrup classes.
4. You must submit a copy of the prize list of the schooling show to FSHPP within 14 days of the competition, with the Show Secretary's contact information for verification of the results.

\*\*\*Please direct all questions to horse show manager or the UPHA Chapter 16 representative\*\*\*  
Krystle Lee 813-459-3312 [krystle@suncoaststable.com](mailto:krystle@suncoaststable.com)



### **You can do your entries on line**

We are offering online entries through [www.horseshowsonline.com](http://www.horseshowsonline.com)

Below are the instructions to enter online

### **What you need:**

A free account at Horse Shows Online. If you don't already have an account you can create one at [www.horseshowsonline.com](http://www.horseshowsonline.com). Horse Shows Online basic membership is free. A record in your account for each person and horse that you will use on show entry forms when you enter a show. Records will be saved and can be used for future shows.

### **How do I get started:**

Login to Horse Shows Online at [www.horseshowsonline.com](http://www.horseshowsonline.com), click on the member services button on the main menu. Once you are logged in click the "My Horses, People, Shows" button in the member menu. At the People, Horses, Shows page, add any new people and horses to your account as required on the appropriate tab (ie: My People, My Horses). People and horses are saved with your account. Once you have those records in your account you can use them at every show you enter.

Click the "Enter Show" button to select the show you want to enter and follow the steps in the outline entry wizard.

### **Steps to enter a show**

Select the show you want to enter from your "My People, Horses, Shows" page on the My Show Entries tab, or find the show you want to enter in the show selector and click the Online Entry Icon. This will start the online entry wizard. Make sure you have already created the horses and people in your member account.

The online entry wizard will guide you through the steps to complete the entry form. The basic steps in the wizard are:

Select the horses, people and riders for your entry

Select the classes each rider is entered in

Select the quantity for stalls and other fees

Confirm your selections

Checkout and submit the show entry

The final step generates the completed entry form and submits your entry to the show for review and acceptance. If the show requires a payment at entry time you will be prompted for your credit card information.

### **Tips**

You can cancel the entry part way through the wizard and resume the entry later on. For example, if you need to add more people to your account, or just want to come back and complete the entry later.

Unfinished entry forms are listed in your "My entries" tab and will allow you to edit the entry.

People and horses you create in your account are saved permanently and can be used in other shows you enter. You only need to add people and horses once and then can be re used.