MHA
Hunter/Jumper
Gold Cup

Sunday, October 16, 2022

Sequoia Arena
in Joaquin Miller Park, Oakland

Judge: Christy Onoda

Show Secretary:
Kathy Dunn: (510) 531-3268

Show Manager: Nia Wilkes
MHAEastBay.Events@gmail.com

Pre-entries due by Wednesday, October 12

Spectators welcome!
All MHA shows are free and open to the public

All ages, horse & rider
Halloween Costume Contest
CASH PRIZES

Sequoia Arena is located at
10013 Skyline Blvd., Oakland

www.mhaoakland.org

The Metropolitan Horsemen’s Association
PO Box 2734
Oakland, CA 94602-0034

Metropolitan Horsemen’s Association
Serving the East Bay Equestrian Community since 1938
**Show Guidelines & General Information**

- Sequoia Arena is located in the Oakland Hills in Joaquin Miller Park, surrounded by pine trees. The climate is almost always temperate; it can be foggy. The arena is standard with sand and dirt, and the warm-up area is also sand and dirt. There are bleachers next to the arena. This is an outdoor arena, so weather is a factor in determining if the show will be held.

- Trailer parking is in the meadow amongst the Redwoods. We will have parking assistance for you. Please be sure to park close to (but at a safe distance from) other rigs so there is room for everyone. Please see the parking directive in this prize list.

- **Show begins at 9:00 am.** The main arena opens at 8:00 am for warm up, but no fences are to be jumped. Warm-up fences will be available in the warm-up area and our warm-up classes will help you get going. Lungeing is permitted in the warm-up area only if there are no riders present.

- Classes will be split by age if entries warrant and may be canceled or combined if fewer than three entries.

- Riders may request higher fence heights at the end of the Jumpers and Equitation Over Fences.

- **Awards:** Ribbons to 5th place. Prize to 1st place in each class with three or more entries. Ribbons to Champion and Reserve Champion of overall Jumper and Hunter Equitation divisions. Best Halloween Costume CASH prize(s) to horse and rider pairs in Jumpers and Hunter Equitation.

- Riders and trainers may walk the course between 8:00 am and 9:00 am and quickly during jump crew height adjustments.

- Warm-up classes do not count toward the Division Championship and will not be judged. Riders may receive sideline coaching assistance and will have a 2-minute maximum to complete the posted course.

- **Entry Fee:** $22 per class per pre-entry; $25 per class at the show. There is also a mandatory $14 drug fee per horse. **Pre-entries are due by Wednesday, October 12.**

- Scratches refunded with certificate from doctor/veterinarian.

- This show is being held to support the activities of MHA and the stewardship of Sequoia Arena. MHA Membership is required to compete—or you may choose to pay a non-member fee of $12/day. October membership sign-ups include 2022 and all of 2023.

- Informal, but neat and clean attire. ASTM-SEI approved helmet and riding boots are required at all times for mounted riders. Halloween costumes are optional yet encouraged!

- **Bring your own water buckets!** Due to health risks, we will not have a community water trough. Water and a hose will be available.

- Please CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR HORSE and take manure with you.

- This is a City of Oakland Park; please conduct yourself accordingly. **Dogs must be leashed at all times.**

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**Champions will be awarded in each division.**

*The Best Sportsmanship Award will be given to the rider who had the most thoughtful rides and best horsemanship on the ground and in the saddle.*

**JUMPER DIVISION (to begin at 9:00 am)**

Warm-up round and Power & Speed (PS) are over the same course. Table 2b (T2) is over a different course and clear rounds will remain in the arena for immediate jump-off. Classes 2 and 4 (.60m & .70m) will be partially timed after a certain fence.

1. Warm-up .60m
2. .60m Jumpers PS – partially timed
3. Warm-up .70m
4. .70m Jumpers – partially timed
5. Warm-up .80m
6. .80m Jumpers PS
7. .80m Jumpers T2
8. Warm-up .90m
9. .90m Jumpers PS
10. .90m Jumpers T2

**Placements will be announced at the end of the Jumpers Divisions.**

1. Lead Line Equitation – Open to riders 6 years & under; english or western.
2. Halloween Costume Contest Class – for all horse & rider entries. (2) Cash prizes to be awarded to the best costumes. All riders and horses with costumes to enter the arena for judging.

**LUNCH**

**HUNTER EQUITATION DIVISION (to begin at or after 11:00 am)**

Warm-up classes will not be judged. Riders to line-up in the ring for the ribbon ceremony following their flat classes.

**Equitation on the Flat**

13. Equitation – Walk/Trot – Open
14. Equitation – Walk/Trot/Canter – under 18
15. Equitation – Walk/Trot/Canter – Open

**Equitation Over Fences**

Horse may be entered more than once in the same class with a change of rider(s).

16. Walk/Trot – Pile of Poles (Open)
17. Walk/Trot/Canter – Crossrails (18 & under)
18. Walk/Trot/Canter – Crossrails (Open)

19. Warm-up - Pile of Poles
20. Pile of Poles
21. Warm-up Crossrails
22. Crossrails
23. Warm-up 2' 24. 2'
25. Warm-up 2'3" 26. 2'3"
27. Warm-up 2'6" 28. 2'6"
29. Warm-up 2'9" 30. 2'9"
Liability Release

The undersigned exhibitor and signing parent or guardian, owner and trainer hereby:

1.  Agrees to release the management of this show, Metropolitan Horsemen's Association, their officers, directors, employees, members, or agents, and the City of Oakland, the owners or managers of the grounds where this event is held, from any loss, damage, liability or injury arising out of or resulting from this show or the exhibitor's participation or entry therein; and

2.  Agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend the management of this show, Metropolitan Horsemen's Association and the City of Oakland against any and all claims for loss, damage, liability or injury, however caused, resulting directly or indirectly from exhibitor's entry or participation in this show or from acts or omissions of exhibitor or exhibitor’s agents; and

3.  Acknowledges that activities with and around horses and horse shows involve inherent risks which are understood by the persons signing and are expressly assumed; and

4.  In event of injury to Exhibitor or Exhibitor’s animals, permission is hereby granted to management for emergency medical treatment; and

5.  Gives MHA permission to publish, copyright and use pictures and videos taken of Exhibitor and Exhibitor’s animals for promotional purposes.

Read and Agreed By:

Rider’s Signature ______________________________________ Date _________________

Address ____________________________________________________________________

City, State, Zip ______________________________________________________________

If Minor, Parent or Legal Guardian MUST sign this release:

I, the undersigned parent or guardian of the above child, agree that the terms and conditions of this release of liability shall be binding as to damage or injury to my minor arising out of his/her participation. I acknowledge that I have read this release of liability and know and understand its contents.

Parent (printed) ______________________________________ Date: _________________

Parent Signature: __________________________________________________________

Trainer (printed) _______________________________________Date _________________

Trainer Signature __________________________________________________________

Owner (printed)  _______________________________________Date _________________

Owner Signature  __________________________________________________________

Emergency contact (printed) ________________________________________________

Relationship ______________________________________________________________

Contact number _____________________________________________________________

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MHA ENTRY FORM

Please use a separate entry blank for each horse/rider combination

Horse’s Name______________________________________________________________

Rider’s Name _____________________________________________________________

Owner ___________________________________________________________________

Trainer ___________________________________________________________________

Rider’s Phone _____________________________________________________________

Rider’s Email Address _____________________________________________________

Rider is (please check one)  □ Professional  □ Amateur  □ Junior (age:____)

Class Numbers you are entering:

Jumpers __________________________________________________________________

Hunters __________________________________________________________________

Entry Fee: $22 per class pre-entry; $25 per class at the show;

Total Number of Classes Entered:  __________  x  $22 = $ ________________

Total Number of Classes Entered:  __________  x  $25 = $ ________________

Mandatory Drug Fee (per horse): ($14) $ ________________

MHA Member?  □ Yes  □ No  MHA Non-Member Fee: ($12) $ ________________

MHA Membership: (include membership form with entry) $ ________________

□ Check (Payable to MHA)  TOTAL: $ ________________

□ Paypal (www.paypal.me/MHAOakland)

Please add note “MHA Gold Cup 2022.” Friends & Family please.

For Office Use Only

Pre-entries due by Wednesday, October 12
email to: vistatck@pacbell.net
or mail to Kathy Dunn, Show Secretary
13223 Clairepointe Way
Oakland CA 94619
(must bring signed releases to the show)
MHA Annual Membership Form

Sign up October through December and your membership runs through December 2023. Terms of membership are for one year, from January 1 through December 31. This is your chance to make a difference! Your membership entitles you to a members-only discount on your entry fees at MHA shows. Please join us—help maintain Sequoia Arena and campaign for equestrians in our community.

Type of Membership:  
☐ New  ☐ Renewal
☐ $35 Family  ☐ $25 Individual  ☐ $15 Junior  ☐ $15 Senior (65/over)

Would you like to give a donation?  
☐ Trail Fund $  ☐ Sequoia Arena Fund $

Member Names  
____________________________________________________________________   ________________  
____________________________________________________________________   ________________  
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Address: ____________________________________________________________

City/State/Zip _______________________________________________________

Telephone __________________________________________________________

E-mail ______________________________________________________________

Where do you board your horse? _________________________________________

I plan to attend/support these activities (check all that apply)
☐ Clinics  ☐ Dressage Shows  ☐ Western Shows
☐ Playdays  ☐ Schooling Shows  ☐ Equestrian Advocacy
☐ English Shows  ☐ Lectures  ☐ Other
☐ Social Activities  ☐ Work Parties/Arena Help  ☐ Other
☐ Lectures  ☐ Fund Raising  ☐ Other
☐ Events  ☐ Graphics  ☐ Other
☐ Marketing  ☐ Work Parties/Arena Help  ☐ Other

What services can you volunteer?
☐ Events  ☐ Fund Raising  ☐ Other
☐ Graphics  ☐ Work Parties/Arena Help  ☐ Other
☐ Marketing  ☐ Other

Payment Option:  
☐ Check Enclosed  ☐ PayPal (www.paypal.me/MHAOakland)

Note: If you are making your payment via PayPal, you can send this form via email to MembershipMHA@gmail.com.

Please send this form with your check to:

**Metropolitan Horsemen’s Association**  
Membership  
P.O. Box 2734  
Oakland CA 94602-0034

For office use:  
Check# ___________________  
Amount $ ________________  
Received ________________

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