

# 7<sup>TH</sup> Annual East Coast Open Show Circuit

## April Premier Open Horse Show

April 24-25, 2010

\*\*\* 2-DAY ALL-BREED FUN SHOW \*\*\*



Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center • Williamston, NC

### Divisions:

Western Pleasure – Working Western – Huntseat – Field Hunter – Saddleseat – Driving –  
Off The Rail<sup>NEW</sup> – Non-Trotting – Halter – Dressage Suitability – Miniature Equine<sup>NEW</sup>

### Utility & Specialty Classes:

Trail – Showmanship – Most Colorful – English Equitation<sup>NEW</sup> – Western Horsemanship<sup>NEW</sup> –  
Hunter In Hand<sup>NEW</sup> – Over Fences<sup>NEW</sup> – Interim Walk-Trot

### Participating in:

Paint Alternative Competition Program (PAC) • North Carolina Quarter Horse Association (NCQHA) Open Show Awards Program • Virginia Quarter Horse Association (VQHA) Open Show Program • American Morgan Horse Association (AMHA) Open Competition Program • Appaloosa All-Breed Activities Program (ACAAP) • Arabian Horse Association Open Event Incentive Program (OEIP) • World Class Miniature Horse Registry (WCMHR) Recognized<sup>NEW</sup> • Central Virginia Paint Horse Club Open Show Program (CVPHC)<sup>NEW</sup> • ASB World & Region 9 Championship Qualifier<sup>NEW</sup>

### ALL EQUINES WELCOME

Appaloosas – Arabians – Buckskins – Hackneys – Miniatures – Morgans – Mules – Non-Trotting Breeds – Paints – Palominos – Paso Finos – Peruvian Pasos – Quarter Horses – Saddlebreds – Saddle Horses – Walking Horses – Thoroughbreds – Unregistered Horses/Ponies – Warmbloods – Welcome All!

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Please read and become familiar with the following program, as these rules will apply throughout the show.

*Rule Book*

See the ECOSC Rule Book for Complete Class and Division Definitions and Descriptions, Cross Entry Rules, 2010 Circuit Information, and Show Rules and Regulations. The Rule Book is online at [www.eastcoasthorses.com](http://www.eastcoasthorses.com) – please download your copy. If you do not have access to the Internet, call 252-799-0334 or 252-809-3687 and we'll be happy to mail a rulebook to you.

*IMPORTANT!*

See 2010 Rule Book for information about Cross-Entry Rules for the following Divisions: Field Hunter, Huntseat, Western Pleasure, and Working Western Divisions.

*Coggins*

Have a negative Coggins certificate (issued within 12 months) for each horse **available for barn managers to check as you arrive!** Horses will not be allowed on the premises without a current negative Coggins certificate, as required by state law.

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- Stock/Hunter Type Horse:** This includes all Quarter Horses, Paints, Appaloosas, Thoroughbreds, and any horse fitting this general classification (registration papers are not required). Offered in Halter, Western Pleasure and Huntseat divisions.
- Saddle Pleasure Type Horse:** This includes all Saddlebreds, Morgans, Arabians, Paso Finos, Peruvian Pasos, Walking Horses, Spotted Saddle Horses, and any horse fitting this general classification (registration papers are not required). Offered in Halter, Western Pleasure and Huntseat divisions.
- “Open” Classes:** Classes designated as **Open Classes** refer to type of horse. These classes may be entered by both Stock/Hunter and Saddle Pleasure type horses (Stock/Hunter type horses and Saddle Pleasure type horses will show together). Non-trotting horses may enter the Open Go-As-You-Please (GAYP) or Saddle Pleasure Type Go-As-You-Please (GAYP) classes that are outside of the Non-Trotting Horses division. Please be aware that for any classes labeled “Walk-Trot” or “Walk-Jog”, a trot or jog will be required unless noted otherwise (for example, Trail, Dressage Suitability, Showmanship and Halter classes allow a pleasure gait in place of a jog/trot.)
- GAYP:** Go As You Please. When “GAYP” is announced, select the gait of your choice (the jog or trot, or the lope or canter; for non-trotting breeds, select your pleasure gait) – within one class, the gait you select must be performed both ways of the ring.
- Novice Horse:** Novice classes are open to horses which have not won three first place ribbons in any breed or open shows in the particular performance division in which they are shown. If novice status is broken during an ECOSC show, the horse will retain that novice status until the close of the show. However, the horse may no longer ride in a novice class in any subsequent ECOSC circuit shows. In all cases, ribbons won within one section do Not count in the reckoning of Novice status if the horse competes in a different section.
- Maiden Rider or Horse:** Maiden classes are open to riders or horses which have not won a first place in any breed or open shows in the particular performance division in which they are shown. If maiden status is broken during and ECOSC show, the rider or horse will retain that maiden status until the close of the show. However, the rider or horse may no longer ride in a maiden class in any subsequent ECOSC circuit shows. In all cases, ribbons won within one section do Not count in the reckoning of Maiden status if the rider or horse competes in a different section.
- Amateur Class:** These classes are offered for amateur riders only (horses may currently be in training with a professional trainer).
- Junior Horse:** Horses 5 years old and under as of January 1 this year. Curb bits are allowed.
- Miniature Equine Division:** <sup>NEW</sup> Any equine 38" and under. Mini horses, donkeys and mules welcome. Registration papers not required. Mini driving horses are asked to drive only within the Miniature Equine Division.
- Horse vs Pony Size Limit:** <sup>NEW</sup> 14.2 hands or under is classified as pony. This height restriction applies to driving classes only. Note: Miniature equines will be considered miniature, not pony, and shall drive in the Miniature Equine division.
- Distinction of Horse vs. Pony in the Horse/Pony Driving Classes:** <sup>NEW</sup> The height restriction for pony size limit (as stated above) will apply to all equines for the Horse and Pony pleasure driving classes: Any equine 14.2 hands or under may only enter driving classes designated “pony.” They may not enter driving classes designated “horse.”
- To all exhibitors:** We trust that you will use the honor system with regards to entering classes specified for Novice and Maiden Riders or Horses, and Amateur Riders. Please be aware that the status of exhibitors may be checked periodically, in an effort to maintain the integrity of these classes.

## Ring Start Times...

Saturday: East Building - Trail Classes begin at 9:00

Saturday: Main Arena and the Covered Ring: 8:00 a.m.

Evening Halter Classes (Main Arena): Not before 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: Main Arena: 8:00 a.m. Over Fences ring: 8:30 a.m.

**Formal show attire / tack are not required.** Though formal show attire is not required, exhibitors are asked to please dress neatly (no tee shirts, no ball caps; button down shirts and collars are recommended.) Appropriate hats and headgear are requested. Boots with heels required. ASTM approved safety helmets acceptable in all classes. ASTM approved safety helmets REQUIRED in Over Fence classes & warm ups. For hot summer days, we encourage riders to leave off the jackets!

**Pre-Entry Deadline:** April Premier Open Horse Show: April 5, 2010. A late entry fee of \$10.00 will be charged per horse for all entries post-marked after April 5.



**Send Entry Forms to Show Manager: Trish Andrews, 1074 Holly Springs Loop Rd, Williamston NC 27892**

**Stalls:** \$55.00 for all weekend. Stalls are available from Friday morning 8:00 a.m. – the day before classes start – until noon Monday following the show. Tack stalls are available at the same charges. All stalls must be vacated by noon Monday.

**No Split Fees:** **No Splitting of Tabs, Stall fees, Shavings fees, RV fees, etc. on entry forms.** If you do need to split the costs of items within your group, please arrange this among yourselves, and prior to settling your accounts in the show office.

**Shavings:** \$6.75 per bag. All shavings orders and delivery for the April Premier Show – whether pre-ordered (before the show) or ordered during the show - will be handled by Travis Alford. Shavings payments will not be processed in the show office - Please remit shavings payment to Travis Alford, and make checks payable to: **J & D Bedding.**  
**See page 4 of this program for complete information.**

**Facility:** The facility/arena/outdoor rings/wash rooms are available on Friday for practice and warm-up, washing horses, etc. **Show management encourages exhibitors to take advantage of open time in Rings A (main arena) & B (covered ring) on Friday, since their availability for practice will be limited for the rest of the weekend.**

**Show Office:** Show Office will be open from approximately 2:30 – 9:00 p.m. Friday before the show. Show Office will re-open at 7:00 a.m. Saturday (the day classes start).

**Office Fee:** A \$10 Per Horse office fee will be charged to horses that are scratched from the show.

**Grounds fee:** \$25.00 - All exhibitors showing out of trailers pay a \$25.00 grounds fee per horse per weekend. This fee is for all non-stalled horses on the show grounds **whether they are being shown or not.**

**Out-of-trailer:** If you plan to show out of your trailer for a day (not stall overnight), we encourage you to still pre-enter your classes. This will speed up your check-in procedure in case you have early classes. NOTE: If you trailer in to ride in the first Division of the day without pre-entering, please try to arrive early enough to have your class entries done by 7:45 a.m. in the show office. If there is a line in the show office, please let the office staff know you have 1<sup>st</sup> classes.

**RV Hookups:** \$23.00 Per Day. Please confirm with the Show Office your RV hookup location at the time of arrival or when you pick up your entry number (back number) in the show office. Please note, camper spots are only on a first-come first-serve basis... no reservations will be made.

**Entry Fees:** **\$10.00** entry fee per class.

**Parking:** ATTENTION: Please leave the center "isle" of the parking lot (where the light poles are) vacant. Do not park there, to allow RVs and campers to be able to park and/or leave. Anyone parking in the center isle of the parking lot will be asked to move, and will ultimately be towed.

### **ADD/SCRATCH RULE WILL BE ENFORCED:**

This show is not "Ride Through The Gate." In order to **add a class**, you must add it in the show office before the last class of the Division or Section that precedes the Division or Section you wish to add a class in. **Any scratched class** must be made in the show office before the last class of the Division or Section that precedes the Division or Section you wish to scratch a class from. **Scratches MUST be made in this manner in order to receive credit.**

If your class is in the first division in the morning, you must have added or scratched any classes for that division by 7:30 a.m. that day. **ALL Trail Class entries must be submitted to the show office no later than 8:00 a.m. Saturday**, the day of classes. **All Over Fence class entries must be submitted to the show office no later than 7:45 a.m. Sunday**, the day of classes.

## Shavings

Please note, all shavings orders and deliveries for the April Premier Open Horse Show – whether pre-ordered (before the show) or ordered during the show - will be handled by Travis Alford (checks payable to: **J & D Bedding**).

**Shavings price is: \$6.75/bag**

- **Pre-Ordered Shavings:**

To pre-order shavings (before the show) please contact Travis Alford directly at either of the following numbers:

**252 – 443 – 4305** (home)

**252 – 450 – 5438** (mobile)

**Please have the following information available with your order:**

1. The number of stalls to be bedded.
2. The number of bags of shavings per stall.
3. The total number of bags of shavings needed.
4. The Responsible Party name (whoever is responsible for paying the bill).
5. The Responsible Party's phone number.
6. If you have a block of stalls under a trainer or farm name, please provide trainer and/or farm name.
7. Name of person ordering shavings.

**Payment for Pre-Ordered Shavings should be mailed to:**

Travis Alford  
4618 Tyler Lane  
Rocky Mount, NC 27803

- **Shavings ordered at the show grounds:**

**Move-in Day:** Shavings will be available for purchase on Friday (move-in day) from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. by calling Travis directly, by requesting them through the barn manager (at the stall charts), or by requesting them in the show office.

**Show Days:** Shavings may be requested Saturday and Sunday during show office hours by calling Travis directly, or by requesting them at the show office.

**Payments:** All payments for shavings ordered during move-in or show days are to be made directly to Travis Alford by cash or check, payable at the time of delivery.

- **Please make checks payable to: J & D Bedding**

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The East Coast Open Show Circuit is fortunate to have  
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**Horse Show Rates:**

Doubles: \$84

Kings: \$79

Suites: \$107

**Contact information for the Williamston Inn & Suites:**

Telephone: (252) 799-0100

Facsimile: (252) 508-4656

**Please call the hotel to obtain the special horse show rates. Be sure to tell them you're showing with the East Coast Open Show Circuit!**

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**Martin County Travel and Tourism**  
**for their continued support of the**  
**East Coast Open Show Circuit!**

## Announcements

### 2009 Circuit Awards Presentation: \*\*Saturday Evening\*\*

The re-scheduled presentation of 2009 circuit awards will be held Saturday evening as follows:

**Main Arena:** Halter Circuit Awards will be presented at the beginning of the Halter Classes on Saturday Evening in the Main Arena.

**East Building:** All other Circuit Awards, Trainer of the Year Award and Sportsmanship Awards will be presented in the East Building (where the Trail Course is located.)  
Presentation begins at **8:00 p.m.** Saturday Evening in the East Building.

See page 18 for details...

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### New Classes and/or Divisions:

- **The "Off-The-Rail" Division returns for 2010:**

The "Off-The-Rail" Division consists of the following Utility Classes that require the horse and rider/handler to execute patterns and/or maneuvers. Horses may cross enter from any division. Points earned in the following Utility Classes will count towards the Off-The-Rail Division award:

1. Trail (In-hand and under saddle) – Note new location: East Building
  2. Western Horsemanship (with pattern)
  3. English Equitation (with pattern)
  4. Over Fences
  5. Showmanship
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- **NEW: Attention all Saddlebreds! ASB QUALIFYING CLASSES for 2010**

**Saddlebred World & Region 9 Championship Qualifying Classes:**

- Saddleseat Division: Within the Saddleseat Division, the following classes count towards qualifying for the Kentucky State Fair World Championship Horse Show and ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show:

**(ASB) Saddlebred 3 Gaited Show Pleasure** *(This class is limited to amateur & junior riders)*

**(ASB) Saddlebred English Country Pleasure** *(This class is limited to amateur & junior riders)*

**(ASB) Saddlebred 3 Gaited Park** *(This class is open to trainers, amateurs and junior riders)*

- Western Pleasure Division: Within the Western Pleasure Division, the following class counts towards qualifying for Kentucky State Fair World Championship Horse Show and ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show:

**(ASB) Saddlebred Western Country Pleasure** *(This class is limited to amateur & junior riders)*

- Huntseat Division: Within the Huntseat Division, the following class counts towards qualifying for ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show:

**(ASB) Saddlebred Hunter Country Pleasure** *(This class is limited to amateur & junior riders)*

Any ASB from any division may enter into these qualifying classes - cross entry rules do not apply. Classes count for ECOSC Show & Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Circuit Achievement Points.

Official show results for all ASB classes listed above will be sent by show management to the ASHA within 10 days of the completion of each ECOSC show.

## New Classes and/or Divisions – continued

### Expanded Halter Division

The 2010 show year welcomes back our expanded Halter Division, showcasing horses of each type (Stock Hunter and Saddle Pleasure.)

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- **NEW: Over Fences - Utility Classes**

- **Open To All Horses - May Be Cross Entered From Any Division**

O/F classes will be held on Sunday - outdoor ring.

Classes start at 8:30 a.m.

You must be signed up for O/F classes **no later than 7:45 a.m.** on the day of classes.

ASTM approved safety helmets are REQUIRED in all classes over fences and during all jumping warm ups.

USEF rules (Chapter HU Hunter Division) will be followed, including tack: Regulation snaffles, pelhams and full bridles, all with cavesson nose bands, are recommended. A judge may penalize for non-conventional types of bits or nosebands. Standing martingales are allowed for all over fence classes. All other martingales may be considered unconventional.

**Warm ups - Saturday:** The O/F ring will be available for practice on Saturday. Please observe SAFE and proper ring etiquette. All youth exhibitors must be accompanied by a parent or trainer. If the jumping ring is empty, one trainer may coach up to three students at a time. Otherwise, only 2 horses should be on the course at a time, with each horse limited to 15 minute intervals when other exhibitors are waiting to practice. We ask that you make every attempt to adhere to these safety measures!

**Warm ups - Sunday:** The O/F ring will be open for schooling prior to classes Sunday a.m. The final 10 minutes of schooling time will be for Cross Rails classes only.

**Over Fence classes:**

**Cross Rails: 12" (at the trot)**

- Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- Adult (18 and over)

**New Rider:\* 18"**

- Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- Adult (18 and over)

\*New Rider: Riders in their 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> year of competing over fences.

**Low Hunter: 2'3"**

- Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- Adult (18 and over)

**Open Hunter: 2'6"**

- Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- Adult (18 and over)

1. Points earned in O/F classes will count towards Overall Show High Point Horse.
2. Points earned in O/F classes will count towards the **Off-The-Rail Division** show awards.
3. Points earned in O/F classes will be tracked for Circuit Nominated Horses for Year End Circuit Overall High Points and Achievement Points, and for the Off-The-Rail Division circuit awards.

Please note, depending upon the jump standards used, actual height of jumps may vary slightly.

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## New Classes and/or Divisions – continued

- **ADDED CLASS: English Equitation Classes (Pattern) – Utility Class**

The English Equitation Class is designed to evaluate the horse and rider's ability to execute, in concert with each other, a set of maneuvers predetermined by the judge or show management, with precision and ease, while exhibiting confidence. Rail work and pattern work will be used. Patterns will be posted in the show office.

Points will count for Show and Circuit Overall Points, **Off-The-Rail Division points**, and Circuit Achievement Points.

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- **ADDED CLASS: Western Horsemanship Classes (Pattern) – Utility Class**

The Western Horsemanship Class is designed to evaluate the horse and rider's ability to execute, in concert with each other, a set of maneuvers predetermined by the judge or show management, with precision and ease, while exhibiting confidence. Rail work and pattern work will be used. Patterns will be posted in the show office.

Points will count for Show and Circuit Overall Points, **Off-The-Rail Division points**, and Circuit Achievement Points.

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- **Trail -- NEW LOCATION: Trail classes will be held in the East Building**  
**Start Time: Saturday 9:00 a.m.**

1. Points earned in Trail classes will count towards Overall Show High Point Horse.
  2. Points earned in Trail classes will count towards the **Off-The-Rail Division** show awards.
  3. Points earned in Trail classes will be tracked for Circuit Nominated Horses for Year End Circuit Overall High Points and Achievement Points, and for the **Off-The-Rail Division** circuit award.
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- **NEW Division: Miniature Equine Division:**

The Miniature Equine Division will consist of the following classes:

- Trail: Miniature Equine – In Hand (East Building, Saturday)
- Showmanship: Miniature Equine (Covered Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Halter: Mares (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Halter: Geldings (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Halter: Stallions (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Driving: Open (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Driving: Amateur To Drive (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Driving: Reinsmanship (Main Arena, Saturday)
- Miniature Driving: Youth (Drivers 17 yrs. & under) (Main Arena, Sunday)
- Miniature Driving: Adult (Drivers 18 yrs. & over) (Main Arena, Sunday)

This division is open to any equine 38" and under. Mini horses, donkeys and mules welcome. Registration papers not required.

1. Points earned in Miniature Equine Division classes will count towards the Miniature Equine Division show awards and Overall Show High Point Horse awards.
2. Points earned in Miniature Equine Division classes will be tracked for circuit nominated Horses for Year End Circuit Overall High Points and Achievement Points, and for the Miniature Equine Division circuit award.

## New Rules/Regulations:

- **NEW: ECOSC “Non-Trotting Sound Horse Regulations”**

Please read the following ECOSC “Non-Trotting Sound Horse Regulations” adopted to promote and ensure the participation of only sound, naturally moving gaited horses to show in the ECOSC horse shows.

**The ECOSC supports the USDA Horse Protection Act.** Non-trotting classes within the ECOSC shows are intended to promote and include only sound, naturally gaited horses. No bands, no pads, no action devices, are allowed in non-trotting classes. ECOSC shows prohibit any evidence of soring. Show management will spot check non-trotting horses for any evidence of soring or shoeing practices that are – in management’s opinion - contrary to a sound, naturally moving gaited horse. Show management retains the right to disqualify and remove horses from the show ring and the show grounds if, in their opinion, a horse is not sound or moving naturally. The opinion of show management will be final.

We appreciate the non-trotting community showing with us, and encourage their participation within GAYP classes, Trail classes, Showmanship classes, Halter classes, and all other appropriate classes outside of the non-trotting division.

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- **Dressage Suitability:**

Equipment:

**NEW: Reins:** (in accordance with USEF Dressage Chapter DR) - A rein is a continuous, uninterrupted strap or line from the bridle bit to the hand. Rein additions or attachments are not permitted.

**ECOSC exceptions:** Conventional laced huntseat reins are acceptable. Any use of unconventional reins (such as having rein additions or attachments) may be employed for therapeutic or handicapped purposes **only** with the permission of show management and accompanied by appropriate justification.

In addition, horses are to be shown in a plain snaffle bridle and smooth snaffle bit with cavesson or a full bridle (in accordance with USEF Dressage Chapter DR). Kimberwicke or pelham bits are not allowed. Drop, flash (a combination of a cavesson noseband and a dropped noseband attachment) or figure eight nose bands are permissible. Saddles shall be dressage or all purpose English type. Martingales of any type, draw reins, other artificial appliances, boots and bandages are prohibited in competition. One whip is permitted in all classes. The whip must not be longer than 47.2 inches or 120cm, including the lash.

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## General Announcements

- **Pleasure Driving Division: Driving Horse and Driving Pony for 2010**

As an update to the 1<sup>st</sup> publication of the April Premier show program, our Driving Division is here for 2010! The Driving Division will be split into 2 divisions, Driving Horse and Driving Pony. **Horse vs Pony Size Limit:** 14.2 hands or under is classified as pony. This height restriction applies to driving classes only. Any equine 14.2 hands or under may only enter driving classes designated "pony." They may not enter driving classes designated "horse." Note: For purposes of the Driving classes, Miniature equines will not be considered "pony" or "horse" but will be considered "miniature" and are asked to drive only within the Miniature Equine Division.

Points will count for Show and Circuit Overall Points, Show and Circuit Driving Horse Division and Driving Pony Division Points, and Circuit Achievement Points.

Thank you driving exhibitors for your support!

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- **2010 Circuit Nominations and Forms**

**Circuit Nomination Form for the 2010 East Coast Open Show Circuit is attached** – please see page 24 of this program (you may also get them online at [www.eastcoasthorses.com](http://www.eastcoasthorses.com) and in the ECOSC Rule Book).

Horses must be re-nominated into the 2010 circuit for eligibility for circuit points. See the 2010 ECOSC Rule Book for complete Circuit Information.

### Circuit Participation

**All circuit horses will be assigned a back number.** Circuit horses will be required to show under this number in order for points to be tracked and counted. Numbers will be provided by ECOSC. Please indicate your back number of choice on the circuit nomination form. Every attempt will be made to assign your requested number. If no number is requested, ECOSC will assign one.

Points will follow the horse, not the horse/rider team. You do not have to join the circuit in order to participate at any of the circuit shows, but to be eligible for year-end High Point Awards, your horse must be nominated into the circuit program.

Each horse that is nominated into the circuit program is required to show at a minimum of two circuit shows to be eligible for year-end High Point Awards. You may join the circuit at any time prior to the third show of the season, but **please be aware that any points theoretically accumulated for classes shown prior to nomination and payment cannot be used towards year-end High Point Awards. Exhibitors cannot pay after placing and expect points to be counted – you must nominate your horse prior to any classes you wish to be counted for points.** Although you can join the circuit at any time before the third circuit show, show management suggests joining prior to the first show of the circuit.

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- **Money Classes:**

All payments for class prize money will be distributed in the show office when you check out.

## Announcements (continued)

### The following regulations are emphasized for clarity:

1. **No one shall approach a judge with regard to a decision** unless they first obtain permission from the Show Management, who shall arrange an appointment with the judge at a proper time and place.
2. **Overnight Stalling:** Any horse kept on the show grounds overnight must be kept in a purchased stall with bedding. **Stalling overnight in trailers is not allowed.** This is in compliance with the Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center bylaws and contract. All violators will be submitted by show management to the Ag Center. Offenders will be required either to comply or leave the premises.
3. **Bounced checks/insufficient funds:** All show checks received that bounce or are returned to us for insufficient funds will be processed with an additional \$50 office fee. Please be aware that a horse show can only survive if all checks are good for the amount that they are written for. Returned checks hurt us all by incurring unforeseen costs which are ultimately passed on to the management and the exhibitor. Any checks returned for insufficient funds will be pursued, if necessary, through the Magistrates Office. Show management reserves the right to place continuous offenders on a cash-only basis, and/or to refuse entry into the show.

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### 2010 East Coast Open Show Circuit Dates

April 24 & 25, 2010	ECOSC 7th Annual April Premier Open Horse Show
June 19 & 20, 2010	ECOSC 7th Annual Martin Festival Open Horse Show
July 17 & 18, 2010	ECOSC 7th Annual Freedom Classic Open Horse Show
September 24-25-26, 2010	ECOSC 11th Annual Sunnyside Open Horse Show

*All shows held at the Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center in Williamston, NC.*

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#### ▪ **Entry Forms and Programs Are Online**

ECOSC show programs and entry forms available online at [www.eastcoasthorses.com](http://www.eastcoasthorses.com) for you to download and print. If you do not have access to the Internet (or a printer) we'll be glad to mail you a copy - please contact Norma Gurkin 252-809-3687 or Trish Andrews 252-799-0334.

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#### ▪ **Please Check the Website for Announcements**

All judges, announcements, rescheduling and updates for ECOSC shows will be posted at [www.eastcoasthorses.com](http://www.eastcoasthorses.com). The 2010 class schedule may be adjusted as needed for future shows.

## ECOSC Exhibitors and Participants...

### We ask for your help.

#### Payment:

- **Pre-entries must be accompanied by payment or they will not be processed.**
- **When sending a blank check with your entry form, please make sure it is signed.** Any unsigned checks, or other lack of payment, will be considered as non-payment and we will hold your entries until you arrive at the show office before processing, assigning stalls, and assigning back numbers. No exceptions.
- **Non-paid entries:** Any non-paid entries will be considered late entries and will be assessed a \$10 late fee.
- **Stall Reservations:** Stall reservations that are phoned in *must be followed up with entry forms and payment*, to be considered binding. Stall reservations that are called in and not accompanied by payment (or blank, signed check) cannot be assured of the stalls requested. When stall availability reaches full capacity, preferred or requested stalling will be assigned according to entries received with payment and according to post marked date.



#### Dogs

The Ag Center facility enforces a strict **No Dog Rule** for the following area:

- **Anywhere in the Coliseum: This includes the paddock (staging) area, show office, vending areas, food court, grandstands etc.**

In addition, the ECOSC horse show management requires that no dogs are allowed in the following areas:

- **The staging area for the Covered Arena, the practice rings, and lunging rings.**

Otherwise, dogs must be on a leash at all times. Please do NOT tie dogs in the barn aisle ways (which are for Horses and People.)

These requirements begin on move-in day and are in place until the end of the show.

**The dog traffic problem has greatly improved, thanks to your help - so please continue.** Before someone gets hurt, or your dog gets hurt, or before the health inspectors are notified, we ask that you understand and abide by these simple rules.

Thank you,

Trish and Norma

Saturday Classes: **NEW** Location: East Building

Judge: TBA

**Trial Classes – Start Time: 9:00 a.m. Saturday**

**Please note the check-in and Start / End times for Trail**

Trail classes are run consecutively, and exhibitors will show at will on a first-come first-serve basis. When you arrive at the Trail Ring for your turn, please declare to the Paddock Master your Back No. and the Trail class or classes your horse is preparing to show in. For horses showing in 2 or more Trail classes, you have the option to perform 2 classes back-to-back. After 2 back-to-back turns, if other horses are waiting in line for their turn, you must go to the end of the line to ride your additional classes.

- You must be signed up in the show office for Trail Classes no later than 8:00 a.m. on Saturday.
- All Trail exhibitors must be checked in line by **4:30 p.m.** on Saturday.
- Trail patterns will be posted at the Show Office.
- Scores will be tallied overnight; Score sheets & ribbons will be available on Sunday (time will be announced.)
- Points will count for Show High Points, Off-The Rail Division Points, Circuit Overall Points and Circuit Achievement Points.


**Trail Section** - Utility Classes - any horse may be entered.

1. Trail: In-Hand – Open – 2 year olds and under (Utility Class) ≈
2. Trail: In-Hand – Open – 3 year olds and over (Utility Class) ≈
3. Trail: Open – Maiden Trail Horse \* (Utility Class) ≈
4. Trail: Open – Novice Trail Horse \* (Utility Class) ≈
5. Trail: Open – Open Trail Horse (Utility Class) ≈
6. Trail: Open – Riders 13 yrs. And Under (Utility Class) ≈
7. Trail: Open – Riders 14 – 17 years (Utility Class) ≈
8. Trail: Open – Riders 18 yrs. and Over (Utility Class) ≈
9. Trail: Open – Amateur to Ride (Utility Class) ≈
10. Trail: Miniature Equine – In-Hand (Miniature Equine Division Class) Δ≈

≈ *Qualifies for Off-The-Rail Division Points*

Δ *Qualifies for Miniature Equine Division Points*

\* Please see definitions of Maiden and Novice Horse on page 2.

 **Note:** Any horse, any breed, using any appropriate tack, may be entered in Trail classes. For Non-Trotting breeds, the pleasure gait may be substituted for the jog or trot.

End of Saturday Classes – East Building

**Saturday Classes - Main Arena 8:00 a.m. Judge: Elizabeth O'Briant**

**Saddleseat Division** (Unless otherwise specified below, Saddleseat Classes are open to all breeds)

**Only horses entering the Saddleseat Division are allowed into the paddock area at this time.** Please keep the paddock completely clear of all horses not riding in the Saddleseat Division until the Saddleseat Division has ended.

11. Saddleseat: GAYP
12. Saddleseat: American Saddlebred - Walk/Trot/Canter
13. Saddleseat: 17 & Under - GAYP (martingales are allowed)\*
14. (ASB) Saddlebred 3 Gaited Show Pleasure<sup>‡‡</sup> (Limited to amateur and junior riders)
15. Saddleseat: Equitation – Walk/Trot – No Pattern, Rail work only\*
16. Saddleseat: Country English Pleasure – Walk/Trot/Canter – No Pads
17. Saddleseat: Junior Horse - GAYP
18. Saddleseat: Walk/Trot/Canter
19. (ASB) Saddlebred 3 Gaited Park<sup>‡‡</sup> (Open to trainers, amateurs and junior riders)
20. Saddleseat: Morgan/Arab - GAYP
21. Saddleseat: Academy Class – Equitation – Walk/Trot (martingales are allowed)

\*Academy riders are invited to ride in these classes

<sup>‡‡</sup> These Saddlebred classes count towards qualifying for Kentucky State Fair World Championship horse show and ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show. Classes count for ECOSC Show & Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Circuit Achievement Points.

Break

**Huntseat Division** Please note: No cross entering horses from the Field Hunter Division

22. Huntseat: Junior Horse - Open – GAYP
23. Huntseat: Open – GAYP – Ladies to Ride
24. Huntseat: Riders 18 yrs and over, Saddle Pleasure Type – GAYP
25. Huntseat: Riders 18 yrs and over – Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
26. Huntseat: Equitation – Open - Walk/Trot – No pattern, rail work only
27. Huntseat: Riders 17 yrs and under, Saddle Pleasure Type – GAYP
28. Huntseat: Open – GAYP (*Money Payback: \$40 to 1<sup>st</sup>, \$30 to 2<sup>nd</sup>, \$20 to 3<sup>rd</sup>, \$10 to 4<sup>th</sup> place*)
29. Huntseat: Stock/Hunter Type – Walk/Trot/Canter
30. Huntseat: Riders 18 yrs and over, Open – GAYP
31. Huntseat: Riders 17 yrs and under – Open – Walk/Trot/Canter
32. Huntseat: Riders 10 yrs and under – Open – Walk/Trot
33. Huntseat: Equitation – Open - Walk/Trot/Canter – No pattern, rail work only

(30 Minute Break)

**Saturday Classes - Main Arena (continued)**

**Judge: Elizabeth O'Briant**

After the break, **Miniature driving entries only** may use the arena for warm up (10 minutes) prior to their driving classes. Only entries showing in Mini Driving classes are allowed in the paddock area at this time. Please keep the paddock area and the entry ways clear for driving entries.

**Miniature Driving - Miniature Equine Division** △

(ECOSC follows USEF guidelines for Pleasure Driving)

- 34. Miniature Driving – Open
- 35. Miniature Driving – Amateur to Drive
- 36. Miniature Driving – Reinsmanship

△ *Qualifies for Miniature Equine Division Points*

NOTE: Miniature Horse driving entries must be allowed to clear the paddock prior to Driving Horses entering the paddock. At this time, Driving Horses may use the arena for warm up (10 minutes) prior to their driving classes. Only entries showing in Driving Horse classes are allowed in the paddock area at this time. Please keep the paddock area and the entry ways clear.

**Pleasure Driving Division: Horse**

- 164. Pleasure Driving: Horse – Open
- 165. Pleasure Driving: Horse – Working
- 166. Pleasure Driving: Horse – Reinsmanship

NOTE: All driving horses must be allowed to clear the paddock prior to horses entering the Western Pleasure division. Please keep all entry ways unobstructed until the paddock is clear.

**5 minute Ring Drag**

**Western Pleasure Division** – No cross entering horses from the Working Western Division  
(exception: Lead Line)

- 37. Western Pleasure: Junior Horse - Open – GAYP
- 38. Western Pleasure: Riders 18 yrs and over - Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
- 39. Western Pleasure: Saddle Pleasure Type – GAYP
- 40. Western Pleasure: Equitation – Walk/Jog – Open - No pattern, rail work only
- 41. Western Pleasure: Open – GAYP – Ladies to Ride
- 42. Western Pleasure: Riders 18 yrs and over - Open – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 43. Western Pleasure: Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
- 44. Western Pleasure: Open – GAYP (*Money Payback: \$40 to 1<sup>st</sup>, \$30 to 2<sup>nd</sup>, \$20 to 3<sup>rd</sup>, \$10 to 4<sup>th</sup> place*)
- 45. Western Pleasure: Riders 10 yrs and under – Open – Walk/Jog
- 46. Western Pleasure: Riders 18 yrs and over, Saddle Pleasure Type – GAYP
- 47. Western Pleasure: Riders 17 yrs and under – Open – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 48. Western Pleasure: Open – GAYP – Gentlemen to Ride
- 49. Lead Line (all types, all tack)

Break

End of Day Classes - Main Arena. See pgs 18-19 for **Saturday Evening Halter Classes – Main Arena**

**Saturday Classes - Covered Arena - 8:00 a.m.**

**Judge: TBA**

**Showmanship – Utility Classes\* ≈**

- 50. Adult Exhibitor Showmanship: Open - 18 Yrs. & Over (Saddleseat, Huntseat or Western)
- 51. Youth Exhibitor Showmanship: Open - 13 yrs. & Under (Saddleseat, Huntseat or Western)
- 52. Youth Exhibitor Showmanship: Open - 14 - 17 yrs. (Saddleseat, Huntseat or Western)
- 53. Miniature Equine Showmanship: (all ages) △

\*Points will also count for Show and Circuit Overall Points and Circuit Achievement Points.  
Non-trotting horses may substitute their pleasure gait for the trot in these classes.

≈ Qualifies for Off-The-Rail Division Points

△ This class also qualifies for Miniature Equine Division Points

(15 min Break)

**Field Hunter Division –** Please note: No cross entering horses from the Huntseat Division

- 54. Field Hunter: Open – Equitation – All Ages - Walk/Trot – No pattern, rail work only
- 55. Field Hunter: Open – 18 & Over – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 56. Field Hunter: Open – 17 & Under – GAYP
- 57. Field Hunter: Open – Amateur To Ride – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 58. Field Hunter: Open – All Ages - GAYP
- 59. Field Hunter: Open – Amateur to Ride – All Ages – GAYP
- 60. Field Hunter: Open – All Ages – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 61. Field Hunter: Open – 13 & Under – Walk/Trot

(30 minute break)

**Western Horsemanship – Utility Class\* ≈** (Pattern classes. Any horse may be entered.)

- 62. Western Horsemanship: Open – All Ages - Rail work and pattern work will be used.

≈ Qualifies for Off-The-Rail Division Points

\*Points will also count for Show and Circuit Overall Points and Circuit Achievement Points.

**Non-Trotting Division**

Non-Trotting Horse Division (Unless otherwise specified, Non-Trotting Classes are open to all Non-Trotting breeds: Tennessee Walking Horses, Spotted Saddle Horses, Paso Finos, Peruvian Pasos, racking horses, etc. American Saddlebreds and any other trotting breeds may not enter this division. Please read the ECOSC Sound Horse Regulations (pg. 9 of this program.)

- 63. Non-Trotting: GAYP
- 64. Non-Trotting: Equitation (Walk & Pleasure Gait)
- 65. Non-Trotting: Amateur Class – GAYP
- 66. Non-Trotting: Gaited Breeds Other Than Paso Fino and Peruvian Paso - GAYP
- 67. Non-Trotting: Paso Fino Horses and Peruvian Paso Horses Only – GAYP
- 68. Non-Trotting: Riders 17 & Under - GAYP

**Saturday Classes - Covered Arena (continued)**

**Judge: TBA**

**Working Western Division** – Note: No cross entering horses from the Western Pleasure Division

- 69. Working Western: Open – Equitation – All Ages - Walk/Jog – No pattern, rail work only
- 70. Working Western: Open – Riders 17 & Under – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 71. Working Western: Open – Riders 18 & Over – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 72. Working Western: Open – All Ages - GAYP
- 73. Working Western: Open – Amateur To Ride – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 74. Working Western: Open – Riders 17 & Under – GAYP

**Dressage Suitability Division**

- 75. Dressage Seat Equitation: Open – Walk/Trot\* – No pattern, rail work only
- 76. Suitability for Dressage: Open – Walk/Trot\*/Canter
- 77. Show Hack: Open – All Ages (To be shown at the walk, trot, canter & hand gallop; collected, extended and normal gaits to be called for. To stand quietly and back readily.)
- 78. Suitability for Dressage: Open – GAYP
- 79. Dressage Seat Equitation: Open – Walk/Trot\*/Canter – No Pattern, rail work only
- 80. Suitability For Dressage: Open - Amateur To Ride – GAYP

\*For non-trotting breeds, the trot will be substituted by the pleasure gait for the breed.

**English Equitation** – Utility Class\* ≈ (Pattern classes. Any horse may be entered.)

- 81. English Equitation: Open – All Ages - Rail work and pattern work will be used.
  - ≈ Qualifies for Off-The-Rail Division Points
  - \*Points will also count for Show and Circuit Overall Points and Circuit Achievement Points.

**Interim Walk/Trot** – Specialty Class

- 82. Interim Walk/Trot\* - Any tack, All Ages.

\* Interim Walk/Trot: For riders who are becoming competent at the trot, this class is to help riders gain experience and confidence in the show ring. One assistant (parent/trainer etc.) must accompany entries. No lead lines allowed. Assistant will stay within helpful distance of their horse & rider. Riders will be asked to walk, trot, halt, and reverse both ways of the ring. The class begins by all entries entering the ring and lining up in the center with their assistants. At this time, assistants may hold the horse. Up to 4 exhibitors at a time will be asked to take a well-spaced position on the rail and execute the above requirements of the class. Upon completion of their "go", exhibitors will return to the line-up and the next group gets a go. This is a judged class through 8 placings.

Exhibitors in this class may cross enter in the Lead Line class. Exhibitors entered in this class may not enter any other classes requiring a trot or canter. Exhibitors may ride in this class as many times as they wish throughout the circuit year; however, once they "graduate" into regular trotting classes, they are no longer eligible for the Interim Walk Trot class. Walk/Trot Interim Class is open to all horses, and all ages of riders. For non-trotting breeds, the trot will be substituted by the pleasure gait for the breed. Points will count for Circuit Achievement Points only.

**End of Classes in Covered Arena (Saturday)**

See pages 18-19 for Saturday Evening Halter Classes – Main Arena.

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## Saturday Evening Program – 2009 Circuit Awards – Halter Classes\*



### Year-End Circuit Awards Program

Please join us this evening for a special presentation of the 2009 ECOSC Circuit awards. It's (finally!) time to celebrate the dedication, hard work and outstanding performance of our 2009 circuit members with recognition of the Division and Achievement Awards, Trainer of the Year Award, Sportsmanship Awards, and Overall Circuit Grand and Reserve Champions.

**Main Arena - Halter Circuit Awards:** For the benefit of our halter exhibitors in this evening's classes, the first order of award presentations will be the Halter Awards. Halter Circuit Awards will be presented at the beginning of the Halter Classes on Saturday Evening in the Main Arena. (Not to begin before 6:00 p.m.)\*

**East Building - All other Circuit Awards:** Trainer of the Year, Sportsmanship, Division High Point Horses, and Overall Circuit Grand & Reserve Champion High Point Horses will be presented in the East Building (where the Trail Course is located.) This portion of our presentation begins at 8:00 p.m. Saturday Evening.

**Welcome Everyone! Come as you are!**

### Saturday Evening Classes – Main Arena – Halter\*      Judge: Elizabeth O'Briant

\* Start time will be announced according to how the daytime are running; however under no circumstances will evening classes start before 6:00 p.m.

#### Halter - Specialty Classes:\*

83. Specialty Halter: Hunter In Hand\* – Open, Any Age, Any Sex. Horses to be shown in a bridle.
84. Specialty Halter: Most Colorful\* – Open, Any Age, Any Sex – To be judged 60% on color, 40% on conformation.

\*These classes do not qualify for Halter Division High Points. Points from these classes will count towards Show Overall High Points, Circuit Overall High Points and Circuit Achievement Points.

**Saturday Evening Classes – Main Arena – Halter** (continued) **Judge: Elizabeth O'Briant**

**Halter Division:**

The **1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place horses** in each qualifying class are invited to show back in their corresponding Halter Championship Class [either class (89) or class (96)]. Horses from any and all divisions may show.

Points will count for Show and Circuit Overall Points, Show and Circuit Halter Division Points, and Circuit Achievement Points.

- 85. Halter: Fillies 2 yrs & Under - Stock Hunter Type (89)
- 86. Halter: Fillies 2 yrs & Under - Saddle Pleasure Type (89)
- 87. Halter: Geldings/Colts 2 yrs & Under - Stock Hunter Type (89)
- 88. Halter: Geldings/Colts 2 yrs & Under - Saddle Pleasure Type (89)
- 89. Halter: Championship - 2 yrs & Under – (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place horses from classes 85-88 to show back) Championship class will be placed through 8<sup>th</sup> place; only Grand and Reserve will be ribboned.
- 90. Halter: Mares 3 yrs & Over - Stock/Hunter Type (96)
- 91. Halter: Mares 3 yrs & Over - Saddle Pleasure Type (96)
- 92. Halter: Geldings 3 yrs & Over - Stock/Hunter Type (96)
- 93. Halter: Geldings 3 yrs & Over - Saddle Pleasure Type (96)
- 94. Halter: Stallions 3 yrs & Over - Stock/Hunter Type (96)
- 95. Halter: Stallions 3 yrs & Over - Saddle Pleasure Type (96)
- 96. Halter: Championship - 3 yrs & Over - (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place horses from classes 90-95 to show back) Championship class will be placed through 8<sup>th</sup> place; only Grand and Reserve will be ribboned.

**Miniature Halter - Miniature Equine Division**

- 97. Miniature Halter: Mares  $\Delta$
- 98. Miniature Halter: Geldings  $\Delta$
- 99. Miniature Halter: Stallions  $\Delta$

$\Delta$  *Qualifies for Miniature Equine Division Points*

**End of Classes in Main Arena (Saturday)**

**Sunday Classes – Main Arena - 8:00 a.m.**

**Judge: Wanda Bunn**

**Non-Trotting Division**

Non-Trotting Horse Division (Unless otherwise specified, Non-Trotting Classes are open to all **Non-Trotting breeds** only: Tennessee Walking Horses, Spotted Saddle Horses, Paso Finos, Peruvian Pasos, racking horses, etc. Please read the ECOSC Sound Horse Regulations (pg. 9 of this program.)

- 100. Non-Trotting: GAYP
- 101. Non-Trotting: Riders 18 & Over – GAYP
- 102. Non-Trotting: Equitation (Walk & Pleasure Gait)
- 103. Non-Trotting: Gaited Breeds Other Than Paso Fino and Peruvian Paso - GAYP
- 104. Non-Trotting: Paso Fino Horses and Peruvian Paso Horses Only - GAYP
- 105. Non-Trotting: Canter Class: Walk/Pleasure Gait/Canter

**Saddleseat Division** (unless otherwise specified below, Saddleseat Classes are open to all breeds)

- 106. (ASB) Saddlebred English Country Pleasure<sup>‡‡</sup> (Limited to amateur and junior riders)
- 107. Saddleseat: Morgan/Arab – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 108. Saddleseat: GAYP
- 109. Saddleseat: Walk/Trot/Canter
- 110. Saddleseat: American Saddlebred – GAYP
- 111. Saddleseat: Country English Pleasure – GAYP – No Pads
- 112. Saddleseat: 3 Gaited Park Horse – *Show Walk (animated walk)/Park Trot/Canter*
- 113. Saddleseat: 10 & Under - Walk/Trot (martingales are allowed)\*
- 114. Saddleseat: Academy Class – GAYP (martingales are allowed)

\*Academy riders are invited to ride in this class

<sup>‡‡</sup> This Saddlebred class counts towards qualifying for Kentucky State Fair World Championship horse show and ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show. Class counts for ECOSC Show & Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Circuit Achievement Points.

**Western Pleasure Division** – Please note: No cross entering horses from the Working Western Division

- 115. Western Pleasure: Amateur to Ride - GAYP
- 116. Western Pleasure: Riders 17 yrs and under, Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
- 117. Western Pleasure: Open – GAYP
- 118. Western Pleasure: Riders 13 & Under – Open – GAYP
- 119. Western Pleasure: Saddle Pleasure Type – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 120. Western Pleasure: Riders 17 yrs and under, Open – GAYP
- 121. Western Pleasure: Riders 18 yrs and over, Open – GAYP
- 122. Western Pleasure: Maiden Rider, All Ages, Open – Walk/Jog
- 123. Western Pleasure: Riders 17 yrs and under, Saddle Pleasure Type – GAYP
- 124. Western Pleasure: Stock/Hunter Type – Walk/Jog/Lope
- 125. (ASB) Saddlebred Western Country Pleasure<sup>‡‡</sup> (Limited to amateur and junior riders)
- 126. Western Pleasure: Equitation – Walk/Jog/Lope – Open - No pattern, rail work only

<sup>‡‡</sup> This Saddlebred class counts towards qualifying for Kentucky State Fair World Championship horse show and ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show. Any ASB from any division may enter, cross entry rules do not apply. Class counts for ECOSC Show & Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Circuit Achievement Points.

(30 minute break) 15 minute general practice time, followed by ring drag & Mini Driving warm-up.

**Sunday Classes – Main Arena (continued)**

**Judge: Wanda Bunn**

**Miniature Equine Driving entries only** may use the arena for warm up (10 minutes) prior to the driving classes. Only horses showing in Mini Driving are allowed in the paddock area at this time.

**Miniature Driving - Miniature Equine Division** Δ (ECOSC follows USEF for Pleasure Driving)

- 127. Miniature Driving: Adult (Drivers 18 yrs. & over)
- 128. Miniature Driving: Youth (Drivers 17 yrs. & Under)

Δ *Qualifies for Miniature Equine Division Points*

NOTE: Miniature Horse driving entries must be allowed to clear the paddock prior to Driving Ponies entering the paddock. At this time, Driving Ponies may use the arena for warm up (10 minutes) prior to their driving classes. Only entries showing in Driving Pony classes are allowed in the paddock area at this time. Please keep the paddock area and the entry ways clear.

**Pleasure Driving Division: Pony**

- 167. Pleasure Driving: Pony – Open
- 168. Pleasure Driving: Pony – Working
- 169. Pleasure Driving: Pony – Reinsmanship

NOTE: All driving ponies must be allowed to clear the paddock prior to horses entering the Huntseat division. Please keep all entry ways unobstructed until the paddock is clear.

**5 minute Ring Drag**

**Huntseat Division** Please note: No cross entering horses from the Field Hunter Division

- 129. Huntseat: Amateur to Ride - GAYP
- 130. Huntseat: Riders 17 yrs and under, Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
- 131. Huntseat: Open – GAYP
- 132. Huntseat: Riders 13 & Under – Open – GAYP
- 133. Huntseat: Saddle Pleasure Type – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 134. Huntseat: Stock/Hunter Type – GAYP
- 135. Huntseat: Maiden Rider, All Ages, Open – Walk/Trot
- 136. (ASB) Saddlebred Hunter Country Pleasure<sup>‡‡</sup> (Limited to amateur and junior riders)
- 137. Huntseat: Riders 18 yrs and over – Open – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 138. Huntseat: Riders 17 yrs and under - Open – GAYP
- 139. Huntseat: Saddle/Pleasure Type – GAYP

<sup>‡‡</sup> This Saddlebred class counts towards qualifying for ASHA Region 9 Regional Championship Show. Any ASB from any division may enter, cross entry rules do not apply. Class counts for ECOSC Show & Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Circuit Achievement Points.

**Working Western Division** – Please note: No cross entering horses from the Western Pleasure Division

- 140. Working Western: Open – All Ages – GAYP
- 141. Working Western: Open – All Ages - Walk/Jog/Lope
- 142. Working Western: Open – Equitation – All Ages - Walk/Jog/Lope–No pattern, rail work only
- 143. Working Western: Open – Amateur To Ride – All Ages – GAYP
- 144. Working Western: Open – Riders 18 & Over – GAYP
- 145. Working Western: Open – Performance/Conformation Combination Class

**Field Hunter Division** – Please note: No cross entering horses from the Huntseat Division

- 146. Field Hunter: Open – Riders 18 & Over – GAYP
- 147. Field Hunter: Open – Equitation - All Ages – Walk/Trot/Canter – No Pattern, rail work only
- 148. Field Hunter: Open – Amateur To Ride – GAYP
- 149. Field Hunter: Open – Riders 17 & Under – Walk/Trot/Canter
- 150. Field Hunter: Open – All Ages – GAYP
- 151. Field Hunter: Open – Amateur to Ride – Walk/Trot/Canter

**End of Sunday classes – Main Arena**

**Sunday Classes - Outdoor Ring - Over Fences**

**Judge: Elizabeth O'Briant**

**Classes Start: 8:30 a.m.**

You must be signed up for O/F classes **no later than 7:45 a.m.** on the day of classes.

**Warm ups - Saturday:** The O/F ring will be available for practice on Saturday. Please observe SAFE and proper ring etiquette. All youth exhibitors must be accompanied by a parent or trainer. If the jumping ring is empty, one trainer may coach up to three students at a time. Otherwise, only 2 horses should be on the course at a time, with each horse limited to 15 minute intervals when other exhibitors are waiting to practice. Show management urges everyone to please adhere to these precautions.

**Warm ups - Sunday:** The O/F ring will be open for schooling prior to classes Sunday a.m.. The final 10 minutes of schooling time will be for Cross Rails classes only.

**Over Fences: Utility Classes**

**Cross Rails: 12" (at the trot)**

- 152. O/F: Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- 153. O/F: Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- 154. O/F: Adult (18 and over)

**New Rider: \* 18"**

- 155. O/F: Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- 156. O/F: Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- 157. O/F: Adult (18 and over)

\*New Riders: Riders in their 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> year of competing over fences

**Low Hunter: 2'3"**

- 158. O/F: Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- 159. O/F: Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- 160. O/F: Adult (18 and over)

**Open Hunter: 2'6"**

- 161. O/F: Short Stirrup (12 and under)
- 162. O/F: Long Stirrup (13 – 18 yrs)
- 163. O/F: Adult (18 and over)

ASTM approved safety helmets are REQUIRED in all classes over fences and during all jumping warm ups.

USEF rules (Chapter HU Hunter Division) will be followed, including tack: Regulation snaffles, pelhams and full bridles, all with cavesson nose bands, are recommended. A judge may penalize for non-conventional types of bits or nosebands. Standing martingales are allowed for all over fence classes. All other martingales may be considered unconventional.

- Points earned in O/F classes will count towards Overall Show High Point Horse.
- Points earned in O/F classes will count towards the Off-The-Rail Division show awards.
- Points earned in O/F classes will be tracked for Circuit Nominated Horses for Year End Circuit Overall High Points and Achievement Points, and for the Off-The-Rail Division circuit awards.

Please note, depending upon the jump standards used, actual height of jumps may vary slightly.

**ENTRY FORM - ECOSC April Premier Open Horse Show - April 24-25, 2010**

<b>Please: Only One Horse and One Exhibitor per sheet!</b>		<b>Responsible Party:</b> (Person to be BILLED for all charges associated with this horse) (REQUIRED on <u>each</u> entry form)	
<b>Back #</b> (show office will assign)		_____	
<b>Horse Name:</b>		<b>Owner Name:</b> (REQUIRED on <u>each</u> entry form)	
<b>Exhibitor Name:</b>		Responsible Party's Address & Phone # - REQUIRED on 1 entry form	
<b>Horse Type:</b> Stock Hunter    OR    Saddle Pleasure		<b>Street or PO Box:</b>	
		<b>City, State &amp; Zip:</b>	
		<b>Phone Number:</b>	
		<b>Email Address:</b> (Optional)	
<b>Purebred Morgan?</b> List Registration # for AMHA Sponsored High Point Award:		<b>Stall With / Trainer:</b>	<b>Quantity</b>
			<b>Total Cost</b>
<b>Class Number</b>		<b>NOTE: NO SPLIT TABS</b>	
<b>Saturday</b> classes 1-99,164-166	<b>Sunday</b> classes 100-163,167-169	Total Saturday Entries @ \$10.00/class:	
		Total Sunday Entries @ \$10.00/class:	
		# OF STALLS @ \$55/stall/weekend	
		GROUNDS FEES* @ \$25.00/horse/weekend	
		RV HOOKUP FEE @ \$23.00 per night	
		LATE FEES** @ \$10.00/horse	
		<i>Note: Shavings fees are separate from the show office fees. Please</i>	<b>Total:</b>
		<i>remit shavings payment directly to Travis Alford (J&amp;D Bedding)</i>	<b>Credit:</b>
			<b>Cash:</b>
			<b>Check:</b>

\* **Grounds Fees:** Any horse on the grounds without a stall will be charged a \$25.00 grounds fee. This applies to all horses, whether they are being shown or not.

\*\* **Late Fees:** **The Entry Deadline is April 5, 2010.** A late entry fee of \$10.00 will be charged per horse for all entries post-marked after April 5, 2010.

RESPONSIBILITY: WARNING: Under North Carolina law "...an equine activity sponsor, an equine professional, or any other person engaged in an equine activity, including a corporation or partnership, shall not be liable for an injury to or the death of a participant resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities..." [Chapter 99E of the North Carolina General Statutes]. The ECOSC April Premier Open Horse Show or Show Management will in no way be responsible for any loss or damage that may occur, and it will be a condition of the entry that each exhibitor shall hold the horse show and the Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center blameless for any loss or accident to his or her horse, horses or equipment that may occur from sickness, fire, or otherwise. Nor shall they be held responsible for any article of any kind or nature that may be lost, destroyed, or stolen; and will not be responsible for or liable for injury sustained in any way to exhibitors, spectators, employees or any other interested parties. All owners and exhibitors will be held responsible for any damages, incurred by them or their agents to barns or other properties on the Show Ground and will be billed accordingly.

**Exhibitor's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(parent or guardian if under 18)**

**Send Entry Forms to Show Manager:** Trish Andrews, 1074 Holly Springs Loop Rd, Williamston NC 27892

**Please make all checks payable to:** East Coast Equine Inc. **Payment must accompany entry.** For more info visit [www.eastcoasthorses.com](http://www.eastcoasthorses.com)

## East Coast Open Show Circuit 2010 Circuit Awards Program Nomination Form

*One nomination form per horse.*

Date of Nomination: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**List the full name of horse exactly as horse will be listed on the show entry forms. This is very important. Note: Achievement awards are tracked from year to year; if you change a horse's name in any way from one year to another, please make sure to let us know.**

Name of Horse Handler/Rider(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Name of Horse Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

*(if different from Horse Handler/Rider)*

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

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

**Back Number:** All circuit horses will be assigned a back number. Circuit horses will be required to show under this number in order for points to be tracked and counted. Numbers will be provided by ECOSC. **Please indicate your back number of choice; every attempt will be made to assign your requested number. If no number is requested, ECOSC will assign one.** – *Please see Note\* on next page* –

**Back Number Requested: 1<sup>st</sup> choice** \_\_\_\_\_

**2<sup>nd</sup> choice** \_\_\_\_\_

Barn Affiliation: Please list below any barn, stable, or trainer you are affiliated with when showing with us. Please include this party's Name and Telephone Number.

Barn Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

I the undersigned do hereby affirm that I have read the rules and regulations regarding nomination and agree to abide by them. In addition, I will comply with the ECOSC Rule Book and USEF rulebook and any variations deemed necessary by show management.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**\$35.00 annual nomination fee must be enclosed for each horse being nominated for each year. Points will not count until nomination form has been submitted and paid for.**

Please make all checks payable to “**East Coast Equine Inc.**”

*Office Use Only:*

Circle Payment type: **Check ( # \_\_\_\_\_ )** **Cash**      **On Tab of:** \_\_\_\_\_

If nominated during show, received prior to # class \_\_\_\_\_      Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail nomination form and fees to:** Trish Andrews • 1074 Holly Springs Loop Rd • Williamston, NC 27892

### Circuit Back Numbers

All circuit horses will be assigned a back number. Circuit horses will be required to show under this number in order for points to be tracked and counted. Your back numbers will be provided to you by ECOSC, at the first circuit show you attend. Please indicate your back number of choice on the circuit nomination form. Every attempt will be made to assign your requested number. If no number is requested, ECOSC will assign one.

NOTE: To ensure a mixed distribution of circuit and non-circuit back numbers during any given class or show, show management may randomly add a "0" or "00" or "000" to the end of the back number you request. (**Example:** if you choose back number 72, your "final" issued back number may be 720 for the circuit year. If you choose back number 2, your back number may be 200 or 2000 for the circuit year.)

### Circuit Participation

- ECOSC requires a nomination fee for participation in its year-end awards program. Please include payment with your nomination forms. Complete information on horses participating in this program must be provided on the Nomination Form. Points will follow the horse, not the horse/rider team. You may nominate as many horses as you want, but each horse needs to be on a separate Nomination Form
- You do not have to join the circuit in order to participate at any of the circuit shows, but to be eligible for year-end High Point Awards, your horse must be nominated into the circuit program.
- Each horse that is nominated into the circuit program is required to show at a minimum of two circuit shows to be eligible for year-end High Point Awards (double pointed shows do not count as two horse shows).
- Points will not be tabulated or counted until after fees are paid and nomination form is received. You may join the circuit at any time prior to the third show of the season, but please be aware that any points theoretically accumulated prior to nomination and payment of fees cannot be used towards year-end High Point Awards. Exhibitors cannot pay after placing and expect points to be counted. Although you can join the circuit at any time prior to the third show, show management suggests joining prior to the first show of the circuit. The nomination fee helps to offset costs for office fees, points tracking, and to provide high quality year-end High Point Awards and Achievement Awards.
- On the Nomination Form, list the full name of horse exactly as horse will be listed on the show entry forms.
- All **circuit nominations** and **payment** must be submitted together. We cannot take a nomination form without payment, or payment without the appropriate nomination form.
- Achievement awards are tracked from year to year. If you change a horse's name in any way from one year to another, please make sure to let us know.
- Location of Shows: All four circuit shows will be held at the Senator Bob Martin Eastern Agricultural Center.
- For more information please see the ECOSC Rulebook at [www.east-coast-horses.com](http://www.east-coast-horses.com)

## Circuit Divisions and Show High Point Divisions

Show High Point Awards for the following divisions will be announced during each show, after the final class tabulation of each division has been completed. Awards may be picked up at the Show Office.

<b>Division</b>	<b>Show High Point Award</b>
• <b>Halter 2 Yrs &amp; Under</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Halter 3 Yrs &amp; Over</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Western Pleasure</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Huntseat</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Saddleseat</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Field Hunter</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Working Western</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Dressage Suitability</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Miniature Equine</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Off The Rail</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Non-Trotting</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Pleasure Driving: Horse</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Pleasure Driving: Pony</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Stock/Hunter Type Horse</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse
• <b>Saddle Pleasure Type Horse</b>	High Point Horse & Reserve High Point Horse

The following Overall Show High Point Awards will be announced at the conclusion of each show:

- **Overall High Point Horse**
- **Reserve Overall High Point Horse**

All of the above Division Points will be tracked for Circuit Year-End High Point Awards for 2010 circuit-nominated horses. Circuit Division Awards will be placed 1<sup>st</sup> through 10<sup>th</sup>. Circuit Overall High Point Horse and Reserve Overall High Point Horse will be awarded.

## East Coast Open Show Circuit – Sponsorships

The ECOSC builds upon farm, corporate and individual sponsorships which help make our event successful. Your willingness to sponsor classes or divisions is greatly appreciated and helps to offset the costs of producing a show of this caliber. We thank you very much for your support.

### Levels of Sponsorship:

**Class Sponsor:** \$25.00 per class sponsored. Class sponsorship will have your farm/stable/business announced during the class. Listing on our website Sponsors page.

**Division Sponsor:** \$75.00 per division sponsored. Division sponsorship will have your farm/stable/business recognized in announcements throughout the division. Listing on our website Sponsors page.

**Gold Sponsor:** \$150.00. Become a gold sponsor and have your farm/stable/business recognized in announcements throughout the show. Listing on our website Sponsors page.

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

Circuit Show Sponsored: \_\_\_\_\_

➤ I wish to sponsor the following class(es): \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

➤ I wish to sponsor the following division(s): \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

➤ I wish to be a gold sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Make checks payable to: **East Coast Equine Inc.**)

*Please provide your announcement information below (additional pages, brochures etc. may be used)*

**Mail to:**

Trish Andrews • 1074 Holly Springs Loop Rd • Williamston, NC 27892 (Phone: 252-799-0334)

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**Title Sponsorships:** For information about becoming a Title Sponsor of an ECOSC circuit show, contact Trish Andrews at 252-799-0334 ([trishandrews@embarqmail.com](mailto:trishandrews@embarqmail.com)) or Norma Gurkin at 252-809-3687 ([normag@embarqmail.com](mailto:normag@embarqmail.com))