

GHMHC BLUE BONNET CLASSIC

Miniature Horse Show

Premium List

sponsored by the
GREATER HOUSTON MINIATURE HORSE CLUB
Great Southwest Equestrian Center
March 12, 13 & 14, 2010

Judges

DARRELL BILKE – EDMOND, OKLAHOMA (Sr.)

SANDRA CURL – VERO BEACH, FLORIDA (Sr.)**

**** 2010 World Show Judge ****

ART GAYTAN – PAHRUMP, NEVADA

DEBRA WALTER-SCHLIEM – DRIPPING SPRINGS, TEXAS (Sr.)

This horse show is approved by and conducted under the rules of the American Miniature Horse Association, Alvarado, Texas. All horses must be registered with AMHA. A COPY OF BOTH SIDES OF THE REGISTRATION PAPERS OF EACH HORSE ENTERED MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE SHOW CHAIRMAN WITH EACH HORSE ENTRY. Entries that are received without a copy of both sides of the registration papers will be held pending until such papers are submitted. **NOTE >>>>>** Along with your registration papers, please send a copy of your Stallion Testicular Report for **ANY** senior stallion entered. This will save time when checking in.

All youth and amateur exhibitors **must provide a copy of their current AMHA Youth or Amateur card with their entries** and provide such #'s on the front side of the entry blank. Applications for both these numbers will be available at the Show Office. Please acquaint yourselves with current AMHA rules concerning youth and amateurs.

The above forms are available from AMHA, at the show or you may download them at AMHA.org. Be aware the Stallion Report must be signed by your vet.

The Show Manager reserves the right to settle and determine all questions, differences and disputes arising out of or connected with or incident to this Show within the boundaries of AMHA's current show rules, and to cancel or combine classes.

This Show is qualified for the 2010 AMHA World Show and 2010 Greater Houston Miniature Horse Club High Point Awards.

NO LOGOS, NAMES OR OTHER IDENTIFICATION OF PERSON OR FARM WILL BE ALLOWED ON ANY EXHIBITOR, HORSE OR VEHICLE IN THE SHOW ARENA.

ENTRIES CLOSE: March 4, 2010

REGULAR ENTRIES CLOSE MARCH 4, 2010. A Post/Late entry fee will be charged for entries not postmarked by this date, of \$10 per horse. Post/Late entries will be accepted until 7:30 am March 12, 13 & 14, 2010. Additional class entries will be accepted up to four classes before the class you wish to show. Entries for classes with an order of go (obstacle, liberty, H/J, etc.) must be made before the order is drawn or be in the order.

HEALTH REGULATIONS

The State of Texas Animal Health regulations for ALL HORSES are as follows; each horse must be accompanied by a health certificate current within 30 days and a Negative Coggins (EIA) test within 12 months.

OFFICE FEE

An Office Fee of \$5.00 per horse will be charged for each horse entered (non-refundable)

STALLS: \$75 EACH

Stalls are box stalls (10 x 10) of wood or wood & metal construction. No more than 2 horses per stall. **Stalls will be available at Noon, Thursday March 11 and must be vacated by 9 pm Sunday 03/14.** Anyone wanting to arrive earlier or stay later must make advance arrangements with Show Management and additional fees will apply. Horses may be brought for sale, but pay regular stall fees and meet health requirements. Stall decorations are encouraged.

No bedding is included with stalls. Shavings will be available on the Show Grounds for \$12.00 per bag. Please order your shavings on the entry blank. **NO SHAVINGS MAY BE BROUGHT ONTO THE SHOW GROUNDS. Sorry about the increase in the price of shavings. GSEC has a new source for their shavings, which are more expensive, but GSEC assure us the bags are much larger.**

MEASUREMENT OF HORSES

Horses will be measured between the hours of 3:00 - 8:00 p.m., Thursday, March 11. **ALL HORSES** must be measured. Measure cards remain suspended by AMHA. **** If you can't measure within the set hours, please fill in the appropriate space on the entry blank as to when you would like to measure. If there is a problem with your time, we'll call you.**

AMHA JUDGE'S EVALUATION CARDS

Judge's Evaluation Cards are no longer mandatory, but may be filled out on a voluntary basis. Cards will be available at the Horse Show Office.

DIRECTIONS TO THE SHOW GROUNDS

Great Southwest Equestrian Center is located on Mason Rd., in Katy, TX. Take Interstate 10 to Mason Rd., go south on Mason. The entrance is on the left just over 3 miles from I-10. There is a map in this book.

MOTEL ACCOMODATIONS

The La Quinta Inn & Suites -- Houston Park 10 will be the headquarters for the Blue Bonnet Show. Please make your reservations as soon as possible. Identify yourself as an exhibitor with the Miniature Horse to receive the horse show rate.

LA QUINTA INN & SUITES -- HOUSTON PARK 10
15225 KATY FREEWAY (Interstate 10) Houston, TX 77094
281/646-9200 fax 281/646-9201

RV HOOKUPS

Motorhome or trailer hookups are available at the Show Grounds for the cost of \$40.00 per night. Full hookups (water & electric) are available, both 30 & 50 amp spaces. The fee applies to anyone hooking up to any G.S.E.C. grounds utilities.

REFUND POLICY

The GREATER HOUSTON MINIATURE HORSE CLUB will give a refund for fees, other than stall & office fees, for a horse that has become ill, as long as a veterinarian's certificate of inability to show is provided for said horse, before the official start of the Show, 3/12 at 8:30 a.m.

Substitution of a horse will be accepted with no late fee.

CLASS SPONSORSHIPS

The cost of sponsoring a regular class is \$10.00, \$15.00 to sponsor a Grand or Supreme Champion class. Sponsors will be acknowledged during the Show and are welcomed to present the ribbons for their class.

COMMERCIAL EXHIBITORS/VENDORS

The fee for commercial exhibitors/vendors is \$35.00 per day, for a small display; \$60 per day for larger displays, including those using trailers. Tables, chairs, etc., not provided.

AWARDS

Rosette -- 1st thru 6th place winners, champions & reserve champions.

RETURNED CHECK FEE

Unfortunately, due to a large number of returned checks at recent GHMHC Shows and increasing fees at banks, GHMHC will have to charge a \$40 returned check fee on all checks returned.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS
March 12, 13 & 14, 2010

**** Denotes Non-AMHA pointed classes**

FRIDAY, MARCH 12 – 8:30 a.m.

| Class # | Class Title |
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| 1 | Weanling Stallions – 30" & Under |
| 2 | Yearling Stallions – 28" & Under |
| 3 | Yearling Stallions – Over 28" up to & including 30" |
| 4 | Yearling Stallions – Over 30" up to & including 32" |
| 5 | Two Year Old Stallions – 29" & Under |
| 6 | Two Year Old Stallions – Over 29" up to & including 31" |
| 7 | Two Year Old Stallions – Over 31" up to & including 33" |
| 8 | <u>GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE JR. STALLION (1st & 2nd from 1-7)</u> |
| 9 | Amateur Jr. Stallion – Level 1 |
| 10 | Amateur Jr. Stallion – Level 2 |
| 11 | AOTE Stallions |
| 12 | Open Single Pleasure Driving – Over 32" – 34" |
| 13 | Amateur Single Pleasure Driving |
| 14 | Single Pleasure Driving – Geldings |
| 15 | Weanling (30" & Under) & Yearling (32" & Under) Geldings |
| 16 | Two Year Old Geldings – 33" & Under |
| 17 | <u>GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE JR. GELDING (1ST & 2ND from 15 & 16)</u> |
| 18 | Senior Geldings – 30" & Under |
| 19 | Senior Geldings – Over 30" up to & including 32" |
| 20 | Senior Geldings – Over 32" up to & including 34" |
| 21 | <u>GRAND CHAMPION & RES. SR. GELDING (1st & 2nd from 18, 19 & 20)</u> |
| 22 | Multi Color Stallion or Gelding |
| 23 | Solid Color Stallion or Gelding |
| 24 | Country Pleasure Driving – Geldings |
| 25 | Ladies Country Pleasure Driving |
| 26 | Senior Stallions – 28" & Under |
| 27 | Senior Stallions – Over 28" up to & including 30" |
| 28 | Senior Stallions – Over 30" up to & including 32" |
| 29 | Senior Stallions – Over 32" up to & including 34" |
| 30 | <u>GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE SR. STALLION (1st & 2nd from 26-29)</u> |
| 31 | Amateur Sr. Stallion – Level 1 |
| 32 | Amateur Sr. Stallion – Level 2 |
| 33 | <u>GRAND & RES AMATEUR STALLION (1st & 2nd from 9-11, 31, 32)</u> |
| 34 | Ladies Single Pleasure Driving |
| 35 | Gentlemens Country Pleasure Driving |
| 36** | Beginners Country Pleasure Driving |
| 37 | Single Pleasure Driving – Mares |
| 38 | Country Pleasure Driving – Mares |
| 39 | Amateur Country Pleasure Driving – Level 1 |
| 40 | Amateur Country Pleasure Driving – Level 2 |
| 41 | Versatility |

SATURDAY, March 13 – 8:30 a.m.

- 42 Open Hunter
- 43 Amateur Hunter
- 44 Youth Hunter – 13 thru 18 Years
- 45 Youth Hunter – 12 Years & Under
- 46** Hunter – Beginner Exhibitor
- 47 Open Jumper
- 48 Amateur Jumper
- 49 Youth Jumper – 13 thru 18 Years
- 50 Youth Jumper – 12 Years & Under
- 51 Amateur Showmanship
- 52 Liberty
- 53 Youth Costume – **FREE AT THIS SHOW**
- 54 Youth Sr. Mares – 13 thru 18 Years
- 55 Youth Sr. Mares – 12 Years & Under
- 56 Youth Jr. Mares – 13 thru 18 Years
- 57 Youth Jr. Mares – 8 thru 12 Years
- 58 Youth Jr. Mares – 7 Years & Under
- 59** GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE YOUTH MARE (1st & 2nd from 54-58)**

- 60 Open Single Pleasure Driving – 32" & Under
- 61 Open Country Pleasure Driving – 32" & Under
- 62 Youth Single Pleasure Driving – 18 Years & Under
- 63** Beginner Halter
- 64 Youth Showmanship – 13 thru 18 Years
- 65 Youth Showmanship – 8 thru 12 Years
- 66 Youth Showmanship – 7 Years & Under
- 67 Adult Showmanship
- 68 Weanling Mares – 30" & Under
- 69 Yearling Mares – 28" & Under
- 70 Yearling Mares – Over 28" up to & including 30"
- 71 Yearling Mares – Over 30" up to & including 32"
- 72 Two Year Old Mares – 29" & Under
- 73 Two Year Old Mares – Over 29" up to & including 31"
- 74 Two Year Old Mares – -- Over 31" up to & including 33"
- 75 GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE JR. MARE (1st & 2nd from 68-74)**

- 76 Amateur Jr. Mares – Level 1
- 77 Amateur Jr. Mares – Level 2
- 78 Open Classic Pleasure Driving – 32" & Under
- 79 Open Classic Pleasure Driving – Over 32" – 34"
- 80 Sr. Mares – 28" & Under
- 81 Sr. Mares – Over 28" up to & including 30"
- 82 Sr. Mares – Over 30" up to & including 32"
- 83 Sr. Mares – Over 32" up to & including 34"
- 84 GRAND CHAMPION & RESERVE SR. MARE (1st & 2nd from 80-83)**

- 85 Amateur Sr. Mares – Level 1
- 86 Amateur Sr. Mares – Level 2
- 87 AOTE Mares
- 88 GRAND & RES. AMATEUR MARE (1st & 2nd from 76, 77 & 85-87)**

- 89 Multi Color Mares

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| 90 | Solid Color Mares |
| 91 | Open Roadster |
| 92 | Ladies Roadster |
| 93 | Amateur Roadster |
| 94 | AOTE Roadster |
| 95 | Youth Roadster |
| 96 | Open Country Pleasure Driving – Over 32” to 34” |
| 97 | AOTE Country Pleasure Driving |
| 98 | <u>SUPREME HALTER CHAMPION (1st from 8,17,21,30,75,84)</u> |

SUNDAY, March 14 – 8:30 a.m.

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| 99 | Open Obstacle Driving |
| 100 | Amateur Obstacle Driving |
| 101 | Youth Obstacle Driving – 13 thru 18 Years |
| 102 | Youth Obstacle Driving – 12 Years & Under |
| 103 | Open Halter Obstacle |
| 104 | Amateur Halter Obstacle |
| 105 | Youth Halter Obstacle – 13 thru 18 Years |
| 106 | Youth Halter Obstacle – 12 Years & Under (Youth 7 & Under must show in this class for AMHA points) |
| 107** | Beginner Halter Obstacle -- Any age beginner exhibitor |
| 108** | Youth Halter Obstacle – 7 Years & Under |
| 109 | Adult P/M Challenged Halter, Mare |
| 110 | Adult P/M Challenged Halter, Stallion or Gelding |
| 111 | Youth P/M Challenged Halter, Mare or Gelding |
| 112 | Amateur Classic Pleasure Driving |
| 113 | Youth Classic Pleasure Driving – 18 Years & Under |
| 114 | Youth Jr. Geldings – 13 thru 18 Years |
| 115 | Youth Jr. Geldings – 12 Years & Under |
| 116 | Youth Sr. Geldings – 13 thru 18 Years |
| 117 | Youth Sr. Geldings – 8 thru 12 Years |
| 118 | Youth Sr. Geldings – 7 Years & Under |
| 119** | <u>GRAND CHAMPION & RES. YOUTH GELDING (1st & 2nd from 114-118)</u> |
| 120 | Single Pleasure Driving – Stallions |
| 121 | Country Pleasure Driving – Stallions |
| 122 | Amateur Jr. Gelding – Level 1 |
| 123 | Amateur Jr. Gelding – Level 2 |
| 124 | AOTE Geldings |
| 125 | Amateur Sr. Gelding – Level 1 |
| 126 | Amateur Sr. Gelding – Level 2 |
| 127 | <u>GRAND CHAMP. & RES. AMATEUR GELDING (1st & 2nd from 122-126)</u> |
| 128** | <u>SUPREME AMATEUR HALTER CHAMPION (1st from 33, 88, 127)</u> |
| 129 | Youth Country Pleasure Driving – 13 thru 18 Years |
| 130 | Youth Country Pleasure Driving – 12 Years & Under |
| 131 | AOTE Single Pleasure Driving |

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For Show Information Call: Nancy Braesicke 903/882-4755 or 903/574-0891 (cell)

Please make checks payable to: GHMHC Blue Bonnet Classic
Mail to: Nancy Braesicke
P.O. Box 1147
Lindale, TX 75771

FEE SCHEDULE

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| Entry Fees -- Open classes (per class)..... | \$40.00 |
| *Amateur Classes -- \$35 per class or flat fee of \$100 up to 6 classes | |
| *Youth Classes -- \$15 per class or flat fee of \$60 for 4 or more classes | |
| Beginner Classes..... | \$15.00 |
| AMHA Surcharge -- per horse | \$ 4.00 |
| Office Fee -- per horse..... | \$ 5.00 |
| Stalls -- Entire show | \$75.00 |
| Shavings -- per bag | \$12.00 |
| Ground Fee (per horse/per day-ONLY HORSES WITHOUT STALLS)..... | \$40.00 |
| RV/Trailer Hookup -- per night | \$40.00 |
| Returned Check Fee | \$40.00 |
| Commercial Vendor Fee (per day).....small display..... | \$35.00 |
| large or trailer..... | \$60.00 |
| Class Sponsorship -- Regular class..... | \$10.00 |
| Champion or Supreme..... | \$15.00 |

Youth Good Will Sponsorship Program Fund >>>> ANY AMOUNT

** Flat Fees for amateur & youth classes are per horse/exhibitor combination. If you show another horse, you must pay another flat fee or per class entry fees.

Pricing policy for amateurs -- The flat fee of \$100 will cover 6 classes for the same amateur/horse combination in amateur classes only. These classes must be entered on the entry blank. Classes entered at the show or in excess of 6 will be \$35.00.

HIGH POINT AWARDS

Each exhibitor must declare their intention to be included in the High Point competition by marking the appropriate space on the back of the entry blank or signing up at the Horse Show Office prior to the first class they are to show in. Points will be calculated from combined points of all four judges. Points will be awarded in inverse order of placing; 1st - 6 points (per judge); 2nd - 5 ; 3rd - 4; 4th - 3; 5th - 2; 6th - 1, if there are 6 or more horses in a class. If there are less than 6 horses in a class, points will be based on that number of horses; ie; 3 horses in a class >>> 1st = 3 pts; 2nd = 2; 3rd = 1.

Youth Highpoint -- Grand & Reserve

Awarded to one youth/horse combination in each of three age groups (7 Years & Under, 8 thru 12 Years and 13 thru 18 Years). A youth may be in more than one combination, using a different horse. Points will be calculated from Youth classes only.

Amateur Highpoint

An award will be made to the one amateur/horse combination that accumulates the highest number of points in amateur classes. AOTE classes do not count towards this highpoint. An amateur may compete in more than one amateur/horse combination.

BEGINNER CLASSES

The entry fee for all Beginner classes is \$15.00 per class. These classes are to beginner exhibitors that are new to the miniature horse show world. We will kind of leave it up to your judgement to be fair in deciding if you are truly a beginner. Any AMHA horse may be shown in beginner classes. Youth 12 years & under may not show a stallion over 1 year old.

SPECIAL NOTE – ALL EXHIBITORS

All horses, pre-entered & new entries, must be checked in at the office no later than 30 minutes before the show starts. There's so much to do before the show starts, we can't get the show started on time, without this new policy. The show office will be open each show day, one hour before the show starts. You will be able to resume check in as soon as whatever classes are taking place make it possible.