

# **Celebration of the Horse Hunter-Jumper Information**

## **May 31, June 1 & 2, 2024**

Located at the Of HORSE You Can! arena at Denver Polo Club  
6359 Airport Road, Sedalia CO 80135

### **REGISTER!**

Email [tara@cottonwoodridingclub.com](mailto:tara@cottonwoodridingclub.com)

Call 303.791.7656

The Celebration of the Horse is a unique event with one goal in mind, FUN! Our desire at Of HORSE You Can! events is to bring the fun back into horse showing with a quality experience for both the spectator and the rider.

The Celebration of the Horse is our season opener for all the equestrian sports we host during the summer. This year we are excited to offer a recognized USHJA outreach show. We hope that you will take advantage of the chance to earn points and get qualified for the USHJA outreach festivals! Not a USHJA member? Outreach membership is free and can be acquired at USHJA.org

## **Official Staff**

Management reserves the right to change this list as needed.

**Show secretary:** Carole Kenny

**Show manager:** Tara Hieb

### **Judges**

**Friday May 31** - Kay Beard

#### **Saturday June 1**

Derby Grass Ring - Kay Beard

Hunter 1 - TBD

Dressage - See Separate prize list for Dressage schedule and specs

#### **Sunday June 2**

Jumper 1 - Kay Beard

Hunter 1 - BD

Course Designer - Liza Dennehy

**Vet on call :** VetWerx Equine South, 720-439-7789

**Farrier on Call:** Luke Clarke

**Closest Hospital:** UC Health Highlands Ranch 1500 Park Central Dr, Littleton, Co 80129

**Hotel:** Hilton Garden Inn 1050 Plaza Drive, Highlands Ranch, CO 80126, 303-683-4100

## Stabling

10x10 temporary stalls with doors and metal roofing. Stabling will be available for \$150 Friday – Sunday, or \$60 per day per stall. Stabling is limited and must be reserved by emailing tara@ofhorseyoucan.com. Stalls will be available on a first come, first served basis, stripping at the end of the show is included. Bedding is on sale for \$12/ bag. Stall floors are dirt and at least one bag of bedding is required per stall. Hay can also be purchased for \$20 per bale. We offer grass and a grass/alfalfa mix.

## The property

The Of HORSE You Can Arena sits on a 175 acre facility that has an upper and lower area. The stalls, trailer parking and show arena are located on the upper field and the polo field is located on the lower area. We encourage you to use the facility to its fullest extent and to stay and play for the weekend. However, the size of the facility is large and we recommend bringing or renting a golf cart to help you get around faster. Please indicate that you would like a cart when you enter. Carts are \$130 per day. Or bring your own and we can help you keep it charged up.

## Entry Procedures and the rules!

\*\*Management reserves the right to cancel or combine classes. Management reserves the right to refuse any entry in accordance with GR914. Of HORSE You Can inc and Denver Polo Club, the owner, their officials and employees will not be responsible for any accident or loss which may occur to an exhibitor, spectator, guest, rider, groom, attendant, or other employee, animal or equipment at the show.

\*\*One horse per entry. Scanned copies can be emailed to: [entries@ofhorseyoucan.com](mailto:entries@ofhorseyoucan.com). We encourage you to use Horseshowing.com for your entries. This is a free site for you to use. Copies can be mailed to Celebration Entries, 10415 Roxborough Park Road, Littleton CO 80125. Entries are not complete without payment of \$100 deposit fee.

**\*\*THIS WILL BE CONDITIONS OF ENTRY TO THE SHOW AND SHOW GROUNDS\*\***

\* All riders must wear ASTM Certified protective headgear while mounted.

\* No alterations are to be made to stabling or other facilities by exhibitors. A \$100 fee will be charged for any changes.

\* A processing fee of \$50 plus collection fees will be made for any returned checks.

\* Venmo, checks, or cash are all approved methods of payment.

\* No smoking is permitted inside the barns.

\* Prize money exceeding entry fees will be distributed within 30 days.

\* A \$25 haul in fee will be charged to all horses without a stall.

\* A \$35 non refundable office fee will be charged to all entry numbers.

\* A \$10 EMT fee will be charged to all entry numbers.

\* A \$2 USHJA reporting fee will be charged to all entry numbers.

\* Dogs must be leashed at all times. Per USEF Rule 1301.6 dogs are not permitted to be loose on competition grounds and must be on a leash or otherwise contained. Individuals must not lead dogs on a leash while mounted. Dog owners are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from their dogs' behaviors. Dog owners failing to comply with this rule may be subject to penalty under Chapters 6 and 7, as well as issuance for warning cards.

\* Schooling will be available in all arenas. Please refer to the schedule for details.

\* Adding classes, the day of the show will be allowed as long as there is room in the schedule.

## **REFUNDS**

Up to one week before show date, all fees refunded except office fee. From day prior to competition, class fees will be refunded only if ride(s) can be filled from wait list. During competition no refunds including Acts of God. *Office fee is non-refundable.*

## **FEES**

\* Regular Classes are \$35.

\* Stake Classes are \$50.

\* Gambler's Choice \$50.

\* Hunter Derby Classes \$50

## **REGISTRATION**

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## **CLASS DESCRIPTIONS AND PARTICULARS**

\* A Champion and Reserve Champion ribbon will be given in each section of three classes. Three classes with at least 3 completions must be held to award champions. Championships will be broken by highest over fences points.

\* Jumper ties other than first will be broken by time taken in the first round. Ties in a speed round will stand.

\* \$500 Stake classes, \$1000 Mini Derby and \$2000 2'9" Derby will be split as follows. 1-6 place, 43%, 20%, 15%, 10%, 7%, 5%.

\* \$100 Stake classes will be split as follows 1<sup>st</sup> = 50% 2<sup>nd</sup> = 30% 3<sup>rd</sup> = 20% Ribbons to 6 place

\* To enter a Stake class, you must have competed in 2 other jumper classes at the same height as the stake class.

\* Hunter derby classes will have 2 rounds, a regular hunter round and a handy hunter round. Handy rounds may be offered to all riders if there is enough time in the schedule. Otherwise, handy hunters will be offered to the top 12 riders by score.

\* Gambler's choice class. Each fence will have a point value attached to it. You can jump any fence in any order; however, you can only jump each jump twice. You will have 60 seconds to complete your course. After your 60 seconds is up you must cross the timers to stop the time. You will be given the option to jump the joker fence, which will be set to .9m for the small class and to 1.2m for the large class. The joker fence will be worth 200 points if you clear it, 200 points will be added to your score but if you knock it down, 200 points will be deducted.

## ARENA DIMENSIONS

Hunter arena is a 160' x 250' sand arena with an attached warm up area. Jumper arena is a 160' x 250' sand arena, with attached warm up area. The grass field is 200' x 300' international quality grass polo field. The arena markers are 2' tall stake and rope combination.

Cross rail/ 18" Hunter Division 1. *Hunters Cross rails 2. *Hunters Cross rails 3. Hunter under saddle 4. 18" \$50 Hunter Stake	Crossrail/ 18" Equitation Division 5. *Crossrail equitation o/f 6. *Crossrail equitation o/f 7. Equitation on the flat	2' Hunter Division 8. *2' Hunter 9. *2' Hunter 10. 2' Hunter under saddle 11. 2' \$50 Hunter Stake
2' Equitation Division 12. *2' Equitation o/f 13. *2' Equitation o/f 14. 2' Equitation on the flat	2'6" Hunter Division 15. *2'6" Hunter 16. *2'6" Hunter 17. Hunter under saddle 18. 2'6" \$50 Hunter stake	2'6" Equitation Division 19. *2'6" Equitation o/f 20. *2'6" Equitation o/f 21. Equitation on the flat
.60m Jumper Division 22. *.60m II clear round 23. *.60m II.2d 24. *.60m II.2b \$100 Stake	.70m-.75m Jumper Division 25. *.70m II clear round 26. *.70m II.2d 27. *.70m II.2b \$100 Stake	.80-.85m Jumper Division 28. *.80m II clear round 29. *.80m II.2d 30. *.80m II.2b \$100 Stake
.90m-.95m Jumper Division 31. *.90m II clear round 32. *.90m II.2c 33. *.90m II.2b \$500 stake	1.0m-1.05m Jumper Division 34. *1.0-1.05m II clear round 35. *1.0-1.05m II.2c 36. *1.0-1.05m II.2b \$500 stake	1.10m- 1.15m Jumper Division 37. *1.10- 1.15m II clear round 38. *1.10-1.15m II.2c 39. 1.10-1.15m II.2b \$500 stake
Mini Derby on the Grass 40. \$1000 *2'3"-2'6" Hunter Derby	Hunter Derby on the Grass 41. \$2000 *2'9"-3' Hunter Derby	Mini Gambler's Choice 42. \$500 .60-..90m Gambler's Choice
Gambler's Choice 43. \$1000 .90m-1.2m Gambler's Choice	44. Hunter Warm up (to be set at each height) 45. Jumper Warm up (to be set at each height) 46. Derby Warm up. You must enter this class to school Friday	Classes on the grass are on the Denver Polo Club's world class polo field. While many of the polo horses are not studded the choice is up to you.

\*Denotes USHJA Outreach recognized

## Friday May 31

Dressage Ring Schedule	Jumper Ring Schedule	Grass Schedule
12:00-5:00 Schooling 3:00-3:30 water drag	12:00 Show starts 22. *.60m II clear round 23. *.60m II.2d 25. *.70m II clear round 26. *.70m II.2d 28. *.80 II clear round 29. *.80m II.2d 2:00-2:30 (ish) water and drag. 42. \$500 Mini Gambler's Choice 31. *.90m II clear round 32. *.90m II 2c 34. *1.0-1.05m II clear round 35. *1.0-1.05m II 2c 37. *1.10m-1.15m II clear round 38. *1.10m-1.15m II 2c	12:00-3:00 Hunter Derby set up 3:00-5:00 46. Derby warm up

# Saturday June 1

<b>Dressage Ring Schedule</b>	<b>Hunter Ring Schedule</b>	<b>Grass Schedule</b>
<p>8:00-8:30 water and drag            9:00 Show Starts            11:00-11:30 water and drag            2:00-2:30 Water and Drag</p>	<p>8:00-9:00 Schooling            9:00-9:30 water and drag            10:00 Show starts</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Hunter cross rails</li> <li>2. Hunter cross rails</li> <li>5. Equitation cross rails</li> <li>6. Equitation cross rails</li> <li>3. 18" Hunter U/S</li> <li>7. 18" Equitation on the flat</li> <li>8. 2' Hunter O/F</li> <li>9. 2' Hunter O/F</li> <li>12. 2' Equitation</li> <li>13. 2' Equitation</li> <li>10. 2' Hunter U/S</li> <li>14. 2' Equitation on the flat</li> </ol> <p>Water and Drag</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>15. 2'6" Hunter</li> <li>16. 2'6" Hunter</li> <li>19. 2'6" Equitation</li> <li>20. 2'6" Equitation</li> <li>17. 2'6" Hunter U/S</li> <li>21. 2'6" Equitation on the flat</li> </ol>	<p>9:00-10:00 fence set and footing check            10:00                40. \$1000 *Mini Derby</p> <p>1:00 Fence set and footing check</p> <p>3:00                41. \$2000 *2'9"-3' Derby</p>

# Sunday June 2

<b>Hunter Ring Schedule</b>	<b>Jumper Ring Schedule</b>	<b>Grass Schedule</b>
<p>8:00-10:00 Brunch in the office</p> <p>10:00 ring starts.</p> <p>44. Hunter warm up <small>set up at class height</small></p> <p>4. 18" \$50 stake class</p> <p>11. 2' \$50 stake class</p> <p>18. 2'6" \$50 stake class</p>	<p>8:00-11:00 Brunch in the office</p> <p>10:00 ring starts</p> <p>45. Jumper warm <small>set up at class height</small></p> <p>24. .60m II.2b \$100 Stake</p> <p>27. .70m II.2b \$100 stake</p> <p>30. .80m II.2b \$100 stake</p> <p>33. .90m II.2b \$500 stake</p> <p>36. 1.0-1.05m \$500 stake</p> <p>39. 1.10-1.15m \$500 stake</p> <p>Water and Drag course reset</p> <p>43. \$1000 .90m-1.2m Gambler's choice</p>	<p>10:00-3:00            Celebration Polo Classic            All riders will receive GA passes for this event please plan to head down to the grass to enjoy the fun!</p>

# **Directions to Denver Polo Club**

## **6359 Airport Road Sedalia CO 80135**

The Denver Polo Club is easily found on South Santa Fe Drive between Denver and Colorado Springs. You can get to South Santa Fe easily from C470 (north side) or I-25 (from the south).

**From Colorado Springs** head north on I-25 to exit 184, Santa Fe. From the highway take a left onto Founders Parkway approximately 2 miles to Santa Fe. Take a right onto Santa Fe (heading north) approximately 8 miles to Airport Road. At that light take a left. Travel approximately 2 miles (you will cross 2 railroad crossings and a bridge). Immediately after the bridge you will take a left to continue onto Airport Road. Travel through the cul-de-sac onto the paved road. You will want to go past the main entrance (black gate) to the south entrance for the horse shows. This will take you directly to the arena and the signs for stall parking etc.

**From Denver**, head south on I-25 to C470. Take C470 west to Santa Fe. Take a left onto Santa Fe (south) approximately 8 miles to Airport Road. Take a right onto Airport Road travel approximately 2 miles (you will cross 2 railroad crossings and a bridge) immediately after the bridge you will take a left to continue onto Airport Road. Travel through the cul-de-sac onto the paved road. You will want to go past the main entrance (black gate) to the south entrance for the horse shows. This will take you directly to the arena and the signs for stall parking etc.