



Dear Youth & Mid Summer National Exhibitors,

Congratulations on qualifying and welcome to the 2025 Youth & Mid Summer National Championship Horse Show in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. **Please visit the AHA web site for more information regarding updates, the schedule, and important information and forms.**

Please take the time to review the enclosed acknowledgment. If there is any information that is missing, incorrect, or if you have any questions or concerns regarding your entry, please contact the Arabian Horse Association.

Please closely review the classes that are listed on the acknowledgement for horse and rider. If you see an incorrect class, please provide us with written documentation of the incorrect class by email or fax. Please provide us with your contact information, the exhibitor back number, horse's registration number and the correct class the horse should be entered in.

An "***" to the right of a class number indicates that at the time we processed your entry, we were unable to verify qualifications. Be aware this could be a result of AHA not having show results recorded in the office yet if the show has been recently completed. **Please review the next page** for additional information **before** contacting AHA regarding any non-qualifications.

When reviewing the enclosed acknowledgement, please take note of any items specified in the remarks section. Anything listed in this section will need to be submitted **before** your horse can be shown. Please bring requested paperwork to the show at check in. No back numbers will be given out until everything is completed.

For outstanding balances you can either pay online by logging into your account or call AHA at 303-696-4500 option 4 and give your credit card information to one of AHA staff.

Please check the website for the new show office location. The office will be open beginning Monday, July 14 – Thursday, July 17, 8:30 AM to 5 PM (closed from noon to 1 pm). Show office hours for the remainder of the show are 7 am until 30 minutes after the last class has been completed for the day.

A signed check or credit card must be on file before your packets will be released.

Reminder Last day to post enter horses or add classes is July 14, 5 pm Local time.

Please make sure you come to the office to check out by noon on the last day of the show to avoid a possible \$100.00 fine.

USEF thanks you for participating in this competition and your support of USEF's continuous efforts to provide the safest environment possible for our athletes and other participants. Strategies for safeguarding athletes continue to evolve, and we are fully committed to keeping pace with best practices.

The purpose of this letter is to remind you that you are bound by the U.S. Center for SafeSport Code, USEF Safe Sport Policy, and [Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies](#), also known as the MAAPP. This includes the SafeSport Training requirement for adult members and participants who have regular contact with or authority over minor athletes. Additionally, please be reminded about reporting obligations. Any concerns that are non-sexual in nature, please use the USEF Safe Sport Incident Reporting Form available on the USEF website. Concerns or suspicions regarding sexual misconduct must be reported to <https://safesport.i-sight.com/portal> and the authorities if a minor is involved. All of this information can be found in the USEF [Safe Sport Policy](#).

Please take a moment to review the new USEF [Safe Sport web pages](#) on the USEF website to find comprehensive resources regarding USEF Safe Sport efforts. You can also contact Sarah Gilbert, USEF Safe Sport Program Coordinator, at sgilbert@usef.org for any questions or concerns relating to the USEF Safe Sport program.

Thank you for your support and for helping us bring the joy of horse sports to as many people as possible and Best of Luck!

Sincerely,
National Events Department

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VIP Horse Health Regulations

You will need to provide the following at check in before any back numbers will be given out.

DO NOT Email any horse health papers. You must bring copies

Horse Entry Requirements for all horses (including Oklahoma horses)

1. All horses and other equine must be accompanied by a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection or valid Extended Equine Certificate of Veterinary inspection showing age, breed, sex, and markings to positively identify the animals, including all vaccinations, date and result of required tests, and issued within 30 days of arrival.
2. Negative test for Equine Infectious Anemia (coggins) showing a test date within 12 months prior to exhibition and the laboratory accession number must be recorded on the CVI. **Original or photocopy of the test result must accompany horses.**

Why does my acknowledgement read that I am not qualified at this time?

- **Are you showing in an Owner class?** Refer to USEF rules GR123, GR141, GR142 & AR110.4
If you are showing in an owner class and the rider is not the same as the owner or one of the owners listed on the horse's registration papers, if you did not specify the relationship between owner and rider, especially if last names are different, we cannot verify the qualifications for that owner class. For joint ownership if the owner and riders last names are different, putting "owner or same" as the relationship is not definitive enough and needs to be more specific. i.e Daughter, Sister, Niece or a relationship as defined by USEF GR123 Family rule.

NON RELATED CO OWNERS must comply with USEF rule AR110.4.e

Quick review

Registration must be AND not or

One non related co owner can not be a pro or related to a pro or be an entity, farm or business.

Relatives of the 2 non related co-owners can not show in an owner class.

Not eligible for the AWPA or the AHPA Futurity or Maturity classes.

If you fall into these categories please call or email AHA to verify the relationship and have your back number available for quick reference to the AHA staff.

- **Was your show held recently or did you earn qualifications after May 27, 2025**
If so, the results may not be in the AHA system. Show Secretaries have 10 days to submit show results to AHA for official processing. Please check our website to see if the show results have been processed. If they do not appear on the website, we are either currently processing them or are awaiting their arrival. Until the results appear on the website we are unable to check qualifications from the show.
You can view show results once you log into your home page and under "I want to.... use the link "AHA Horse/Rider Points and Competition Records." On the next page select either Horse or rider and enter the required information. If results are not on the web site you can submit a check out statement from the shows that lists the rider & placing in the class OR a fill out a Verification of Qualification found on the web site signed by the Show Secretary and bring it to the show with you.
[Verification of Qualification](#)
- **If you qualified from Open Circuit shows** you must be enrolled in the applicable Open Qualifying Program and have submitted Open Results to the Competitions Department.
- **Did you enter the correct class?**
Please closely review the classes that are listed on the acknowledgement for each horse. If you see an incorrect class, please provide us with written documentation of the incorrect class by email or fax. Please provide us with your contact information, the exhibitor back number, horse's registration number and the correct class the horse should be entered in.

Email: nationalevents@arabianhorses.org

Fax: 303-696-4599 (attention Youth Nationals)

Youth/Mid Summer Nationals Important Notes

Air Conditioners

Personal air conditioners WILL NOT be allowed. Air conditioners create heat due to their exhaust system, which adversely affects other exhibitors. You have the option of ordering Port-A-Cool units from So Cool Fan by call Chris Nelsen 910-690-6677

Catering

State Fair Park's onsite Food & Beverage department has exclusive rights for all catering. Contact Sarah Whyman 405-948-6792 swhyman@okstatefair.com . <https://okcfairgrounds.com/event-services/catering> Please note any third party catering or food and beverages will be subject to a 20% fee of the gross caterer's fee.

Stabling

There is no early stabling. Horses will not be allowed on grounds before 6AM Saturday July 12. Stalls must be vacated prior to **midnight, Sunday July 27.**

Exhibitors are permitted to bring in outside feed and bedding for personal use, **HOWEVER, third party deliveries or sales are strictly prohibited.**

Feed & Bedding can be ordered at: <https://okcfairgrounds.com/event-services/feed-and-bedding>

Special Events Fire & Life Safety

1. No plastic or vinyl material in the buildings, coverings, for stalls.
2. Only stalls for tack storage, entertainment, or sleeping can be covered on the top, and will require a smoke detector and fire extinguisher
3. Stalls can only be covered in a red rosin construction grade paper or (butcher block paper) cheesecloth, either regular or restaurant type grade. Wood strapping – 3' max. On center to attach paper is allowed
4. Any aisle space between stalls can be covered only if equal open space to material not to exceed 4 (foot) ie. If your material is max. 4 (foot) then the space between material shall be min. 4 (foot).
5. No two **(2)** continuous stalls shall be covered at any time.
6. Combustible storefront elevations shall be treated in ACCORDANCE WITH NFPA 701 to make them flame retardant and a certificate or similar proof is supplied to the Oklahoma City Fire Marshals Office prior to its placing. Material that is being treated by user must be done in the presence of an Inspector from the City of Oklahoma City Fire Marshals Office.
7. Awnings shall not exceed out from stalls any further than 4 (foot).
8. No portable heaters of any type are allowed in the Oklahoma City Fairground livestock facilities.
9. **NO** tents or canopies are allowed inside the barns, arena, or livestock area. This is to include but not limited to EZ-UP pop up tents.
10. **NO SMOKING** will be permitted in Arena or Livestock area (BARNS).
11. **NO** hay, straw, shavings, or similar combustible materials used for **decorations** are permitted within any facility unless they have been treated in ACCORDANCE WITH NFPA 701 to make them flame retardant and a certificate or similar proof is supplied to the Oklahoma City Fire Marshals Office prior to its placing. **(Hay or straw for animals is permissible and can be kept in stall areas for feeding and or bedding)**
12. Combustible trash shall be removed at least once a day during the period the arena/exhibit is occupied.
13. Stalls can be built out 4 feet with awnings/floor decorations.
14. Movable objects such as chairs can be out another 2 feet

Show Office Hours:



MON July 14– THURS July 17
8:30 AM – 5 :00 PM

Rest of Show
7 AM – ½ hr after the last class

Are you Changing
a Rider, Driver,
Handler or
Equitation Horse ??



For Equitation classes riders must use the same horse
throughout all phases of the competition unless the show
veterinarian certifies that the horse used at the beginning is
unsound and the required forms are filed at the horse Show
Office.

Do not forget your forms must be
completed and submitted to the Show
Office by

9PM the night prior for Morning classes
11AM for Afternoon classes
4 PM for Evening classes

or there is **\$50.00** late fee!

Possible Conflict?

Did you know you can Request a section PRIOR to it being sectioned either at the office or on the AHA App!!

Request for section MUST be in by noon 2 days PRIOR to when the sections are scheduled to run. Class section will be posted the day prior the class.

ie. If the class is Monday, requests must be in by noon on Saturday & sections will be posted Sunday

Equitation Music

for Classes in the

OG & E Arena

are for SFF &

UPHA

Phase 1 ONLY



MUST be in to the announcer or show office One (1) day prior to the session the when the class is held.

Music submitted after the day prior may not be played. No music accepted once the session has started.

Submit music via email to dansavagemtg@gmail.com with the mp3 file or the U-tube link to the exact version you want to. Make sure you include the class number and title, the rider's name & back number.

Scratches

MUST be in the show office by

9PM the night prior for Morning classes

11AM for Afternoon classes

4 PM for Evening classes

If you scratch at the gate you MUST complete the formal scratch on the app or in the office before the end of the session the class was held.

Failure to submit a scratch will result in a failure to scratch or no show fee

POST ENTRIES

For Added classes

and

New New Horses

**Must be in by Monday
July 14th 5 pm Local time**



2025 YOUTH & MID SUMMER NATIONALS

YOUTH EVENTS

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

- AHYA Board Meeting



Chill Box



5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, JULY 17

- Convention/Dance Decorating
- AHYA Convention & Barn Dance
Pick up your qualifier T-shirts
Pizza Party

TBA

2:00 p.m.

TBA

6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, JULY 19

- Exhibitor Welcome Dinner

TBA

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, JULY 20

- First Time Exhibitor Picture

OG & E Arena

12:30 p.m.

MONDAY, JULY 21

- Stick Horse Workshop
- Stick Horse Contest

Chill Box

11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

OG & E Arena

6:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, JULY 22

- Are U Okay Day – **WEAR YELLOW**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 23

- Chuck a Duck
- All Carts Parade
- Superlative Award Winners Announced

OG & E Arena

12:30 p.m.

OG & E Arena

5:00 pm (after Classes)

THURSDAY, JULY 24

- Dog Costume Class & Dog Races

OG & E Arena

5:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 25

- Last Year Youth Ceremony

OG & E Arena

5:45 p.m.

SATURDAY, JULY 26

- Closing Ceremonies w/ Flag Riders

EXTRA EVENTS

YOUTH ACTIVITY ROOM – come hang out in the AC and play some games or watch a movie. Open 9 a.m - 3 p.m. daily

ACTIVITY HOUR – daily fun youth activity, 10 a.m. for younger kids, 3 p.m. for the older kids

FIND THE GOLDEN HORSESHOE – search the grounds daily for golden horseshoes, if you find one bring it to the Chill Box for a prize

PHOTO SCAVENGER HUNT – make your way around the grounds taking pictures from a list you can pick up in the Chill Box, get all the pictures and come claim your prize.

GOOD LUCK ANIMALS – send your best friend/daughter/sister/barn friend a congratulatory animal that will be delivered to their barn!