



Capital Zone 3 General Performance Horse Show

At

Geary Hill Stables
31 New Road Geary, NB
July 29, 2017

Rain or Shine

Manager – Debbie Thomas

Contact: 447-1209 or nbeazone3@gmail.com

Secretary- Melanie Charette

Contact 471-7424 or melfin1972@gmail.com

Judge: Donna McInnis – Cap Pele, NB

Equestrian Canada General Performance Judge

Steward – Francine White

Course Designer- Deanna Phelan

This horse show will offer points for the NBEA Bronze Provincial Awards and is a qualifier for the NBEA Year End Bronze Championship Show.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

The Capital Zone 3 General Performance Horse Show is sanctioned as a Bronze competition member of Equestrian Canada:

308 Legget Drive, Suite 100
Ottawa, ON K2K 1Y6

and is governed by the rules of EC.

Additional Services:

Veterinarian: Provincial (On Call)

Farrier: Fredericton Farrier Services

Barb Litalien (BA, RN, TNCC, ACLS, BLS & ENBC)

Start time: 8:30 am



Canteen available for refreshments throughout the day

Every entry at an EC sanctioned competition shall constitute an agreement by the person responsible that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver or rider and horse shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any imposed by the competition. Do not participate in this EC sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition. Article A801

Statement of Principles

Equestrian Canada (EC), the national equestrian federation of Canada, supports adherence to the humane treatment of horses in all activities under its jurisdiction.

EC is committed to:

- upholding the welfare of all horses, regardless of value, as a primary consideration in all activities;
- requiring that horses be treated with kindness, respect and compassion, and that they never be subjected to mistreatment;
- ensuring that owners, trainers and competitors, or their agents use responsible care in the handling, treatment and transportation of their own horses as well as horses placed in their care for any purpose;
- providing for the continuous well-being of horses by encouraging routine inspection and consultation with health care professionals and competition officials to achieve the highest possible standards of nutrition, health, comfort and safety as a matter of standard operating procedure;
- providing current information on Code of Practice for the Care and Handling of Equines and other equine health and welfare initiatives ;
- continuing to support scientific studies on equine health and welfare;
- requiring owners, trainers and competitors to know and follow their sanctioning organization's rules, and to work within industry regulations in all equestrian competition; and
- reviewing, revising and developing competition rules and regulations that protect the welfare of the horse.

The Standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a person, informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and exhibition procedures, would determine to be neither cruel, abusive, nor inhumane.

GENERAL RULES

1. Please send all entries to Melanie Charette – 678 Charters Settlement Road, Charters Settlement, NB E3C1X8. Contact info: 471-7424 or melfin1972@gmail.com.
2. Show Office opens at 7:30 am and will remain open to accept post entries during the show. **Post entries must be received at least 3 classes before the class is to start and payment is to be received at that time.**
3. **Limited stabling for out of town exhibitors only.** Please contact the show manager or secretary for those interested. \$30.00 per stall.
4. Show Committee Members are: Debbie Thomas, Melanie Charette and Barb Litalien.
5. The show committee has the right to refuse any entry that is not in good standing with NBEA, Equestrian Canada or competition venue.
6. **This EC-sanctioned competition and all its competitors shall be governed by the current rules of EC.** “Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of EC and will be held and judged in accordance with the EC Rule Book.” **General Regulations and Rule Book for General Performance may be read on EC website. Rulebooks may be purchased from the NBEA.**
7. Per Article A801, every entry at an EC sanctioned competition shall constitute an agreement by the person responsible that the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver or rider and horse shall be subject to the EC constitution and all rules of EC and any additional rules set by the competition. It is the responsibility of all individuals participating in any capacity in EC sanctioned competitions to be knowledgeable regarding the EC constitution and the applicable rules of EC and the additional rules, if any, imposed by the competition. Do not participate in this EC sanctioned competition in any capacity if you do not consent to be bound by the constitution and rules of EC and any additional rules imposed by the competition.
8. Each horse/rider combination must submit separate entries. **All entries must be complete and signed before numbers will be issued.**
9. Entry fees are \$10.00 per class, \$20.00 per Jumper Division and \$25.00 Hunter Divisions entered. **Payment must be received with all entries.**
10. All cheques are to be made payable to: Capital Zone 3 Horse Show. (No post dated cheques) or email money transfers may be sent to melfin1972@gmail.com (password: zone3show)
11. Post entries are permitted the day of the show and must be received at least 3 classes before the class is to start.
12. Competitors are allowed to enter only **two** Jumper Divisions or Over Fences Hunter Divisions.

Examples: Jumper: 0.75m (2'6)/0.85m (2'9) or 0.85m (2'9)/0.90m (3'0)

Hunter: Intro /Beginner or Beginner/ Low

Over Fences Hunter Divisions \$25.00 per Division (Open to all)

Cross Rail #1, #2 & Cross Rail Hunter Under Saddle
Intro Hunter #1, #2 & Intro Hunter Under Saddle
Beginner Hunter #1, #2 & Beginner Hunter Under Saddle
Low Hunter #1, #2 & Low Hunter Under Saddle

Over Fences Jumper Divisions \$20.00 per Division (Open to all)

0.7m (2'3") Welcome & 0.7m Speed
0.75m (2'6) Welcome & 0.75m Speed
0.85m (2'9) Welcome & 0.85m Speed
0.90m (3'0) Welcome & 0.90m Speed

***Jump offs will immediately follow each division**

Jumper classes are a timed event. Riders are permitted to walk the course.

Eliminations - for falls off horse, rider or both in class; second refusal or exceeding the time limit. *Riders may jump one single obstacle after elimination providing it is part of the course and it is not due to a fall. (Section F page 62)

13. Riders entering the Cross Rail Division are not permitted to enter any other Over Fences Hunter Division.
14. Heights or distances of the jumps will not be adjusted for ponies.
***Maximum height for ponies in Hunter classes is 2'6"**
15. Hors concours is not permitted in Hunter classes. (G201) Hors Concours entries may be accepted at the competition committee's discretion but are subject to the same scoring rules as a regular entry with respect to falls, elimination etc. Such entries are not judged and are not eligible for the jump off. A horse or pony that has competed Hors Concours is not allowed to compete subsequently in the same ring on the same day.
16. Prizes for all 1st place winners. Ribbons presented from 1st to 6th place
17. Judges decision is final.
18. **Entries must be received by July 15, 2017. Late entries will be subject to a \$35.00 late fee.**
19. **All riders are required to wear protective helmets that are ASTM approved with a fixed harness while mounted anywhere on the show grounds. This rule applies to English and Western riders.**
20. ***Any horse entered in any class at this competition may be selected for equine medication control testing while at the event location.***
21. **All entries must attach a copy of the following: NO EXCEPTIONS**
 - a. **Proof of current year vaccinations & COGGINS within 1 year of the show date.** *mandatory vaccinations are tetanus, flu, rabies, rhino & strangles
 - b. **2017 EC Bronze Sport License (or higher)** Bronze EC memberships may be purchased from EC at www.equestrian.ca (*Lead line class is exempted from EC Sport License requirements.*)
 - c. **2017 NBEA Membership** -All riders including those schooling horses on the competition grounds must also be NBEA members.
22. Cross Entries where permitted in the rules are permitted.
23. Protests must be made in writing and addressed to the secretary of the competition at which the matter under consideration occurs, must be signed and must be accompanied by a deposit of \$100 cash within 48 hours of the competition. See conditions for complaints and protest of rule book Section A General Regulations.

24. Age Divisions (**WESTERN**): **As of January 1st 2017**
- a. *Small Fry – under 12 years of age
 - b. Youth 13 years and younger
 - c. Junior – 14-18 years of age ***Individuals are juniors until the end of the calendar year in which they turn 18.**
 - d. Senior - 18 years of age and older
 - e. Western pony classes are open to Youth and Junior Competitors.

*** Miscellaneous division:** Riders entered in Small Fry division may only compete in Small Fry division at this competition. Small Fry is **walk/trot only** and does not have year-end awards.

- 25. Competitors in this competition are considered Novice if they are in their 1st or 2nd year showing at any competitions. (Miscellaneous Class)
- 26. Horses in this competition are considered Green Horses if they are in their 1st or 2nd year of showing at any competitions. (Miscellaneous Class)
- 27. Stallions are not permitted
- 28. Ring numbers must be worn and visible at all times in the schooling and exercise areas as well as in the competition ring.
- 29. The show will forfeit 75% of the entry fee less the fees for classes completed if the horse entered is withdrawn due to unsoundness or illness provided a veterinarian's certificate is produced, dated not later than the closing day of the show and received within 10 days of the show date.
- 30. Any actions towards a horse deemed abusive or excessive by a judge, steward or show committee members by an exhibitor or anyone anywhere on show grounds may be given an official warning or may be disqualified from the competition. Article A517
- 31. The Show Committee, its officials, volunteers or Geary Hill Stables does not assume responsibility for accidents or illness to horses, riders, spectators or any other persons in attendance.
- 32. **Classes with less than 3 entries may be combined or cancelled at the discretion of the show committee.**
- 33. Novice Rider and Green Horse (miscellaneous classes) are **walk/trot only** classes. Novice Riders may enter and compete in classes for novice riders only.

Riders under 12 years of age who wish to enter walk/trot classes may only compete in Small Fry classes.

Classes numbers 26, 31, 47, and 58 will have riders compete in Novice Rider or Green Horse and will run separately. **Please indicate on your entry form the class # and if you are entering Novice Rider or Green Horse.**

- 34. EC rule book is available on the Equestrian Canada website at: www.equinecanada.ca and a hard copy will be on site the day of the horse show. Any questions regarding EC rules and regulations please contact our show Steward Lisa Hamm at dhe.lisa@hotmail.com. The competition will be conducted under the rules of EC General Performance Section F. Miscellaneous class descriptions are provided in the Prize List.
- 35. Each horse/rider combination is allowed to enter a maximum of **15** under saddle classes.
- 36. Lunging will not be permitted in warm-up area if there are riders warming up. Lunging can be permitted before 7:30 am. Warm up open to riders after 7:30 am. **No more than two people may lunge at one time.**
- 37. **NO SMOKING** anywhere on the competition grounds.
- 38. Dogs must be on a leash at all times while on the show grounds.

39. Every class offered herein is covered by the rules and specifications of the current rules of Equestrian Canada and will be held and judged in accordance with the Equestrian Canada Rule Book. Any incident requiring a ruling which cannot be referenced to the EC Rule Book, will be rendered by the Show Committee.
40. **Ages for Riders in English Equitation and Pleasure:**
- a. **A rider is classified as Junior until the end of the calendar year in which they turn 18.**
 - b. **Junior C Riders are classified as Junior C such until the end of the calendar year in which they turn 12.**
 - c. **Ages for English Pony classes are Junior and Junior C.**
 - d. **Junior A riders may only show large ponies.**
 - e. ***Ponies are animals that do not exceed 14.2 hands. Large ponies exceed 13.2 hands but do not exceed 14.2 hands. (Section A General Regulations Page 105)**

Miscellaneous Hunter Divisions:

Juniors of any age may show any height pony in miscellaneous classes.

Adults are permitted to show on large ponies in miscellaneous non-point classes not limited to Juniors. A pony shown in judged classes by an adult may not be shown in judged classes at the same competition. (G306)

41. **Cross Rail Hunter** – A course of eight small cross rail fences. Horses to be judged on manners, obedience and style. The course may be trotted without penalty. Open to senior riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies of any height.
42. **Riders entered in the cross rail may not enter any other Hunter Divisions.**
 - a. 9) Cross Rail #1
 - b. 10) Cross Rail #2
 - c. 11) Cross Rail Under Saddle
43. **Intro Hunter** – Over fences: A simple hunter course of at least 8 fences with no combinations. Emphasis of judging on manners, obedience and style. Trotting to fences will not be penalized. Distances will not be adjusted for horses and ponies. Maximum height and width to be 22" (0.55m) Fences may be low verticals or oxers. Majority of fences to be 18" (0.45m) Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies of any height.
 - a. 12) Intro Hunter #1
 - b. 13) Intro Hunter #2
44. **Intro Hunter Under Saddle:** To be shown at walk, trot canter, both ways of the ring. No more than eight to hand-gallop at one time. To be eligible horses/ponies must have completed the course in at least one fences class in their prospective division.
 - a. 14) Intro Hunter Under Saddle
45. Entries in this division are limited to Intro and Beginner Hunter Divisions. A pony ridden by an adult must not be shown by a junior in the same competition.
46. **Beginner Hunter** - (To complete a hunter-type jumping course of at least 8 obstacles not to exceed 2'6 (0.75m) in height. To be judged on obedience, jumping form and general way of going. Open to seniors riding horses or large ponies and juniors riding horses or ponies. The course may, but not required to be adjusted in height and distance for ponies. Juniors of any age may show any height pony in miscellaneous non-point classes. G306. Adults are permitted to show on large ponies in miscellaneous non-point classes not limited to Juniors. A pony shown in judged classes by an adult may not be shown in judged classes by a junior at the same competition.
 - a. 16) Beginner Hunter #1
 - b. 16) Beginner Hunter #2
 - c. 14) Beginner Hunter Under Saddle
47. **Entries in this division may enter Intro & Beginner Hunter OR Intro & Low Hunter.**
48. **Heritage Low Hunter** - (0.85m) Open only to **horses** ridden by a Junior or Senior Rider. Horses judged on obedience, jumping form and general way of going.
 - a. 18) Low Hunter #1
 - b. 19) Low Hunter #2
 - c. 20) Low Hunter Under Saddle

Directions to Geary Hill Stables: To get to Geary Hill Stables take the Exit 303 at Oromocto. Keep to the right on Miramichi Road. Travel through the traffic circle past the Canadian Tire and keep to your right. As you near the 2nd traffic circle, travel to the right heading toward Geary. Follow Route 102 South toward Geary. You will come to a stop sign; make a right turning on to the Broad Road. Travel 6.5 km past an abandoned gas station on the left, over a small stone bridge, take the first right to the New Road. Travel approximately 0.75km and turn left at Geary Hill Stables Driveway at #31 New Road.

Classes eligible for NBEA Bronze Year End Awards:

see NBEA website for full description

Classes in which a rider places 1st to 6th and earns points leading to a Championship or Reserve Championship year end award:

English Classes:

Equitation – is A, B, C and Senior.

*Walk/Trot Equitation (horse and rider must have competed in two EC sanctioned competitions for points to count).

Road Hack and Pleasure – is Junior, Senior or Open.

*Walk/Trot Pleasure (rider must have competed in two EC sanctioned competitions for points to count).

Pony Road Hack, Pony Pleasure – Junior and Junior C riders only. Only Junior riders may ride ponies in the pony division. Junior A riders may only ride large ponies.

Beginner Hunter, Intro Hunter, Heritage Low Hunter

Jumper 0.7m, 0.75m, 0.85m, 0.90m, 1.0m, 1.10m and 1.15m

Western Classes:

Showmanship – is Junior and Junior 13 years and under

Equitation, Pleasure – is Junior, Junior 13 years and under and Senior

Pony Equitation, Pony Pleasure and Pony Showmanship - Junior and Junior 13 years and under

Barrel Racing and Trail – is Junior, Junior 13 years and under and Senior

CLASS LIST

Starts at 8:00 am sharp

This show is a qualifier for the NBEA Year End Bronze Championship Show and the NBEA Year End Awards. For more information visit www.nbea.ca

ENGLISH CLASSES		WESTERN CLASSES	
1.	0.7m (2'3") Jumper Welcome - NEW	37.	*Lead Line English & Western
2.	0.7m (2'3") Jumper Speed - NEW	38.	Trail Youth U13
3.	0.75m (2'6) Jumper Welcome	39.	Trail Junior
4.	0.75m (2'6) Jumper Speed	40.	Trail Senior
5.	0.85m (2'9) Jumper Welcome	41.	*Trail in Hand Youth U13
6.	0.85m (2'9) Jumper Speed	42.	*Trail in Hand Junior
7.	0.90m (3'0) Jumper Welcome	43.	*Trail in Hand Senior
8.	0.90m (3'0) Jumper Speed	44.	Showmanship Youth U13
9.	*Cross Rail #1	45.	Showmanship Junior
10.	*Cross Rail #2	46.	Showmanship Senior
11.	*Cross Rail Hunter Under Saddle	47.	Showmanship Pony
12.	Intro Hunter #1 (Max 2'3)	48.	*Showmanship Novice/GH
13.	Intro Hunter #2	49.	Horsemanship Youth U13
14.	Intro Hunter Under Saddle	50.	Horsemanship Junior
15.	Beginner Hunter #1 (Max 2'6)	51.	Horsemanship Senior
16.	Beginner Hunter #2	52.	Horsemanship Pony
17.	Beginner Hunter Under Saddle	53.	*Horsemanship Novice/GH
18.	Heritage Low Hunter #1 (Max 2'9)	54.	*Horsemanship Walk/Trot
19.	Heritage Low Hunter #2	55.	Pleasure Youth U13
20.	Heritage Low Hunter Under Saddle	56.	Pleasure Junior
21.	English Equitation Junior A	57.	Pleasure Senior
22.	English Equitation Junior B	58.	Pleasure Pony
23.	English Equitation Junior C	59.	*Pleasure Novice/GH
24.	English Equitation Senior	60.	*Pleasure Walk/Trot
25.	English Equitation Walk/Trot U12	61.	Barrel Race Youth U13
26.	*English Equitation Novice/GH	62.	Barrel Race Junior
27.	English Pleasure Junior	63.	Barrel Race Senior
28.	English Pleasure Senior	64.	*Western Command Open
29.	English Pleasure - NEW Walk/Trot under 12	65.	*Western Command Pony
30.	English Pleasure Pony	66.	*Down & Back Open
31.	*English Pleasure Novice/GH		
32.	Road Hack Junior		
33.	Road Hack Senior		
34.	Road Hack Pony		
35.	*English Command Open		
36.	*English Command Pony		

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***are miscellaneous classes and not rated for Equestrian Canada Awards
Please see page 8 of the Prize List for classes eligible for NBEA Bronze Year End Awards**

**If the rider is under 18 years of age, the parent or guardian must complete the areas requiring name, date and signature.
PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

Person Responsible:

The Person Responsible (PR) for a horse must be an adult who has, or shares responsibility for the care, training, custody, and performance of the horse and who has official responsibility for that horse under EC Rules. The PR is liable under the penalty provisions of the applicable EC Rules for any rule violations. Every entry form for an EC sanctioned competition must identify the PR and be signed by the PR. The Person Responsible is ultimately responsible for the condition, fitness and management of the horse and is alone responsible for any act performed by himself/herself or by any other person with authorized access to the horse in the stables, elsewhere on the grounds, or while the horse is being ridden, driven or exercised.

A: For adult entries into EC sanctioned competitions the PR shall be either the trainer, the owner of the horse or the competitor who rides or drives the horse during the EC sanctioned competition.

B: For Junior entries into EC sanctioned competitions the Junior competitor cannot be the PR. For Junior entries the PR may be either the trainer, the owner of the horse, or a parent/guardian of the Junior competitor.

Person Responsible (PR) must sign the competition entry form. PR must be an EC Sport License holder in good standing OR in the case of junior – minor owner, **a parent/guardian is entitled to sign as PR. Effective immediately, parents acting as PR for their child's horse at an EC competition will no longer be required to purchase a Registered Participant license.** To obtain an EC Registered participant membership, please visit www.equestrian.ca. The cost of a registered participant/non-competitive licence is \$15.

However, please note that all provincial equestrian federation members (ie: current NBEA members) automatically receive EC registered participant status.

Parents and Guardians are entitled to sign their children's entry forms without being EC members or holder of a Sport License, provided they agree to abide by the rules and penalties contained in the Rule Book. However, the owner of the horse must hold a valid EC Sport License and the owner's EC Sport License number must be included on all entry forms.

NOTE: Person Responsible who are prevented from performing their duties by reason of illness or other cause, or who must be absent from any competition where horses under their care are entered and stabled shall immediately notify the competition secretary and at the same time, appoint a substitute. Such substitute Person Responsible shall place his or her name on the entry form forthwith and thereby shall assume full responsibility for the performance of the duties. The Person Responsible and the owner acknowledge that the Person Responsible represents the owner with respect to the horses entered in the competition in matters relating to entries, scratches for any reason, equine medication control and any act performed on any horse under the care and custody of the Person Responsible. For complete reference see Article A 1011 1 c) and 2.

I hereby certify that every horse, rider, and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself, and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and Rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition. It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept the risk and hold harmless Geary Hill Stables, EC, NBEA, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, volunteers, employees and their representatives. The person responsible (PR) agrees to the release of any information on the entry form to EC.

Rider's Signature: _____
(over 18 yrs of age) _____ Riders Name (print): _____ Date: _____
Rider's _____
EC Sports Lic # _____
Person Responsible _____ Person Responsible
signature: _____ Name:(print) _____

If rider is under 18 years, the Parent/Guardian must also sign:

I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of _____ that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein on behalf of _____ and myself.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

LIABILITY WAIVER- CAPITAL ZONE 3 GENERAL PERFORMANCE HORSE SHOW

I hereby certify that entry horse and rider is eligible as entered and agree for myself and my representatives to be bound by the Constitution and rules of Equestrian Canada at this competition.

It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept the risk and hold harmless EC, the competition, their officials, organizers, agents, employees and their representatives.

I acknowledge that the Equestrian Sport and its competitions are a high risk sport and that I am participating at my own risk and in full knowledge of the hazards and potential hazards which are inherent in this sport. I further acknowledge that the inherent risks in riding and working around horses, which include bodily injury to both horse and rider which can result from normal use, competition or schooling.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, I hereby release and absolve the Organizing Committee, Capital Zone 3 General Performance Horse Show, Equestrian Canada, the New Brunswick Equestrian Association and their Officials, Volunteers, Officials, Directors, Agents, Representatives, Employees and Owners and Occupiers of the land upon which the competition is held, from all responsibility, liability or claims of any nature and kind which I may have arising from participation in this activity, including but not limited to bodily injury or death to myself or my horse(s) and damage to property arising from any cause whatever, including negligence of one or more of the individuals and organizations referred herein.

All riders regardless of age or level of competition, must wear ASTM/SEI or BSI/BS EN approved protective headgear at all times when mounted at the event location.

In the event that _____ participates in an Equestrian Canada sanctioned competition where protective headgear is required for juniors, he/she will wear properly fitted and fastened approved headgear at all times while riding or driving at the event location. It is understood that juniors not meeting this requirement will not be allowed to compete at these competitions. (See Article A905, Headgear)

I hereby declare that in making this entry that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions herein and that it is binding upon my executors, heirs and assigns.

Signature of Rider: _____
(over 18 yrs of age) _____ Print Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Owner: _____ Print Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian (rider under 18 yrs) _____

Person Responsible (Print) _____ Phone#: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____