



MMOHSC

Mid Michigan Open Horse Show Circuit



Newsletter- Winter 2012



A Message from the President

Hello Members!

With 2012 in full swing, the MMOHSC board has been very busy finalizing all of our show season details. After working with these board members for the last few months, I can confidently say that this board is a panel of very dedicated members all of whom want the best for our circuit and all of its members!

Don't forget about getting your membership and sponsorship info into us as soon as possible. All of the forms and additional info can be found on our website. With the cold and snowy conditions all around us, it is great to plan and look forward to showing and riding in the warmth of the summer sun.

As always, the board welcomes your comments and input. Stay safe and warm!

Nancy Squanda, President

BIG AWARDS, BIG SPONSORSHIPS
If you want the chance to win some HUGE PRIZES this season, now is the time that you should be rounding up your sponsors! If everyone gets a \$25 sponsor we can get super swanky year end awards **AND better first place awards....for only \$25 per member. PLUS** you will get extra year end points for yourself in the process.... Sweet deal huh?



MMOHSC Looking for Sponsorships!
Here's a way to earn some extra points for those end of the year prizes: Collect some sponsorships from area businesses, friends, family members etc. Deadline is April 1st for Brochure. See our website forms page for all the details!

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Special points of Interest:

MMOHSC is looking for Sponsors.

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MMOHSC Newsletter on the WEB

View the latest circuit newsletter and other information by accessing our web site at:

WWW.MMOHSC.COM



SAVE TIME — Print and complete your Rider Entry Form prior to the show and save time in the office. Rider entry forms are available on the Forms Page of the web site.



<http://www.mmohsc.com/forms.html>

>>> **New 2012 Shows** <<<

Sunday, May 13th—Show ready, counts for points.

June 16-17, Alma, Gratiot County Horse Developmental

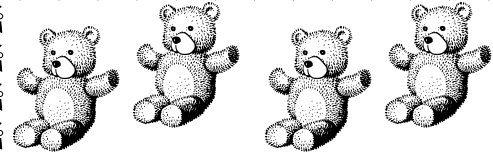
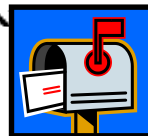
Volunteers needed

The circuit needs volunteers to keep the shows running smoothly for your enjoyment. We would like to express our appreciation to past volunteers and invite anyone interested in announcing, ring stewarding, or running the office to please see a Board member.

Family members not showing are invited to get involved in the fun by volunteering.

Links Included:

- ⇒ [Membership Form](#)
- ⇒ [Sponsorship Incentive information](#)
- ⇒ [Sponsorship Forms](#) (Class & Business)
- ⇒ Circuit [show dates](#) and [class schedule](#)



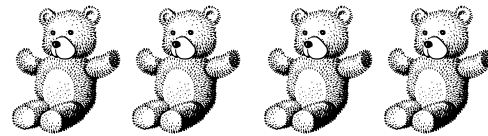
Come join us for a great time at our
Teddy Bear Show!

Saturday, May 12th/Ithaca

Show starts at 9:00am, Rain or Shine!! No Show Clothes!
See the show bill on the MMOHSC website for all the details.

New Sunday points show this year.

Stick around and enjoy the fun.



Show Dates:
Put these on
your
calendar:



5-12-2012 Sat, Teddy Bear Show, Ithaca, MI

5-13-2012 Sun, MMOHSC Show, Ithaca, MI

5-26-2012 Sat, Jr. Fair Board Show, Midland

5-27-2012 Sun, Jr. Fair Board Show, Midland

6-16-2012 Sat, GCHD, Alma

6-17-2012 Sun, GCHD, Alma

6-30-2012 Sat, MMOHSC Show, Midland

7-1-2012 Sun, MMOHSC Show, Midland

7-7-2012 Sat, Cowgirl Up Show, Mt. Pleasant, MI

7-8-2012 Sun, Cowgirl Up Show, Mt. Pleasant, MI

7-14-2012 Sat, Rainbow Riders Show, Midland

7-15-2012 Sun, Rainbow Riders Show, Midland

8-4-2012 Sat, MMOHSC Show, Mt. Pleasant, MI

8-5-2012 Sun, MMOHSC Show, Mt. Pleasant, MI

8-18-2012 Sat, GAS Show, Ithaca

8-19-2012 Sun, GAS Show, Ithaca

2011 Fun Statistics

317 riders showing on 314 horses

Show date	Rides per Show	
Teddy Bear	165	Ithaca
5/28/2011	329	Midland
5/29/2011	307	Midland
6/4/2011	366	Mt Pleasant
6/5/2011	299	Mt Pleasant
6/25/2011	223	Ithaca
6/26/2011	246	Ithaca
7/9/2011	363	Mt Pleasant
7/10/2011	326	Mt Pleasant
7/16/2011	459	Midland
7/17/2011	381	Midland
8/27/2011	248	Ithaca
8/28/2011	264	Ithaca
Total	3976	

HORSE	Rides
Jamaica Mea Star	106
A Walkin Hotrod	87
Im a Charlie Dee	85
WL Vintage Squirt Gun	81
Dont miss a minute	70
Peppys Zippo Jack	67
Jacks Brass Ring	66
Yes I have a minute	65

RIDER	Rides
Sarah Guthrie	95
Sue Frank	95
Andrea Newman	81
Jody Hatfield	70
Hayleigh Hare	68
Bree Dittenber	65
Andrea Laney	65

New 2012 Board Members

Alexis Carey (Youth)
 Andrew Francis (Youth)
 Chelsea Bohl (Youth)
 Cindy Bohl
 Dave Francis
 Hayleigh Hare (Youth)
 Kathy Netzley
 Keith Carey

INTRODUCING A NEW CLASS for 2012

Are you a walk-trotter that wants to try cantering in a regular class? Do you want to school your horse in a class but don't want to do it in front of the judge?? Well here's your chance!!!!

We will be offering a WARM UP CLASS at every show this year - it's a regular class, but your can ride it any way you want to and anyone can show it!!! Get ready to have some fun ☺



Mid-Michigan Open Horse Show Circuit

Show Season 2012

Greetings Community Friends and Leaders,

The Mid Michigan Open Horse Show Circuit (MMOHSC) has been providing enrichment to horse enthusiasts and the public for many years. Our organization is dedicated to providing a rewarding experience to horse showing people of all ages. MMOHSC shows are published in local newspapers as well as on-line horse websites and various horse publications. Horse shows are typically held in Ithaca, Midland and Mt. Pleasant throughout the summer months.

Your sponsorship to the MMOHSC will not only assist our club in attracting more people into the horse showing arena, but also help draw more of the public to open horse showing events. Our goal is to increase our membership and the public's knowledge of the events that are happening within our community.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

MMOHSC Board Members

Class Sponsorship

MMOHSC offers a variety of classes to our exhibitors. Please check below which type of class you would like to sponsor. We have three shows for you to sponsor.

Your business name will be announced at all shows. We thank you for your support.

- Miscellaneous \$25 - Miscellaneous classes such as Walk Trot, Pee Wee, Jack Pot, Jr. and Sr. Pleasure classes.
- Showmanship/Halter \$25 - Showmanship and Halter type classes.
- English \$25 - English type classes such as English Pleasure and Equitation.
- Western \$25- Western type classes such as Western Pleasure, Horsemanship, Reining, Western Riding, Bareback, Novice Horse & Rider.

Brochure Sponsorship

For your consideration, the following sponsorship options are available and explain how you or your business can benefit by contributing to MMOHSC. Simply complete the form, provide a business card and you will help make a difference in your community while also gaining valuable advertising. The business card will provide us with the information we need for your advertisement. MMOHSC is a non-profit organization; therefore, your sponsorship is tax deductible.



MMOHSC brochures are distributed throughout Central Michigan to various club members, tack stores, feed stores, stables, 4-H Clubs, posted on the MMOHSC website, and shared via horse chat rooms and horse pages.

If you have questions regarding sponsorship or if you will be mailing the form back to MMOHSC, please use the name and address below. The deadline for the Brochure is March 31st. After this time we will advertise all sponsors at each of our shows.

- Bronze Sponsor \$50 - Your business card will be displayed in the MMOHSC Brochure (over 2,000 distributed).
- Silver Sponsor \$100 - All the benefits of being a Bronze Sponsor, plus all of the MMOHSC Sponsored shows will include a poster displaying your laminated 5x7 card, and special appreciation of you or your business will be announced throughout the day
- Gold Sponsor \$300 - All of the benefits of being a Bronze and Silver Sponsor plus a banner (designed by you, or created by MMOHSC using your business card), will be displayed at each MMOHSC event.

For your convenience, you can be invoiced for your contribution by checking the "Please Invoice Me" box below. All contributions are tax deductible (tax ID 20-5891550).

Return To:
Andrea Laney
4698 East Weidman Road
Rosebush, MI 48878

Sponsor/Business Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Member collecting sponsorship: _____

Sponsor's Signature: _____ Date: _____

PLEASE INVOICE ME AT THE ADDRESS LISTED ABOVE



Mid-Michigan Open Horse Show Circuit 2012 Membership Form

Membership	Back Numbers
<input type="checkbox"/> Individual \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Individual \$20.00 <i>(After 5/12/2012)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Family \$20.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Family \$30.00 <i>(After 5/12/2012)</i> Includes any family member still living at home	<input type="checkbox"/> Reserve \$5.00 per number (Reserves number only - We <i>do not</i> Print copies) ~ or ~ <input type="checkbox"/> Laminated \$10.00 (Reserves number and you receive two copies)

Primary Name: _____ Birth Date: _____ Back# Request _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Name _____ Birth Date: _____ Back# Request _____

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Thank you for your interest in MMOHSC. As a member you are eligible for year-end awards, advertising opportunities, and a subscription to the MMOHSC Newsletter!

Please make check payable to MMOHSC and mail to:
 Judy Hanson
 13333 Lowell Road
 DeWitt, MI 48820

For Office Use Only

Date Membership Paid _____ Amount Paid _____



Mid-Michigan Open Horse Show Circuit

Welcomes you to the following shows for 2012

Come Join the Fun!

For more information on individual shows,

Visit us on the web at: www.mmohsc.com



May 12th - Ithaca - Teddy Bear Show

No show clothes, No points!

May 13th - Ithaca (MMOHSC)

Memberships must be paid before show to earn points.

May 26th & 27th - Midland (Jr. Fair Board)

June 16th & 17th - Alma (Gratiot County Horse Developmental)

June 30th & July 1st - Midland (MMOHSC) (Sat) Team Tournament-no show clothes Added money to jackpots!

July 7th & 8th - Mt. Pleasant (Cowgirl Up) Added money to jackpots!

July 14th & 15th - Midland (Rainbow Riders / Horse Tales)

Aug. 4th & 5th - Mt. Pleasant (MMOHSC) (Sat) AQHA/MQHA classes available Added money to jackpots!

Aug. 18th & 19th - Ithaca (GAS) Added money to jackpots!

1. Two Year Old & Under (open)
2. Mares 3 & Over
3. Geldings 3 & Over
GRAND/RESERVE HALTER
4. Color Class (open)
5. Pee-Wee Showmanship -10 & Under*
6. Novice Showmanship - Horse @@
7. Novice Showmanship - Rider \$\$
- 7A Jackpot Showmanship - Open
8. Showmanship 50 & Over
9. Showmanship 35 to 49
10. Showmanship 19 to 34
11. Showmanship 14 to 18
12. Showmanship 13 & Under
13. Longe Line - 2 years & Under ##
14. Pee Wee Horsemanship -10 & Under*
15. Lead-Line 1-6 ***
16. Pee Wee Pleasure - 10 & Under *

LUNCH BREAK

17. English Equitation 50 & Over
18. English Equitation 35 to 49
19. English Equitation 19 to 34
20. English Equitation 14 to 18
21. English Equitation 13 & Under
- 21A English Pleasure Jackpot - Open
22. Jr. Horse English Pleasure
23. Sr. Horse English Pleasure
24. English Pleasure 50 & Over
25. English Pleasure 35 to 49
26. English Pleasure 19 to 34
27. English Pleasure 14 to 18
28. English Pleasure 13 & Under

15 MINUTE BREAK

29. Novice Horse Walk-Trot Horsemanship/Equitation@@
30. Novice Rider Walk-Trot Horsemanship/Equitation\$\$
31. Horsemanship 50 & Over
32. Horsemanship 35 to 49
33. Horsemanship 19 to 34
34. Horsemanship 14 to 18
35. Horsemanship 13 & Under
- 35A Western Pleasure Jackpot - Open
36. Novice Horse Walk-Trot Pleasure \$\$
37. Novice Rider Walk-Trot Pleasure @@
38. Jr. Horse Western Pleasure
39. Sr. Horse Western Pleasure
40. Western Pleasure 50 & Over
41. Western Pleasure 35 to 49
42. Western Pleasure 19 to 34

43. Western Pleasure 14 to 18
44. Western Pleasure 13 & Under
45. English & Western Riding 19 & Over
46. English & Western Riding 18 & Under
47. Reining 19 & Over
48. Reining 18 & Under
49. Bareback (Open)

Additional Show Information

- \$4.00 Entry Fee - Regular Classes
- \$6.00 Entry Fee - Jackpot Classes
- \$2.00 for High Point consideration
- * May only participate in Pee-Wee Classes
- @@ May only participate in Novice Horse Classes
- \$\$ May only participate in Novice Rider Classes
- *** May not ride in any other class
- ## Cannot participate in any riding classes
- Judged by MMOHSC rules
- Age as of January 1st
- No one under the age of 18 will be allowed to show a stallion
- No Refunds - **Judge's decision final**
- Back numbers must be purchased or chosen from those supplied by the show committee
- All horses MUST have a current year negative Coggins Test
- Classes 1,2,3,4,7A,13,15,21A,22,23,35A,38,39 *do not* count for Daily High Point
- **All trail classes count *towards* Daily High Points If offered at an individual show, see individual show bills for more information.
- Daily High Points for: Pee Wee, Novice Horse, Novice Rider, 50 & Over, 35-49, 19-34, 14-18, 13 & Under
- Jr. Horse 5 years and Under
- Sr. Horse 6 years and over
- Camping Fees: See Individual Show Bills
- Stall Fees: See Individual Show Bills
- There will be a \$25.00 fee assessed for all checks returned by the bank for any reason.

MMOHSC, sponsors, and/or agents ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE for any injury or damage to any participant, animal, or spectator, nor for any lost or stolen articles. This show is protected under PA 351, the MI equine Activity Liability Act.

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