

Hunter Ridge  
40 Collins Road  
Ashaway, RI 02804



# HUNTER RIDGE

2017/2018 Winter Shows

December 17<sup>th</sup>, January 28<sup>th</sup>,  
April 1<sup>st</sup> & April 22<sup>nd</sup>

40 Collins Road - Ashaway, RI

NEHC Rated "B"/RIHA Rated:

Hunters Rated "AA" "A" & "B"

Equitation Rated "A"

Pleasure Rated "AA" "A" "B" & "C"



8:30am Start

Manager: Samantha Craig  
Secretary: Hillary Gordon  
Vet on call: Sarah Reynolds  
Blacksmith: Dave Cotrone  
EMT: Scott Orton

## Time Schedule

<p><b>Warm-up 7-7:45 am</b>              83. Blue/Red (all day)              67. Schooling Jumpers Low              69. Schooling Jumpers Low              73. Schooling Jumpers High              74. Schooling Jumpers High              66. Am. Adult Eq. Flat              70. Am. Adult Eq. O/F              87. MHJ Adult Medal              71. RIHA Adult Medal              72. NEHC Adult Medal              33. Open Equitation 15-17 Flat              34. Open Equitation 15-17 O/F              88. MHJ Junior Medal              75. RIHA Jr. Medal              76. NEHC Jr. Medal              31. 2'9" Hunter Derby Warmup              32. 2'9" Hunter Derby              62&amp;63. Children's Hunter Horses O/F              64. Children's Hunter Horses Handy              65. Children's Hunter Horses U/S</p> <p><b>18 " warmup/ Class 20 not before 9am</b>              20. Pony in Hand              23&amp;24. Short Stirrup Eq O/F              25. Short Stirrup Eq O/F Champ.              89. MHJ Short Stirrup Medal              26,27&amp;28. Short Stirrup Hunter O/F              29. Short Stirrup Eq flat              30. Short Stirrup Hunter U/S              1. Leadline Eq              2. Leadline Championship              3. Leadline Suitability              8. Walk Trot Eq              9. Walk Trot Eq Championship              10. Walk Trot Pleasure              11. Walk Trot Pleasure Champ.              12. Walk Trot Trail              84. Pet Type Pony Trail</p>	<p>85. Pet Type Pony              86. Pet Type Pony Championship              13. RIHA Pleasure              14. NEHC Pleasure              15. Hunter Pleasure              16. Hunter Pleasure Champ.              17. Hunter Type Pet Pony              18. Hunter Type Pet Pony Champ.              41. Jr. Ex Hack              42. Jr Ex Hack Champ.              35&amp;36. Pre- Child/Adult Hunter O/F              4&amp;5. Pre Child Eq O/F              80&amp;81. Modified Pony Hunter O/F              37. Pre-Child/Adult Hunter U/S              6. Pre-Child Eq flat              82. Modified Pony Hunter U/S</p> <p><b>2'6" Warm-up</b>              21. 2'6" Hunter Derby Warmup              22. 2'6" Hunter Derby              38,39&amp;40. RIHA Hunter O/F              43. Mod Adult Equitation O/F              44. Mod Adult Eq O/F              90. MHJ Adult Mini Medal              47. RIHA Adult Mini Medal              77&amp;78. Registered TB Hunter O/F              49. RIHA Hunter U/S              45. Mod Adult Eq flat              79. Registered TB Hunter U/S              54&amp;55. Children's Eq O/F              56. MHJ Children's Medal              57&amp;58. Children's Hunter Ponies O/F              59. Children's Hunter Ponies Handy              60. Children's Eq flat              61. Children's Hunter Ponies U/S              48. Under 15 Eq flat              53&amp;50. Under 15 Eq O/F              91. MHJ Mini Medal              52. RIHA Mini Medal</p>
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## Rules and Regulations

1. All judge's decisions are final. No exhibitor or person shall approach a judge on any matter without show manager's permission. Anyone disregarding this rule may be asked to cancel all entries and forfeit all entry fees.
2. Management reserves the right to cancel, combine or divide classes if in its opinion the entries to warrant.
3. There will be a post entry fee of \$20.00 for all entries received after 4:00 pm the day before the show. There will be no penalty for entering additional classes the day of the show.
4. There will be a \$50.00 fee for all returned checks.
5. A trophy and 6 ribbons will be presented in all classes unless otherwise stated or money given.
6. All exhibitors are prohibited from riding anywhere on show grounds without wearing protective headgear that has passed the current ASTM/SEI standards. Harnesses must be secured and if said headgear has a brim, it must be flexible or semi-flexible. Any rider violating this rule at any time must immediately be prohibited from further riding until said headgear is properly in place.
7. All dogs must be on a leash.
8. Membership forms and class specifications are available at the secretary's office.
9. Under Rhode Island law, an equine professional, unless he can be shown to have failed to be in the exercise of due care, is not liable for any injury to, or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Chapter 21, of Title 4 of the General laws.
10. Courses will consist of post, rail, walls, gates, brush and flowers..
11. All riders must present their current RIHA and NEHC membership cards or a copy thereof to the show secretary prior to competing in the RIHA and NEHC medal classes.
12. No exhibitor numbers will be handed out without a signed check or payment of entries.
13. Championship and Reserve Championship ribbons will be handed out in all divisions.
14. Schooling and lunging will be permitted in authorized areas only. Anyone found violating this rule will forfeit their entry fees and not be allowed to show.
15. Regular classes will be \$25.00. Medal and all money classes will be \$35.00.

### Officials

	<u>Judge</u>	<u>Steward</u>
Dec. 17	Anne Sibson	Chris Smith
Jan. 28	Elizabeth Vars	Chris Smith
Apr. 1	Richard Luckhardt	Chris Smith
Apr. 22	Ken Whelihan	Chris Smith

Please go to our website for other dates: [www.hunter-ridge.net](http://www.hunter-ridge.net).

## **Class Descriptions**

### **1. Lead Line Equitation** ---RIHA rated "A"

Open to riders 6 years of age and under. To be shown at the walk and individually at the trot or jog. To be judged with emphasis on equitation; also suitability and manners of mount to be considered. Leader shall be on foot and at least 14 years of age. Riders may not compete in any other classes except: Leadline Eq Championship or Lead Line Suitability.

### **2. Lead Line Equitation Championship**-UNRATED

### **3. Lead Line Suitability**-RIHA rated "C"

Open to riders 6 years of age and under. To be shown at the walk and individually at the trot or jog. To be judged with emphasis on suitability and manners of mount. Leader shall be on foot and at least 14 years of age. Riders may not compete in any other class except Lead line.

### **Walk Trot Equitation**--- NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "A"

Open to riders 10 years of age or younger. Shall be shown at the walk, trot or jog only. No child entered may compete in any class requiring them to canter or lope. To compete in the Championship class entries must have competed in class #8.

### **8. Walk/Trot Equitation**

### **9. Walk/Trot Equitation Championship**

### **Walk Trot Pleasure**---NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

Open to riders 10 years of age or younger. Shall be shown at the walk, trot or jog only. No child entered may compete in any class requiring them to canter or lope. To be judged on manners, suitability of horse/pony to rider and performance. To compete in the Championship class entries must have competed in class #10.

### **10. Walk/ Trot Pleasure** \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **11. Walk/Trot Pleasure Championship** \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **12. Walk/Trot Trail**

### **13. RIHA Pleasure**-RIHA Rated "C"

Open to horses and ponies usually used for pleasure purposes that are owned by a members of the RI Horseman's Association. To be shown at the walk, trot, and canter both ways of the ring, with light rein, but still maintaining contact with horse's mouth. Must be asked to back. Shall be judged on manners, performance and quality in that order.

### **14 NEHC Open Pleasure Horse or Pony**---NEHC rated "C" – NOT OFFERED MAY 17<sup>th</sup>.

To be shown at the walk, trot, and canter both ways of the ring, with light rein, but still maintaining contact with horse's mouth. Must be asked to back. Shall be judged on manners, performance and quality in that order. All horse's/ponies shall be judged on their respective merits regardless of type.

### **Hunter Pleasure** NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

Open to all horses of hunter type ordinarily used for pleasure purposes with no limitations as to the status of the rider. To be shown at a walk, trot & canter both ways of the ring. Light contact with the horse's mouth is required. To be judged on manners, performance, quality, presence, substance, and soundness. To be eligible for the championship class horse must have been entered and judged in class #15.

### **15. Hunter Pleasure** \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **16. Hunter Pleasure Championship** \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **Hunter Type Pet Pony**---NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

Open to riders under 14 years of age. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring. To be judged on manners, performance and suitability to rider. To be eligible for the championship class you must have competed in class #17.

### **17. Hunter Type Pet Pony**

### **18. Hunter Type Pet Pony Championship** \$30, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$5, &5

### **Junior Exhibitor's Hack** -----NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

To be shown under English Tack. To be ridden by children under 18 years of age. May be divided. To be shown at a walk, trot and canter, both ways of the ring, on a reasonably loose rein but without loss of contact. Shall be judged on manners, performance, suitability and quality. To be eligible for the championship class you must have competed in class #87.

### **41. Junior Exhibitor's Hack** \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **42. Junior Exhibitor's Hack Championship** \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **20. Pony in Hand** -----NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

Open to all ponies 14.2 hands and under. To be judged individually, standing and then at a walk and trot on the line. To be judged on breed type, conformation, quality, substance, way of going, disposition and manners. \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **Pet Type Pony** NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

All ponies must be shown by children under 14 years of age. Shall be ridden at a walk, trot or jog and canter or lope, both ways of the ring, with excessive speed to be penalized. Shall be judged on manners, suitability to rider, and performance. To be eligible for the championship class pony must have been entered and judged in class #85.

### **85. Pet Type Pony** \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **86. Pet Type Pony Championship** \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5

### **84. Pet Type Pony Trail**

**Modified Amateur Adult Equitation**---NEHC rated “B”/RIHA rated “A”

Open to adult amateurs who, as of Dec. 1st of the current show year, have not won 6 blue ribbons at a recognized show in Adult eq. classes. Including Adult medal classes but excluding Modified adult classes. For amateurs who have won 6 blue ribbons, they are eligible for Modified Adult, if as of Dec. 1st of the current show year, they have not shown in classes with fences 3’ or higher within the past 2 years. Fences not to exceed 2’ 6”.

- Riders in this division may not ride in any other classes where fences exceed 2’6”.
- 45. Modified Amateur Adult Equitation on the flat
  - 43 & 44. Modified Amateur Adult Equitation over fences
  - 90. MHJ Adult Mini Medal
  - 47. RIHA Amateur Adult Mini Medal 2’6”

**Children’s Equitation**---NEHC rated “B”/RIHA rated “A”

Open to exhibitors who are eligible for Children's Hunter and who have not shown over a course where fences exceed 3’ at a recognized show after Dec. 1st of the current year. Fences not to exceed 2’6”.

- 54 & 55. Children’s Equitation over fences
- 56. MHJ Childrens Medal
- 60. Children's Equitation on the flat

**Pre-Children’s Equitation** – RIHA rated “A”

Open to exhibitors who are eligible for Pre-Children’s Hunter and who have not shown over a course where fences exceed 2’3” at a Recognized Show after December 1st of the current year.

- 6. Pre-Children’s Equitation on the flat
- 4 & 5. Pre-Children’s Equitation over fences

**Open Hunt Seat Equitation Under 15**---NEHC rated “B”/RIHA rated “A”

Jumps not to exceed 2’6”.

- 48. Under 15 Equitation on the flat
- 53 & 50. Under 15 Equitation over fences
- 91. MHJ Mini Medal
- 52. RIHA Mini Medal 2’6”

**Short Stirrup Equitation**---NEHC rated “B”/RIHA rated “A”

Open to riders 12 years of age or younger. Not to compete in any other equitation class at any show and has not competed in a jumping class exceeding 18” in height. To be shown over a minimum of 4 and a maximum of 8 fences not exceeding 18” in height. Fences may be taken at either a trot or canter at the option of the rider. To be judged at the walk, trot and canter both ways of the ring on the flat. May be asked to halt and back. No more than eight riders to canter at one time.

- 23 Short stirrup Equitation over Fences
- 24. Short Stirrup Equitation over fences
- 25. Short Stirrup Equitation over fences Championship
- 89. MHJ Short Stirrup Medal
- 29. Short Stirrup Equitation on the flat.

**Amateur Adult Hunter Seat Equitation**---NEHC/RIHA rated “A”

Open to amateur riders, eighteen years or older. Fences not to exceed 3’. To be judged in both directions at the walk, trot and canter on the flat. Martingales prohibited in flat classes.

- 66. Amateur Adult Equitation on the flat
- 70. Amateur Adult Equitation O/F
- 87. MHJ Amateur Adult Medal
- 71. RIHA Amateur Adult Medal 3’

**Open Hunt Seat Equitation 15-17**---RIHA rated “A”

Open to Junior Riders 15 to 17 years of age. Fences not to exceed 3’6”.

- 33. Open Equitation 15-17 on the flat
- 34. Open Equitation 15-17 over fences
- 88. MHJ Junior Medal
- 75. RIHA Junior Medal 3’

**72. NEHC Amateur Adult Medal**

Open to adult members of the New England Horseman’s Council. All contestants are required to perform over at least eight fences not to exceed 3’. One or more individual tests of the top 4 contestants may be required at the judge’s discretion (USEF 1---19). To fill a class at least four competitors must complete the course.

**76. NEHC Junior Medal**

Open to junior members of the New England Horseman’s Council who have not reached their eighteenth birthday. All contestants are required to perform over at least eight fences not to exceed 3’3”. One or more individual tests of the top 4 contestants may be required at the judge’s discretion (USEF1-19). To fill a class at least four competitors must complete the course. One win required to qualify for the finals. Contestants that are qualified are no longer eligible for the preliminary class. Violation will forfeit eligibility for the finals for that year.

**RIHA Medals** - Contestants are required to be current members of the Rhode Island Horseman’s Association, Inc. and meet requirements to qualify for the finals as noted for each division (see RIHA rulebook at [www.rihorseman.com](http://www.rihorseman.com)).

**Adult & Junior Medals**: All contestants are required to perform over at least eight fences not to exceed 3’ with at least 1 change of direction. One or more individual tests of the top four contestants may be requested at the judge’s discretion. (USEF current tests 1-19).

**Mini Medal & Adult Mini Medal**: All contestants are to compete over a course not exceeding eight fences and not less than six fences, excluding combination fences, at a height not to exceed 2 feet 6 inches, with at least 1 change of direction. One or more individual tests may be requested, at the judge’s discretion. (USEF Current test 1-8).

**In all divisions**: 3 must complete the course to count; riders may continue to ride in the qualifying classes once qualified.

## **Hunter Divisions**

### **Pre-Children's/Adult Hunter**--unrated

Open to junior riders who have not competed in classes which require a rider to jump higher than 2' and to adult amateur riders who, as of December 1st of the current show year, have not won six blue ribbons at a RECOGNIZED show in Adult Equitation classes, including Adult Medal Classes and Modified Adult Classes. For amateurs who have won six blue ribbons, they are eligible for Pre-Adult if, as of December 1st of the current show year, they have not shown in classes with fences 2'3" or higher within the past two show years. May show a horse or pony. At the same show, the same horse/rider or pony/rider may not cross enter into Children's Hunter Horse or Pony, Pony Hunters, Modified Adult Hunter, Amateur Adult Hunter, or any class where fences exceed 2'3".

35 & 36. Pre-Children's/Adult Hunter over fences \$30, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$5, & 5

37. Pre-Children's/Adult Hunter under saddle

### **Short Stirrup Hunter**- NEHC rated "B"/RIHA rated "AA"

Open to riders 12 years of age or younger. Not to compete in any other equitation class at any other show and has not competed in a jumping class exceeding 18" in height. Fences may be taken at either a trot or canter at the option of the rider. To be judged at the walk trot and canter both ways of the ring on the flat. No more than eight riders to canter at one time.

26,27,28: Short Stirrup Hunter over fences \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5, \$5

30. Short Stirrup Hunter under saddle

### **Children's Hunter** - NEHC/RIHA rated "B"

To be shown by junior exhibitors. Juniors age 15-17 must be eligible for intermediate equitation over fences as of December 1<sup>st</sup> of the current show year. Fences not to exceed 2' for smalls/medium ponies, 2'6" for large ponies, and 3' for horses. Spreads may not exceed fence height. If extras warrant, the division to be split at the discretion of horse show management. Same horse/pony/rider combination may not show in any their rated division except equitation at the same show. Ponies may not cross enter into regular Pony Hunter Division. Jogging for soundness at the discretion of the judge.

57&58. Children's Hunter Ponies over fences \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

59. Children's Hunter Ponies Handy \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

61. Children's Hunter Ponies under saddle. \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

62&63. Children's Hunter Horses over fences \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

64. Children's Hunter Horses Handy \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

65. Children's Hunter Horses under saddle \$20 \$15, \$15 \$10, \$10, \$5

### **RIHA Hunter** - RIHA rated "A"

Open to members and non-members. Horse/rider combinations. Horse/rider combination is not eligible for any other RIHA or NEHC classes excluding equitation. Open to a horse or rider in their first or second year of showing over fences. Fences not to exceed 2'6".

38,39, & 40. RIHA Hunter over fences. \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5, \$5

49. RIHA Hunter under saddle

### **Registered Thoroughbred Hunter**- RIHA rated "B"

Open to Registered Thoroughbreds. Can be ridden by Junior, Amateur or Professional rider. To be judged on performance, soundness, manners, way of going, and suitability as a hunter. Fences 2'6" with no combinations.

77 & 78. Registered TB Hunter over fences. \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5, \$5

79. Registered TB Hunter under saddle

### **Modified Pony Hunter**- RIHA rated "B"

Shall be judged on manners, suitability to rider, and performance. A pony/rider combination may not cross into any other hunter class over fences except Pre-Children's Hunters or equitation at the same show. Fences to be 2'.

80 & 81. Modified Pony Hunter over fences. \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5, \$5

82. Modified Pony Hunter under saddle

### **Hunter Derbies** - NEHC/RIHA rated "B"

This is a two round class open to amateur adults and juniors to be shown over a course of ten fences at 2'6" and 2'9" respectively, with the first round judged on performance, hunter pace, and style, quality and substance, and movement, The course should include at least one in and out, one bending line and one unrelated distance. The obstacles are to simulate those found in a hunt field. Natural obstacles may be used. The top 4 or 25% from the first round will return to jump a handy hunter round of eight obstacles which may include at least two of the following: trot jump, light turn option, clever options for jump approach, halt and/or back and walk jump. Judged on style, brilliance, and handiness. To fill a class, at least 4 riders. \$50, \$30, \$20, \$10, \$5, \$5

21. 2'6" Hunter Derby Warmup

22. 2'6" Hunter Derby

31. 2'9" Hunter Derby Warmup

32. 2'9" Hunter Derby

## **Jumper Divisions**

### **Schooling Jumper** - RIHA rated "B"

Fence heights: LOW 2' to 2'3", and HIGH 2'6" to 2'9". NO combinations. Horse or pony eligible to show at only one of these heights per show.

67 & 69. Schooling Jumpers Low \$25, \$15, \$10, & \$5

73 & 74. Schooling Jumpers High \$25, \$15, \$10, & \$5

# Hunter Ridge Horse Show

Send Entries To:  
 Hunter Ridge  
 40 Collins Road  
 Ashaway, RI 02804-2904  
 Fax: 401-364-6984

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF HORSE	COLOR	SEX	HEIGHT	AGE	PONY		
					SMALL	MEDIUM	LARGE
Rider #1	DOB:		NEHC#		RIHA#		
Address:	CLASS						
City/State/Zip	Tele#						
Email:							

Rider #2	DOB:		NEHC#		RIHA#		
Address:	CLASS:						
City/State/Zip	Tele#						
Email:							

OWNER	Make Checks Payable to: <b>Wendy Brayman.</b> To pick up your number you must leave a check. A charge of \$50.00 per check will be levied for non-negotiable items. Points do not count for unpaid entries.	Total Entry Fees	
ADDRESS:		Office/EMT Fee	\$20.00
City/State/Zip: Tele#		RIHA & NEHC Fees	\$4.00
Email:		Warm-up \$20.00	
Farm or Stable Affiliation		<b>TOTAL</b>	
Address:		There will be a post entry fee of \$20.00 for all entries received after 4:00 pm the day before the show.	
City/State/Zip: Tele#			

Trainer:	Every Entry at a recognized show shall constitute an agreement and affirmation that the person making it, along with the owner, lessee, trainer, manager, agent, coach, driver, rider and the horse: (1) shall be subject to the Constitution and rules of the Association and the rules of the show: (2) that every horse, rider, and/or driver is eligible as entered: (3) that the owner and any of his representatives are bound by the Constitutions and Rules of the NEHC, RIHA and the show and will accept as final the decision of the hearing committees on any question arising under said rules and agree to hold the show, the NEHC, the RIHA, their officials, directors, employees and agents harmless for any injury or loss suffered during or in connection with the show, whether or not such injury or loss resulted directly or indirectly from the negligent acts of said officials, directors, employees or agents of the NEHC, RIHA or show.
Trainer's Signature:	
I hereby enter the above at my own risk, subject to the rules of the Hunter Ridge Horse Show and engage to be responsible for any injury or damages that may occur to or be caused by any animals, vehicles, or trappings, or the loss of any animal, vehicle or trappings exhibited by me and I further agree to be absolutely responsible for the physical condition of any animal under my control or ownership and will also release indemnify and save harmless the said Horse Show and the Town of Ashaway from any damage, expense and/or liability arising out of or resulting from any act or omission of the Exhibitor or said Horse Show and the Town of Ashaway, or their agents, servants, volunteers, contractors or employees and certify that all my horses are free from contagious disease.	