Welcome to the Touch Of Class AMHA Miniature Horse Show

Apríl 13, 2025

## West World of Scottsdale 16601 North Pima Road Scottsdale, AZ 85260

Sponsored by the Miniature Horse Association of Arizona (MHAA)

Show Manager: Laura Mullen 705 Westland Drive, Greensboro, NC 27410 607-769-6743 winectry@aol.com

## Pre-Entries Close March 15, 2025

## <u>JUDGES</u>: Senior Judge Dana Gardner, VA Judge Jenny Groen, NY

This miniature horse show is approved by and conducted under the rules of the American Miniature Horse Association (AMHA), Alvarado, TX. This show is accredited by the AMHA and will be conducted under the 2025 AMHA Official Show rules. All horses MUST be registered with AMHA. Any exhibitor with special needs is welcome.

A legible copy of both sides of the Certificate of Registration of each horse entered must be submitted to the Show Manager with each horse entry. Entries that are received without a copy of both sides of the registration papers will be held pending until such papers are submitted. For geldings, gelding status must be reflected on the Certificate of Registration in order to show in any AMHA class. If your registration paperwork is pending in the AMHA Office, you may request a show letter from AMHA to enable you to show. If you are showing a leased horse, include a copy of the lease (with the AMHA stamp). Horses birth dates are taken from January 1<sup>st</sup> of the year being shown. Stallions 3 years and older must supply a stallion certificate. No cross entry is allowed between pleasure, country pleasure or classic pleasure driving—this includes open, amateur and youth.

**Amateur cards are required to show in any amateur class.** Amateur cards are available at the show office. Amateur cards are \$20 for members and \$50 for non-members with a \$5 surcharge if purchased at the show. AOTE horses must not have been handled by a professional since 12/31/24. **Youth must have a youth number to show**. **Youth memberships are \$20** and applications are available from the show office. AMHA youth are those individuals 18 years & under as of 1/1/25. No youth 12 years & under may show stallions with the exception of weanling or yearling colts. **A CURRENT NEGATIVE COGGINS** is required for all in-state horses. For out-of-state horses, a current health certificate within 30 days of the show and current coggins are required.

<u>WEST WORLD INFORMATION</u>: West World Equestrian Center of Scottsdale is located at 16601 North Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85260; (480) 312-6806. Free Wi-fi is available at the facility.

**IMPORTANT – Absolutely NOTHING** may be **TAPED**, **NAILED**, or **STAPLED** onto **ANY** surface, including stalls, on the grounds. Nothing may be posted except on the designated bulletin boards. Otherwise **fines will be imposed. Please help keep the facility clean. Place stall cleanings in designated areas. DO** NOT PLACE STALL CLEANINGS IN ANY WALKWAYS OR TRASH BARRELS. Contact Barn Manager Jimmie Sizemore at (480) 567-5911 for information concerning designated disposal area/procedures. No trash is to be left behind in Tack Stalls. Disposal Free will be charged if trash is removed by West World. Thanks!

<u>Stall Assignments</u>: Stalls will be available by 12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 9, and must be vacated by 11:00 p.m. on Sunday, April 13. These are 10' x 12' stalls and the flooring is rubber mats over decomposed granite. No outside bedding may be brought onto the show grounds. No more than two horses will be allowed in a stall. Stallions 2 years and older MUST be stalled separately. If you wish to come in early or stay over prior arrangements must be made in advance and additional fees will apply. Please wash animals in wash racks only. DO NOT WASH IN STALLS, WALKWAYS, STREETS OR ANY OTHER AREA.

<u>Stall Decorations</u>: Decorations may not cover or obstruct pipe assembly at barn ends. Awnings or tent-like structures at North and South ends of barns may not extend more than 5' from barn wall into drive and must have a height clearance of at least 7'. No nails or staples are allowed. Barn aisles will be kept clear of upright structures positioned more than 3' from inside barn walls (floor covering is acceptable). Aisle ways are to be kept clear. These allowances will secure ample room for veterinary or emergency vehicle usage.

Lunch break: Will be announced at a time determined by show management.

**Concession stand:** Will be open Thursday – Sunday for lunch.

**Dogs**: Dogs MUST be kept on a leash or penned at all times; and pets are NOT allowed in the arena or show office areas, or within 100 feet of the concession stand. This rule may be enforced without warning. Pet owner assumes liability.

**Smoking:** Smoking is NOT permitted inside the office, barns or arena area.

## NO FIREARMS ARE ALLOWED ON THE PREMISES.

**NO ALCOHOL** (not sold by West World - \$200 fine); **also NO OPEN COOKING; BBQ's or HEATERS IN THE STALL BARNS.** Also **NO GLASS CONTAINERS** are allowed on the premises.

**RV Hookups:** There are a limited number of 30 and 50 AMP RV Hookups available on the grounds. There is also water available and a dump station on site. You must contact West World RV Office at (480) 312-6802 to reserve your space. RV slots are \$50 per night plus tax and payment must be made directly to West World. Showers are available on the grounds.

**<u>Parking</u>**: Vehicles and trailers must be parked in designated areas only. NO PARKING IN BARN AREAS/AISLES WILL BE ALLOWED (per the Scottsdale Fire Marshall) EXCEPT FOR LOADING AND UNLOADING.

## Please Make Note:

Show Management reserves the right to settle and determine all questions, differences and disputes arising out of or connected with an incident to this show; and to cancel or combine classes of this Show within the boundaries of AMHA's current show rules. Cruelty, abuse or inhumane treatment of any horse in the show ring, barn, stalls or on the grounds is strictly prohibited. The use of stimulants or depressants or any drug affecting the showing of a horse is forbidden.

# NO LOGOS, NAMES OR OTHER IDENTIFICATION OF PERSON OR FARM WILL BE ALLOWED ON ANY EXHIBITOR, HORSE OR VEHICLE IN THE SHOW ARENA.

Owners, Lessees and Exhibitors agree MHAA, West World Equestrian Center of Scottsdale, AMHA and show staff will NOT be responsible for any theft, injury, or accidents in conjunction with this show.

**RETURNED CHECK FEE:** MHAA will charge a \$25.00 returned check fee on all returned checks.

**REFUND POLICY:** A full refund will be given if entries are cancelled **in writing to the show manager before the closing date of pre-entries.** If entries are cancelled in writing accompanied by a veterinarian's or a doctor's certificate of inability to show after the closing date of pre-entries but before the official start of the show, all fees other than stall and office fees will be refunded. After the official start of the show, there will be no refunds. The substitution of a horse will be accepted with no late fee.

**LIBERTY CD'S:** Management is NOT responsible for any loss or damage to Liberty music. It is PREFERRED for there to be one CD PER ENTRY. If there is any question as to if you CD will work on the show equipment, please have it checked before turning it in for the Liberty class.

**<u>GOLF CARTS</u>**: Golf carts may be reserved by calling Sandra Mitchell at 407-739-5122 or emailing to sandramitchell@therapymini.com. Must be reserved by March 16th. Make your reservation early! No one under 16 years of age is allowed to operate a golf cart on the premises.

**VETERINARIAN:** The veterinarian on call will be **Chaparral Veterinary Medical Center, (480) 595-8600;** 32100 North Cave Creek Road, Cave Creek, AZ 85331.

**MEASUREMENT TIMES:** Wednesday, April 9 from 2:00-8:00 p.m. and from 7:00-7:30 a.m. on Thursday, April 10; Friday, April 11; Saturday, April 12 and Sunday, April 13, 2025; or for 30 minutes following the last class of the show on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. If you cannot measure within these hours, please contact the Show Manager.

## Hardship measuring will take place during regular measuring times.

Entry information must be in the Show Office before measurements will be made.

ALL horses must be measured before they may be allowed to show or present a valid permanent measurement card. Please bring color copies of your registration papers and original measurement cards with you to the measuring station.

Judges evaluation cards available at the show office and may be completed by exhibitors on a voluntary basis..

## PLEASE ENCLOSE WITH YOUR ENTRIES:

- 1. Legible copy of EACH horse's registration papers, FRONT & BACK.
- 2. Copy of current (2025) AMHA Youth or Amateur card. (These may be applied for at the show with the show secretary if necessary.)
- 3. A check for all fees, made payable to: MHAA or paypal mhaamail20@gmail.com (Mary Ronek)

PLEASE NOTE: ALL entries must be <u>MAILED</u> in and accompanied with a legible copy of the proper paperwork and required payment or an open check must be left on file in the show office.

**ALL** horses are required to have a negative coggins within 12 months and, if coming from out-of-state, a health certificate within 30 days. It is not necessary to send these In with your paperwork, but you MUST bring them to the show as you will NOT be able to show without them. Stallions 3 & older must supply a stallion certificate.

Trainers please include your contact information with the entries.

Mail completed entry forms with legible paperwork to: Laura Mullen, 705 Westland Drive, Greensboro, NC 27410.

## SHOW FEES

## PRE-ENTRY DEADLINE IS MARCH 15, 2025 - FLAT FEES ARE PRE-ENTRY ONLY

Open/Amateur Classes: \$25.00 per class or a flat fee of \$200.00 (Ten class limit per horse) Youth Classes: \$15.00 Special Needs Classes: \$15.00 Office Fee: \$20.00 per horse (includes AMHA fee) Late Fee (entries postmarked after March 15, 2025): \$20.00 per horse

Stabling Options: STALLS FOR 5 days (Wed. – Sun.) STALLS FOR 3 days

\$175.00 \$125.00

Each stall includes 2 bags of shavings (minimum requirement per stall). Limit 2 horse per stall. Stallions 2 years and older must be stalled separately. Early arrivals or layovers will incur an additional fee. Contact West World for pricing.

Additional Shavings: \$12.50 per bag; Contact West World Bedding Office (480) 312-6802 Ext 2 (Chris Myers)
Tie-Out Fee: \$20.00 per horse per day (ONLY horses without stalls)
RV Hookup: Call West World at (480) 312-6802 to reserve. 30 & 50 amp with water and dump station available. \$50.00/night.

Entries postmarked after 3/15/25, new entries or entries added at the show will be charged a late fee.

HOST HOTEL: When booking your rooms, please let the hotel know you are with the Miniature Horse Association of Arizona Horse Shows to receive the special rate.

La Quinta Inn & Suites Phoenix/Scottsdale, 8888 East Shea Boulevard, Scottsdale, AZ 85260. Phone (480) 614-5300 Option #5. Free continental breakfast. Pets allowed. MHAA HOST HOTEL -\$134/night. Ask for Miniature Horse Association Of Arizona rate. Reservations should be made by March 9 to get the MHAA rate.

**Fairfield Inn by Marriott – Scottsdale North**, 13440 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85254. Phone (480) 483-0042 or (800) 228-2800. Free continental breakfast and wi-fi. Pets not allowed.

<u>Sleep Inn & Suites – Scottsdale</u>, 16630 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85254. Phone (480) 998-9211; Fax (480) 607-2893. Free continental breakfast and wi-fi.

OTHER AREA HOTELS: (Located near West World)

**Days Inn & Suites,** 7730 North Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85258. Phone (480) 948-3800. Free breakfast and wi-fi. Non-Refundable pet deposit per night.

Hampton Inn & Suites – Phoenix/Scottsdale, 16620 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85254. Phone (480) 348-9280. Free breakfast and wi-fi. No pets allowed.

Holiday Inn Express – Scottsdale North, 7350 East Gold Dust Avenue, Scottsdale, AZ 85258. Phone (480) 596-6559 or (888) 296-9776. Free breakfast and wi-fi. Non-refundable \$20 pet deposit/night.

Homewood Suites by Hilton Phoenix/Scottsdale, 9880 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85253. Phone (480) 368-8705 or (800) 225-5466. Free breakfast and wi-fi. Non-refundable \$50 pet deposit.

<u>Marriott Residence Inn – North Scottsdale</u>, 17011 North Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85255. Phone (480) 563-4120. Free breakfast and wi-fi. Non-refundable \$100 pet deposit.

The Kick-Off Arizona AMHA Show Would like to thank

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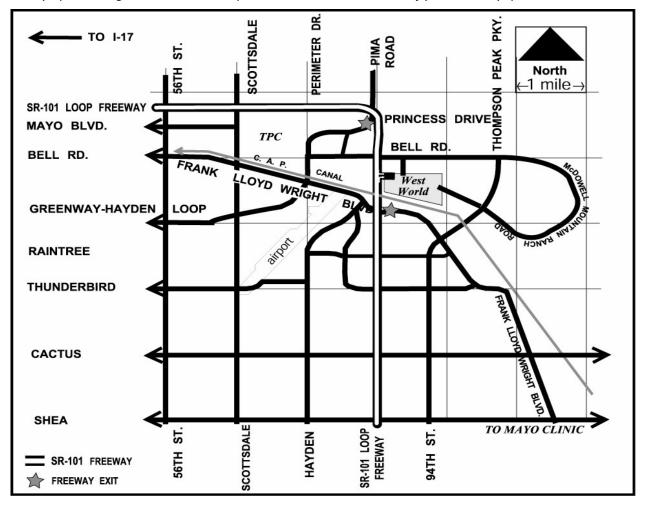
for being the show's on-call veterinarian

## WESTWORLD OF SCOTTSDALE

## 16601 North Pima Road, Scottsdale, AZ 85260

#### Main office (480)-312-6806; RV Res. (480)-312-6802; Feed & Bedding (480)-312-6814

Please note that West World has 3 entrances. The Main entrance is located just north of Frank Lloyd Wright on the north bound access road of SR-101. The north entrance is at 94th Street and Bell Road. The McDowell Mountain Ranch entrance is only open during show season and special events. Call in advance if you have any questions.



#### NORTH (Flagstaff):

I-17 South to SR-101 Loop – Eastbound into

Scottsdale. Take the Pima/Princess exit. Make a

left at Bell Road (second light) Continue east on

Bell Road. Turn right on 94 Street. Travel south to the West World entrance.

#### SOUTH (Tucson):

I-10 to US-60 (Superstition Freeway), US-60 East to SR-101 Loop, SR-101 North to Frank Lloyd

Wright Blvd. Exit at Frank Lloyd Wright Blvd.,

move to the far right lane. Continue straight, crossing the Frank Lloyd Wright intersection. West World entrance is ½ block north on the right at large horse statue.

#### EAST (Globe):

US-60 (Superstition Freeway) West to SR-101 Loop, SR-101 North to Frank Lloyd Wright Blvd. exit. Exit at Frank Lloyd Wright Blvd.. Move to far right lane. Continue straight, crossing the Frank Lloyd Wright intersection; move to right lane. The entrance is ½ block from intersection. Turn right at large horse statue.

#### WEST (California):

I-10 East to SR-101 North (near Tolleson).

Remain on SR 101 into Scottsdale. Take the

Pima/Princess exit. Make a left at Bell Road

(second light) Continue east on Bell Road. Turn right on 94 Street. Travel south to the West World entrance. Follow signs to RV Check-In.



#### MHAA Year End Awards - Please review all the following information carefully

#### Eligibility:

To be eligible for the MHAA Year End Awards the following requirements must be met:

- 1. The exhibitor must be an MHAA member by March 16, 2025.
- 2. The exhibitor must own or have a lease contract by the start of the Shows; April 10th 13th, 2025.

#### Award Divisions:

Horse of the Year Over - Champion and Runner Up Horse of the Year Under - Champion and Runner Up Youth Horse of the Year Over - Champion and Runner Up Youth Horse of the Year Under - Champion and Runner Up Amateur - Over - Champion and Reserve Champion (one horse/one handler combination) Amateur - Under - Champion and Reserve Champion Youth - Over - Champion and Reserve Champion Youth - Over - Champion and Reserve Champion Youth - Under - Champion and Reserve Champion Performance Horse High Point (any sanctioned class with a cart) - Champion and Reserve Champion In Hand Horse High Point (any sanctioned class with a halter - no cart) - Champion and Reserve Champion Golden Age (55 and older) Overall High Point (all shows included and multiple horses included) - Champion and Reserve Champion

#### Additional Rules -

- A winner (horse, handler or combination of both) can only receive awards for two (2) Champion or Reserve Champion in the divisions offered with the exception of the Horse of the Year. A horse may win two (2) categories AND the Horse of the Year.
  - a. If a horse/amateur/youth wins more than two (2) categories (not including the Horse of the Year), they will be contacted to choose the two (2) categories they prefer to win.
- Awards will be presented at the MHAA Year End Awards Banquet held in January 2026. Winners are responsible for the shipping cost of their award item(s) if they are unable to attend the banquet in person.
- "Over" horse(s); those over 34 inches to 38 inches and registered with the AMHR can accumulate points at the Kick Off Arizona and Touch of Class <u>AMHR</u> Shows.
- "Under" horse(s); those 34 inches and under and registered with both the AMHA and AMHR can accumulate points at the Kick Off Arizona and Touch of Class <u>AMHA and AMHR</u> Shows.
- In the event of a tie, the Show Manager will determine the winner based upon the number of horses defeated according to the Show Manager Report.
- An Amateur must have a current and valid 2025 Amateur Card on file with the Show Manager for each registry they wish to compete in for awards (AMHA and AMHR).
- Qualified Amateurs will accumulate points based on their placings with a one horse/one handler combination in all <u>sanctioned</u> classes.
- Qualified Youth will accumulate points based on their placings with a one horse/one handler combination in all <u>sanctioned</u> classes.



## MINIATURE HORSE ASSOCIATION OF ARIZONA SPONSORSHIP FORM

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Please send this form and check payable to MHAA or paypal mhaamail20@gmail.com c/o Mary Ronek 47210 N 10 th Ave New River AZ 85087 (563) 357-6146 \*Disclaimer, if no classes available monies can be returned or applied to MHAA highpoint club award. MHAA Foundation is a 501c3 EIN # 93-3676235. Thank you for your generous contribution.

### AMHA MHAA Carriage High Point Form 2025

Exhibitor

Horse

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269. Carriage Driving Pleasure

270. Carriage Driving Working

662. Carriage Driving Pleasure

663. Carriage Driving Reinsmanship

Circle 3 classes only No duplicates Prior to Showing in any carriage class

## AMHR MHAA Carriage High Point Form 2025

Exhibitor	Horse	#

1. Carriage Driving - 34& Under

2. Carriage Reinsmanship- 34&; Under

3. Carriage Stake - 34& Under

4. Carriage Driving - over 34 to 38"

5. Carriage Reinsmanship- over 34 to 38"

6. Carriage Stake - over 34 to 38"

539. Carriage Driving - 38& Under

540. Carriage Turnout - 38& Under

541. Carriage Stake - 38& Under

Circle 3 classes only No duplicates Prior to Showing in any carriage class