

Application to hold the National PHA Medal Class

The National PHA Medal Hunter Seat Equitation class is open to riders under 18 years of age. Riders do not have to be members of the PHA to ride in this class. To be shown over a course of eight or more fences at a recommended height of 3'6". Course to include at least one combination including an oxer and two changes of lead after the first fence. The judge may insert two tests into the original course (USEF Tests 1-18). Further testing of the top riders is at the discretion of the judge. Only one rider per horse. To fill the class three (3) riders must complete the course. Points won in this class are as follows: With up to 15 riders, points will count 10-6-4-2-1-1/2 in order from first to sixth place. With 16-30 riders points will count double and with 31 or more riders points will count triple. All classes with 50 or more entries at the beginning of the class must be divided with separate trophies and ribbons (EQ 103-3A). Based on points there will be a championship finals for the top 40 riders who will receive an invitation to participate in the finals event. The season runs from August 16th to the following August 15th with the championship finals traditionally held in September. (**Please note that for the 2014 show season the ending date for accumulating points will be July 31, 2014.**) Riders who lose their junior status at the end of the USEF show year are not eligible to compete in the PHA medal class after August 15th. The winner of the championship finals is not eligible to ride in future PHA medal classes. This class may be combined with another medal class with equal specifications.

There is no pre-payment to hold the National PHA Medal Class. At the conclusion of the class every show will withhold ten dollars (\$10.00) for every entry as long as a minimum of 3 riders complete the course. The results for the class must be sent via email electronically to Scott Tarter at: scott@twinlakesfarm.com within 10 business days in order for points to count and be posted to the website. The results are submitted using the exact same file emailed to the USEF in the shownumber.dat format, just copy Scott on the email to the USEF. No other formats will be accepted. Rider's points will be posted regularly at www.nationalpha.com. Class sheets along with a check representing ten dollars (\$10.00) per rider entered in the PHA medal class, whether or not they completed the course must be mailed to National PHA c/o Scott Tarter, 960 California Road, Bronxville, NY 10708. Please make check payable to PHA, Inc. and include every rider's name and home address listed on the class sheet. Failure to comply with any of the above will void the class along with any points awarded to any riders in the class. If the class fails to fill please return class sheets marked 'Did Not Fill'. All results sheets must be signed.

Name of Horse Show: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

Contact/Secretary: _____

Phone: _____

Please return to: Scott Tarter
960 California Road
Bronxville, NY 10708