

RANCH HORSE ASSOCIATION OF MICHIGAN



REGION 2
SANCTIONED SHOW



PAC & ACAAP
APPROVED

2018 GREAT LAKES RANCH HORSE CIRCUIT

Berrien County Youth Fairgrounds
9122 U.S.Hwy 31, Berrien Springs, MI 49103

| SHOW DATES: | MAY 11 - 13 | JUNE 8 - 10 | JULY 27 - 29 | SEPTEMBER 7 - 9 |
|-------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------|------------------|
| JUDGES: | Paul Zink | Julie Stanley | Shane Cochran | Paul Huettl |
| | Robin Gollehon | Stephanie McConnell | Trevor Walton | Gene Ray Stewart |

| FRIDAY, 6pm - 10pm | |
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| RANCHMANSHIP <i>(AT WILL)</i> | |
| 1 | OPEN |
| 2 | AMATEUR |
| 3 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 4 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 5 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| SATURDAY, 8am | |
|--|-----------------------------|
| CONFORMATION | |
| <i>GRAND & RESERVE TO FOLLOW EACH DIVISION</i> | |
| 6 | OPEN STALLIONS 2 & UNDER |
| 7 | OPEN STALLIONS 3 & OVER |
| 8 | AMATEUR STALLIONS 2 & UNDER |
| 9 | AMATEUR STALLIONS 3 & OVER |
| 10 | OPEN GELDINGS 2 & UNDER |
| 11 | OPEN GELDINGS 3 & OVER |
| 12 | AMATEUR GELDINGS 2 & UNDER |
| 13 | AMATEUR GELDINGS 3 & OVER |
| 14 | YOUTH GELDINGS 2 & UNDER |
| 15 | YOUTH GELDINGS 3 & OVER |
| 16 | OPEN MARES 2 & UNDER |
| 17 | OPEN MARES 3 & OVER |
| 18 | AMATEUR MARES 2 & UNDER |
| 19 | AMATEUR MARES 3 & OVER |
| 20 | YOUTH MARES 2 & UNDER |
| 21 | YOUTH MARES 3 & OVER |

| SHOWMANSHIP | |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| 22 | AMATEUR |
| 23 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 24 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 25 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| CUTTING | |
|---------|---------------------------|
| 26 | OPEN |
| 26A | OPEN JACKPOT - MAY & JULY |
| 27 | AMATEUR |
| 28 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| RANCH REINING | |
|---------------|-------------------------|
| 29 | OPEN |
| 29A | OPEN JACKPOT - JUNE |
| 30 | AMATEUR |
| 31 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 32 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 33 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| HORSEMANSHIP | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 34 | AMATEUR |
| 35 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 36 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 37 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| REINING | |
|---------|------------------|
| 38 | OPEN |
| 39 | AMATEUR |
| 40 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| HERD WORK | |
|-----------|---------------------|
| 41 | OPEN |
| 41A | OPEN JACKPOT - JULY |
| 42 | AMATEUR |
| 43 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| RANCH BOXING | |
|--------------|--------------------------|
| 44 | OPEN |
| 44A | OPEN JACKPOT - SEPTEMBER |
| 45 | AMATEUR |
| 46 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 47 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 48 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| WORKING COW HORSE | |
|-------------------|------------------|
| 49 | OPEN |
| 50 | AMATEUR |
| 51 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| SUNDAY, 8am | |
|---------------|-------------------------|
| RANCH CUTTING | |
| 52 | OPEN |
| 52A | OPEN JACKPOT - JUNE |
| 53 | AMATEUR |
| 54 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 55 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 56 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| RANCH ROPING | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 57 | OPEN |
| 57A | OPEN JACKPOT - MAY |
| 58 | AMATEUR |
| 59 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 60 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 61 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| COW CATCHING | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 62 | OPEN |
| 63 | AMATEUR |
| 64 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 65 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 66 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| WORKING RANCH HORSE | |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 67 | OPEN |
| 67A | OPEN JACKPOT - JUNE |
| 68 | AMATEUR |
| 69 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| WALK/TROT | |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| 70 | LEADLINE 13 & UNDER ① |
| 71 | ADULT 19 & OVER ① |
| 72 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER ① |

| RANCH RIDING | |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| 73 | OPEN - JUNIOR HORSE |
| 73A | OPEN JACKPOT JR HORSE - SEPTEMBER |
| 74 | OPEN - SENIOR HORSE |
| 74A | OPEN JACKPOT SR HORSE - SEPTEMBER |
| 75 | AMATEUR |
| 76 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 77 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 78 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| RANCH TRAIL | |
|-------------|--------------------------------|
| 79 | OPEN |
| 79A | OPEN JACKPOT - MAY & SEPTEMBER |
| 80 | AMATEUR |
| 81 | NOVICE AMATEUR |
| 82 | YOUTH 18 & UNDER |
| 83 | NOVICE YOUTH 18 & UNDER |

| FEES: | |
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| \$12 | Youth Classes (no pre-entry discount) |
| \$24 | All other RHAM Classes |
| \$25 | Cattle Class Fee |
| \$20 | Jackpot Classes (in addition to class fee) |
| Free | Lead Line |
| \$20 | RHAM Awards Program (annually per program) |
| \$10 | RHAM Office Fee |
| \$14 | ARHA Office Fee |
| \$50 | Stall/Tack Stall per weekend (\$25/night) |
| \$20 | Trailer In Fee (per trailer, per show) |
| \$25 | Camping per Night |
| \$50 | Return Check Fee |



RHAM WEEKEND HIGHPOINT AWARD
Awarded based on points earned in all ARHA classes in one Division: Open, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Youth (18 & U), and Novice Youth (18 & U).

JACKPOT CLASSES (in red font)
Potential for added money in Jackpot Classes

① ARHA MEMBERSHIP NOT REQUIRED FOR THESE CLASSES

7th Annual Midwest Classic
October 18 - 21 at Cloverdale, IN
Points from this show count towards RHAM Year End Awards, including RHAM Awards Program

ARHA World Championship Show
July 13 - 20 at Cloverdale, IN
Points from this show do not count towards RHAM Year End Awards

TO SHOW, EXHIBITOR MUST BE CURRENT RHAM MEMBER

To be eligible for RHAM Year End Awards, including RHAM Awards Program, you must show in 3 of the 5 shows.

See back for more information ☞

VENDOR SPACE AVAILABLE
see website for form and rates
FOOD VENDOR AVAILABLE ON-SITE
SHAVINGS AVAILABLE ON-SITE

CONTACT INFORMATION:
Stall Reservation: samholwerda@yahoo.com
Show Information: blondeltoni@gmail.com
Vendor Info: samholwerda@yahoo.com
Show Manager: jmhrham2@gmail.com
Pre-Entry link at www.miranchhorse.com

Disclaimers/Legal: All entries require a current proof of **NEGATIVE** Coggins. Out of state entries also require a current Health Certificate. Attendance at show indicates neither Show Management nor RHAM and/or other attendees will be held liable in case of accident, theft, death, etc. Attendee takes sole responsibility of all matters. Michigan Liability Law applies. All dogs must be tied, on a leash, handled and controlled at all times.

For more information, please visit: www.miranchhorse.com

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RHAM ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FEES:

Family Membership: \$30 Individual Membership: \$15 Youth Membership: \$10
 • RHAM membership is required to show at any RHAM shows; both exhibitor and horse owner must be current Member(s) of RHAM

RHAM AWARDS PROGRAM (Top Ranch Hand, Top Performance Horse, Top Cow Horse):

- Eligible Divisions: Open, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Youth 18 & Under, Novice Youth 18 & Under
- Exhibitors must participate in Conformation at 3 of the 5 RHAM shows (includes Midwest Classic)
- For Year End Awards eligibility, exhibitors must:
 - Complete program sign-up, including payment of the one-time annual fee of \$20 per award program per division
 - POINTS WILL NOT BEGIN ACCUMULATING UNTIL SIGN-UP IS COMPLETE AND FEE IS PAID
- Points are based on one horse/one rider combination in each division*
- Conformation is the only required class within each program, exhibitor must show in conformation at 3 of the 5 RHAM shows
- Exhibitors may choose to show in as many classes and any combination of classes within each program. Not all classes are required for Year End Award eligibility.
- For each program, points for all eligible classes will be accumulated for each horse/rider combination from all 5 pointed RHAM shows to determine division placings.
- Additional RHAM AWARDS PROGRAM information can be found at www.miranchhorse.com

TOP RANCH HAND

Points will accumulate in the following classes for each division:

- Conformation* (required at 3 of 5 RHAM shows)
- Ranchmanship
- Ranch Reining
- Ranch Boxing
- Ranch Cutting
- Ranch Roping
- Working Ranch Horse
- Ranch Riding
- Ranch Trail

TOP COW HORSE

Points will accumulate in the following classes for each division:

- Conformation* (required at 3 of 5 RHAM shows)
- Cutting
- Herd Work
- Ranch Boxing
- Working Cow Horse
- Ranch Cutting
- Ranch Roping
- Cow Catching
- Working Ranch Horse

TOP PERFORMANCE HORSE

Points will accumulate in the following classes for each division:

- Conformation* (required at 3 of 5 RHAM shows)
- Ranchmanship
- Showmanship
- Ranch Reining
- Horsemanship
- Reining
- Ranch Riding
- Ranch Trail

* Conformation proxy exhibitor may be used if the exhibitor has more than one horse of the same gender and age entered in the RHAM AWARDS PROGRAM (additional information found at www.miranchhorse.com)

RHAM LAMINATED BACK NUMBERS

Purchase laminated back numbers with horse and exhibitor names on them. For those showing multiple horses, this is a great way to help remember each horse's number and it also helps when pre-entering for the shows by having a pre-assigned number. You can select 2 or 3 back number tags; a third (3rd) back number tag eliminates the step of removing a number from your saddle pad to attach to the back of your show shirt for your conformation and/or showmanship classes. Back numbers are assigned to horses. Form available on website to purchase back numbers.

RHAM PRE-ENTRY DISCOUNT:

- \$20 flat rate discount for pre-entries submitted by midnight on Monday the week of the show; must enter 10 or more classes at pre-entry
- To receive discount at the end of the show, horse/exhibitor must have shown in at least 10 classes or discount is forfeited

IMPORTANT SHOW INFORMATION

- Bring your RHAM Membership card(s) (or copies of them) with you to the show office, as it will be required for entry validation
- Class registration(s) for the first four (4) classes of each day must be completed 30 minutes prior to show start time
- To be eligible for RHAM Year End Awards, both the exhibitor and the horse owner must be current RHAM member(s) and the exhibitor must show at 3 of the 5 RHAM shows.
- All awards based on one horse/one exhibitor/division combination
- Open, Amateur, Novice Amateur, Youth, and Novice Youth Divisions require current ARHA Horse Certificate of Eligibility, current ARHA Membership Card, and current ARHA Amateur, Novice Amateur, or Youth Card (or copies).
- Western attire is required for all classes; for details refer to the 2018-2019 ARHA Rulebook (available at www.americanranchhorse.net)
- All classes judged according to ARHA rules; **judges' decision is final**

ARHA MEMBERSHIP FEES:

- Both the owner and the exhibitor must be current ARHA members to show (except classes 70, 71, 72)
- All horses must have current ARHA Certificate of Eligibility to show
 ARHA Membership/Horse Registration accepted at show, will be assessed a \$10 **rush fee** per application
Grade registrations cannot be taken at shows

For more information, visit the ARHA website at: www.americanranchhorse.net