



Iowa Miniature Horse Club

Presents the

IOWA MINIATURE HORSE EXPO
AMHR 3 JUDGE SANCTIONED SHOW

Waterloo, Iowa

June 11th & 12th

Location: Cattle Congress Grounds

Judges:

Arlyn Storey

Eugene Zimmermann

Suzanne Border

Show Steward: Randy Martin

Hosted by: IMHC

Manager/Contact Person:

Darla Hirsch

540 V Ave, Paton, IA 50217

PH. 515-291-2978

WELCOME

The Iowa Miniature Horse Club would like to welcome you. This will be our eighth AMHR show. Our last event was a success with wonderful weather, many horses and exhibitors having a great weekend. Although we can't guarantee the weather, we are striving to make this year's event another successful weekend. We are excited to give you the opportunity to show your miniature horses here in the Midwest. We hope you have a good experience. If so, tell everyone, if not, come to the show committee and let us know how we could improve it for you.

Please read through our premium book carefully. We hope many Questions will be answered there.

Contacts:

Show Manager: **Darla Hirsch**
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Farrier: To be announced at show.

Vet: On call – to be announced at show.

Emergency: Call 911

Lunch stand on grounds.

There will be tack vendors on the grounds for your show needs.

We are still taking sponsorships. If you would like to sponsor a class please fill out the enclosed form and return to show manager with your entries or bring it along to the show. Your name will be announced at the show. Sponsorship is \$10 per regular class or \$25 for a Championship class. Thank you in advance.

Show Criteria

It is your responsibility to know & follow these rules – Please read carefully.

General Information:

Entry Deadline is May 27, 2011

All entries must be postmarked by this date.

LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.

- You may add classes Friday night and up to 1 hr after show completion on Saturday night.
- All entries must comply with the 2011 Official Rules of ASPC/AMHR or the most current published. The Iowa Miniature Horse Club, ASPC/AMHR, the Cattle Congress Grounds or anyone working at this show shall not be held liable for injuries to or as a result of your horse(s) nor for the loss of or damage to any of your personal property. Exhibitors are solely responsible for their animals.
- Health Requirements – Entries coming from out of state must conform to health requirements for interstate transportation. IMHC reserves the right to see your health/coggins certificates.
- Veterinarian on call. Show management reserves the right to inspect any horse that may pose a health hazard; the horse must be isolated and will not be allowed to show.
- Exhibitors are responsible for all information on Entry Form. Copies of AMHR registration papers (front and back if necessary) must accompany entries unless they are still in the National Office, then they must be brought to the show. NO EXCEPTIONS! All horses must have AMHR papers. If you have a CURRENT (60 days or permanent measurement card) please send copy with your entries.
- Refunds: A refund will be given ONLY with a valid signed veterinarian's certificate stating the animal's illness/injury. The certificate needs to be in the show manager's possession at time of check-in. **The refund will only be for that animal and will not include box stall fees.**
- If you are showing Amateur, you must send a copy of or have on your possession your Amateur cards or you will have to purchase one at the show from the steward for \$10 each. You must be the

IMHC AMHR SHOW SPONSORSHIP FORM

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- owner on record or a member of his/her family to show in amateur class. See ASPC/AMHR rulebook for details.
- Horses may arrive anytime after noon on Friday June 10th. If you plan on arriving early or staying over contact Darla Hirsch, 515-291-2978.
- Gate holds/tack changes: **A two minute gate hold will be enforced. If you need to have a gate hold, please ask the gate man prior to the class. The gate closes 2 minutes after the first horse enters the ring!**
- ALL DOGS MUST BE ON A LEASH OR IN A PEN AT ALL TIMES.**
- No more than two horses per stall are permitted. Shavings may be purchased at the grounds for \$7.50 per bag. Please preorder if you can. More will be available at the grounds. No straw or paper bedding is allowed. Stall assignments are at the discretion of the barn/stall manager.
- MEASUREMENT TIMES:
- Measurement will be from 5-8 PM on Friday evening and again from 6:45 AM-7:45 AM Saturday & Sunday morning or as needed for late arrivals. No back numbers will be given until you show proof of current measurements or have your horse(s) measured. Please have the following ready when taking your horse to be measured.
 - The original or a copy of the horse's papers. Geldings must say gelding on their papers.
 - Remove all hoods and blankets so the show steward can compare and inspect your horse.
 - If you are measuring a horse with a permanent measuring card for the first time the year you must bring that original card with you or it will have to be entered on the 60 day measurement card and a new one sent out by AMHR.
- You must have an amateur card to show amateur and you must have a youth membership to win youth awards. Youth may purchase a membership from the show steward at the show. See AMHR rulebook for details.
- There is **no** cross entering between Country Pleasure, Pleasure, Park, & Western Country Pleasure driving classes.

If you would like to sponsor a class or classes for the IMHC sponsored show, please fill out the form below with the appropriate class(s) listed that you would like to sponsor. If you have no preference on which class to sponsor please make a notation of "any class" on the class line. The cost to sponsor a class is as follows: All classes except the Championship classes are \$10 per class. Championship classes are \$25 each.

Farm/Business Name _____

Your Name _____

Address _____

Class or classes you would like to sponsor (please list class name & number)

Please make out checks to IMHC.

Directions: From East on Hwy 20: take Hwy 218N Exit and follow signs. From West on Hwy 20: take Hwy 63 North Exit to Ansborough. Turn left on Ansborough and follow Ansborough until you see the National Dairy Cattle Congress on the left.

For more information visit <http://www.nationalcattlecongress.com>