
The UPHA American Royal National Championship

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Management reserves the right to change the class schedule due to unforeseen circumstances.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15 - 11:00 A.M.

Trainers' Meeting – Horseman's Club

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 15 – 4:00 P.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

Hale Arena reserved for 1 hour for Exceptional Challenge Cup (Unassisted) Riders

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16 - 9:00 A.M.

Measure Ponies

1 UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup National Championship-Phase I

30 MINUTE BREAK (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

- 2 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Fine Harness
- 3 Three-Year-Old Park Horse
- 4 Adult Equitation
- 5 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Equitation, 17 & under
- 6 Country Pleasure Driving
- 7 Three-Year-Old Park Pleasure
- 8 Three Gaited Country Pleasure, Adult Exhibitor 18 & over
- 9 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Road Pony
- 10 Five Gaited Show Pleasure, 18 to 38 years of age
- 11 Three Gaited Park Pleasure, Junior Horse
- 12 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor
- 13 Veteran Show Pleasure Horse
- 14 Three-Year-Old Fine Harness
- 15 ASB Hunter Country Pleasure
- 16 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Country Pleasure, Amateur or Junior Exhibitor
- 17 Five Gaited Show Pleasure, 39 years of age & older
- 18 Country Pleasure Five Gaited
- 19 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Open Five Gaited

30 minutes following last class, Hale Arena reserved for 1 hour for Exceptional Challenge Cup riders Competing in Class 38

UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup Walk & Trot with Assistance National Championship

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16 - 6:30 P.M.

- 20 Open Fine Harness
- 21 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Open Three Gaited
- 22 **UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup National Championship - Phase II**
- 23 Open Three Gaited, over 15.2 Hands
- 24 Amateur Harness Pony
- 25 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Show Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor
- 26 Three-Year-Old Three Gaited
- 27 Amateur Three Gaited Park
- 28 Open Five Gaited Mares
- 29 Amateur Three Gaited, 15.2 & under
- 30 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Park

- 31 Three-Year-Old Five Gaited
- 32 Amateur Road Horse to Bike
- 33 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Show Pleasure, 18 & over
- 34 Ladies Amateur Three Gaited
- 35 Three Gaited Park Open
- 36 Amateur Hackney Pony
- 37 Will Shriver Five Gaited Stallion Open

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17 – 9:00 A.M.

- 38 **UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup Walk & Trot with Assistance National Championship- Phase I**

30 MINUTE BREAK (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

- 39 Fine Harness Two-Year-Old
- 40 Amateur Five Gaited Mares
- 41 Three Gaited Show Pleasure, 18 to 38 years of age
- 42 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Five Gaited Show Pleasure Amateur or Junior Exhibitor
- 43 Ladies Three Gaited, under 15.2
- 44 Three Gaited Two-Year-Old
- 45 Three Gaited Show Pleasure, 39 & over years of age
- 46 Fine Harness Junior Horse
- 47 Open Roadster Horse Under Saddle
- 48 Open Three Gaited Park Pleasure
- 49 Open Harness Pony
- 50 Five Gaited Two-Year-Old
- 51 Amateur Three Gaited, over 15.2
- 52 Three Gaited Park, Junior Horse
- 53 Show Pleasure Driving, Amateur

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17 - 1:00 P.M.

UPHA Equitation Committee Meeting – Governors Room (2nd floor American Royal offices)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17 – 6:30 P.M.

- 54 Amateur Fine Harness
- 55 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Five Gaited Amateur or Junior Exhibitor
- 56 Ladies Five Gaited Mares
- 57 Open Road Pony
- 58 **UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup National Championship-Walk & Trot with Assistance-Phase II**
- 59 ASB Western Country Pleasure
- 60 Ladies Fine Harness
- 61 Open Three Gaited, 15.2 & under
- 62 Amateur Road Pony
- 63 Ladies Five Gaited Geldings, 18 and Over
- 64 Junior Three Gaited Horse
- 65 ASB Hunter Country Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 66 Amateur Five Gaited Stallions & Geldings
- 67 Ladies Three Gaited, over 15.2
- 68 Open Road Horse to Bike
- 69 Open Five Gaited Geldings

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18 - 9:00 A.M.

- 70 **UPHA Junior Challenge Cup National Championship, Phase I**
- 71 UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup, Qualifying Class (2027)
- 72 UPHA Exceptional Challenge Cup Walk & Trot with Assistance, Qualifying Class (2027)

30 MINUTE BREAK (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

- 73 Hackney Pleasure Driving, 18 & over
- 74 Walk & Trot Show Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 12 & under
- 75 Ladies Western Pleasure
- 76 Three Gaited Country Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 13 & under
- 77 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Country Pleasure Stake
- 78 Show Pleasure Driving, Junior Exhibitor 17 & Under
- 79 Five Gaited Masters
- 80 Three Gaited Show Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 13 & under
- 81 Five Gaited Pony
- 82 Three Gaited Country Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 14-17
- 83 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Show Pleasure Championship
- 84 Three Gaited Pony
- 85 Hackney Pleasure Driving, Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 86 Three Gaited Show Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 14-17
- 87 **UPHA Adult Challenge Cup National Championship**

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18 - 6:30 P.M.

- 88 Three Gaited Masters
- 89 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Park Stake
- 90 Three Gaited Junior Exhibitor 14-17
- 91 Ladies Amateur Five Gaited
- 92 **UPHA Junior Challenge Cup National Championship- Phase II**
- 93 **Veteran Show Pleasure Horse National Championship**
- 94 Five Gaited Junior Exhibitor, 14-17
- 95 **Country Pleasure Driving National Championship**
- 96 Road Pony Under Saddle, Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 97 **Country Hunter Pleasure National Championship**
- 98 Three Gaited Junior Exhibitor 13 & under
- 99 Open Parade Horse
- 100 Open Hackney Pony
- 101 Three Gaited Park Horse, Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 102 Junior Five Gaited

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

JUNIOR EXHIBITORS – WE WANT YOU!

The American Royal and BOTAR Organization will award two \$1,500 scholarships.

Open to Junior Exhibitors of any age!

Application requirements: Applications must include application form, school transcript, one letter of recommendation and a one-page essay written by the applicant on what their participation in the UPHA/American Royal National Championship Horse Show means to them.

Deadline: Applications must be received by October 31, 2026

Visit the American Royal website for the application form online at

<https://americanroyal.com/education/scholarships/equine/>

Questions? Contact: Morgan Duenke- equine@americanroyal.com or 816-569-4046

Applications Due: October 31, 2026



THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19 - 9:00 A.M.

103 **UPHA Senior National Challenge Cup Championship - Phase I**

30 MINUTE BREAK, (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

- 104 Five Gaited Junior Exhibitor 13 & under
- 105 **Country Five Gaited National Championship**
- 106 **Walk & Trot Show Pleasure National Championship, 12 & under**
- 107 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Five Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Stake
- 108 Hackney Pleasure Horse or Pony Under Saddle Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 109 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Open Stake
- 110 Five Gaited Show Pleasure, Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 111 Roadster to Wagon
- 112 Equitation 13 & under
- 113 **Open Three-Gaited Park Pleasure National Championship**
- 114 Roadster Pony to Bike Junior Exhibitor 17 & under
- 115 **Adult Three Gaited Country Pleasure National Championship**
- 116 **Western Country Pleasure National Championship**
- 117 **AHHS Youth Medallion National Championship Hackney/Harness Pony**
- 118 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Three Gaited Amateur/Junior Exhibitor Stake
- 119 **Adult Five Gaited Show Pleasure National Championship**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19 - 6:30 P.M.

- 120 **UPHA Fine Harness Classic Grand Championship**
- 121 **UPHA Hackney Pony Classic Grand Championship**
- 122 **UPHA Park Pleasure Classic Grand Championship**
- 123 **UPHA Hackney Pony Pleasure Driving Classic Grand Championship**
- 124 **UPHA Park Horse Classic Grand Championship**
- 125 **UPHA Senior Challenge Cup National Championship, Phase II**
- 126 **UPHA Harness Pony Classic Grand Championship**
- 127 **UPHA Three Gaited Classic Grand Championship**
- 128 **UPHA Roadster Horse Classic Grand Championship**
- 129 **UPHA Roadster Pony Classic Grand Championship**
- 130 **UPHA Five Gaited Classic Grand Championship**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20 - 9:00 A.M.

- 131 **UPHA 10 & Under Walk/Trot National Challenge Cup- Phase I**
- 132 **AHHS Youth Medallion National Championship, Showmanship In-Hand**

30 MINUTE BREAK (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

- 133 **Three Gaited Pony National Championship**
- 134 Equitation 16 & 17 years of age
- 135 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Five Gaited Show Pleasure Championship
- 136 **AHHS Youth Medallion Pleasure Driving National Championship, 17 & under**
- 137 **Park Pleasure Junior Horse National Championship**
- 138 **Junior Equitation National Championship 13 & under**
- 139 Equitation, 14 & 15 Years of Age
- 140 **Amateur Show Pleasure Driving National Championship**
- 141 **Three Gaited Show Pleasure National Championship 13 & under**
- 142 **Three Gaited Country Pleasure National Championship 14-17**
- 143 **Roadster Under Saddle National Championship**
- 144 **Five Gaited Pony National Championship**
- 145 **Three Gaited Country Pleasure National Championship 13 & Under**
- 146 **UPHA 10 and Under Walk/Trot National Challenge Cup Championship-Phase II**
- 147 **USEF National Adult Medal Finals**

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20 - 6:30 P.M.

OPENING CEREMONIES

- 148 American Royal Senior Equitation National Championship, 14-17 years of age
- 149 Ladies Amateur Three-Gaited National Stake
- 150 Amateur Fine Harness National Championship
- 151 AHHS Youth Medallion Roadster Pony Under Saddle National Championship
- 152 Ladies Fine Harness National Championship
- 153 Open Parade Horse National Championship
- 154 Amateur Harness Pony National Championship
- 155 Amateur Three Gaited National Stake
- 156 Adult Three Gaited Show Pleasure National Championship
- 157 Amateur Hackney Pony National Championship
- 158 Missouri-Kansas-Iowa Tom Bass Memorial Five Gaited Stake
- 159 Amateur Roadster Horse to Bike National Championship
- 160 Amateur Park Horse National Championship
- 161 Amateur Roadster Pony to Bike National Championship
- 162 Ladies Five Gaited National Stake

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21 - 9:00 A.M.

- 163 USEF Saddle Seat Medal-Preliminary

30 MINUTE BREAK (NOT TO START BEFORE 11 A.M.)

OPENING CEREMONIES

- 164 Junior Exhibitor Show Pleasure Driving National Championship
- 165 UPHA, Walk-Trot Challenge Cup 10 & under, (Qualifier 2027)
- 166 AHHS Youth Medallion Roadster Pony to Bike National Championship, 14-17
- 167 Five Gaited Show Pleasure National Championship, 17 & Under
- 168 AHHS Youth Medallion Pleasure Horse or Pony Under Saddle National Championship
- 169 Junior Exhibitor Three Gaited Park National Championship
- 170 Hackney Pony National Championship
- 171 Five Gaited Junior Exhibitor National Championship, 13 & Under
- 172 Three Gaited Show Pleasure National Championship, 14-17
- 173 WTC 10 & Under Equitation
- 174 AHHS Youth Medallion Roadster Pony to Bike National Championship, 13 & under
- 175 USEF Saddle Seat Medal National Final

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21 - 6:30 P.M.

STAKE NIGHT

OPENING CEREMONIES

EQUITATION WINNERS PRESENTATION

- 176 Fine Harness National Championship
- 177 Ladies Amateur Five Gaited National Stake
- 178 Harness Pony National Championship
- 179 Junior Exhibitor Three Gaited National Championship, 14-17
- 180 Ladies Three Gaited National Stake
- 181 Roadster to Wagon National Championship
- 182 Amateur Five Gaited National Stake
- 183 Hackney Show Pleasure Driving National Championship
- 184 Junior Exhibitor Five Gaited National Championship, 14-17
- 185 Three Gaited National Championship
- 186 Roadster Horse National Championship
- 187 Junior Exhibitor Three Gaited National Championship, 13 & under
- 188 Three Gaited Park National Championship
- 189 Roadster Pony National Championship
- 190 Five Gaited National Championship