

TRI-STATE THERAPEUTIC RIDING
PRESENTS:



TSTRC FUN SHOW AND GYMKHANA



April 2nd starting at
9am!

Events for
ALL RIDERS

Show Information

Tri-State Therapeutic Riding Center strives to provide opportunities for riders of all ages and abilities. We are thrilled to offer the opportunity for our riders and other riders in our community to participate in a Gymkhana! This is meant to be a safe, fun and welcoming event so that riders can enjoy spending a day with friends and ponies while competing for some ribbons, trophies and bragging rights! Proceeds benefit riders and horses in our programs, so we appreciate the show of support! Please reach out with any questions.

We need to have an idea of how many riders and horses to anticipate, so please turn in entries no later than March 25th. THERE WILL BE NO FEES to add classes day of the show or for those who scratch prior to March 25th. Those who scratch after March 25th will receive a refund minus office fee. You may send entry via email to tristatetherapeuticriding@gmail.com, drop it off at the center (please make sure a staff member receives it) or text a photo to (423) 838-0869, however you will be asked to complete a paper copy prior to competing should you send via text.

Riders cannot participate until we have received liability forms, entry form and payment. RIDERS MUST WEAR A HELMET. PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR RULE: From the time horses are officially admitted to the competition grounds, anyone mounted on a horse at any time on the competition grounds including non-competing riders, riders on non-competing horses and those competing in classes and test must wear protective headgear as defined by this rule and otherwise in compliance with GR801. Any rider violating this rule at any time must be immediately prohibited from further riding until such headgear is properly in place. Protective headgear is defined as a riding helmet which meets or exceeds ASTM/SEI standards for equestrian use and carries the SEI tag. The harness must be secured and properly fitted.

Weather/Acts of God/Accidents or Emergency Policy: Management reserves the right to cancel any classes due to hazardous weather, acts of God, Accidents or Emergencies. Every effort will be made to reschedule.

Fees are due to Tri-State Therapeutic Riding Center. Checks may be made out to Tri-State Therapeutic Riding, you can paypal friends and family to tristatetherapeuticriding@gmail.com or pay cash.

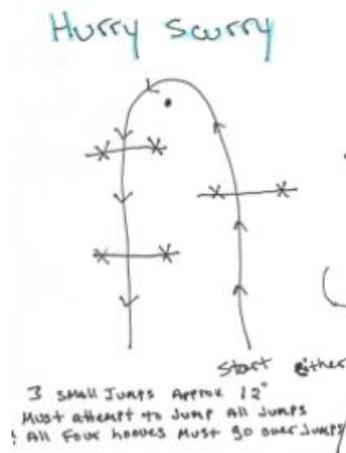
Call Ashley at (423) 838-0869 with any questions.

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

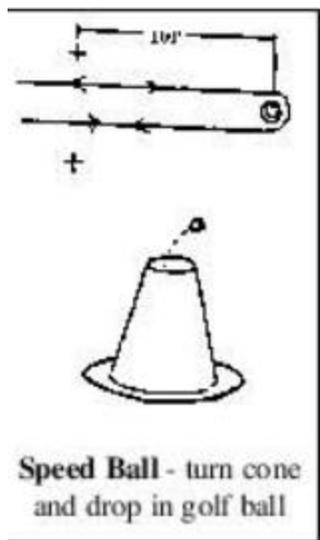
All equitation and gymkhana classes can be shown English, Western or dressage in accordance with the rider's abilities, horse training and safety. Judged classes will be based on discipline ideals. ASTM approved helmets are **REQUIRED** by all riders regardless of age, ability, if they own their horse, etc. Riders cannot cross into other divisions. There will be a high point trophy for the highest pointing rider of the entire day in Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced Division. You do not need to compete in all of the classes of each division to qualify for this.

1. Intermediate/ Advanced Showmanship: Unmounted class. Class is judged on the handler's ability to present the horse to the judge. The horse is not judged in this class except as it pertains to its responses to the handler. Participant must be able to steer their horse, walk, trot, halt and back their horse.
2. Beginner Showmanship: Unmounted class. Class is judged on the handler's ability to present the horse to the judge. The horse is not judged in this class except as it pertains to its responses to the handler. Participant must be able to walk, steer and halt their horse. Assistance permitted.
3. Leadline: Rider is mounted and demonstrating their best equitation at the walk. Leaders and sidewalkers permitted.
4. Walk-only: Rider is mounted and demonstrating their best equitation at the walk. Riders may be asked to two-point, halt, reverse. Riders may perform English or Western. Spotters will be in the arena but riders will be off-lead.
5. Assisted W/T: Riders will be showing their equitation at walk and trot. Leaders, sidewalkers and/or spotters permitted. Riders need to be able to show a halt, walk and trot transition. Posting not required but encouraged!
6. Beginner W/T: Riders will be showing their equitation at walk and trot without assistance. Riders need to be able to show a halt, walk and trot transition and downward transitions. Generally riders in this level riding English will know how to post, but do not consistently know diagonals. Riders should be comfortable with riding in an arena with others and navigating traffic but reminders about spacing is allowed.
7. Intermediate W/T: Riders will be showing their equitation at walk and trot without assistance. Riders need to be able to show a halt, walk and trot transition and downward transitions. They may reverse at the trot, back-up, and two-point. Generally riders in this level riding English will know how to post and should consistently recognize their diagonals. All riders should be able to demonstrate a sitting trot. These riders have good awareness of traffic and how to pass.
8. Beginner WTC: Riders will show their equitation WTC. They must be able to walk, trot, halt, reverse, back, and canter. Riders will canter one at a time. Generally, these riders may still be working on recognizing leads and steering while at the canter, but they must have a decent enough seat and control to be safe cantering.
9. Intermediate WTC: Riders will show their equitation WTC. They must be able to walk, trot, halt, reverse, back, and canter. Riders will canter one at a time. Generally, these riders may still be working on recognizing leads and improving their posture, however they have a good understanding and ability with these concepts.
10. Advanced WTC: These riders can WTC, recognize leads, and perform simple changes if necessary. These riders are able to navigate traffic with multiple other riders cantering in the arena with them.

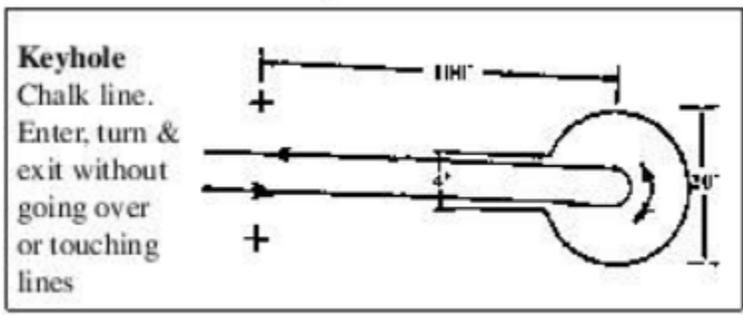
11. Intermediate Bareback: These riders can perform upward and downward transitions walk and trot bareback without compromising their balance.
12. Advanced Bareback: These riders can perform upward and downward transitions walk, trot and canter bareback without compromising their balance.
13. Beginner Egg and Spoon Race: Riders will be asked to walk and halt with an egg on a spoon. Last one to have the egg still balanced on their spoon WINS.
14. Intermediate Egg and Spoon Race: Riders will be asked to walk, trot, halt, reverse and two-point with an egg on a spoon. Last one to have the egg still balanced on their spoon WINS.
15. Advanced Egg and Spoon Race: Riders will be asked to walk, trot, canter, halt, reverse and two-point with an egg on a spoon. Last one to have the egg still balanced on their spoon WINS.
16. Mystery Class: sign up and see what you are asked to do. It may be on or off horse, but it will be appropriate for all levels and abilities. What will the mystery game be?! That's a surprise!



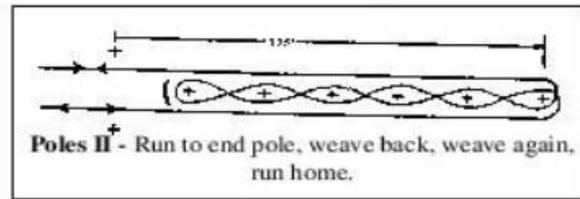
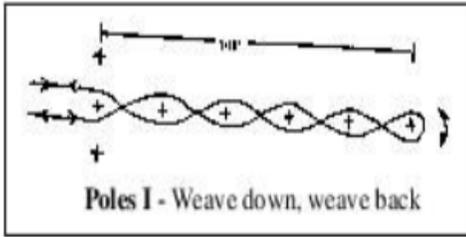
17. Beginner/Intermediate Hurry Scurry: Riders can walk or trot 3 groundpoles to win this timed competition. Assistance allowed (leaders/sidewalkers/spotters).
18. Advanced Hurry Scurry: Riders can trot or canter 12"-18" crossrails to win this timed competition.



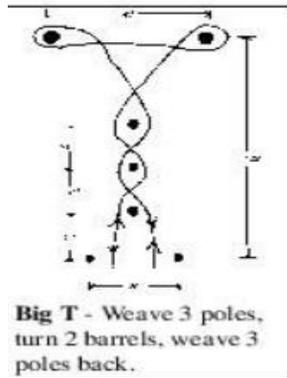
19. Beginner Speed Ball: Walk/trot down to the bucket, drop in a ball and race back. If the ball bounces out or you miss, you must dismount and put the ball in the bucket. Your time finishes as soon as you and your horse are over the finish line. Assistance (Leaders, spotters, sidewalkers) allowed.
20. Intermediate Speed Ball: Trot, maybe a step or two of canter down to the bucket, drop in a ball and race back. If the ball bounces out or you miss, you must dismount and put the ball in the bucket. Your time finishes as soon as you and your horse are over the finish line.
21. Advanced Speed Ball: Canter down to the bucket, drop in a ball and race back. If the ball bounces out or you miss, you must dismount and put the ball in the bucket. Your time finishes as soon as you and your horse are over the finish line.



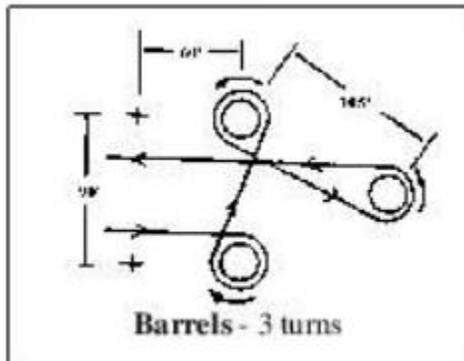
22. Beginner Keyhole: Walk/trot down to the circle, turn without stepping outside of it and race back. Time penalties for stepping outside of the circle. Assistance (Leaders, spotters, sidewalkers) allowed.
23. Intermediate Keyhole: Trot, maybe a step of canter down to the circle, turn without stepping outside of it and race back. Time penalties for stepping outside of the circle.
24. Advanced Keyhole: Canter down to the circle, turn without stepping outside of it and race back. Time penalties for stepping outside of the circle.



- 25. Beginner Pole Bending: Walk/Trot using poles 1 pattern.
- 26. Intermediate Pole Bending: trot using poles 1 pattern
- 27. Advanced: Canter poles 2 pattern



- 28. Beginner Big T: Walk/Trot Assistance allowed
- 29. Intermediate Big T: Walk/Trot No assistance
- 30. Advanced Big T: Canter



- 31. Beginner Barrels: Walk/Trot Assistance allowed can start left or right
- 32. Intermediate Barrels: Walk/Trot No assistance can start left or right
- 33. Advanced Barrels: Canter can start left or right

34. Jackpot barrels: Fastest time gets a payout! Winner gets 75% of the class entry fees. For example: If 10 people sign up paying \$10 to enter, the winner of this class will get \$75!

Liability Release

To be completed by the adult participant, participant's parent, or participant's legal representative.

This release of liability is made and entered into on this date, _____, by and between Tri-State Therapeutic Riding Center, hereinafter known as TSTRC, and participant (print name), _____, hereinafter known as participant, and (if a minor or incompetent adult) participant's parent, legal guardian, or legal representative (print name) _____. In return for participation in TSTRC's therapeutic horseback riding activities, specifically their horse show. The participant, his/her heirs, assigns, and legal representatives hereby expressly agree to the following:

1. Participant agrees to assume any and all risks involved in or arising from participant's participation or presence upon the property and facilities, including, without limitation, but not limited to the risks of death, bodily injury, property damage, falls, kicks, bites, collisions with vehicles, horses, or stationary objects, fire or explosion, the unavailability of emergency medical care, or the negligence or deliberate act of another person.
2. Participant agrees to hold TSTRC and all of its successors, assigns, subsidiaries, franchisee, affiliates, officers, directors, employees, agents, and boarders completely harmless and not liable and release them from all liability whatsoever and agrees not to sue them on account of or in connection with any claims, causes of action, injuries, damages, costs or expenses arising out of participant's participation and/or presence upon TSTRC's property and facilities, including without limitation, those based on death, bodily injury, property damage, including consequential damages, except if the damages are caused by the direct willful and wanton negligence of TSTRC.
3. Participant agrees to waive the protection afforded by any statute or law in any jurisdiction whose purpose, substance and/or effect is to provide that a general release shall not extend to claims, material, or otherwise, which the person giving the release does not know or suspect to exist at the time of executing the release.
4. Participant agrees to indemnify and defend TSTRC against, and hold it harmless from, any and all claims, causes of action, damages, judgments, costs, or expenses, including attorney's fees, which in any way arise from participant's participation and/or presence upon TSTRC's property or facilities.
5. This contract is non-assignable and non-transferable and is made and entered into the State of Tennessee and shall be enforced and interpreted under the laws of this state. Should there be any clause in conflict with State Law, then that clause is null and void. When TSTRC and participant or participant's parent, legal guardian, or adult caregiver signs this contract, it will then be binding on both parties, subject to the above terms and conditions.

Participant/ Rider Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature (if under 18): _____ Date: _____

TSTRC Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT/NON-CONSENT

Tri-State Therapeutic Riding Center (TSTRC) often takes still pictures and/or videos of students, clients, volunteers and instructors. This is done for several reasons. Rider progress and acquisition of skills provide instructors and clients with necessary information and positive feedback. Photos/videos are also used in brochures, presentations, posters, and on our website for publicity. They are also occasionally provided to students for keepsakes.

Please check one of the boxes below to indicate your preference for photograph/video of you/your child for the aforementioned purposes.

Consent:

- Yes, I consent
 No, I do not consent

Rider/Participant Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent Signature (if under 18): _____ Date: _____

WARNING: Under Tennessee Law, an equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities, pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated, title 44, chapter 20.

Entry Form

Rider Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Parent/Guardian if under 18 years old: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Equitation Class List

Classes judged and ribbons awarded 1st-6th. Class descriptions can be found in the packet. Please mark each class you/your rider are entering.

	1. Intermediate/Advanced Showmanship
	2. Beginner Showmanship ***Tack break to follow***
	3. Leadline
	4. Walk-only
	5. Assisted W/T
	6. Beginner W/T
	7. Intermediate W/T
	8. Beginner WTC (canter one at a time)
	9. Intermediate WTC
	10. Advanced WTC
	11. Intermediate Bareback
	12. Advanced Bareback

Gymkhana Class List

Classes are based on time. Ribbons awarded 1st-6th. Class descriptions can be found in the packet. Please mark each class you/your rider are entering. Riders may not cross-enter divisions.

	13. Beginner Egg and Spoon Race
	14. Intermediate Egg and Spoon Race
	15. Advanced Egg and Spoon Race
	16. Mystery Class (open to all divisions)
	17. Beginner/ intermediate Hurry Scurry (groundpoles)
	18. Advanced Hurry Scurry (x-rails 12-18")
	19. Beginner Speed Ball
	20. Intermediate Speed Ball
	21. Advanced Speed Ball
	22. Beginner Keyhole
	23. Intermediate Keyhole
	24. Advanced Keyhole
	25. Beginner Pole Bending (pattern 1)
	26. Intermediate Pole Bending (pattern 1)
	27. Advanced Pole Bending (pattern 2)
	28. Beginner Big T
	29. Intermediate Big T
	30. Advanced Big T
	31. Beginner Barrels
	32. Intermediate Barrels
	33. Advanced Barrels
	34. **JACKPOT BARREL** PAYBACK

Registration Fee Summary

Office Fee \$ 10

 # of classes @ \$10/Class \$ _____

Haul-In Fee \$5 \$ _____

Tri-State Horse Lease Fee \$5 \$ _____

Must be a current TSTRC Student to lease a TSTRC horse. One lease fee per rider/day. Riders will be assigned horses and may not be on the same horse for each class. In this case, you do not need to pay a lease fee per horse.

Optional:

 # of Stalls @ \$25.00 per stall \$ _____

 # of shavings @ \$8 per bag \$ _____

(must have at least 1 bag if using Tri-State Stalls)

Total Fees: \$ _____

Office Use Only:

Received Liability and Completed Entry

Confirmed Negative Coggins

Payment Received (Paypal Check Cash)