

# **BUXMONT RIDING CLUB, INC.**

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## **2023 HUNTER SHOW SERIES**

**A COPY OF A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST WILL BE  
REQUIRED AT EVERY SHOW  
NO COGGINS – NO SHOW**

**Sunday 4/30, 5/21, 6/11, 7/9, 9/10**

**Registration starts at 7:00a.m.**

**Show starts at 8:00a.m.**

Entry fees per class day of show:	Members \$11	Non-Members \$12
Pre-entry fees per class:	Members \$8	Non-Members \$9

\*\*\$1 charge for a rider number. The \$1 is not refundable as it was in the past. You may bring your own number.\*\*

**To pre-register, visit the website: [www.buxmontridingclub.com](http://www.buxmontridingclub.com)**

### **DIVISION GRAND & RESERVE CHAMPION GIVEN AT EACH SHOW**

**T.I.P. High Point Thoroughbred Hunter & T.I.P. High Point English Pleasure Thoroughbred Ribbon and Prize  
awarded at each show**

Thoroughbreds that wish to compete for T. I. P. Points, ribbons and awards must have Proof of TB Registration.  
(Lip tattoo, copy of registration, Jockey Club papers or T.I.P. Number)

**\*\*NEW\*\* Year End Award Eligibility: You must fill out and turn in a nomination form, show in 3 out of  
the 5 shows & complete 4 hours of volunteer time per horse/rider combination or  
submit the volunteer hours buy out form and payment.**

**NOMINATION FORMS DUE BY OR BEFORE THE JUNE 11TH SHOW! Points will not show until a  
nomination form is received.**

**The ages of riders/horses/ponies must be as of January 1, 2023.**

Horses: Over 14.2	Seniors:	18 yrs & over
Ponies: 14.2 & under	Juniors:	17 yrs & under
	Short Stirrup:	12 yrs & under
	Mini Stirrup:	10 yrs & under
	Leadline:	8 yrs & under

The Show Committee reserves the right to combine, move, or adjust the show schedule, as they deem necessary to run a smooth show.

Judges names are posted on the website: [www.buxmontridingclub.com](http://www.buxmontridingclub.com)

**No one is to approach the judge at any time for any reason. You must see a member of the show committee with  
any disputes. The decision of the Buxmont Board of Directors is final in the case of any dispute.**

For Directions call: 215-260-2540

For prize list or registration questions, email: Jamie Landis @ [buxmontridingclub@gmail.com](mailto:buxmontridingclub@gmail.com)

# **HUNTER RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**A COPY OF A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST WILL BE REQUIRED AT EVERY SHOW. NO COGGINS, NO SHOW.**

Registration starts at 7:00am; the show will start promptly at 8:00am.

**Pre-Registration must be emailed and received BEFORE 9:00pm on the Thursday prior to the Show.**

Entry Fees: Pre-Entry fees are \$8 per class for members and \$9 per class for NON-Members.

Day of Show entry fees are \$11 per class for members and \$12 per class for NON-Members.

To add a class, you must register and pay at least one division before the class you want to add.

NO REFUND will be given if the class has started and you want to scratch it.

1. You must show a copy of a negative Coggins Test at registration at EVERY SHOW. Foals that are nursing do not need a coggins test but the Dam must have a negative coggins test and be present with the foal. **NO COGGINS, NO SHOW!**
2. **HELMETS MUST** be ASTM/SEI approved and be worn by every rider while mounted on the grounds. Riders are to be neatly and appropriately attired, heeled shoes or boots. Anyone in violation will be asked to leave the show grounds immediately. If an underage rider's feet cannot reach the stirrups; you will be required to have a spotter present. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
3. Exhibitor's numbers must be clearly visible at all times while in the show ring, including while schooling.
4. **DISCLAIMER** on **ENTRY FORM MUST** be signed **BEFORE** entering any ring. Children under 18 years of age **MUST** have a parent or Guardian sign the entry form and assume **ALL** responsibility for the minor.
5. **THE JUDGE'S DECISION IS FINAL! NO ONE HAS THE RIGHT TO APPROACH THE JUDGE FOR ANY REASON!** If you have a question or would like to get information from the judge, you will be asked to address your concerns to a Show Committee Member. The Show Committee Member will then determine if your questions or concerns warrant the judge's attention. If so, the Show Committee Member will approach the judge on your behalf at an **APPROPRIATE** time determined by the Show Committee Member.
6. This is a tentative schedule; classes may be changed or rescheduled at the discretion of the Buxmont Show Committee. The Buxmont Show Committee reserves the right to alter, divide, cancel, combine, or re-locate classes to expedite the show.
7. Martingales will not be permitted in flat classes.
8. The Judge has the right to excuse you from the show ring if they see a lameness issue with your horse/pony.
9. Draw reins are not permitted in the show ring.
10. All exhibitors **MUST** be at the **IN-GATE** when called for their class. In the event that your number is called specifically, you will have 1 minute to enter the ring. Once the announcer has declared the class closed, you will not be permitted in the ring. **No refunds for missed classes.**
11. **DISQUALIFICATIONS ARE:** separating from your mount; off course, or 3 refusals at an element.
12. Anyone that is showing, or has shown, in a division they are not eligible for, **WILL BE** disqualified and **WILL NOT** receive an end of day and/or year end award and no refunds will be given.
13. Anyone caught giving false or altered documents (i.e. Coggins, horse's age, rider's age, vet note, etc.) could be disqualified from showing for the year, pending an investigation by the Show Committee.

14. Horse and rider must enter into at least two of the division classes to be eligible for a day of show Champion or Reserve Ribbon.
15. Unmanageable horses will be asked to leave the ring; Unruly persons will be asked to leave the grounds.
16. Lunging permitted in the Mini Ring or round pen. No free lunging.
17. Horses must have the same name in divisions where it is same horse/rider combination to accumulate points. We will not combine points because a trainer/rider/parent gave the wrong name or barn name for a horse.
18. Once the show points have been posted, you will have 15 days to challenge and/or question the results. No change will be made after the 15 days have expired. NO EXCEPTIONS!
19. Six ribbons will be awarded in each class unless the class has 15 or more riders; then a 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> place will be awarded. If the class holds 4 horses or less, the point system is: 1<sup>st</sup> place = 5 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place = 3 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place = 2 points, 4<sup>th</sup> place = 1 point. If the class holds 5 to 14 horses, then the point system becomes: 1<sup>st</sup> place = 7 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place = 5 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place = 4 points, 4<sup>th</sup> place = 3 points, 5<sup>th</sup> place = 2 points, 6<sup>th</sup> place = 1 point. If there are 15 or more horses in a class, the points system is as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place = 9 points, 2<sup>nd</sup> place = 7 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place = 6 points, 4<sup>th</sup> place = 5 points, 5<sup>th</sup> place = 4 points, 6<sup>th</sup> place = 3 points, 7<sup>th</sup> place = 2 points, 8<sup>th</sup> place = 1 point.
20. There MUST be 2 or more horses in each class of a division to receive a Champion or Reserve ribbon for the division for the day of the show, excluding leadline and therapeutic. In the event that you are combined with another class, your points will be counted for the class/division that you signed up.
21. In the event of a tie for division championship, the number of blue ribbons won in that division will determine the winner; if that doesn't break the tie the number of second places will decide it, and so on until the tie is broken. In the event of a Grand or Reserve day of show tie, divisions that include a trail class will be weighted heavier in determining the winner. Champion and Reserve ribbons will not be given if there is only one person in the division. This will be done at the discretion of the Buxmont Show Committee.
22. In the event of a tie for the year-end championship, the number of shows attended will determine the winner. Then if that doesn't break the tie, the number of blue ribbons won will determine the winner, if that doesn't break the tie the number of second places will decide it and so on until the tie is broken. This will be done at the discretion of the Buxmont Show Committee.
23. Equitation division classes are judged on the rider; therefore changing horses is permitted for year-end points in equitation divisions only. Riders will receive equitation year-end points. In the Model halter class, to accumulate year end points you must have the same horse/handler combination.
24. The Buxmont Show Committee must be advised of a serious injury or death of a horse/pony, they will then make a decision of allowing the rider to use a new mount. Vet note is required with a full diagnosis and prognosis for any lameness or injury issues.
25. NO racing horses around the outside of the ring, in the parking area or anywhere else outside of the show ring.
26. Children must be under control at all times and if you bring your pets, they MUST be leashed or haltered.
27. When sitting or standing close to the show ring, please be respectful to the individuals that are showing.
28. NO parking, riding or wandering on the neighboring properties.
29. The Buxmont Show Committee, the Buxmont Riding Club, or its volunteers will not be responsible for any theft, injury or accident to any person or animal on the Club/Show Grounds.

30. Riders will assume all responsibility for any damage done to the Buxmont Riding Club property, accidentally or deliberately, by their horses, pets or their families.
31. All participants and spectators need to clean up their trash, hay and manure from the show grounds and parking area.
32. Absolutely NO use of a cell phone, talking or texting, or the use of any other electronic device while mounted in the Buxmont Riding Club show ring. If you are seen using an electronic device in the show ring, you will be asked to leave the ring immediately.
33. Using inappropriate and/or foul language in the Buxmont Riding Club Show Ring will be grounds for dismissal from the show ring for the remainder of the class. If there is no improvement, you will be asked to leave the club grounds, WITHOUT a refund and may be subject to losing points for the division.
34. ALCOHOL and Illegal DRUGS ARE STRICTLY FORBIDDEN AT THE BUXMONT RIDING CLUB SHOWS. Any person(s) who are found in violation of THIS RULE, WILL be asked to leave the show and the grounds IMMEDIATELY.

### **TO RUN FOR YEAR END AWARDS - YOU MUST:**

- A. Fill out and submit a nomination form for each horse/rider combination per discipline. Members - Free, Non-Members - \$25. Nomination Forms must be submitted by or before the June Show of your discipline.**
- B. Show in 3 of the 5 shows with the same horse/rider combination in the same division, with the exception of the Equitation divisions, and accumulate at least one point during the show season. Attendance at a show is only counted if you enter the ring and are judged in the class within the division that you are trying to qualify for a Year End Award.**
- C. Complete 4 hours of volunteer time PER horse/rider combination PER discipline in which you show with us. A friend OR family member may volunteer on the riders' behalf. A volunteer form MUST be filled out for EACH volunteer and handed into the registration booth before you leave the show grounds, or the volunteer hours may not count. OR Fill out and submit the Volunteer Hours Buy Out Form with payment.**
- D. All volunteer hours must be completed by your disciplines last show of the season.**

**The Buxmont Riding Club Show Committee has the right to remove all your acquired points for the day for any infractions or violations as stated in the rules above.**