



Norfolk Field Hunter Horse Show

May 21, 2017

This show was reinstated in 1994 to provide an area of competition for our working hunters. Horses that have hunted or are suitable for hunting may compete. A good field hunter is an animal that is trustworthy cross-country, over fences and at all gaits. The ideal hunter provides mannerly and safe conveyance over and between fences. Judged on manners, performance and soundness. Hunting attire is required for all competitors. Formal attire with hunt colors is also permissible.

Schedule

Lower Racecourse Field • No Warm Up on Course

Start Time: 9:00 am

Course Walk: 8:00-9:00 am

10 minute course walk following classes 4 & 10

- FH2 Mini Field Hunter Over Fences
- FH3 Mini Field Handy Hunter
- FH1 Mini Field Hunter Under Saddle
- FH5 Junior Hunter Over Fences
- FH6 Junior Handy Hunter
- FH4 Junior Hunter Under Saddle

Novice Division not to start before 10:30

- FH8 Novice Hunter Over Fences
- FH9 Novice Handy Hunter
- FH7 Novice Hunter Under Saddle
- FH11 Open Hunter Over Fences
- FH12 Open Handy Hunter
- FH10 Open Hunter Under Saddle

Member Division not to start before 12:00

- FH14 Hunt Club Members Over Fences
- FH15 Hunt Club Members Handy Hunter
- FH13 Hunt Club Members Under Saddle
- FFH01 Future Field Hunter Under Saddle—*Returning*
- FFH02 Future Field Hunter Over Fences—*Returning*
- FH16 Pairs/Teams

Future Field Hunter Classes return for second year

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Entry Form

Rider's Name: _____ Horse's Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Emergency Contact: _____ Phone: _____

If you are competing more than one horse, please fill out a separate form for each horse.

- FH1x Mini Field Hunter Division \$50
- FH4x Junior Hunter Division \$75
- FH7x Novice Hunter Division \$75
- FH10x Open Hunter Division \$75
- FH13x Norfolk Hunt Club Members Division \$75
- FFH Future Field Hunter—*Returning* \$20 per class
- FH16 Pairs/Teams \$30 per rider

Rider: _____ Horse: _____

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Individual Classes: \$30 each (\$20 for Mini Field Hunter Classes)

TOTAL DUE: \$

Early entries (before October 16th) will receive a \$10.00 discount and can be mailed to Norfolk Hunt, P.O. Box 242, Dover, MA 02030

NOTE: All entry forms must be accompanied by a current Norfolk Hunt Club liability waiver. Parents must sign for minor competitors. Form can be obtained on the website www.norfolkhunt.com or at show.

Office to complete below information:

- Paid by Check # _____ Cash
- Signed Release Number: _____

General Rules

NO SCHOOLING over NORFOLK HUNT CLUB PROPERTY FENCES allowed one week prior to the show. STRICTLY ENFORCED. All classes will be held in the lower field. Please bring water as the water source is in the upper field.

All riders must have a Norfolk Hunt Club release on file or sign the day of the show. Parents must sign for minor competitors. Same horse/rider combination may enter only one division, plus pairs/teams classes. Tack and equipment appropriate in the hunting field is acceptable, but no martingales in the under saddle classes. There will be no warm up on the course but riders will be allowed to walk the course. A warm up area will be provided.

CLASSES WILL BE DIVIDED JUNIOR/SENIOR IF ENTRIES WARRANT.

Class Descriptions

- **MINI FIELD HUNTER DIVISION**—Entry Fee \$50 or \$20/class. Open to children and adults on horses new to riding in the open. Jumps not to exceed 2'3". The same horse/rider combination may not enter any other field hunter division.

FH1x Mini Field Hunter Division

FH1 Mini Field Hunter Under Saddle

To be shown at the walk, trot and may be asked to canter. Judged on manners and performance with emphasis on suitability. Martingales allowed.

FH2 Mini Field Hunter Over Fences

To be shown over a course of approximately six obstacles, not to exceed 2'3".

FH3 Mini Field Handy Hunter

To be judged on agility and ability to handle new country. Fences not to exceed 2'3".

CLASSES TO BE SPLIT BY AGE DIVISIONS IF ENTRIES WARRANT

- **JUNIOR FIELD HUNTER DIVISION**—Entry Fee \$75 or \$30/class. The Snowball Trophy. Open to junior riders. Jumps not to exceed 2'6". The same horse/rider combination may not enter any other field hunter division except pairs/teams.

FH4x Junior Hunter Division

FH4 Junior Hunter Under Saddle

To be shown at the walk, trot and canter. May be asked to back. Judged on manners and performance with emphasis on suitability as a field hunter. Martingales not allowed.

FH5 Junior Hunter Over Fences

A shorter course with less changes of terrain. Eight fences 2'6".

FH6 Junior Handy Hunter

To be judged on agility and ability to handle trappy country. Fences not to exceed 2'6".

- **NOVICE FIELD HUNTER DIVISION**—Entry Fee \$75 or \$30/class. The Dry Vermont Memorial Trophy. Jumps not to exceed 2'9". The same horse/rider combination may not enter any other field hunter

FH7x Novice Hunter Division

FH7 Novice Hunter Under Saddle. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter. May be asked to back. Judged on manners and performance with emphasis on suitability as a field hunter. Martingales not allowed.

FH8 Novice Hunter Over Fences. An inviting course with changes of terrain. Fences 2'6" to 2'9"

FH9 Novice Handy Hunter. To be judged on agility and ability to handle trappy country. Fences not to exceed 2'9".

The Karen Stives Memorial High Point Trophy will be presented to the highest point rider from the Open and Members Divisions.

- **OPEN FIELD HUNTER DIVISION**—Entry Fee \$75 or \$30/class. The William H. Begg Memorial Trophy. Fences not exceed 3'3". Open to members and non-members of the Norfolk Hunt Club.

FH10xOpen Field Hunter Division

FH10 Open Hunter Under Saddle. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter and hand gallop. May be asked to back. Judged on manners and performance with emphasis on suitability as a field hunter. Martingales not allowed.

FH11 Open Hunter Over Fences. Eight to ten fences not to exceed 3'3".

FH12 Open Handy Hunter. To be judged on agility and ability to handle trappy country. Fences not to exceed 3'3".

- **HUNT CLUB MEMBERS DIVISION**—Entry Fee \$75 or \$30/class. The Norfolk Hunt Club Masters Perpetual Championship Trophy. Open to members of a hunt club riding the horse/pony they usually hunt. Fences not to exceed 3'3".

FH13x Hunt Club Members Division

FH13 Hunt Club Members Under Saddle. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter and hand gallop. May be asked to back. Judged on manners and performance with emphasis on suitability as a field hunter. Martingales not allowed. The Piedmont Richmond Trophy.

FH14 Hunt Club Members O/Fences. Eight to ten fences not to exceed 3'3". The Milton J. Zabarsky Memorial Trophy given by his family and the Norfolk Hunt Club.

FH15 Hunt Club Members Handy Hunter. To be judged on agility and ability to handle trappy country. The Patrick Keane Plate given with great appreciation by his friends. Fences not to exceed 3'3".

- **FUTURE FIELD HUNTER**—Entry Fee \$20/class. Fences under 2'. Open to members and non-members of the Norfolk Hunt Club.

FFH01 Future Field Hunters Under Saddle. Open to horses and ponies on the flat. To be shown at the walk, trot and canter with simple changes of direction in company.

FFH02 Future Field Hunter Over Fences. Open to horses and ponies over fences under 2'. Not to exceed 8 fences over varying terrain.

- **HUNTER PAIRS/TEAMS**—\$30/class. To be shown over a course of approximately eight fences with height options. May jump abreast or in tandem based on the riders' judgment. Open to members and FH16 Hunter Pairs/Teams



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