Show Conditions
WCRHA Affiliate #4, 2026

This is an NRHA approved show. Current NRHA rules prevail in all matters including but not limited to: eligibility of horse and rider, breaking of ties, use of illegal equipment, abuse or mistreatment of any horse, unsportsmanlike conduct, and failure to pay.

Any Horse or Rider showing in an NRHA designated class MUST have a current competition license and owner(s) and rider must have a current NRHA membership. See NRHA 2026 Handbook for further information. -IMPORTANT: IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH OWNER AND RIDER TO BE AWARE OF THE ELIGIBILITY OF BOTH RIDER AND HORSE. WE STRONGLY SUGGEST THAT YOU VERIFY ELIGIBILITY WITH NRHA OF BOTH RIDER AND HORSE, PRIOR TO COMPLETING ENTRY FORMS FOR THIS SHOW.
Prize money will be paid per the NRHA Payback percentages as noted in the NRHA 2026 Handbook. Prize money checks will be issued to the owner listed on the entry form, only after the show results have been verified by NRHA. Classes will be run according to the rules and specifications listed in the NRHA 2026 Handbook.

Membership in WCRHA is not required to participate in the show. Current WCRHA membership of both owner(s) and rider is however required to earn WCRHA points towards WCRHA year-end awards. Points accumulate only after WCRHA membership is paid. The yearend saddles are included in this requirement. Contact Show Secretary for verification of current WCRHA membership.
You must pay a nomination fee of $35 per horse to qualify for year-end awards. This fee must be paid and the nomination form filled out before any points are counted for yearend awards. The form is available on the WCRHA website, on the membership form and in the show office.
See WCRHA website for rules on Points, Shows, Year End Awards and Year End Saddle Awards.
There is no prize money paid out for WCRHA Green as Grass, WCRHA Youth Reining, NRHA Green Levels 1 & 2, and NRHA Youth classes. NRHA Youth points will be awarded per NRHA.

NRHA Classes
See 2026 NRHA Handbook and NRHA.com for NRHA class definitions.

WCRHA Classes
WCRHA Green as Grass *not NRHA approved -
For Non-Pro, Youth and Amateur riders in their FIRST OR SECOND YEAR ONLY of showing reiners. If you have shown a Reiner at any show whatsoever at any time that counts as one year of showing. You will not be eligible for a second year of showing in Green As Grass if (1) You win the WCRHA Year End High Point Champion or Reserve Champion Award in Green As Grass or any other class, or (2) You have more than $50 in lifetime reining earnings (from any and all shows, NOT limited to NRHA earnings). Green as Grass riders may use two hands with any legal bit and may ride a horse owned by someone else (including non-family members). Not Jackpotted (no prize money paid out) - ribbons or awards only.

WCRHA Green Reiner *not NRHA approved -

For Non-Pro, Youth, and Amateur riders with less than $100 lifetime reining earnings (from any and all shows, NOT limited to NRHA earnings) or less than 20 NRHA Youth points at the beginning of the current show year. Green Reiners must ride one-handed and may ride a horse owned by someone else (including non-family members). Class will be jackpotted, and prize money will be paid out. Money earned in this class does not count as NRHA earnings.

WCRHA Green Reiner Shootout-*not NRHA approved -
West Coast Reining Horse Association will be hosting the WCRHA Green Reiner Shootout at the WCRHA Spectacular. The winner will be awarded with WCRHA Gary Van Hoosen Memorial Green Reiner Perpetual Trophy in addition to other great prizes!

- Exhibitors will compete in the WCRHA Green Reiner Thursday November 5, 2026.
- The top 10 placings (plus ties) in the WCRHA Green Reiner class will be invited back to show in the WCRHA Green Reiner Shootout on Friday, November 6.
- Shootout rules: Exhibitor must be a WCRHA member prior to the start of the show.
- All NRHA Rules apply for this shootout class.

WCRHA youth reining *not NRHA approved -
Open to all youth 18 & under, WCRHA membership is not required, no ownership restrictions on horses, no year-end awards.

WCRHA Walk-Jog *not NRHA approved-
Open to riders 10 and under. Riders are not eligible to enter any loping class (NRHA Short Stirrup).

WCRHA Spectacular Freestyle All Ages Lead Line *not NRHA approved-

- All ages eligible- adults encouraged!
- Entry fees: children 10 & under: free. All others: $35
- This is a benefit class for the WCRHyA, proceeds will go to the youth scholarship fund

Aged Events

- NRHA Payback Schedule B will be used for aged events
- Open, Non-Pro, and Novice Horse Derby
- Open to horses 4 - 8 years of age ○
    - Horses are to be shown 1-handed in a bridle, or 2-handed in a snaffle bit or hackamore
- Novice Horse Derby
    - Open to horses who have less than $5,000 NRHA LTE (on 1/1/2026)
- Open & Non-Pro Futurity
    - Open to horses 3 years of age
    - Horses are to be shown 1-handed in a bridle, or 2-handed in a snaffle bit or hackamore
- Derby/Futurity Entries & Draws
- Draw Party for the Open Derby and Non-Pro Futurity will be held on Thursday evening (time TBA). Draw Party for the Open Futurity and Non Pro Derby will be held on Friday evening in the Doc Bar Room (time TBA).

- Additional entries will continue to be accepted until 1 hour before the start of the classes; however, once drawn, late additions will be the first to show.

Show Fees

All entries: showing horses

$40 - Office fee/horse.

$35 - Media fee/horse.

- Includes photography and videography per run; includes delayed replay video feed at back gate for each run, and video viewing.

$35 - Grounds Fee/horse (all horses, including non-showing horses)

$14 - CDFA Drug Fee/horse

$10 - NRHA Drug Fee/horse

Non-showing horses:

$45 - Grounds fee (must also sign waiver in office)

Either: stall fee or daily haul in fee

Additional fees as applicable

$260 - Stall Fee

$50 – MEC manure disposal fee

$120 - MEC Resident Horse - No Stall

$260 - Tack Room

$40 - Haul In Fee/horse/day

$65 - Paid Warm-Up: 6 minutes

$45 – Post entry fee if not entered by 10/30/25

$35 - WCRHA Horse Nomination Fee

4% convenience fee for credit/debit card

$20 - Close out fee: if your show bill is not closed in the office by noon on Sunday

Judges Fees: When you enter concurrent classes (such as Limited Open + Intermediate Open; Non Pro + Prime Time Non Pro) you only pay one judge's fee.

Paid Schooling

Slots are very limited, and will be assigned by sponsors first, then entry date. Horses must be entered in a class to receive a schooling run. Each time slot is 6 minutes: 30 seconds to enter the pen, 5 minutes riding time, 30 seconds to exit. Please be courteous to the next rider and exit promptly when time is called. In order to keep the schooling days running efficiently for all riders, if your name is called 3 times for your scheduled schooling time slot and you do not appear at the gate, you will forfeit your schooling time and entry fee. Exceptions only in case of lost horseshoe or other emergency situation.

Entries

All pre-entries are due by 10/26/26 and will be received via the on-line entry form at WCRHA.com. Post entries can be made (with $45 late fee) either via the online entry form (until 10/30/26), or in the show office after move in.

Check or credit card must be provided in the show office at check in before exhibitor number is assigned. Credit cards will also be accepted at the show with a 4% convenience fee added.

Entries must include a copy of your NRHA & WCRHA (if applicable) membership cards, and NRHA Competition License. No fax/text/email/Facebook entries will be accepted. If the show secretary has not verified all of your paperwork you will not be entered in any classes.

Scratches – Anyone scratching a class will not be charged for that class if the horse is scratched IN THE OFFICE before the draw is posted.

Adds – All entries for the first set of classes of each show day must be made in the show office by 3:00 pm the day before. There will be no adds to the first set of classes of each day after 3:00 pm the day before. Adds for the remaining sets of classes for each show day must be made before the classes preceding the class to be added begins. (example; second set of classes of the day – entries must be made in the show office before first set of classes begins; third set of classes of the day – entries must be made in the show office before second set of classes begins, no adds after those times). Adds made after the draw will go first, except on the last day when adds will go last. Adds MUST be made IN THE OFFICE.

Stabling
Stalls do not include shavings. Additional shavings orders can be made directly through MEC (916) 985-7334

Haul In
Check in at the show office. Horses on grounds without a stall will be charged $40 per day haul in fee, plus a one-time $45 Grounds fee, and riders must sign an MEC waiver. Haul-ins may not be parked in the barn area, only in the designated areas.

Animal Control
Dogs must be always kept on leash and please clean up after your dog.

Returned Checks
Checks returned by the bank for any reason will be charged $100 and any other fees incurred. Checks not cleared within 10 days will be reported to NRHA. If your check is returned as Insufficient Funds, you will be placed on a "cash only" basis for all WCRHA events for a year following, with no exceptions. There is no "holding" of checks.

Cancellations
Cancellations made before the start of the show will receive a refund of all payments except the $40 office fee.

Awards
All awards must be picked up at the awards table, office or trailer by the end of the show.