

Beech Brook Benefit (BBB) #3

Model Equine Show

To Benefit:

Beech Brook Farm Equine Rescue

May 4, 2019

Introduction:

Welcome to the Beech Brook Benefit Model Equine Show! 100% of proceeds (beyond costs of the show) will be used to help pay the "bail & transport" for an unwanted equine that has reached the end of the line in the NJ/PA auction circuit and has been selected for rescue by Beech Brook Farm Equine Rescue. To make this show unique, this year the format is "Clash of Colors / Battle of the Breeds" The Mini Mini show is limited to models "Little Bits" Scale or smaller – mini models may show in the open classes only or the Mini Mini classes only – NOT both.

Location:

Yawgoo Valley Ski & Waterpark
160 Yawgoo Valley Road
Exeter, RI 02882

Note about the Show Hall:

Yawgoo Valley (one of my employers) has generously donated the use of their lodge for this show. Please treat the facility with the utmost respect (my job depends on it! And I am responsible for leaving the hall EXACTLY as we found it – including cleaning everything). The areas we will be using are the cafeteria area and an adjoining room. The adjoining room will be used as the show hall and showers will have tables in the cafeteria. The "tables" in the cafeteria are permanent dining "booths" in two sizes – Full (the size booth that typically seats 4 people) which has a table area of approximately 5 feet by 2 ½ feet and Half (the size booth that typically seats 2) which has table area of approximately 2 ½ feet by 2 ½ feet. Only 1 shower will be assigned per booth and fees are as shown below. Note that some booths are closer to the show hall than others – booths will be assigned on a first come first serve basis – if you want a booth close to the show rings, please sign up early! There is also an option to sign up for "Flexible Table Space" – depending on the number of entrants, folks that choose this (affordable) option will get assigned to either any unsold booths (full or half) or to any other portable table I may set up in either the cafeteria or show hall (which may be half of a 6 foot round table or another table configuration but not smaller than the half size booth). If you have a good friend/sibling that you would like to share a Full booth with, you may do so with each paying \$20 BUT you must complete separate entry forms AND contact me prior to sending entries. I will not sell half of a full booth otherwise as this would make for close company with people you may not know.

Show Hostess:

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401-782-6907 (home) 401-345-8490 (cell)

Directions:

Please visit www.yawgoo.com and click on "home" then "directions" for directions and links to maps

Times:

The show hall will open at 8:00 am with judging starting in all rings at 9:00 am. Two rings will be used for performance with one ring setting up while the other is being judged. We need to try to be done by 4:00 pm so let's keep things moving along.

Fees:

Full Size Booth - \$40 (10 available)
Half Size Booth - \$25 (5 available)
Flexible Table Space - \$25 (at least 5 available)
Proxy Showers (no table) - \$10

Deadline:

April 20, 2019

Judges:

OF Breed – Skye Pechie
OF Collectability – TBA
AR Breed – TBA
AR Workmanship – Michelle Katz Grieder
CM Breed – Danielle Feldman
CM Workmanship – Anne Strieby Giles
Performance – Ann Harris
Mini Mini Breed – TBA
Mini Mini – Workmanship/Collectability - TBA

Awards:

Model size neck ribbons with placings 1st to 6th in all classes
Model size tri-color neck ribbons to divisional champions and reserve champions
Custom printed rosettes to Grand and Reserve Grand Champions
Custom printed rosettes to "Top Shower" Champion 1st to 6th place

Champions:

Divisional championships:

Divisional Champions shall be determined by callbacks. Any horse placing 1st or 2nd in a division class is welcome to participate in the callback. Please present ribbons with models at the callback

Grand Champions

Grand and Reserve Grand champions will be determined by a call back of the Divisional Champions and Reserve Champions. Grand/Reserve

Champions will be awarded as follows: Halter – OF, Halter – AR, Halter – CM, Performance, Mini

Top Shower of the Day

To recognize the efforts and success of the die hard showers that are in every ring all day long, there is a “Top Shower” Champion, Reserve, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th place. These awards will be determined from the total points earned in all classes and championships throughout the day. The point values are as shown and calculated by the shower using the “Championship Worksheet”. At the end of the day, submitted forms will be reviewed and the top six showers of the day will be determined.

Results:

Results will be posted from the Region X Tag Manager Program on the Region X website: www.regionxnation.com

Limits:

There is no limit on the total number of models, but please be sure the number of models you bring will fit within the table space you are allotted as this is an unusual space for a model show.

Entrants may only enter (2) models in any class. Buy in for additional models is permitted for \$1 per model with all proceeds going to BBF charity. Note that there is no limit, but be sure you can manage all your models (and performance set-ups) in a timely manner – and don’t torture the judges

Tags:

You will need to provide your own leg tags. This show is a participant in the Region 10 tag system. To get your own exhibitor number and learn about the Tag Manager, please go to <https://RegionXNation.com/start>

Horse List:

A printed out horse list must be submitted before the start of showing. Horse lists can be generated from the Region X Tag System. ALL horses showing MUST be entered into the system prior to show!!

NAMHSA:

This is a NAMHSA (North American Model Horse Shows Association) qualifying show. Any horse placing 1st or 2nd in qualifying classes ONLY will receive a “NAN Card” be eligible to show in NAN. For more information about this, please refer to the NAMHSA website: www.namhsa.org Please note that NAN is for HORSES and OTHER EQUINES only – other animals will not receive NAN cards. .

Raffle:

There will be a raffle at this show – any donations are welcome. 100% of the proceeds from the raffle benefit the show’s charity. So, all of your donations and raffle ticket purchases go to a great cause If you think you will have a raffle donation for the show, please let me know beforehand if at all possible. Thank you!

Lunch:

Every attempt will be made to have a 30 minute lunch break around noon unless classes are running very behind. To raise money for Beech Brook, there will be food available for a small fee. More details will be sent to showers as we approach the date of the show.

Also note that there is a Subway, pizza place, and Dunkin Donuts about 3 miles from the show hall.

Hotels:

If I am not mistaken, Exeter RI has no hotels at all. But, it is located less than 25 minutes from Newport, 40 minutes from Foxwoods Casino, 30 minutes from Mystic, and 35 minutes from Providence. There are many, many options within 30 minutes and a few within 20 minutes. Please contact me if you'd like some input on places to stay.

General Rules:

- No set ups or handlers in halter classes. Halters and bridles, if used, must be appropriate to the breed, must fit well, and must be put on in a timely manner.
- Fragile models may be laid on a towel or piece of felt. The judge reserves the right to pick up and inspect these models.
- No radios, pets, or smoking is allowed in the show hall
- Bad sportsmanship and poor conduct will not be tolerated and may be cause for dismissal of the entrants involved from the show hall.
- Given that so many models are fragile and valuable, please be sure that children in attendance are aware that no running is allowed and good manners are required. The adult guardian of any children in attendance is ultimately responsible for their conduct – if there are issues, the children and guardian will be asked to leave.
- The decision of all judges is final.
- BBB Model Equine Show, the show coordinator, judges, and the hall can not be held responsible for any loss, damage, theft, or injury to participants, their property, or to guests.

Clash of Colors Guidelines:

- Mini models may show in the open classes only or Mini Mini classes only – NOT BOTH
- All Halter classes will take place by color (NOT BREED) and will be double judged with placings for Breed and Workmanship or Collectibility as appropriate. A model of any breed may enter its designated color class. Entrants are STRONGLY ENCOURAGED to supply breed documentation for every entry to support the entry as an excellent example of the breed.
- Breed judging will be based on the NAMHSA NAN guidelines:
 - o Correctness of anatomy, biomechanics, conformation
 - o Breed standards including color that represents current (or historic with documentation) standards
 - o Overall appearance, finish, condition, workmanship
 - o Judge's overall impression
 - o If models are found to be equivalent in all preceding criteria advantage will be given to the model that best represents the color/breed and/or supported by documentation
- Workmanship judging will be based on the NAMHSA NAN guidelines
 - o Quality and execution of finish work

- Accuracy/correctness/realism of customization (if applicable)
 - Quality of prepping
 - Accuracy and realism of color for realistics or creative use of color for non-realistics
- ALL entries MUST have documentation to be judged for Collectability and judging will be based on: Rarity, Age, Condition, Desirability, Judge's overall impression
- Fantasy models must conform to NAMHSA guidelines: "Fantasy equine eligibility **is now approved** and limited to equine-based "unicorns" and "pegasi" (or a combination of the two) only **in OF Collectibility and CM/AR Workmanship classes only. For NAMHSA/NAN qualifying purposes, a "unicorn" is defined as an equine with a single horn attached at or near the forehead. A "pegasus" is defined as an equine with wings attached at or near the shoulders. Wings can be of any type found in nature, and will not be limited to bird-like only. Eligible animals will basically be equine in nature, with an equine head, neck, body, and legs. Goatbased or half-equine creatures will not be eligible. The head and body must remain equine in form. Hooves can be equine or cloven, tails can be of any type, and extra hair, scales, feathers, or other textures on the head and/or body are permitted, so long as the head and body are still equine in form. Bodies may be skeletal in nature as long as the skeleton portrayed is equine in form. Sculptures can be realistically colored or decorated. The base equine can be any equine--horse, pony, donkey, mule, zebra--of any breed type, with no stated preference given to one type over the other."

Battle of the Breeds Guidelines:

- Performance classes will be divided by breed, rather than event. Models should be entered in the class for their breed grouping and display any event that best suits the model. Documentation is REQUIRED for all entries. Breeds should be placed in each class by breed category based on the NAMHSA NAN breed guidelines as follows:
 - Arab/Part Arab – Arabians and NAN category "Part Arabian"
 - Spanish Breeds – NAN Category "Spanish/Iberian"
 - Light/Sport Breeds – NAN Categories "Light Breeds" and "Other Sport"
 - Warmblood/Carriage Breeds – NAN Categories "European Warmbloods" and "Carriage and Driving Breeds"
 - Gaited Breeds – NAN Category "Gaited Breeds"
 - Stock Breeds – NAN Category "Stock Breeds"
 - Pony Breeds – All NAN Categories that indicate "Pony"
 - Draft Breeds – NAN Categories "American Draft", "European Draft Breeds", and "British Isle Draft"
 - Longears/Exotic – NAN Category "Longears/Exotics"
 - Fantasy (not NAN qualifying)
 - Other – NAN Categories "Native North American Breeds" and "Other Pure Breed Horse"
- Judging will be based on:
 - Model is correctly and safely executing a maneuver that is appropriate to the event
 - Tack fit and suitability/correctness for event

- Accuracy of documentation, props/dolls (if used) and horse in relation to event presented
- Model displays a good representation of an event typical for the breed (select the event that is most suited to the model)
- For set ups that equally meet the preceding criteria, advantage will be given to those set up displaying exceptional presentation and/or creativity

The Charity:

Beech Brook Farm

From their website: Our mission is to save equines from neglect and abusive situations and transition them to loving forever homes. Our 501c3 nonprofit rescue is a small volunteer based rescue that specializes in gaited breeds (Tennessee Walking horse, Rocky Mountain horse, Missouri Fox Trotter, Paso etc.). We also rescue "long ears" (donkeys, mules). We rescue from auction and occasionally accept owner surrenders.

I adopted a donkey from Beech Brook in 2015 and have followed the rescue's activities since then. It is an organization of volunteers and their funds go directly towards saving unwanted equines that have reached the "end of the line" in the auctions in NJ/PA. I plan to use the money we raise to directly help pay the fees and transport for an equine Beech Brook identifies to save. Learn more about the rescue and their adoptable equines at <http://beechbrookfarm.homestead.com/index.html> and/or follow them on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/beechbrookfarm/>

Classlist

<p>Ring 1 OF Halter Double Judged - Breed/Collectability Base Colors Division OF1 Black/Brown OF2 Bay OF3 Chestnut/Sorrel OF4 Gray Modified Colors Division OF5 Buckskin/Dun/Grulla OF6 Palomino/Other Dilute OF7 Pinto OF8 Appaloosa All The Others Division OF9 Other Realistic Color OF10 Foal (any color) OF11 Decorator equid OF12 Fantasy equid OF13 Non-equine***</p>	<p>Ring 2 AR Halter Double Judged - Breed/Workmanship Base Colors Division AR1 Black/Brown AR2 Bay AR3 Chestnut/Sorrel AR4 Gray Modified Colors Division AR5 Buckskin/Dun/Grulla AR6 Palomino/Other Dilute AR7 Pinto AR8 Appaloosa All The Others Division AR9 Other Realistic Color AR10 Foal (any color) AR11 Fantasy equid AR12 Non-equine***</p>	<p>Ring 3 CM Halter Double Judged - Breed/Workmanship Base Colors Division CM1 Black/Brown.Bay CM2 Chestnut/Sorrel CM3 Gray Modified Colors Division CM4 All Dilutes CM5 Pinto CM6 Appaloosa All The Others Division CM7 Other Realistic Color CM8 Foal (any color) CM9 Fantasy equid Mini Halter Division - CM MA1 Black/Bay/Brown MA2 Chestnut/Sorrel MA3 Grey MA4 All Dilutes MA5 Pinto MA6 Appaloosa MA7 Other Realistic MA8 Foals</p>
<p>Ring 4 Performance Sporty Breeds Division P1 Arab/Part-Arab Breeds P2 Light/Sport Breeds P3 Warmblood/Carriage Breeds Non-Sporty Breeds Division P4 Spanish Breeds P5 Gaited Breeds P6 Stock Breeds P7 Pony Breeds P8 Draft Breeds Other Breeds Division P9 Longears/Exotics P10 Fantasy*** P11 Other Mini Performance Division MP1 Sporty Breeds MP2 Non-Sporty Breeds MP3 Other Breeds</p>	<p>Ring 5 Mini Mini Mini Mini Show Mini Halter Division - OF MO1 Black/Bay/Brown MO2 Chestnut/Sorrel MO3 Grey MO4 All Dilutes MO5 Pinto MO6 Appaloosa MO7 Other Realistic MO8 Foals Mini Halter Division - AR MA1 Black/Bay/Brown MA2 Chestnut/Sorrel MA3 Grey MA4 All Dilutes MA5 Pinto MA6 Appaloosa MA7 Other Realistic MA8 Foals</p>	

Classes marked with *** NOT NAN qualifying

BBB Model Equine Show Entry Form

Name: _____ Region 10 #: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: (____) _____ - _____

E-mail Address: _____

Who would you like to be seated near, if possible?

If you do not have e-mail and would like confirmation of receipt of this entry, please include a SASE.

ENTRY FEE (choose 1)

- _____ Full Size Booth - \$40
- _____ Half Size Booth - \$25
- _____ Flexible Table Selection - \$25
- _____ Proxy - \$10

What types of classes are you likely to participate in? (select all that apply)

OF Halter: _____

CM Halter: _____

AR Halter: _____

Performance: _____

Mini Mini Show: _____

(This does not impact the classes you can show in – I am only asking to get a general idea of what classes may be largest/smallest)

Are you likely to purchase lunch as part of the fundraiser? (circle one) YES NO

(note – this is only to get an idea of how many people may have lunch – it does not obligate or eliminate you from lunch if you change your mind)

Please make checks payable to: Meredith Westner

And mail entries to: 87 Old Usquepaugh Road

West Kingston, RI 02892

You may also complete and e-mail this form to mwestner@yahoo.com and pay via Paypal to that same address

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 Classlist (page 1 – Halter)

Championship Worksheet

Shower Name: _____

Region X #: _____

Place	Color	Points	Qty	Total
Champion	Green/Blue/Purple	10	x _____ = _____	
Reserve Champion	Red/Orange/Yellow	8	x _____ = _____	
First	Blue/Light Blue	7	x _____ = _____	
Second	Red/Lavender	5	x _____ = _____	
Third	Yellow/Light yellow	4	x _____ = _____	
Fourth	White/Grey	3	x _____ = _____	
Fifth	Pink/Rose	2	x _____ = _____	
Sixth	Green/Light Green	1	x _____ = _____	
Honorable Mention	Purple/Brown	1/2	x _____ = _____	
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Grand Total				_____