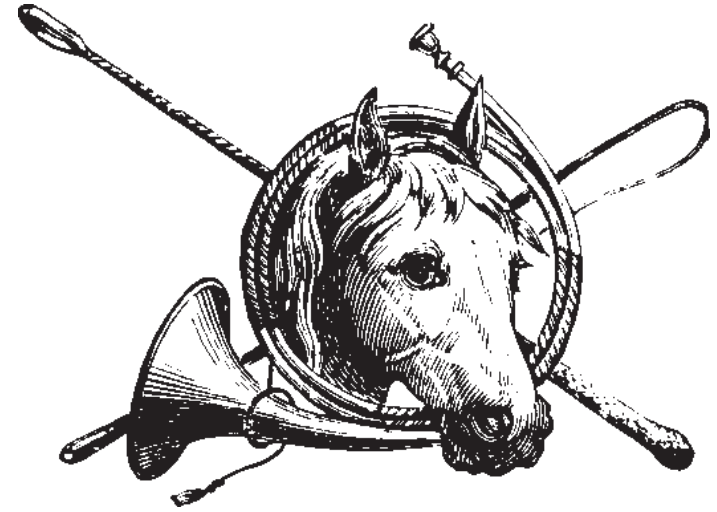


LAKE EFFECTS HORSE SHOWS



2008

RULE BOOK & SHOW SCHEDULE

SCHEDULE of LEHS RECOGNIZED HORSE SHOWS IN 2008

DATE:	SHOW LOCATION:	JUDGE(S):	SHOW CONTACT:
May 17-18	Meadowview Farm, Inc. Lowell, MI www.meadowview-farm.com	Deb Lapham	Cathy Johnson (616) 897-9944
May 24-25	River Hollow Farm Perrysburg, OH	TBA	Nancy Hutson (419) 874-3055
June 14-15	River Hollow Farm Perrysburg, OH	TBA	Nancy Hutson (419) 874-3055
June 21-22	Windsong Stable, Inc. Battle Creek, MI www.windsongstableinc.com	Steve Hawkins	Sandi Carlton (269) 979-4621
July 12-13	Meadowview Farm, Inc. Lowell, MI	Lisa Oberg	Cathy Johnson (616) 897-9944
July 19-20	Fox Brush Farm DeWitt, MI	Libby Vreede	Casey Hughes (517) 626-6161
Aug. 9-10	Windsong Stable, Inc. Battle Creek, MI	Debbie Proulx	Sandi Carlton (269) 979-4621
Aug. 16-17	Fox Brush Farm DeWitt, MI	Constance Hunt	Casey Hughes (517) 626-6161
Sept. 6-7	Windsong Stable, Inc. Battle Creek, MI	Cindy Orr Petheridge	Sandi Carlton (269) 979-4621
Sept. 13-14	LEHS Finals Meadowview Farm, Inc. Lowell, MI	TBA	Cathy Johnson (616) 897-9944
October	LEHS Awards Banquet (date / location TBA)		Cathy Johnson

For prizelists for individual shows, please phone the person listed as contact. To be put on the LEHS mailing list please contact Sandi Carlton at (269) 979-4621 or sandi@windsongstableinc.com.

No rider membership is required, all riders points are automatically counted toward equitation classes. Any rider is invited to show in the LEHS medals, according to each class description. Your horse must be "nominated" for its hunter points to count toward year end awards.

Nominations must be mailed to Sandi Carlton, 11666 Sonoma Road, Battle Creek, MI 49015, before your horse's first show.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2007 LEHS AWARD WINNERS

Open Hunter

Sponsored by Westbrook Farms
CHAMPION: Drive South, 88, ridden by owner Kimberly McCann and Sandi Carlton;
RESERVE CHAMPION: Fallen Angel, 69, ridden / owned by Jamie Gile; **THIRD:** EZ Street, 42, ridden / owned by Jacquelyn Theaker; **FOURTH:** Living Large, 40, ridden / owned by Barbara Sparks; **FINALIST:** Thumb Magic, 31, ridden by Maureen Mead/owned by Randi Wilcox.

2007 Lake Effects Grand Champion Equitation Rider

Sponsored by Sandi Carlton
 Justin Dryer 117
 ridden and owned by Justin Dryer

2007 Lake Effects Grand Champion Pony

The "Snafu" Perpetual Trophy
Donated by High Hollow Farms Sponsored by Peter and Kathleen Kemple
 Miss Heidi Ho 144
 ridden and owned by Siana Stanton

2007 Lake Effects Grand Champion Horse

Donated & Sponsored by The Johnson Family
 Drive South 376
 ridden by owner Kimberly McCann and Sandi Carlton

2007 Lake Effects Medal Champions

Sponsored by The Macay Family:

Adult Medal

Maitlyn Rakowski
 Trained by Laura Steenrod

Mini Maclay

Macey Ladisky
 Trained by Amy, Casey and Eve

Sponsored by the Passmore Family:

Pony Medal

Leslie Turner
 Trained by Cathy, Dori & Hillary

Open Medal

Maitlyn Rakowski
 Trained by Laura Steenrod

Sponsored by Summertime Seed Inc and the Yunker Family:

Limit Medal

Macey Ladisky
 Trained by Amy, Casey and Eve

Mini Medal

Laueren Capinegro
 Trained by Sandi & Eve

2007 "Carry Me On" Award

Donated and Sponsored by Fieldstone Farm
 Haleigh Hammond

2007 "Good Egg" Award

Donated & Sponsored by Windsong Stable
 Winter Wishes

2007 "Right On" Award

Donated by Debbie Shaeffer and Sponsored The Finkelstein Family
 Cole Battershall

2007 Trainers Awards

Sponsored by Fox Brush, Meadowview, River Hollow and Windsong

Horsemanship

Amy Capinegro

Most Improved

Kaitlin Fields

110%

Danielle Davis



Novice Ridden Hunter

*The Greenbriar Farm Perpetual Trophy
Donated by Greenbriar Farm*

Sponsored by The Sweet Family

CHAMPION: Nick at Night, 121, ridden / owned by Justin Dryer; RESERVE CHAMPION: Dooley, 57, ridden / owned by Megan Sullivan; THIRD: Gentleman's Quarterly, 54, ridden by Breanna Wenk / owned by Dave Sweet; FOURTH: All In Favor, 49, ridden / owned by Lauren Capinegro; FINALIST: Higgins, 34, ridden / owned by Vickie Moerman; FINALIST: Indara, 24, ridden / owned by Johnnie Hardy.

Pony Hunter

*The "Snowonder" Memorial Trophy
Donated & Sponsored by
The Schlientz Family*

CHAMPION: Miss Heidi Ho, 122, ridden / owned by Siana Stanton; RESERVE CHAMPION: Canadian Gold, 83, ridden / owned by Joelle Redmond; RESERVE CHAMPION: Bubble Bath, 83, ridden by Leslie Turner / owned by Meadowview Farm; THIRD: Puzzle Pieces, 45, ridden by Sarah Smith / owned by River Hollow Farm.

Low Hunter

Donated & Sponsored by MGB Ltd

CHAMPION: All In Favor, 66, ridden / owned by Lauren Capinegro; RESERVE CHAMPION: Nick at Night, 60, ridden / owned by Justin Dryer; THIRD: No Ice Please, 43, ridden / owned by Mackenzie Gamage; FOURTH: Higgins, 26, ridden / owned by Vickie Moerman; FOURTH: Boston Beans, 26, ridden / owned by Deanna Hanieski; FINALIST: Pilot, 22, ridden / owned by Deborah Devine.

Children's Hunter

*The Windsong Stable Perpetual Trophy
Donated & Sponsored by
Windsong Stable, Inc.*

CHAMPION: Jasmine, 110, ridden by Chloe Miller / owned by Megan Reno-Hayes; RESERVE CHAMPION: Red Panda, 88, ridden / owned by Macey Ladisky; THIRD: Logan, 74, ridden / owned by Chelsea Vickery; FOURTH: Island Time, 28, ridden / owned by Lauren Lee; FINALIST: Miss Heidi Ho, 22, ridden / owned by Siana Stanton.

Adult Hunter

*The Fox Brush Perpetual Trophy
Donated & Sponsored by Fox Brush Farm*

CHAMPION: Charlie Tsar, 181, ridden / owned by Maitlyn Rakowski; RESERVE CHAMPION: Drive South, 98, ridden / owned by Kimberly McCann THIRD: Zig, 45, ridden / owned by Nancy Schuler; FOURTH: Higgins, 40, ridden / owned by Vickie Moerman; FINALIST: Living Large, 36, ridden / owned by Barbara Sparks; FINALIST: Waiting For Rio, 20, ridden / owned by Heidi McKenzie.

Junior/Amateur Hunter

*Sponsored by Richard McQuillan,
Attorney at Law*

CHAMPION: Drive South, 106, ridden / owned by Kimberly McCann; RESERVE CHAMPION: Fallen Angel, 101, ridden / owned by Jamie Gile; THIRD: Grande Stand, 62, ridden / owned by Lauren Bergh; FOURTH: EZ Street, 46, ridden / owned by Jacquelyn Theaker; FINALIST: Living Large, 20, ridden / owned by Barbara Sparks; FINALIST: Otto's White Socks, 20, ridden / owned by Julie Passmore.

Pre-Green Hunter

*Sponsored by
Beth Vanderploeg /Pine Meadow Farm*

CHAMPION: Bryan, 68, ridden by Hillary Johnson / owned by Meadowview Farm; RESERVE CHAMPION: Thumb Magic, 46, ridden by Maureen Mead / owned by Randi Wilcox; THIRD: Soacahtoa, 16, ridden by Dori Schlientz and Hillary Johnson / owned by Halle Ulreich.

Special Hunter

*Sponsored by Economics Consulting
Services - Deanna & John Hanieski*

CHAMPION: Drive South, 84, ridden by Sandi Carlton / owned by Kimberly McCann; RESERVE CHAMPION: Logan, 70, ridden by Dori Schlientz and Hillary Johnson / owned by Chelsea Vickery; THIRD: Charlie Tsar, 57, ridden / owned by Maitlyn Rakowski; FOURTH: Camera Shy, 34, ridden by owner Stacy Hanson and Sandi Carlton; FINALIST: Chafed To Bits, 32, ridden by Sandi Carlton / owned by Nancy Dark.

- Awards to be presented at year end include: Champion, Reserve Champion, Third, Fourth, and Finalists; Maiden, Novice, and Limit Graduation; and Trainers' Awards.

The rider's age is that as of December 1, 2007.

- The rider's status remains the same throughout the entire season. That is, if you start out a Maiden, Novice, or Limit rider, you may show in those divisions all year no matter how many wins you acquire.
- In classes restricted to ponies, only Junior exhibitors may ride. Adults may ride ponies in classes not restricted to ponies in which they qualify.
- A Maiden rider may not have won any blue ribbons in an equitation class over fences at an LEHS or similar horse show. A Maiden Hunter or Equitation rider may not cross enter into any class 2' 6" or higher.
- A Novice rider may not have won three or more blue ribbons in an equitation class over fences at an LEHS or similar horse show.
- A Limit rider may not have won six or more blue ribbons in an equitation class over fences at an LEHS or similar horse show.
- Riders having shown at any show 3' 6" or higher are ineligible to compete in any LEHS Equitation or Medal class.
- All division prizes are the combined points from Over Fences and On the Flat classes.
- Classes must have three or more entries to receive points. Classes smaller than three entries may be combined with other such classes or cancelled.
- Points shall be awarded as follows:

On The Flat:	Over Fences:
1st place = 5 points	1st place = 10 points
2nd place = 3 points	2nd place = 6 points
3rd place = 2 points	3rd place = 4 points
4th place = 1 point	4th place = 2 points

- In divisions with two fence heights the exhibitors will be allowed to select the height they would like to jump. One set of awards per division.
- Entry fees are refundable only with a veterinarian certificate.
- The Judge's decision on any class is final.
- Show Management has the right to refuse any entry, should it choose, with a refund entry fee.
- Show Management determines the availability of stalls. Only one horse per stall. If trailer parking and tying are necessary, consult the Show Management. Please be courteous and tidy to avoid future parking fees.
- All riders MUST wear approved headgear (ASTM / SEI certified helmet) with the harness secured while mounted on the show grounds. Adults are required to wear hard hats when jumping anywhere on the showgrounds.
- Judges are advised that an even hunting pace takes priority over predetermined strides based on measurement of lines (except in-and-out fences).

HUNTER DIVISION SPECIFICATIONS

- Championships are offered in the following divisions:
 - Maiden Ridden Hunter 1' 9"
 - Novice Ridden Hunter 2' 0"
 - Pony Hunter 2' 0" or 2' 3"
 - Low Hunter 2' 3"
 - Children's Hunter 2' 6"
 - Adult Hunter 2' 3" or 2' 6"
 - Pre-Green Hunter 2' 6"
 - Special Hunter 2' 6"
 - Junior/Amateur Hunter 2' 9"
 - Open Hunter 2' 9"
- Professionals may ride in Low, Pre-Green, Special Hunter and Open divisions only. A professional is anyone acting in an instructional or training manner, with or without payment.
- Pony Hunters must be ridden in this division by Junior riders. Ponies must have a current USEF (2008) measurement card, or be registered with the LEHS Pony Registry. Measurement will be available from the Show Management.
- Special Hunter is open to all horses and ponies, as well as all riders.
- Pre-Green Hunter is open to horses with limited showing experience and have not shown higher than 2' 6" prior to January 1, 2008. A horse may show in this division for ONE year only.
- Children's Hunter is open to juniors mounted on horses or ponies who have not competed higher than 3' 3" at any competition. Courses will NOT be adjusted for ponies. Children's Hunter riders may NOT cross enter into the Junior Hunter Division on the same horse, but may cross enter into the Junior Equitation Division. A rider MAY show a different horse in the Junior/Amateur Hunter Division.
- 2' 9" Amateur Adults may cross enter in the 2' 6" Adult Hunter Division.
- Soundness is to count. Extreme speed will be penalized.
- Martingales are not permitted in Hunter Under Saddle classes.
- Adult riders may choose 2' 3" without oxers or 2' 6" with oxers. Please declare with the starter.



CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2007 LEHS AWARD WINNERS

Graduation Awards

Sponsored by Double Oak Farm

Maiden Graduates

Chelsea Fleitman, Marisa Mandrell,
Emma Stapley, Ashley Sterns,
Megan Sullivan, Claire VanVranken,
Lindsey Vickery, Randi Wilcox,
Emily Wright

Novice Graduates

Lauren Capinegro, Justin Dryer,
Vickie Moerman, Olivia Neely,
Sarah Smith, Leslie Turner,
Breanna Wenk

Limit Graduation

Jeff Bartman, Lauren Bergh,
Megan Brown, Elizabeth Finkelstein,
Macey Ladisky, Maitlyn Rakowski,
Chelsea Vickery

Maiden Equitation

The Blue Chip Perpetual Trophy

Donated & Sponsored by

The DeVries Family

CHAMPION	Breanna Wenk	73
RESERVE	Olivia Neely	50
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Marisa Mandrell	17
FOURTH	Megan Sullivan	16
FOURTH	Alexis Mougalian	16
FINALIST	Lindsey Vickery	13
FINALIST	Erin Verscheure	13

Novice Equitation

Novice Equitation Perpetual Trophy

Donated & Sponsored by The Bridle Path

CHAMPION	Justin Dryer	72
RESERVE	Lauren Capinegro	40
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Breanna Wenk	35
FOURTH	Vickie Moerman	23
FINALIST	Megan Sullivan	14

Pony Equitation

Sponsored by The Madigan Family

CHAMPION	Siana Stanton	51
RESERVE	Leslie Turner	44
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Joelle Redmond	39
FOURTH	Sarah Smith	33

Low Equitation

Donated and Sponsored by Maureen Mead and Adam Main

CHAMPION	Mackenzie Gamage	57
RESERVE	Lauren Capinegro	56
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Justin Dryer	45
FOURTH	Haleigh Hammond	19
FINALIST	Randi Wilcox	13

Limit Equitation

The Majestic Perpetual Trophy

Donated & Sponsored by Sleepy Hollow

CHAMPION	Macey Ladisky	83
RESERVE	Elizabeth Finkelstein	56
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Chelsea Vickery	43
FOURTH	Chloe Miller	23
FINALIST	Siana Stanton	18

Adult Equitation

The Fieldstone Perpetual Trophy

Donated & Sponsored by

The Steenrod Family

CHAMPION	Maitlyn Rakowski	103
RESERVE	Kimberly McCann	28
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Vickie Moerman	24
FOURTH	Julie Passmore	22
FINALIST	Laura Warner	20

Junior Equitation

Sponsored by Deborah Devine

CHAMPION	Lauren Bergh	46
RESERVE	Chelsea Vickery	39
CHAMPION		
THIRD	Jamie Gile	34
THIRD	Elizabeth Finkelstein	34
FOURTH	Jacquelyn Theaker	25

Maiden Ridden Hunter

The River Hollow Farm Perpetual Trophy

Donated & Sponsored by

River Hollow Farm

CHAMPION: Gentleman's Quarterly, 131, ridden by Breanna Wenk / owned by Dave Sweet; RESERVE CHAMPION: Dooley, 60, ridden / owned Megan Sullivan; THIRD: No Ice Please, 39, ridden by Olivia Neely / owned by Mackenzie Gamage; FOURTH: RSVP, 37, ridden / owned by Marisa Mandrell; FINALIST: Tickle Me Teenie, 36, ridden by Alexis Mougalian / owned by Christine Grahl.

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2008 TESTS

1. Halt (four to six seconds) and/or back.
2. Hand gallop.
3. Figure eight at trot, demonstrating change of diagonals.
4. Figure eight at canter on correct lead, demonstrating simple change of lead.
5. Work collectively at a walk, trot, or canter.
6. Jump low obstacles at a trot as well as at a canter.
7. Jump fences on figure eight course.
8. Question(s) regarding basic horsemanship, tack and equipment and conformation.
9. Ride without stirrups, irons may be crossed.
10. Jump low obstacles at a walk as well as at a canter.
11. Dismount and mount, individually.
12. Turn on the forehand.
13. Figure eight at canter on correct lead, demonstrating simple or flying change of lead.
14. Execute serpentine at a trot and/or canter on correct lead demonstrating simple or flying changes of lead.
15. Change leads on a line demonstrating a simple or flying change of lead.
16. Change horses. (*Note: this test is the equivalent of two tests*).
17. Canter on counter lead. (*Note: no more than 12 horses may counter canter at one time*).
18. Turn on the haunches from the walk.
19. Demonstration ride of approximately one minute. Rider must advise judge be forehand what ride he/she plans to demonstrate.

EQUITATION DIVISION SPECIFICATIONS

- Championships are offered in the following divisions:

• Maiden Equitation	1' 9"	• Limit Equitation	2' 6"
• Novice Equitation	2' 0"	• Adult Equitation	2' 3" or 2' 6"
• Pony Equitation	2' 0" or 2' 3"	• Junior / Amateur Equitation	2' 9"
• Low Equitation	2' 3"		
- No professionals may ride in any Equitation class.
- No martingales are allowed in Flat classes.
- Regulation snaffles, pelhams, and full bridles, all with cavesson nosebands are recommended; a Judge may, at his own discretion, penalize a horse with a nonconventional type of bit or noseband.
- Low Equitation open to all riders who have not shown 2' 6" or higher at any competition.
- Junior / Amateur Equitation open to all Junior or amateur Adult riders who have not shown over 3' 6". Adults may cross enter in Adult Equitation.
- Adult riders may choose 2' 3" without oxers or 2' 6" with oxers. Please declare with the starter.

HORSE NOMINATION FEE (\$15)

Nominations are required in order to obtain credit for points awarded toward year end Hunter championships. This must be done before the horse's first show, in order for points to count (only those points earned after nomination will count toward year end championships).

Return the enclosed card with the **\$15** nominating fee to Sandi Carlton, BEFORE the start of the season, or the horse's first show. Please note that you may also use the enclosed card if you would like to be a year end awards sponsor (sponsorships are \$75).

RULES FOR LAKE EFFECTS MEDAL CLASSES

- **PONY MEDAL:** 2' 0" or 2' 3"

Junior riders only. No less than six obstacles. Only one rider per horse. To fill a class, four competitors must complete the course. The order of go will be posted one hour prior to the class. Test optional: 2008 tests #1, 3, 4, 5, 8 only. No in-and-out obstacle. Top 10 accumulative scorers eligible for the Finals. Upon receiving two first places, you become ineligible for qualifying classes.

- **MINI MEDAL:** 2' 3"

Open to all riders who have not shown 2' 6" or higher at any competition. No less than six obstacles. Only one rider per horse. To fill a class, four competitors must complete the course. The order of go will be posted one hour prior to the class. Tests optional: 2008 tests #1, 3, 4, 5, 8. No in-and-out obstacle. Top 10 accumulative scorers eligible for the Finals. Upon receiving two first places, you become ineligible for qualifying classes.

- **LIMIT MEDAL:** 2' 6"

Open to horses or ponies with Limit riders. No less than six obstacles. Only one rider per horse. To fill a class, four competitors must complete the course. The order of go will be posted one hour prior to the class. One test required: 2008 tests #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 11, 12, 15, 18. No in-and-out obstacle. Top 10 accumulative scorers eligible for the Finals. Upon receiving two first places, you become ineligible for qualifying classes.

- **ADULT MEDAL:** 2' 6"

Open to Adult riders only. No less than six obstacles. Only one rider per horse. To fill a class, four competitors must complete the course. The order of go will be posted one hour prior to the class. One test required: 2008 tests #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 11, 12, 15, 18. No in-and-out obstacle. Top 10 accumulative scorers eligible for the Finals. Upon receiving two first places, you become ineligible for qualifying classes.

- **OPEN MEDAL:** 2' 9"

Open to all ages. No less than eight obstacles. Only one rider per horse. Combination suggested; required in the finals. Courses must include one change of direction. To fill a class, four competitors must complete the course. The order of go will be posted one hour prior to the class. One test required of top four riders (two tests in Finals): 2008 tests #1–19. Top 10 accumulative scorers eligible for the Finals. Upon receiving two first places, you become ineligible for qualifying classes.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Braiding is optional.
- Stalls are extremely limited at most facilities. It is imperative that you make your reservations early and send a deposit check.
- Late entry fees cost time and money. Please mail in your completed (names/signatures/classes) entry forms by the Wednesday prior to the start of the show. Show management can then make early decisions about splitting divisions or other class schedule adjustments.

LEHS MACLAY HORSEMANSHIP CLASS RULES

- Open to Junior and Adult riders.
- Class may be split if entries warrant.
- Riders may show in the Limit Equitation or Junior Equitation at LEHS shows, and be eligible for this class.
- Jumps will be 2' 6" - 2' 9".
- In-and-outs required.
- All riders shall compete over a course of at least eight jumps, with two changes of direction.
- The top eight riders or one third of the class (whichever is more) are then required to show at walk, trot, and canter.
- Tests 1-19 are allowed; except judge may not ask riders to jump without stirrups or change horses to jump.
- To be judged on hands, seat, guidance, and control of horse.
- The under saddle performance of those riders selected to show under saddle shall count 50%.
- No martingales allowed for the flat phase.
- Only one rider per horse.
- Four riders must complete the course for the class to count.
- A first or second place qualifies you to show in the finals. Once you win the class, you may not compete in the class until the finals. A second allows you to continue to compete.



AMERICAN HUNTER-JUMPER FOUNDATION JUNIOR HUNTER CHALLENGE CLASSES

We are again hosting the American Hunter-Jumper Foundation Junior Hunter Challenge classes. These classes are run as a Hunter Classic two round format using the open numerical scoring system. The AHJF/Dover Saddler Junior Hunter Challenge is a national program where riders who have never shown higher than 2'9" (the classes are 2'3" - 2'6") compete for year-end awards. The winner of each region will also be awarded a travel grant to the Capital Challenge Horse Show in Maryland in the fall. There, they will get to meet many of the nations top Professional Hunter riders and hunters. They will spend three days with professionals and receive their leading rider awards. This is a great opportunity to promote our young riders and introduce them to the higher levels of showing. For more information on this class, go to www.AHJF.org.