

# STOCK HORSE OF TEXAS

# WORLD SHOW & DERBY

WESTERN HORSEMAN  **ORDNER** American Reliable  
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## Welcome!

We are very excited about this year's Western Horseman Stock Horse World Show and Ordner Insurance / American Reliable Insurance Stock Horse Derby. We have some new events planned and have made a few modifications to make the show even better! Be sure to arrive in time for the **Kickoff Party on Wednesday evening** and watch the first go-round of the Open Cow Work. The Friday night Classic Equine Fence Work Showcase featuring the Open and Non Pro divisions is back again in 2021, as well as the Freestyle Reining Scholarship Fundraiser on Saturday night as part of the Exhibitor Party. Don't forget about the TQHA Texas Triple Threat Incentive – its up to \$10,000 this year! (and yes, the dog races are back once again!)

We are happy to have Western Horseman on board as the title world show sponsor, and this year we added Order Insurance / American Reliable Insurance as the Derby title sponsor. This year's Derby will have \$10,000 added!

We couldn't do it without our other major sponsors, including Arena Werks and Classic Equine. Randy Snodgrass and his team at Arena Werks will be on hand to get the ground in great shape, and Classic Equine's prize packages help recognize our exhibitors for their hard work.

The following includes details on stalling, entries, refunds, host hotels, paid practices and more. Additional information can be found at these links:

[TQHA Texas Triple Threat Incentive](#)  
[Vendor Information](#)  
[World Show Sponsorships & Television Advertising](#)  
[World Show Program Advertising](#)  
[Youth Freestyle Reining Fundraiser](#)

Please read the information closely, and we'll see you in Abilene in October!



Jill Dunkel  
SHTX Executive Director

## **STALLING & RVs – will open September 27 at 8:30am**

### **Reservations are due October 18**

- Stalls and shavings are reserved through the [SHTX Store](#). RVs are reserved online through the [Taylor County Expo](#), at 8:30am. Show sponsors with priority stalling/RVs will be contacted prior to September 27 for stalling/RV preferences.
- Stall Reservations are due October 18. Special requests/grouped stalls can not be guaranteed for reservations received after October 18.
- Stalls -- \$35/night; RVs -- \$45/night; Shavings -- \$10/bag. Stalls will be prebedded with unopened bags of shavings prior to arrival. Cancellations will be refunded, minus credit card fees. Please send any cancellations by October 18.
- Barn requests/special requests will be honored in order reservations are received.
- If you are stalling a stallion, please put that on your stall reservation under Special Requests.
- Stalls are solid at the bottom and have bars across the top half of the stalls. Nearly all stalls are on concrete. There are a few stalls in the Guitar Arena that have a very hard dirt base.

## **ARRIVAL TIMES**

- Stalls will be available at 3pm on Tuesday. Arenas will be open for riding Tuesday afternoon unless show officials are working the ground. Most arenas will be open for riding before and after the show each day. The Taylor Telecom Arena will not be open overnight, but will open early each morning. Please follow warm up arena etiquette and be courteous at all times.

## **SHOW OFFICE HOURS**

- Tuesday, October 27: 3pm – 7pm (tentative)
- Wednesday, October 28: 9am – 7pm (tentative)
- Thursday-Saturday, October 29-31: 6:30am through the end of the show (tentative)
- Sunday: 8:30am through the end of the show (tentative, depending on show schedule)

## **SHOW FORMAT**

- There will be 2 go-rounds of competition. The overall Stock Horse World Champions will be determined by adding points from each go-round. Riders must be entered in all 4 events to be eligible for all around awards. However, riders are not required to enter both go-rounds or all 4 classes.
- **Please pay attention on the schedule for each Go-Round. Some days are a mixture of Go-Round 1 and Go-Round 2**

## **ENTRY – Open September 1**

- **Deadline for entry is October 4, 2021**, meaning entries must be **in the office** by that date. Late entries accepted until October 18, 2021 with a \$75 late fee. Entries received between October 19-October 26 will have a \$100 late fee. No entries will be accepted after October 26 for the World Show. Derby entries received between October 19-October 29 will have a \$100 late fee. No entries will be accepted after October 29 for the Derby.

**Cost for Each Go-Round (same as a weekend show):**

***Open, Level 1 Open & Non Pro***

- \$42/class, with \$20 from each entry going to the Jackpot
- \$50 cattle fee
- \$20 bookkeeping fee

***Limited, Intermediate, Junior Horse, Novice, Youth & Novice Youth***

- \$22/class
- \$50 cattle fee
- \$20 bookkeeping fee

***All Collegiate Divisions***

- \$22/class
- \$50 cattle fee
- \$20 bookkeeping fee

## **PAID PRACTICES**

- New for 2021 world show!! **\*\*UNLIMITED\*\*** access to trail practice at discounted price from last year! No time limit! Trail courses open to all entries. We hope to help alleviate some scheduling constraints on our participants by restructuring the paid warm up format. Folks can now spend the time they need, when they need it!
- Cow Work Paid Practice slots go on sale at 7am on October 11. All paid practices will be pre-paid via the [SHTX Online Store](#).
  - Cow Work practice is Wednesday, October 28 only, from 9-3pm. This is the only day paid practices will be available.
  - You are responsible for being at the gate for your chosen time. If you miss your spot, your money is not refunded.
- **Paid Practices are limited to one session per horse/rider combination. If you purchase multiple sessions, please specify each horse's name on the sign up form.**

## **CHANGES & REFUNDS**

- Scratches must be received by Monday, October 18 in order to receive a refund of all fees. After October 18, cattle fees and office fees are not refundable. Class scratches after this date must be received by 12 noon, Wednesday, October 27 to receive class fees back. All scratches must be received via EMAIL, PHONE CALL or in person once the show office opens. NO TEXTS PLEASE.
- “No-shows” will be billed the office fee and cattle fee.
- Horse substitutions (in the event of a lame horse, etc) are allowed, but only the same horse/rider combination will count for overall World Show Awards.

## **COLLEGIATE COMPETITION**

- Collegiate riders will enter their respective collegiate division. Awards will be given for collegiate riders in each Go-Round, as well as overall. Both team and individual collegiate awards will be presented.

- Riders must meet collegiate eligibility guidelines per the SHTX rule book. Riders are not required to be with a team.
- Collegiate riders are discouraged from entering the “regular” SHTX divisions unless they have shown in a regular division throughout the year and are vying for Year End Awards in a regular division. World Show awards in the Collegiate divisions are the same as awards in the regular divisions.
  - Those double entering must pay 2 entry fees. Scores must be hand entered into the regular division after you compete in the collegiate division, which is very time consuming. Please check the results of the “regular divisions” each day to verify your score is transferred from your collegiate division to the regular division. SHTX tries hard to make sure we don't miss any riders, but with no automated system to do this, we need your assistance to double check. Thank you!

## AWARDS

- ***Limited, Intermediate, Junior Horse, Novice, Youth & Novice Youth***
  - Buckles for Champion & Reserve for each go-round
  - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place each go-round
  - Buckles for Champion & Reserve for Overall World Champions
  - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings
  - Vests for 1<sup>st</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings
- ***Open, Level 1 Open & Non Pro***
  - \$500 Added each go-round in Open & Non Pro All Arouds; \$250 Added each go-round in Level 1 Open All Around, for a total of \$2,500 added money. Payouts according to the SHTX payout schedule in each class & All Around
  - Buckles for Champion & Reserve for Overall World Champions
  - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings
  - Vests for 1<sup>st</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings

### ***Collegiate Divisions***

- ***Division 1 & Division 2 Teams***
  - Leather Plaques to the Champion & Reserve teams of Division 1 and Division 2 each go-round
  - Large Arena Banners to the Champion & Reserve Overall World Champion Teams in D1 and D2
- ***Individual Collegiate Divisions (Collegiate Non Pro, Collegiate Limited, Collegiate Novice)***
  - Buckles for Champion & Reserve for each go-round
  - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> place each go-round
  - Buckles for Champion & Reserve for Overall World Champions
  - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings
  - Vests for 1<sup>st</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> place in the Overall Standings

## ORDER INSURANCE / AMERICAN RELIABLE INSURANCE STOCK HORSE DERBY (Sunday, October 31)

- The Ordner Insurance / American Reliable Insurance Stock Horse Derby is for horses that are 4, 5 and 6-years-old. Horses will compete in the 4 stock horse classes (cow work, reining, stock horse trail and stock horse pleasure) in accordance with the SHTX Rulebook.

- **Deadline for entry is October 4, 2021**, meaning entries must be **in the office** by that date. Late derby entries accepted until October 18, 2021 with a \$75 late fee. Derby Entries received between October 19-October 29 will have a \$100 late fee. No entries will be accepted after October 29 for the Derby.

***Derby Entry Fees***

- \$580 entry fee (70% goes to the jackpot)
  - \$50 cattle fee
  - \$20 bookkeeping fee
- Two divisions are offered: Open and Limited Non Pro.
    - The Open division includes a \$1,000 Non Pro Incentive, paid to the highest placing Non Pro riders within the Open division according to the SHTX payout schedule.
  - Awards
    - \$10,000 Added to the All Around Payout. This added money is split proportionately between the Open and Limited Non Pro divisions based on entry numbers.
    - \$1,000 Non Pro Incentive (for those entered in the Open) paid according to the SHTX payout schedule
    - \$500 4-year-old Incentive in both the Open and the Limited Non Pro, paid according to the SHTX payout schedule
    - Buckles for Champion & Reserve in the All Around in Open & Limited Non Pro divisions
    - Prizes 3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> place in the All Around in Open & Limited Non Pro divisions
    - Vests for 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> place in the All Around in Open & Limited Non Pro divisions
  - The Zinn Lindsey Collegiate scholarship and the Belcher Memorial scholarship are awarded to the highest placing collegiate riders in each division. Riders must meet SHTX collegiate eligibility guidelines to be receive the award.

**HOST HOTELS – Ask for the SHOT or SHTX rate, direct booking links available on SHTX website.**

Hotel	Block	Rate	Amenities
<b>Courtyard by Marriott NE *</b> 2101 Scottish Dr.   325-673-0400 <b>Must book By Oct 12 for rate</b>	10/15	\$149/Flat Rate Plus Tax	■ Restaurant ■ Lounge ■ Outdoor pool ■ <b>Shares lobby with TownePlace Suites NE</b>
<b>Courtyard by Marriott Mall South *</b> 4350 Ridgemont Dr.   325-695-9600 <b>Must book By Oct 1 for rate</b>	10	\$114/Flat Rate Plus Tax	■ Restaurant ■ Lounge ■ Outdoor pool ■ Five wheelchair accessible rooms, two with roll-in showers
<b>Residence Inn *</b> 1641 Musgrave Trail   325-677-8700 <b>Must book By Oct 1 for rate</b>	10	\$119/Flat Rate Plus Tax	■ Outdoor pool ■ Hot breakfast ■ Two wheelchair accessible rooms, both with roll-in showers
<b>TownePlace Suites NE *</b> 2101 Scottish Dr.   325-673-0400 <b>Must book By Oct 12 for rate</b>	10/15	\$149/Flat Rate Plus Tax	■ Restaurant ■ Lounge ■ Hot breakfast ■ Outdoor pool ■ <b>Shares lobby with Courtyard by Marriott NE</b>