

UNITED STATES PONY CLUB

MidSouth Region



2007 Mega-Rally Packet

GENERAL DIRECTIONS:

FORMS ARE TO BE FILLED OUT NEATLY, LEGIBLY AND WITH ORIGINAL SIGNATURES.

For your convenience, all required forms are available as interactive Adobe documents on applicable Rally's Web page. Use of these forms is **STRONGLY** encouraged.

This is not a good time to have the children start filling out their own forms. Double check all forms for completeness and signatures. There is a checklist on all of the entry forms.

MAKE SURE COGGINS ARE VALID FOR THE DURATION OF RALLY AND CHAMPIONSHIPS.

COPIES MUST BE LEGIBLE.

Start talking to your Club's members **NOW** about getting Coggins drawn for their horses. Make sure your Coggins has the 'Name' that you want to use for Shows printed on it. If your horse has a 'Barn' name and a 'Show' name, have your vet put BOTH names on the Coggins. When you make a copy, if it is not dark enough to be read, write over the printing and make another copy. We **MUST** be able to read the information about the horse and the **DATE** of the Test.

DO NOT MAIL ENTRIES TO REQUIRE A SIGNATURE FOR DELIVERY/RECEIPT.

Our Secretaries do not have time to be running to the Post Office to pick up your packet. Contact Secretary by email to verify they received your entries if you are in doubt.

2007 MidSouth Region Mega-Rally General Fact Sheet

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Tetrathlon, Show Jumping & Dressage

OPENING DATE: April 23, 2007

CLOSING DATE: May 23, 2007

D1 Combined Test, D2/D3 Eventing, C Eventing & Horse Trials:

OPENING DATE: April 23, 2007

CLOSING DATE: May 15, 2007

NOTES:

INCOMPLETE ENTRIES WILL BE RETURNED.

CLOSING DATES WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

Refunds BEFORE Closing Date with veterinary certificate or for medical reasons.

NO REFUNDS AFTER CLOSING DATE.

TENTATIVE RALLY SCHEDULE

Saturday	June 23	11:00 AM	Tetrathlon	Move-In (Masterson Station Park), Briefing, Shoot & Swim
Sunday	June 24		Tetrathlon	Run, Formal Inspections, Ride & Awards
Monday	June 25	8:30 AM	Show Jumping	Move-In (KHP), Course Walk, Rally Briefing & Jog-Outs
Tuesday	June 26		Show Jumping	3 Jumping Rounds, Possible Jump-Off, Awards
		8:30 AM	Dressage	Move-In (KHP), Rally Briefing & Jog-Outs
Wednesday	June 27		Dressage	2 Tests, Musical Free Style, Pas de Deux & Awards
		8:30 AM	D1 & D2/D3	Move-In (KHP) & Rally Briefing
			D2/D3	Jog-Outs
Thursday	June 28		D1 & D2/D3	Formal Inspections, Dressage Tests, Stadium Course Walks & Stadium Rounds
			D1	Awards
		8:30 AM	C & HT	Move-In (KHP) for all competitors; Rally Briefing & Jog-Outs for USPC competitors
Friday	June 29		D2/D3	XC Course Walks, XC Rides & Awards
			C	Formal Inspections, Dressage Tests, XC Course Walk & Coaches' Briefing
			HT	Prelim Dressage Tests
Saturday	June 30		HT	Beginner Novice, Novice & Training Dressage Tests
			C & HT	Beginner Novice Stadium Rides & Novice, Training & Prelim XC Rides
Sunday	July 1		C & HT	Beginner Novice XC Rides & Novice, Training & Prelim Stadium Rides
			C	Awards

PARENTS MAY ONLY INSTALL FANS.

PARENTS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO SET UP TACK ROOMS.

UNAUTHORIZED ASSISTANCE PENALTIES WILL BE ASSESSED FOR PARENTAL ASSISTANCE.

EACH RALLY IS A **SEPARATE** COMPETITION.

PLEASE SUBMIT THE CORRECT PAPERWORK FOR EACH RALLY.

PAPERWORK FOR MULTIPLE RALLIES WILL **NOT** BE ROLLED OVER FROM ONE RALLY TO THE NEXT.

DO **NOT** SEND YOUR ORIGINAL COGGINS.

The competitor's age is as of January 1st of the competition year.

A Health Certificate, valid past but not dated more than 30 days prior to the finish of the competition, is required for **ALL** horses coming to the Kentucky Horse Park. It should accompany the horse when it travels to the Park. **Have a COPY ready to leave with EACH Rally Secretary when you pick up your competitor's packet.**

The proof of negative Coggins, dated within the preceding 12 months and valid through the finish of the competition, must accompany the entry form. The horse name on the Coggins must be the name the horse uses during competition. Kentucky law now only requires a 6-month negative Coggins if the horse is to be sold.

Substitutions of competitor and/or horse must be accompanied by a medical release, a signed 2007 USPC Activity/Rally Release and/or a negative Coggins.

The Kentucky Horse Park rules require that fans be plugged into 3-prong outdoor adapters which are then to be plugged into grounded 3-prong outdoor-duty extension cords.

ALL HORSES MUST HAVE A PROPER STALL CARD (see HM Rulebook) which will remain on their stalls as long as they occupy their stalls. Early arrivals or layover horses must have stall cards. A horse without a stall card will result in the Club being fined \$25 if the competitor is not in active competition or ***massive penalty points*** if the competitor is in active competition.

EACH TACK ROOM MUST HAVE A TEAM STALL CARD IDENTIFYING THE TEAM CLUB(S) AND MEMBERS.

STALL CARDS: A STALL CARD LINK IS INCLUDED ON THE MEGA-RALLY PAGE OF THE MIDSOUTH WEB SITE. PRINT ON CARD STOCK.

TO: ALL DC'S & Joint DC's

SUBJECT: MidSouth Region Rally Dress Code

Please advise ALL parents and Pony Clubbers, male and female, planning to attend Rally that there is a dress code in the Horse Management Rulebook (HM 18 - Required Attire) and it will be enforced during Rally.

Competitors' attire for work in the barn areas must be neat, clean, and in good repair. Shirts should cover the shoulder to the point of the shoulder (no tank tops) with no bare midriff. Shorts, if worn, should be comfortable and appropriate for working in the barn.

We want to see the following:

Neat, clean, comfortable, appropriate dress in the barn area. (NOTE: Barnwear does not have to be new.)

Shirts must completely cover the following areas: **the shoulder** - sleeveless shirts that extend to the point of the shoulder; **the back and the abdomen** - shirts should be long enough that when you reach or stretch to work around the horse, no skin is exposed in the back or in the midriff area. All shirts should have modest necklines.

Shorts should not be tightly fitted and should be long enough to reach the tips of your fingertips when your arms are extended down to your side.

Appropriate attire for jogs will be enforced. Appropriate attire includes hairnets for long hair, boots, shirts tucked in, belts, gloves, correctly fitted helmets, and pants of an appropriate working length and design for presenting the horse to the Ground Jury. Jeans are not permitted. Excessively loose, baggy, or overly tight pants of any length are discouraged.

We do **NOT** want to see any of the following:

Inappropriate slogans, exposed bras or underwear of any style. This includes exposed sports bras and underwear bands (men and women).

If you come into the barn with inappropriate attire, you will have ONE CHANCE to correct it without penalty to your scores.

Please refer to the rest of the section in the Horse Management Rulebook for restrictions on jewelry and piercings.

Thank you.

MidSouth Region Management

**PUBLIC POSTING OF RALLY SCORES
WILL BE OUTSIDE THE SHOW OFFICE.**