

Winter Tournament Shows

The winter tournaments are a series of shows with special divisions for beginning riders and for those looking to polish their skills before the upcoming show season. New riders show on Summit Stables' lesson horses. These shows are a great introduction to the world of showing in a safe environment on familiar horses. We encourage everyone to participate or attend and cheer on your fellow Summit Stables Teammates. Tournament shows help increase rider growth and confidence by giving them concrete goals, and the ability to maneuver and show their horse in a new environment.

February 15th at the Fire Stables in Lenexa, KS (Entries due February 3rd)

March 14th at Stephens College in Columbia, MO (Entries due March 2nd)

It's recommended to bring your own food/snacks if needed as concessions are not available. In the event of inclement winter weather tournaments will be cancelled as it is too dangerous to transport the horses. If possible they will be rescheduled for the following weekend.

Cost:

Fire Stables Show Tournament Rider on Summit Stables shared (2+ riders) lesson horse: \$175

Stephens College Show Tournament Rider on Summit Stables shared (2+ riders) lesson horse: \$300

Entries and all fees are due by the dates listed above for each tournament and are nonrefundable as of the entry date.

Riders must be currently enrolled in lessons. Each entry includes two classes (determined by instructor) and is all inclusive. Riders who are ready to compete in the pattern class and wish to add that will have an additional fee.

Apparel:

Riders need the following items:

- Paddock Boots. These must be black and in good condition.
- Black Kentucky Jodphurs with underpasses.
- Black Ovation Schooler Deluxe Helmet
- Number Magnets (Clear ONLY)
- Black Leather Riding Gloves
- Hair Supplies (bow, hair nets, bobby pins, hair pins, hair spray)

Riders have two options for tops. Riders who do not own academy clothing can wear a simple navy blue turtleneck, long sleeved shirt, or sweater which will need to be tucked in and worn with a black leather belt. This should be well fitting and not baggy. Riders who do own a show shirt, vest, and tie may wear that or they are welcome to wear the other option as well.

There are no vendors at these events. Please make sure you have all items on the attached checklist and that they are clearly labelled.

Riders are responsible for helping clean and pack their equipment the week prior to the show. Depending on space there may be room for older riders to come to the show with Christie and help set up, unload horses, etc. We encourage our riders to be involved and take responsibility for all aspects of their horsemanship skills.

Tournament Checklist

Links to most items have been provided. Please use these as a guide if you have questions regarding items.

- [Paddock Boots](#) (Cleaned and Polished)
- Black Kentucky Jodphurs with underpasses (These should be long so they go below the riders heel when they are on the horse)
 - [American Jodphurs](#)
 - Ovation Jods ([Child](#), [Ladies](#))
 - Lucky Jods ([Ladies](#), [Child](#))
 - Poly Jods ([Child](#), [Ladies](#))
- Tall socks that come up above the boot

- Navy Turtleneck/sweater
 - Or
- Show Shirt
- Show Vest
- Tie
- Tie Bar

- [Black leather riding gloves](#)
- [Helmet](#)
- [Number Magnets](#)
- Hair Bow (available in the office)
- [Hair Net](#) (in your rider's hair color)
- [Bobby Pins](#)
- [Hair Pins](#)
- Hair brush
- Hair spray
- [Long barrette](#)
- Small stud type earrings (if wanted), usually try and match the number magnets
- Black Electrical Tape
- Safety Pins
- Jacket that zips up, once riders have their helmet and show clothing on they can keep warm with a coat that fully zips over their apparel.
- Summit Stables Apparel (not required but always encouraged!)
- Makeup (if wanted, think similar to dance)

We recommend that all riders have a box/bag that they keep all their hair supplies, makeup, number magnets, tie bar, safety pins, tape, etc in so that it is easily contained and labelled as everyone will have similar supplies.