

26TH ANNUAL PIEDMONT CLASSIC PASO FINO HORSE SHOW

USEF A RATED/PFHA

JUNE 26 - 29, 2008

WNC AG CENTER, ASHEVILLE, NC

SPONSORED BY PIEDMONT PASO FINO HORSE ASSOCIATION

DATES: June 25 - 28, 2009
PLACE: Western NC Agricultural Center, Asheville, NC

JUDGES: Thurs. & Fri. Mr. Jose Laracuenta, Grayson, GA
Thurs. & Fri. Mr. Mike Cumming, Witchita, KS
Sat. & Sun. Ms. Sharon Londono, Covington, LA
Sat. & Sun. Mr. Donald Schanche, Marco Island, FL

There will be two judges in the ring judging simultaneously, but independently. Ribbons for six places in the regular classes and ribbons for four places in Championship plus an award for first place championship will be given out per judge per class. Mr. Donald Schanche will be the Futurity Judge.

In the event of a cancellation by one of the advertised judges an alternate judge will be selected from the PPFHA approved list of Judges.

STEWARD: Ms. Lynne Ridgeway, Atlanta, GA

SHOW MANAGER: Rita Magaha, 864-457-2254, E-Mail - ritamagaha1@windstream.net

SHOW SECRETARY: Pam McDermott, Four Winds West, Inc.,
120 Harvey Wood Dr., Covington, GA 30016
Fax: 770-787-5765, Phone: 404-835-7415, Cell :770-490-5035
Pre-Entry Received Deadline - June 18, 2009

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED: Copy of registration papers, (front & back) 12 month negative coggins, .
PFHA and U.S.E.F. membership cards and Amateur cards, 30 day
health certificate for out of state horses.

ANNOUNCER: Ms. Paulette DeNault and Mr. Bernie Santana

RINGMASTER: Mr. Dan Shirley

RIBBON PRESENTER CHAIRMAN Mrs. Katy Nichoalds

PHOTOGRAPHER: Robert Cieszanski, WNC Photography

VETERINARIAN: The Veterinarian will be on the Show Grounds during Show hours
The Veterinarian name and cell phone number will
be posted at the Show Office and at the end of each barn

FARM SPONSORSHIPS: Teresa Foster 828-208-7218, E-Mail teresafoster5@msn.com

CLASS SPONSORSHIPS: Teresa Foster 828-208-7218, E-Mail teresafoster5@msn.com

VENDOR BOOTHS: Rita Magaha, 864-457-2254, E-Mail - ritamagaha1@windstream.net

FUTURITY: Ali Casey, 919-556-6610, E-Mail - Aliwcasey@aol.com

Joe Wilhelm, 336-325-3052, E-Mail - joes924s@surry.net

HOST HOTELS: Holiday Inn Airport (\$95) - 828-684-1213, Fairfield Inn (\$84) - 828-684-1144

**Identify as being with Piedmont Classic Paso Fino Show.
Reserve Rooms by June 3, 2009 for Show rate**

DIRECTIONS TO SHOW GROUNDS: From I-26 take exit 40, go west, follow signs to Western
N.C. Agricultural Center (across from Airport).

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"Every class offered herein which is covered by the rules and specifications of the current USEF Rule Book will be conducted and judged in accordance therewith."

Approved protective headgear is required for Sub-Junior classes AND any other class requiring a jump.

Footing composition of the arena and warm up area: Sand, Sawdust, Topsoil Mixture, compacted to a Medium Standard. Competition Arena is 120 ft. x 240 ft.

Classes may be combined, split, or cancelled at management's discretion.

Prices listed are cash prices and represent a 5% discount

	<u>Cash/Check</u>
Pre-Entry Fee (per judge) (received by June 18, 2009)	\$35
Post-Entry (per judge)(received after June 18, 2009)	\$45
Add-Ons (per judge)(received after 7 am June 25, 2009)	\$55 See Cancellation policy.
Cancellations received by midnight June 21, 2009 will receive full refund on class fees and stall fees.	
Cancellations received after June 21, 2009 will receive full refund on class fees only. No refunds on stalls.	
Class cancellations must be given to the Show Secretary THREE FULL classes prior to the opening of the gate for the class to receive a refund. No-shows will not be refunded. Vet excuses are not required.	
Any credits from cancellations will be refunded by either original check, credit to open show bill, or check from Piedmont PFHA that will be mailed by July 18, 2009.	
Championship Entry Fee (per judge)(Add-on fees do not apply)	\$30
Entries for Championship classes may be given to the Paddock Manager	
Sale Class Entry Fee (includes horses not showing)	\$35
(per horse plus stall fees)	
USEF Fee, per horse for the weekend (\$7/Drug-\$8/USEF)	\$15
USEF Non-member fee per person for the weekend	\$30 - \$20 Youth
Dinner in the Dirt Tickets	\$35
Horses not stalled but on premises will be charged a ground fee of \$25 per day.	
Returned check or invlaid Credit Card	\$50 handling fee
Billing of Show Fees after show	\$50 handling fee

All entries may be mailed or faxed to the show secretary, Pam McDermott.

Entries may also be completed on the PFHA web site and the check mailed to the Show Secretary. Make checks payable to Piedmont PFHA.

ALL ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID IN FULL PRIOR TO RECEIPT OF BACK NUMBERS, THE ONLY EXCEPTION: A SIGNED OPEN CHECK OR CREDIT CARD IS LEFT AT THE SHOW OFFICE TO ALLOW FOR ADD-ON CLASSES AND CLASS CHANGES.

Dinner in the Dirt, A Celebration of the Paso Fino

It is back!!!! Dinner in the Dirt will be held Saturday Night after the conclusion of the show. Dinner will include beer and wine and a fantastic Celebration of the Paso Fino. Our exhibition will include the High Point horses from Piedmont and some of the most outstanding Stallions in our breed. This event is being sponsored by our Piedmont Youth. Don't miss an opportunity to place your outstanding Stallion's photo on one of the tables' centerpieces.

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PRIZE MONEY WILL BE AWARDED TO ALL CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES including Bellas Formas DIVIDED TO (4) PLACES. PRIZE MONEY WILL BE PAID TO THE OWNER OF THE HORSE. **PRIZE MONEY MAY NOT BE ASSIGNED TO ANYONE OTHER THAN THE OWNER OF THE HORSE.** EACH OWNER IS ASKED TO FURNISH THE SHOW SECRETARY WITH A SIGNED W-9 FORM. FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE W-9 WILL CAUSE A DELAY IN THE PAYMENT OF THE PRIZE MONEY. PRIZE MONEY WILL BE MAILED WITHIN 21 DAYS FROM THE CONCLUSION OF THE SHOW. IN THE EVENT OF RETURNED CHECKS OR INVALID CREDIT CARDS THE SHOW RESERVES THE RIGHT TO APPLY ANY OR ALL PRIZE MONEY TOWARDS OUTSTANDING FEES. ALL RETURNED CHECKS OR INVALID CREDIT CARDS WILL BE ASSESSED A \$50 HANDLING FEE AND IF NOT PAID WITHIN SEVEN (7) DAYS OF BEING NOTIFIED, WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE PFHA OFFICE. ALL FEES ARE TO BE PAID IN FULL PRIOR TO THE DEPARTURE FROM THE SHOW GROUNDS. ANY EXHIBITOR WHO FAILS TO PAY IN FULL AND REQUIRES BILLING WILL BE ASSESSED A \$50 HANDLING FEE. Exhibitors who have had returned checks or invalid credit cards at past shows may be asked to pay this year's fees by money order, cashier's check or cash.

Stalls: Stalls have solid wood walls and are approximately 12' x 12' with solid wooden doors. .
For preferred stalls contact Rita Magaha, phone 864-457-2254 or E-Mail - ritamagaha1@windstream.net

	<u>Cash/Check</u>
Stall Fees (barns A & B) includes one bag of shavings per stall	\$125
Stall Fees (barns C & D) includes one bag of shavings per stall	\$100
Stall Fees (livestock building) includes one bag of shavings per stall	\$75
Extra Shavings per bag	\$6.50
Camper/RV Hookups (lower level)	\$30/night
Camper/RV Hookups (upper level)(limited # available)	\$60/night
Golf Cart Rental (for 4 days)	\$300

Barns on lower level will not be used until all stalls on the upper level are sold.

Tack stalls are the same price as horse stalls and show management reserves the right to limit the number of tack stalls.

MOVE-IN is Tuesday, June 23, 2009 after 6:00 A.M.

EARLY MOVE-IN may begin no earlier than Monday, June 22, 2009 - \$15 per stall per day***

*****EARLY ARRIVALS MUST CONTACT BARN MANAGER FOR RESERVATIONS.**

All Stalls must be vacated by Monday June 29, 2009 noon (12:00 PM)

BARN MANAGER: Buddy O'Neil, 828-777-5072, E-Mail - boneil@mchsi.com

Reservations for Camper/RV Hookups and Golf Carts are to be made thru the Barn Manager.
Additional shavings, feed and or Hay are available thru the Barn Manager.

Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to golf carts, motorcycles, scooters or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who do have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition grounds for the remainder of the competition and charges being filed against any of the above individuals in accordance with Chapter 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from the rule.

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Life, senior active and junior active members shall be eligible to participate in all classes at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions at the Preliminary Level or above and Combined Driving Competitions at the Advanced Level, Dressage, Reining and Vaulting Competitions and Endurance Rides. A nonmember may participate as a handler, rider, driver, owner, lessee, agent, coach or trainer at Regular Competitions, Eventing Competitions, Dressage Competitions, Reining Competitions and Combined Driving Competitions upon payment of a \$30 nonmember registration fee. Participants in the following classes are exempted from the Requirements of this rule: 1) leadline; 2) exhibitions; 3) games and races; 4) classes for 4-H members; 5) walk trot and academy classes (academy classes are classes limited to horses used regularly in a lesson program); 6) USDF introductory level tests, pas de deux and quadrille classes; 7) NRHA Endorsed Reining Competitions. 8) Opportunity classes, 9) citizens of other nations who have proof, in English, of current membership in good standing of their own National Federation, 10) USEA beginner novice division; and 11) assistant handlers in Dressage Sport Horse Breeding classes. EC 7/21/08 Effective 12/1/08

1. The individual renting the Golf Cart will be responsible for any damage that occurs to the Golf Cart during the time that it is rented. The damage will be assessed and the individual will be billed for the damage. Failure to pay the damages will result in charges being turned into PFHA as a bad debt.
2. Any damages to the stalls will be the responsibility of the exhibitor assigned to that stall.
3. Parking for horse trailers is provided on each level of the barn areas; "C" Barn parking lot on the upper level and "Gates 4 & 5" on the lower level.
4. Red waste containers are mounted on the end of each barn for the disposal of sharp items, medical and/or hazardous waste.
5. Dogs must be on a leash at all times that they are on the show grounds or in the arena.
6. There is NO SMOKING in the Arena or within 10 feet of the barns.

Mailing address for the facility: WNC AG Center, 1301 Fanning Bridge Rd., Fletcher, N.C. 28792
Package must be addressed to the individual who will pick it up, identification required.

**CLASS SPONSORSHIPS - \$35 per Class per show day,
\$50 per Class for both show days
\$100 per Each Championship**

FARM SPONSORSHIPS:

PLATINUM SPONSOR - \$2600

Preferred Stall location - First Choice
(5) Five Stalls in Barn A or B
Ringside Platform table - First Choice
(6) "Asheville's Dinner in the Dirt" Tickets
Participation in "Asheville's Dinner in the Dirt" exhibition
Two Championship Class Sponsorships
Display of Farm Banner inside Arena

SILVER SPONSOR - \$1400

Preferred Stall Location - Third Choice
Ringside Table - Third Choice
(2) "Asheville's Dinner in the Dirt" Tickets
One Class Sponsorship in both show dates
Display of Farm Banner inside Arena

GOLD SPONSOR - \$1700

Preferred Stall Location - Second Choice
Ringside Table - Second Choice
(4) "Asheville's Dinner in the Dirt" Tickets
One Championship Class Sponsorship
Display of Farm Banner inside Arena

BRONZE SPONSOR - \$1000

Preferred Stall Location - Fourth Choice
Ringside Table - Fourth Choice
Display of Farm Banner Inside Arena