

2013 Hunter Pace Series

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- September 8:** Hunter pace 1 and Mini pace
September 15: Hunter pace 2/ Tailgate party
September 22: Hunter pace 3/Costume contest
September 29: Hunter pace rain date

Promoting and encouraging:

*The improvement of horsemanship *Riding safety *Physical development of Horse & rider *The sport of riding to the hounds *The preservation & conservation of open lands *Humane treatment of all animals

Description of Competition: please note new divisions!

Jumping: to follow a well-marked course at a safe (trot & canter) hunting pace as if hounds were running a line on the scent of a fox. Coops & natural obstacles; not to exceed 2'9". Some jumps will have a smaller alternative, approximately 2'. All coops and obstacles must be jumped in order & only after the third refusal may proceed around.

Flat: To follow non-jumping course with ways around jumps. May jump any obstacle once.

Pleasure: To follow much of the same course at a leisurely trail riding pace as if following the hunt before the hounds find the scent of a fox. Also known as "hill toppers"

Please note: there will no longer be an "open division"

Rules:

1. Entries close at 10:00 am day of pace. Your cooperation is needed to get there before 10:00 am. Pleasure division closes at 11:00 am.
2. First horse on course 11:00 sharp. Jumpers are first out. Pleasure not to begin before 1:00
3. Entries mailed before the event will have first order of go.
4. All divisions must be ridden by teams of 2 or 3. If you don't have a partner, come anyway and we'll pair you up with someone, or we'll arrange you to run as the third member of a team. Special permission may be given by organizer for a single rider wishing to ride alone for safety reasons.
5. Divisions must be declared when entering
6. Courses will be open for inspection the day before the pace
7. Course and fences will be well marked. If you are unable to walk the course before the pace, you may bring a map with you while you ride.

8. Fences must be jumped in numerical order, and may be excluded only after 3 refusals.
9. All riders must pass check points and complete entire course. We will honor the honor system, so should you.
10. Teams may pass each other. Please make way for passing teams. Please be considerate and pass at safe speed, especially if you notice the person in front of you having difficulty.
11. Last horse over the finish line will be the team's time.
12. Informal dress: no tennis shoes, **approved riding helmet must be worn while mounted for ALL riders**
13. Please be considerate of landowner's properties
14. In case of bad weather, the organizer reserves the right to cancel pace or alter the course prior to the pace for the safety of the riders.
15. Judges decision is final
16. Course may be walked Saturday, all day and Sunday before the pace.
17. No jumping with any saddle with a horn
18. No bareback
19. Running martingale only. No standing martingales nor tie-downs permitted

Ribbons will be presented at a "calcutta" immediately following the pace. Series awards will be part of EHSC Year End awards. **Only EHSC members will be eligible, and must sign up for year-end awards any time during the show season before the first pace.** This will also make you eligible for ALL Year End awards.

You must compete in same division and in at least 2 paces to be eligible. The whole team does not need to be signed up for Year End awards.

Winner of the Jumping Division will receive a year-end ribbon and the Sycamore Farms Challenge Trophy donated in the memory of Phil Cochran.

Winner of the Flat division will receive a year-end ribbon and the SUNNY trophy donated by Carla Werling.

Winner of the Pleasure Division will also receive a trophy and year-end ribbon.

Rules for the Hunter Pace will be posted at the Secretary Stand.

HUNTER PACE ENTRY FORM

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Please check applicable boxes below.

Dates Entering:

- September 8
 September 15
 September 22

Division:

- Jumping
 Flat
 Pleasure

Please Print

Rider #1 _____

Name of Horse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Adult rider or parent/guardian signature _____

Rider #2 _____

Name of Horse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Adult rider or parent/guardian signature _____

Rider #3 _____

Name of Horse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Adult rider or parent/guardian signature _____

Stabling: (Fee covers stall for all three paces. EHSC will clean stall after last pace only.)

\$25.00 Non-Member X No. of Stalls _____

\$15.00 EHSC Member X No. of Stalls _____

Pace Entry Fees:

\$66.00 Series Fee (Covers all 3 paces.) X No. of Entries: _____

\$25.00 Individual Pace Fee X No. of Entries: _____

TOTAL FEES: _____

Buy signing the above form, I agree that the Erie Hunt and Saddle Club Inc. or Ferghana Farms will not be held responsible for any damage, injury or loss to persons, horses or property of exhibitors or spectators.

ONE ENTRY FORM PER TEAM.

Send Entries and Fees to: (make checks out to EHSC)

Wendy Bolding
6451 Heidler Road
Fairview, PA 16415
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Rider #2 _____

Name of Horse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Adult rider or parent/guardian signature _____

Rider #3 _____

Name of Horse: _____

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