

RECOGNIZED SHOW

— APPLICATION



SHOW LOCATION INFORMATION

Show Name

Show Date(s):

Name of Arena :

Arena Address :

Show Host :

SHOW MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

Name

:

Full Address

:

Cell Phone

:

E-Mail

:

JUDGE DETAILS

Judge(s)

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Include liscencing organization for each judge.

DISCLAIMER

The MFTHBA does not assume responsibility for the safety of participants. As an expressed condition of the MFTHBA granting approval, show management accepts full responsibility for condition of the show premises; the conduct and competence of show employees and other representatives, implementation of show activities, and all other aspects of the show.

Include with this application

Complete Show Schedule clearly identifying classes meeting the criteria for MFTHBA recognized shows must be included.

Signature Of Show Mangagement

THANK YOU FOR HOSTING A SHOW

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— REQUIREMENTS



A recognized show allows for a show to be promoted by the MFTHBA as being open to MFT participation but provides flexibility for the show by not requiring an MFTHBA carded judge or that classes must be structured and follow MFTHBA rules. Rather it simply requires that the show use a licensed judge. Offering this option is especially important in areas of the country where there are limited MFTs or where there are limited MFTHBA carded judges.

Results from Recognized Shows will be added to a horse's record; however, please note results will not count toward MFTHBA yearend awards. However, if a Missouri Fox Trotting Horse is enrolled in the MFTHBA medal program, the results from the show will go toward the lifetime achievement program.

The MFTHBA hopes the Recognized Show option will interest in areas of the country where there are limited MFTs or where there are limited MFTHBA carded judges and over time the show might consider becoming a MFTHBA Point Show.

REQUIREMENTS

- May be hosted by any organization or individual.
- Any show may be a recognized show including but not limited to those providing pleasure, driving, hunter/jumper, model, performance, working horse, ranch horse, and timed events
- Must offer at least 8 classes open to Missouri Fox Trotters. These can be Open Gaited Breed, Saddle-type, Open breed, or Missouri Fox Trotting Horse specific classes.
- The show must utilize a licensed judge.
- Must apply and submit fee at least 90 days before the event (Note: For shows scheduled between April-July 2022, this requirement will be waived.)
- Must provide results for all registered Missouri Fox Trotting Horses competing within 21 days of the show. Upon approval, show managers will receive a Recognized Show packet. The packet will include a template for submitting results.

F E E S

Required fee must be submitted with Recognized Show Application.

- MFTHBA Affiliates: \$10/day
- Non-Affiliates: \$25/day

A P P L I C A T I O N A P P R O V A L

Upon receipt of an application in the MFTHBA office, the application will be forwarded to the appropriate Regional Director. The Regional Director has 10 business days to approve, hold, or deny the show recognition. If there is no response from the Regional Director, the show is automatically approved.

Once approved, the show manager listed on the original application will be emailed a Recognized Show packet.

B E N E F I T S O F B E I N G A M F T H B A R E C O G N I Z E D S H O W

- The show will be listed on the MFTHBA website. A complete list will be added to the Showing page and the show will be added to the online calendar. The complete list of shows will be shared on social media, email newsletter, and via text. If the show creates a Facebook event, the MFTHBA should be listed as a co-host
- If the show provides a show announcement or a post-show report, it will be shared on the MFTHBA website and through other available means.
- Results will be added to the horse's official MFTHBA record
- For horses participating in the MFTHBA Medal Program, they will not need to submit additional paperwork to receive points

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— CLASS CATEGORIES



Eligible classes must fall into the following classifications. Classes should be clearly identified on the show schedule as being MFTHBA recognized classes.

- **Pleasure Horse** (includes all types of pleasure classes including English, western, country, etc.)-PH
- **Pleasure Driving**-PD
- **Hunter/Jumper** (includes classes over fences, and jumper classes)-HJ
- **Model**-M
- **Performance**-P
- **Working Horse** (reining and trail classes)-WH
- **Ranch Horse** (includes cutting, roping, working cow horse, ranch horse pleasure, ranch horse conformation, Team Penning, Ranch Sorting, and other ranch horse competitions)-RH
- **Timed Events** (barrels, Gymkhana)-TE
- **Dressage**-D
- **Trail Obstacle**-TO
- **Sport Competition** (Cowboy Mounted Shooting, Mounted Archery, Jousting, etc.)-SC
- **Other** (including classes judged on exhibitor such as equitation, showmanship, horsemanship, etc.)