



# EMT Challenge Registration



<b>Challenge Date (select only one):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> June 13 <input type="checkbox"/> June 14 <input type="checkbox"/> July 11 <input type="checkbox"/> July 12 <input type="checkbox"/> August 8 <input type="checkbox"/> August 9		
HWHP Member? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Coggins Date:	Back #:
Rider Name:		Rider Age (if Youth):
Horse Name:		Horse Age (if Jr Horse):
Email:	Phone #:	Rider Release Signed <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

A horse and rider pair may compete in **two consecutive levels** (Rookie/Green & Level 1, Levels 1 & 2, Levels 2 & 3, or Levels 3 & 4).  
You may compete in as many Divisions as you qualify. See back of form for Level and Division definitions.

	Level N/A	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
Lead Line	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Rookie In-Hand	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Rookie Riding *(See Rookie definition on back)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Green Partnership In-Hand	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Green Partnership Riding *(See Green definition on back)	<input type="checkbox"/>				
Junior Horse In-Hand (5 & under)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Junior Horse Riding (5 & under)		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Small Equine In-Hand		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Youth In-Hand		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Youth Riding		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adult In-Hand		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adult Riding		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Open In-Hand		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Open Riding		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Two-Person Team Trail (Riding)	<input type="checkbox"/> All Levels, only one member of each pair signs up & pays the class fee				

Item	Pricing		# Classes	Fee
<b>Weekend Blanket Fee (HWHP Members Only)</b>	<b>HWHP Members only, covers unlimited classes for Saturday &amp; Sunday.</b> <b>Camping &amp; Office/Grounds fee not included</b> Adult (19+): \$200 <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (18-): \$140 <input type="checkbox"/> Adult In-Hand Only: \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> Youth In-Hand Only: \$70 <input type="checkbox"/>			
Individual Challenge Classes (Excludes Lead Line)	Adult (19+)	Member	\$20/class	
		Non-member	\$25/class	
	Youth (18 & under)	Member	\$15/class	
		Non-member	\$20/class	
Lead Line	\$5/class			
Office/Grounds Fee	\$10 per Horse/Rider pair (waived for Leadliners)			\$10
Camping	\$15/night rustic site, \$20/night electric hookup. +\$10/night per stall			
PayPal Fee	\$2/transaction if using PayPal			
<b>Total Due</b>	<i>Make checks out to HWHP. PayPal payment can be sent to treasurer@hollandwestern.com with a description.</i>			

As indicated by my signature below, I acknowledge all the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge:

\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

HWHP OFFICE USE: <input type="checkbox"/> MEMBER <input type="checkbox"/> NON-MEMBER   <input type="checkbox"/> CASH <input type="checkbox"/> PAYPAL <input type="checkbox"/> CHECK, Check #: _____   Initials: _____
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## Participant Rules

A competitive event for Mountain Trail and Extreme Mountain Trail is known as a challenge. A challenge tests a horse and rider's ability to navigate both natural and man-made obstacles in a safe manner and with technical skills that demonstrate great horsemanship. There will be up to four levels of difficulty that are designed to challenge but not intimidate riders. Attire and tack required for participating must be neat, clean and in good working order. The overall purpose of the trail challenge is to promote good horsemanship skills and provide an educational venue for equestrians.

- We will be using the most current copy of the Premier Mount N Trail Association (PMT) Standards, Guidelines, Rules, and Regulations & will be using PMT-certified Judges for all Challenge Events.
  - PMT Rulebook can be found at [premiermountntrail.com](http://premiermountntrail.com).
  - See a copy of the rules for acceptable attire, tack, and equipment.
  - **All riders ages 18 and younger are required to wear helmets per guidelines provided in HWHP's Rider Release. Helmets are strongly recommended for riders 19 and older.**
- Michigan law requires horses to have tested negative for EIA within the previous 12 months prior to entering publicly held exhibitions, fairs, or shows in Michigan; therefore, HWHP requires proof of a negative Coggins prior to participation in our events.
- While each rider may be encouraged to become members of Holland Western Horse Park (HWHP) and the PMT, membership is not required to compete. Membership of HWHP is, however, required to earn points toward year-end High Point awards.
- Individual classes will be placed 1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>. See the HWHP High Point Awards document for daily and year-end overall awards. All lead-liners will receive participation awards.
- Returned check fee is \$35.
- Each partnership (rider/horse combination) can enter up to two, consecutive levels:
  - Rookie/Green & Level 1
  - Level 1 & Level 2
  - Level 2 & Level 3
  - Level 3 & Level 4
- Rookies may have a "reader" call out each obstacle to them if they choose.
- Rookies and Green partnerships may NOT compete in any Level 2-Level 4 classes.
- Rookies may not compete in Open classes.
- Trainers may not enter Youth/Adult classes or Rookie.

Divisions		Levels	
Lead Line	Any rider requiring a lead line from an adult by their side or a spotter to walk near them (e.g., a child or equestrian with disabilities). A Lead Line participant may not compete in any other level. Classes are not placed, however, score sheets are provided. The leader/spotter shall be a minimum of 18-years old.	Rookie	First year the rider is competing in an organized Mountain Trail competition with any horse, OR second year the rider is competing so long as they did not earn more than three first place ribbons in their first year competing. Walk only, 6-10 obstacles, and includes only non-moving obstacles.
Youth	Participants 18 years old and under based on age as of January 1 <sup>st</sup> . All youth are required to wear a helmet for both in-hand and under saddle competition. Stallions are not permitted to be shown by youth.	Green	Any new/growing partnership, walk only. Patterns of 6-10 obstacles. May be asked to back. Rookies and trainers are both eligible to compete in this division, however any partnership competing in a Level 2-4 class is not eligible for this division.
Adult	Amateurs 19 years of age and over as of January 1 <sup>st</sup> .	Level 1	Training and/or new partnership, walk only. Patterns of 6-10 obstacles. May be asked to back. Once a partnership earns 500 points in Level 1 at PMT-qualified challenges, they are no longer eligible for Level 1 with that same partnership.
Small Equine	Miniature equines (horse or donkey), or Ponies standing 58" (14.2hh) or less in height. PARTNERSHIP MUST BE SHOWING IN-HAND ONLY. Partnerships competing in any riding class are not eligible, regardless of equine height.	Level 2	Lower intermediate, walk and trot. Patterns of 9-12 obstacles. 180 & 360 degree turns on obstacles, backing and side passing. Once a partnership earns 500 points in Level 2 at PMT-qualified challenges, they are no longer eligible for Level 2 with that same partnership.
Junior Horse	Equines 5 years old and under. Equines are considered to be 1 year old on the first day of January following their actual date of foaling, in accordance with USEF rules.	Level 3	Upper Intermediate, walk, trot, and canter. Patterns of 12-16 obstacles. 180 & 360 degree turns on obstacles, backing and side passing. Maximum of one lope/canter per pattern.
Open	All riders qualify except Rookie and Lead Line.	Level 4	Advanced, walk, trot, and canter. Patterns of 12-16 obstacles. Advanced level maneuvers expected. Correct canter leads and simple or flying lead changes may be asked.