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# THE MQHA RANCH CHALLENGE

*MQHA Gateway Classic Show*

**Friday, May 27, 2022**

**6:00 p.m.**

**National Equestrian Center – Lake St. Louis, MO**

**Outdoor Arena – *weather permitting***

## EVENT DETAILS:

- Event will begin at approximately 6:00 p.m. on Friday, May 27, 2022
- AQHA Ranch Riding Rules apply.
- **The MQHA Ranch Challenge** will be OPEN TO ALL BREEDS.
- Entry fee will be \$100.00
  - Amateur and Youth exhibitors may compete against the open riders for a chance to win the open added money too with an additional \$50 entry fee.
  - 60% of all entry fees will go into the purse
- Entries will be taken until the event begins.
- Youth and Amateur exhibitors must own their horses as per AQHA rules.
- We will be having three divisions
  - Open
  - Amateur
  - Youth
- One horse/one rider for all three **MQHA Ranch Challenge** classes. All divisions run together.
- We will have two judges and Judge A will be the tie breaker judge
- Class format will be
  - **Ranch Conformation** - Following the Conformation, exhibitors will not leave the arena but their tack will be brought into the arena and the first one saddled and on their horse will win an additional prize!
  - **Ranch Riding** - We will be using the attached pattern.
  - **Ranch Rail**
- Scoring...assuming 10 or more horses in class...
  - 1<sup>st</sup> Place receives 10 point
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> place receives 9 points
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> place receives 8 points
  - 4<sup>th</sup> place receives 7 points
  - Etc.
- Placing's
  - Winner will be the rider with the highest number of points accumulated from all three classes per division.
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> place will have the second highest points
  - Etc.

- Added money – we will be paying 5 placing’s in the Open and 4 in the Amateur and Youth
  - Open – Added money is \$1,500.00
    - 1<sup>st</sup> – 30% of purse and Molly’s Custom Silver Buckle
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> – 25% of purse and Rod Patrick Gift Certificate
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> – 20% of purse and Bob’s Headstall
    - 4<sup>th</sup> – 15% of purse and Big Dee’s - \$100 Gift Card
    - 5<sup>th</sup> – 10% of purse and Hay Bag
    - 6<sup>th</sup> – Cavender’s \$50 Gift Card
    - 7<sup>th</sup> – Pard’s Western Shop \$25 Gift Card
  - Amateur – Added money is \$500.00
    - 1<sup>st</sup> - 40% of purse and Molly’s Custom Silver Buckle
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> - 30% of purse and Rod Patrick Gift Certificate
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> - 20% of purse and Bob’s Headstall
    - 4<sup>th</sup> - 10% of purse and Big Dee’s - \$100 Gift Card
    - 5<sup>th</sup> – Hay Bag
    - 6<sup>th</sup> – Cavender’s \$50 Gift Card
    - 7<sup>th</sup> – Pard’s Western Shop \$25 Gift Card
  - Youth – Added money is \$500.00
    - 1<sup>st</sup> - 40% of purse and Molly’s Custom Silver Buckle
    - 2<sup>nd</sup> - 30% of purse and Rod Patrick Gift Certificate
    - 3<sup>rd</sup> - 20% of purse and Bob’s Headstall
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- Thank you to our **MQHA Ranch Challenge** Sponsors
  - Rod Patrick Boots
  - Rosewood Performance Horses
  - Meadows Quarter Horses
  - Jeff & Jenny Honey
  - Jerrell Performance Horses
  - Jim Dudley Quarter Horses
  - Johne Dobbs Equine Insurance
  - Misko Quarter Horses LLC
  - Northwest Insurance – Rob Young
  - Sure Slidin Smart
  - The Doles Family
  - The Eddy Family
  - Big Dee’s
  - Bob’s Custom Saddles
  - Cavender’s
  - Chick’s
  - The Family Center of Rolla
  - Pard’s Western Shop
  - Yucca Flats
- In coordination with The Ranch Challenge, we will be offering exhibitors and spectators an exhibitor party to make this an event that everyone will want to attend!

