

FROM THE HORSE'S MOUTH

The Official Newsletter of the Kentucky 4-H Horse Program



Please join us in welcoming our new Horse Extension Associate, Anna Draeger!

Anna received her Bachelor's degree in Agriculture/Animal tech/Animal and Equine Science and her Master's Degree from Murray State University.

Along with her schooling, Anna has spent several years working in the equine industry as a riding instructor and horse trainer. Although she has experience with multiple horse breeds, she has specialized in working with the Icelandic Horse. In 2022 she obtained her FEIF Certification for teaching and training the Icelandic Horse.

Anna is looking forward to getting to know and work with the 4-H community! You can reach her at Anna.Draeger@uky.edu

Read all about it!



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Kentucky State Fair 4-H Horse Show



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The Kentucky State Fair 4-H Horse Show 2024 was a great success! Making these events happen are dependent on having a great team. We want to send out a HUGE thank you to all the volunteers, agents, and of course our exhibitors for a wonderful competition.

We look forward to seeing you next year!





Educational Article

Courtesy of the Horse.com

Understanding Autumn Laminitis in Horses

September 24, 2024 • Posted by Madeline Boast, MSc

Yes, spring brings an increased risk of endocrinopathic laminitis for susceptible horses—but so does autumn. Here's why.

Topics: Diseases and Conditions, Hoof Care, Hoof Problems, Horse Care, Laminitis (Founder), Metabolic Problems, Older Horse Care Concerns, Seasonal Care

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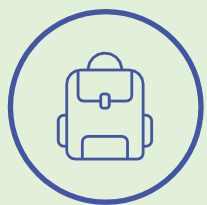
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*with a higher risk of developing laminitis should
out in the very early morning hours. | iStock*

Laminitis in horses can strike any time of year, for a variety of reasons, but veterinarians and horse owners see **endocrinopathic** cases most commonly in spring and autumn. Understanding your horse's risk level for this painful and potentially deadly hoof condition—and the physiological differences between spring and autumn

Click on the picture above to learn more on laminitis in the fall.



As a way to recognize and celebrate the incredible community we have, we're starting something new! This section is nomination based. The mentor highlight is for volunteer leaders and county agents. The youth highlight is for all Kentucky 4-Her's ages 9-18 years. Nominations are accepted from both youth and mentors.

Mentor

Please email anna.draeger@uky.edu for nominations. In your email, we want to hear about what stands out about this person, particularly in alignment with the 4-H mission.



Highlight

During each publish period, nominees will be reviewed and selected. This will consist of one mentor and one youth. A short description of why they were nominated along with a photo will be included in the newsletter. Feel free to reach out with any questions!

Upcoming Events

Are you hosting or know of an event you want to share? Email anna.draeger@uky.edu to have it listed here!

Click the photos below to learn more.



September 26, 2024
2:00-5:00pm
Uk Gatton Student Center



Liberty Festival
October 10-13
Lexington, KY

LAKESIDE ARENA

Ring 1 – 8:00 a.m.

- ** All Poles will be 1x around****
- 1 8 & Under Walk-Trot Poles Eq. O/F
 - 2 8 & Under Walk-Trot Poles Eq. O/F
 - 3 8 & Under Walk-Trot Poles Eq. Flat
 - 4 9 & Over Walk-Trot Poles Eq. O/F
 - 5 9 & Over Walk-Trot Poles Eq. O/F
 - 6 9 & Over Walk-Trot Eq. Flat
 - 7-8 Walk-Trot Poles Green Horse O/F
 - 9 Walk-Trot Poles Green Horse U/S
 100. Leadline
 10. 8 & Under Cross Rails Eq. O/F
 11. 8 & Under Cross Rails Eq. O/F
 12. 8 & Under Cross Rails Eq. Flat
 13. 9 & Over Cross Rails Eq. O/F
 14. 9 & Over Cross Rails Eq. O/F
 15. 9 & Over Cross Rails Eq. Flat
 - 16-17 Cross Rails Green Horse O/F
 18. Cross Rails Green Horse U/S
 - 19-20 Low Beginner Rider O/F 18"
 - 22-23 Low Beginner Rider Eq. O/F 18"
 21. Low Beginner Rider U/S
 24. Low Beginner Rider Eq. Flat
 - 25-26 Future Hunter O/F 18"-2'
 27. Future Hunter U/S
 87. Beginning Jumper 2'
 88. Beginning Jumper
 89. Beginning Jumper
 90. Hopeful Jumper 2'6"-3"
 91. Hopeful Jumper
 92. Hopeful Jumper
 93. Pre/Intermediate Child/Adult 2'6"-3'
 94. Pre/Intermediate Child/Adult
 95. Pre/Intermediate Child/Adult
 96. Thoroughbred Jumper 2'6"
 97. Thoroughbred Jumper
 98. Thoroughbred Jumper

Concession stand open during show

Spectators allowed

Masks and social distancing are recommended

Lakeside Arena Website:
www.lakesidearena.org

ONLINE ENTRIES ONLY !!
Horseshowing.com

AWARDS: Classes will receive 6 ribbons.
Jumper Classes: \$3 of each entry will be accumulated & divided as follows:
1st -40%, 2nd -30%, 3rd -20%, 4th -10%.
****Classes must fill (3) for payback****

Champ & Res will be awarded each day

GENERAL:

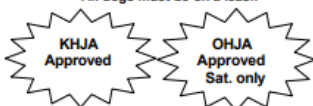
Coats and braiding not required.
All judged on performance & soundness.
Martingales not permitted in U/S classes

Upcoming 2024 Hunter Jumper Shows at Lakeside Arena: KHJA Local:
Nov 2-3, Dec 7-8

Frankfort, Kentucky

2- 130 x 227 Indoor Arenas,
180 stalls, All Under One Roof

**** All dogs must be on a leash****



Judges:

Sat. Oct 19 -TBA, TBA
Sun. Oct 20- TBA, TBA

It's a new points year!
Sign up for Lakeside Yearend today!!

****ALL entries must be submitted through Horseshowing.com****

All entries must be received by 6 PM Wednesday before the show

\$30 late fee will be charged to entries received after due date

****classes may be moved around depending on # of entries****
FOR MORE INFORMATION:
www.lakesidearena.org

****All Horses Must Have A Stall****

STALLS: Please reserve in advance.
****NO Split Stalls or Tabs****
Bruce Brown (859) 489-4885
Stall Fee: \$70 (includes 1 bag of shavings)
Extra Shavings \$9 per bag
****NO OUTSIDE BEDDING ALLOWED****

SHOW FEES:

Hunter, Equitation & Breeding - \$20 per class
Medal - \$25 per class
Jumper - \$23 per class
Office Fee - \$35 per horse
Non-exhibited horses - \$35 per horse per day
Open tabs after show ends - \$25

****\$35 returned check fee****

****No Entries accepted without an open check - no exceptions****

SCHOOLING:

Arena open for schooling Fri 12-7:30 p.m. and Sat & Sun 6-7:30 a.m.
Friday Night Schooling Only-
Horses must still enter online and will be charged stall fee - \$70; office fee \$35; and non-showing fee - \$35

GENERAL:

Negative Coggins required.
All horses must have current health cert.
ASTM approved helmets must be worn.

Sat. Oct 19 - Sun. Oct 20, 2024

Ring 2 – 8:00 a.m.

Breeding Division - in hand classes

28. Yearlings
29. Two Year Olds
30. Three Year Olds
31. Four to Six Year Olds
32. Best Young Horse - **no entry fee**
(1st & 2nd winners from classes 34 - 37)
101. 2' Warm Up..
- 33-34. Beg. Horse/Pony O/F 2'
35. Beg. Horse/Pony U/S
- 36-37 Beginner Rider O/F 2'
38. Beginner Rider U/S
- 39-40 Short Stirrup O/F 2'
- 42-43. Short Stirrup Equitation O/F
41. Short Stirrup U/S
44. Short Stirrup Equitation Flat
45. Long Stirrup O/F 2'
46. Long Stirrup O/F 2'
48. Long Stirrup Equitation O/F 2'
49. Long Stirrup Equitation O/F 2'
47. Long Stirrup U/S
50. Long Stirrup Equitation Flat
51. Equitation 11 & Under O/F 2'
52. Equitation 11 & Under OF 2'
53. Equitation 11 & Under Flat
105. KHJA Medal 2'
109. OHJA Medal 2' - (Sat. Only)
54. Children's Hunter Pony O/F 2' & 2'6"
55. Children's Hunter Pony O/F
56. Children's Hunter Pony U/S
102. 2'6" Warm Up
106. KHJA Medal 2'6"
110. OHJA Medal 2'6"- (Sat. Only)
- 57-58. Equitation 12-14 O/F 2'6"
59. Equitation 12-14 Flat
60. Special Hunter O/F 2'6"
61. Special Hunter O/F
62. Special Hunter U/S
63. Baby Green O/F 2'6"
64. Baby Green O/F
65. Baby Green U/S
66. Thoroughbred Hunter O/F 2'6"
67. Thoroughbred Hunter O/F
68. Thoroughbred Hunter U/S
69. Low Child/Adult O/F 2'6"
70. Low Child/Adult O/F
- 72-73. Low Child/Adult Eq O/F
71. Low Child/Adult U/S
74. Low Child/Adult Eq Flat
107. KHJA Adult Medal 2'6" or 3'
103. 2'9" & 3' Warm Up
75. Modified Child/Adult Hunter O/F 2'9"
76. Modified Child/Adult Hunter O/F 2'9"
77. Modified Child/Adult Hunter U/S
- 78-79. Equitation 15 & Over O/F 3'
80. Equitation 15 & Over Flat
108. KHJA Medal 3'
111. OHJA Medal 3'- (Sat. Only)
- 81-82 Low Hunter O/F 3'
83. Low Hunter U/S
- 84-85 Children's/Adult Amateur O/F 3'
86. Children's/Adult Amateur U/S

WARNING: UNDER KENTUCKY LAW, A FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITY SPONSOR, FARM ANIMAL PROFESSIONAL, OR OTHER PERSON DOES NOT HAVE THE DUTY TO ELIMINATE ALL RISKS OF INJURY OF PARTICIPATION IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES. THERE ARE INHERENT RISKS OF INJURY THAT YOU VOLUNTARILY ACCEPT IF YOU PARTICIPATE IN FARM ANIMAL ACTIVITIES KRS 247-4027

KHJA Show at Lakeside Arena
October 19-20, 2024

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<https://afs.ca.uky.edu/4h-youth/horse>

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