

Michigan Interscholastic Horsemanship Association



Region D Information Packet

October 1st & 2nd, 2022

Western Michigan Fairgrounds

5302 US 10

Ludington, MI 49431

Show Chairman: Alyssa Walter
Assistant: Emilie Walter
Show Committee: Tiffany Spedowski (D8), Alyssa Walter (D9), Jeanna Michalek (D18)

Announcer: Tom Kosanic
2nd Speed Announcer: Tiffany Spedowski

Office: Emilie Walter, Alyssa Walter, Amber Phillips

Office Hours: September 30th - 12pm to 9pm (subject to change)
October 1st and 2nd - 6:45 am (subject to start time and judges contracts) to 30 min after last class

We are excited to be hosting the Region D competition for MIHA or another year. Please return the stall and camping form ASAP to assign where teams are going. Rosters are needed before slot sheets can be generated. The slot sheets generated are the only official sheets accepted.

There will be a celebration of life for Doyle Fenner on Sunday, September 25th, the weekend before Regionals. Things will start at 2:30 pm in the Show Sale Barn (Barn 11) at the Western Michigan Fairgrounds. Address is found on front of packet. There will be a cookout, not sure as of yet on an official ceremony. If you have any good pictures of Doyle, email them to tanyawalter1999@gmail.com.

T-shirt order form is included in packet. All pre-orders will be filled before any remaining shirts will be for sale. Shirts from previous years available in limited sizes at reduced rates.

The show office will have sweatshirt blankets with MIHA logo for sale in a variety of colors at \$30 each.

There will be a chance auction running all weekend. Each team is asked to bring at least one donation for said auction.

Schedule, Job Assignments, and possible Golf Cart Rental information (price is \$120) still to come.

Deadline for paperwork* : Tuesday, September 27th @ 9pm

*Stall/Camping form, T-shirt order, golf cart reservations, rosters

General Information

District 8
Tiffany Spedowski
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District 9
Alyssa Walter
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District 18
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DC's: Please email District Champion and Reserve Champion team rosters to Alyssa ASAP.

- Slot sheets must be emailed to Alyssa Walter no later than midnight 48 hours after they have been sent out.
- Jobs will be assigned per District. District Chairs will assign teams
 - If anyone would like to volunteer for something specific, please message Alyssa directly
- All equitation classes will require a pattern and all riders will be called back for rail work
 - You are responsible for downloading and printing your own copies of the patterns. Patterns will be posted September 26, 2022 on www.miha.org under the Patterns section. Patterns will not be provided in the registration packet or in the show office.
- All coaches must report to the office by pm on Friday to verify slot sheets and pay
 - No badges or back numbers will be released without payment
 - Checks must be made payable to MIHA Region D
- 2 badges per team. If a team has more than 2 coaches, they must share badges
 - Only coaches or assistant coaches can register the team or make class changes
 - The coach/assistant coach must show the badge to make class changes.
 - All class changes must be in writing; Slot sheets must be free of marks of any kind.
- Food concessions available on the grounds

Coaches: all your team members and their parents, trainers or friends are your responsibility. If a problem arises during competition only a coach may bring it to the office or directly to your District Chairman. Nobody goes to the Judge. One warning will be given. The next infraction, the person will be asked to leave the ground for the day of competition. If the person does not comply, all points for said team for that day of competition will be forfeited.

General Rules

1. **NO HORSES IN THE CAMPING AREA AT ANY TIME**
2. If you park your camper/trailer in a spot not assigned to your team, you will be moved unless the spot is unassigned
 - a. Empty trailer parking available south of the campgrounds by the road going around racetrack and on east side of campground by fence
3. Dogs must be leashed, in camper or restrained on lot at all times
4. Fire pits must be of the above ground variety
5. Area between the cones and the rail on south rail of arenas is for coaches only
6. There is to be no discharge of waste from campers/trailers anywhere except the dump station
 - a. Dump station is on west side of the grounds towards the main entrance
7. No smoking except in designate parking spots and campsites
 - a. Do not leave buds on the ground
8. No riding double or with just a halter at any time
9. When in gymkhana attire, jumping, hunt tack or riding bareback, exhibitors must have a properly fitted helmet with tightened chin strap at all times
10. Lunging is only allowed in the arenas and the infield by the 3rd arena
11. Horse stalls do not need to be cleaned but tack stalls must be cleaned and all decorations must be removed
12. No bikes, roller skates/blades, skateboards on the grounds for traffic and safety concerns.
13. Do **not** dump fire pits and coals in the dumpsters.



2022 Region D Shirt Order Form

Team: _____ Division (circle): A B C D District: _____

Payment **MUST** be made by one person for the entirety of the order on this form. Make checks payable to MIHA Region D
DO NOT COMBINE THIS CHECK WITH STALL/CAMPING FEES

Regional shirts are \$18/shirt, please list the total number wanted by each size.

Small: _____

Medium: _____

Large: _____

Extra Large: _____

2X-Large (+\$1): _____

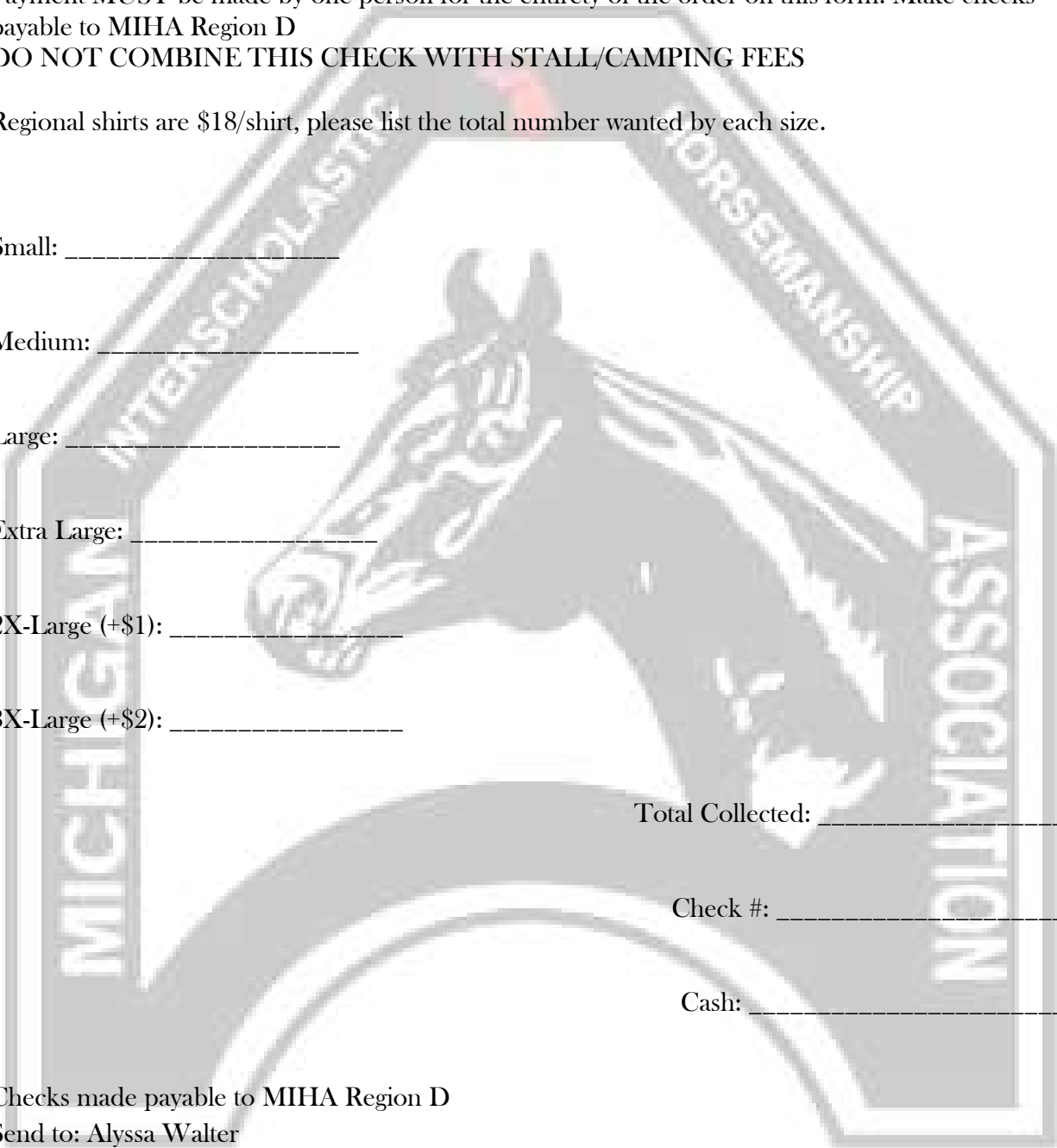
3X-Large (+\$2): _____

Total Collected: _____

Check #: _____

Cash: _____

Checks made payable to MIHA Region D
Send to: Alyssa Walter
Email: district9.miha@gmail.com



2022 Region D Stall & Camping Reservation Form

Payment **MUST** be made by one person for the entire team
 Checks made payable to MIHA Region D

Team: _____ **District:** _____
Division(circle): A B C D

Mileage	Horse Stall Cost	Tack Stall Cost	Camping Fee	Horse Stalls Required	Tack Stalls Required	Camping Units	Amount Collected
0 - 80 Miles	\$65	\$35	\$65				
81 Miles & Over	\$50	\$35	\$65				

Shavings are available at \$6.75/bag

MUST BE ORDERED IN ADVANCE; NO GUARANTEE ON SHAVINGS NOT ORDERED AHEAD

Mileage: Mapquest- Mason County Fair Grounds to school competing as

# Bags	Total \$

Total Collected: _____

Check #: _____

Cash: _____

Checks made payable to MIHA Region D

Send: Alyssa Walter

Address for mailing: 1322 Jefferson Ave SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49507

Email: district9.miha@gmail.com