### **MIHA** Season

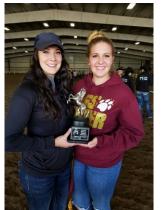
# Our season runs from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>.

#### Spring is all about Junior High!

Our Junior High riders are the future of MIHA. These meets are great for beginners and newbies to MIHA as well as seasoned riders. There are Walk/Trot only <u>classes</u> as well as many of the same classes as the High School. Teams from all around the State compete in each of the 20 <u>Districts</u>. Each District holds at least one Junior High meet. Junior High also has the unique opportunity for teams to form cooperatives with each other.

#### Fall is all about High School!

Teams from all around the State compete in each of the 20 <u>Districts</u>. Each District holds three District Meets. The top two teams in each of the 4 Divisions will advance from their District to their respective <u>Regional</u> competition. From each Region, the top two teams in each division advance to the <u>State Championship</u> competition. If you want to find out if your School has a team go to the <u>Districts</u> page to find your school. If your school doesn't have a team, you can start your own team.



# Something for Everyone

Hunt Seat, Saddle Seat, Western & Timed Events



Hunt Seat Showmanship Equitation

Equitation Over Fences Bareback



### Timed Events

Trail Flag Race Cloverleaf Timed Event 2 Person Relay



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# Equestrian Team Competition Junior High Senior High



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Saddle Seat

Showmanship

Equitation

Pattern

#### <u>Western</u> Showmanship Horsemanship Western Riding/Reining Bareback

## What is MIHA?

### Purpose

The purpose of this organization is to promote continuous growth in programs fostering horsemanship education, sponsor activities to encourage interscholastic participation and to have cooperative adult-supervised leadership (coaching) for all students in grades 5 through 12 who are desirous to participate regardless of race, creed or national origin and meet the Association rules and regulations (By-Laws).

### Goals

Throughout Association leadership and coaching, it is our goal that the student members derive whatever enjoyment and benefits possible as a result of participating as riders in horsemanship education programs and interscholastic competition.

The MIHA and Coaches will involve each equestrian student (male and female) to the extent possible in team competition.

The MIHA and Coaches will provide situations where each equestrian team member can be exposed to cooperative working experience that leads to common group goals.

The MIHA and Coaches will provide each equestrian team member with the opportunities to experience good leadership, fair play, horsemanship, sense of honesty, character, pride and good sportsmanship at all times.

The MIHA and Coaches will always provide, conduct and host equestrian interscholastic programs with proper instructions, coaching methods, conditioning rules, health, safety and welfare of each participant.



# **Find Your District**

### I know my District, now what?

Visit www.MIHA.org and contact your District Chairperson. They will help you get a team started if you do not already have one and answer all your questions.

**District Chairperson Name:** 

**District Chairperson Contact Info:** 

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