

**2008 Great American / USDF Breeders' Championship Series –
Rocky Mountain Series Qualifier Show and Finals
and
RMDS Sport Horse Breeding Championship 2008**

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Open Sport Horse Show

Opening Date: Aug. 11th Closing Date: Sept. 19th

**A Qualifying Event for the Great American / USDF Breeders'
Championship Series- Rocky Mountain Series Final
as well as a
Qualifying Event for the RMDS Sport Horse Breeding Championships**

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BREED SHOW – OPEN CLASSES AND CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES

Young Horse/Sport Horse Classes – Open Show

Class 1: Fillies of 2008, with or without dam, foals only to be judged

Class 2: Yearling Fillies (born in 2007)

Class 3: Two Year old Fillies (born in 2006)

Class 4: Three Year old Fillies (born in 2005)

Class 5: **Filly Champion of Open Show / Great American / USDFBC Qualifier** – 1st two places from classes 1, 2, 3, 4 (no class fee)

Class 6: Colts of 2008, with or without dam, foals only to be judged

Class 7: Yearling Colts and Geldings (born in 2007)

Class 8: Two Year old Colts and Geldings (born in 2006)

Class 9: Three Year Old Colts and Geldings (born in 2005)

Class 10: **Colt Champion of Open Show / Great American / USDFBC Qualifier** – 1st two places from classes 6, 7, 8, 9 (no class fee)

Class 11: **Young Horse Champion of Open Show** – 1st two places from classes 5, 10 (no class fee)

Mature Horse/Breeding Classes – Open Show

Class 12: Four Year Old and Older Broodmares with or without foals (mares only to be judged)

Class 13: Four Year Old and Older Maiden and Yeld Mares (not nursing or currently in foal)

Class 14: **Champion Mare of Open Show / Great American / USDFBC Qualifier** – 1st two places from classes 12, 13 (no class fee)

Class 15: Four Year Old and Older Stallions

Class 16: **Champion Stallion of Open Show / Great American / USDFBC Qualifier** – 1st two places from class 15 (no class fee)

Class 17: **Mature Horse Champion of Open Show** – 1st two places from classes 14, 16 (no class fee)

Class 18: **Grand Champion of Open Show** – 1st two places from classes 11, 17 (no class fee)

Individual Breed Classes

Winners do not move on to Championship classes, horses entered must be registered with the breed specified in the class. If you would like your breed represented, please contact Heather Petersen, 719-683-8435 or slush@drgw.net

Class 50: **Arabian / Half-Arabian Breed Class**

Class 51: **Hanoverian Breed Class**

Class 52: **Oldenburg Breed Class**

Class 53: **American Warmblood Breed Class**

Class 54: **Trakehner Breed Class**

Class 55: **KWPN and NA/WPN Breed Class**

Class 56: **Westfalen Breed Class**

Class 57: **Andalusian Breed Class**

Class 58: **Holsteiner Breed Class**

Class 59: **AQHA or Appendix AQHA Breed Class**

Class 61: **Friesian or Part Friesian Breed Class**

Class 60: Amateur/Junior/Young Rider Handler (Score 70% on presentation of horse, handler s technique and general impressions: 30% on conformation and gaits).

Great American / USDF Breeders' Championship – Rocky Mountain Breeder's Championship 2008

Class 19: USDFBC Filly Finals – open to all Champion and Reserve Fillies from qualifying series eligible to compete (class fee for this class)

Class 20: USDFBC Colt/Gelding Final – open to all Champion and Reserve Colts/Geldings from qualifying series eligible to compete (class fee for this class)

Class 21: USDFBC Mare Finals – open to all Champion and Reserve Mares from qualifying series eligible to compete (class fee for this class)

Class 22: USDFBC Stallion Finals – open to all Champion and Reserve Stallions from qualifying series eligible to compete (class fee for this class)

RMDS Sporthorse Breeding Championship - 2008

Class 23: RMDS Championship - Young Horse Champion

(only open to those horses that have qualified previously or at this Open Show, class fee for this class)

Class 24: RMDS Championship - Mature Horse Champion

(only open to those horses that have qualified previously or at this Open Show, class fee for this class)

Class 25: RMDS Championship – Grand Champion Horse

Highest score of the 1st two places of classes 23 and 24 (no class fee)

Under Saddle Classes – Open Show – Only one horse can be ridden per class by an individual rider, except Championship class.

Class 26: Three Year Old Fillies Materiale

Class 27: Three Year Old Colts and Geldings Materiale

Class 28: Four and Five Year Old Mares Materiale

Class 29: Four and Five Year Old Stallions Materiale

Class 30: Suitable to Become a Dressage Horse – Open to horses any sex, six years and under, not competing above First Level

Class 31: Champion Under Saddle of Open Show – 1st two places from classes 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 (no class fee)

QUALIFYING FOR BREED CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES

NOTE: The open breed show is a qualifier for the Great American / USDF Breeders' Championships – Rocky Mountain Series Final as well as for the RMDS Sporthorse Breeding Championship 2008.

To qualify for the Great American / USDF Breeders' Championships – Rocky Mountain Series Final: Horses that have been Champion or Reserve Champion Filly, Gelding, Mare or Stallion at any qualifying show (including this Open Show) are automatically qualified to enter the Great American / USDF Breeder's Championships. See the current RMDS Omnibus for a list of qualifying shows for this year.

To qualify for RMDS Sporthorse Breeding Championships: the first and second place horse from any RMDS recognized sporthorse breeding class (including this Open Show) is eligible to attend the RMDS Sporthorse Breeding Championships in that class. The horse, owner and handler must be RMDS members in good standing at the time the placing was earned.

All horses entered in any Great American / USDF Breeders' Championship Series show must either be registered with USDF or pay a \$20.00 USDF Horse Identification Number Fee (that is good for the life of the horse but not eligible for any USDF Year End Awards), and submit identification information and (if available) a copy of the registry papers directly to USDF or to the first Great American / USDFBC Qualifying Event that they enter. Any horse participating in the Series Final classes must be lifetime registered with USDF. The DSHB Identification Number Fee will apply toward the (lifetime) USDF Horse Registration Fee. Awards may be withheld by USDF to Series winners if the following information, if known, is not provided to USDF or show management prior to reporting or competition deadlines: name and breed of horse, sire, dam, dam's sire, age, sex, breeder, handler and owner.

Breed Show Fees:

- Breed show open classes **\$30** per class – all classes except call back classes 5, 10, 11, 14, 16, 17, 18, 25, 31.
- RMDS Championship Breed Classes 23, 24 - **\$40** per class.
- RMDS Grand Champion Class #25 – **no fee**
- Great American / USDF Breeders' Champ classes 19, 20, 21, 22 - **\$40** per class.
- Office fee **\$40** per breed show entry
- All **USEF/USDF fees are applicable**. Refund policy and stabling fees are stated in the RMDS Championships prize list.

Awards:

- Ribbons to 4th place for the open show classes, champion and reserve champion ribbons for call back classes.
- Open Show classes – 1st place trophies.
- RMDS Sport Horse Breeding Championships neck ribbon to champion and reserve champion, trophy for champion.
- Great American / USDF Breeders' Series Champions receive a Champion neck sash, embroidered cooler, and plaque. Reserve champions receive a reserve neck sash and plaque.

Important Information:

For information on refunds, stabling, dogs, show office hours and oh so much more, please refer to the RMDS Championships and Open Show Prize List.