



2022 INSPECTION INFORMATION

Date: Thursday, October 6, 2022

**Location: Walters State Great Smoky Mountains Expo Center
1615 Pavilion Dr. White Pine, TN. 37890**

Host: Friesian Horse Association of the Mid-East www.fhamefriesians.com

Site Coordinator: Lisa Baker [\(423\)-646-9292](tel:(423)-646-9292) or majesticacres@charter.net

TIMELINE OF EVENTS

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

12:00pm Facility open for arrivals

12:00pm – 6:00pm Check-In station open (Office across from main barn)

6:30pm – 7:00pm Owners Meeting & AGM (Adjacent barn aisle or covered arena)

**7:00pm Dinner, Silent Auction & Barn Party, Possible Q & A with the judges
(Adjacent barn aisle or covered arena)**

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9:00 am IBOPS & Measuring of adult horses (stall side in barn aisle)

9:30 am Inspection begins with stallions, colts, fillies, mares, geldings & championship

Possibility of a judges clinic at lunchtime if there is an interest

[*Inspection schedule/order subject to Judges' discretion](#)

INSPECTION INFORMATION

FACILITY: The facility has one wash rack in an adjoining area, RV/trailer hook ups and parking, bathrooms with showers and is only minutes to hotels, restaurants and Interstate 40/81. One barn will be used for stabling horses. Stallions will be placed at the end of the aisle. All judging will take place in the outdoor arena, weather permitting. The judging area and adjoining covered warm up arena are in the immediate vicinity of the barns. There is limited seating for the outdoor arena and covered warm up arena. Guests may want to bring their own chairs. To read more go to <http://www.ws.edu/expo/facilities/>.

- ARRIVAL & CHECK-IN:** The check-in station will be open on Wednesday from 12:00pm until 6:00pm in the office across from the main barn (see facility overview). Please stop by and check in immediately **BEFORE** you unload and settle your horses. If your required paperwork of Coggins and Health Certificate is not sent to FHAME ahead of the event then you **must** check in and present paperwork **prior** to unloading of horses.

At the check-in station, your entries will be confirmed and you will receive your bridle numbers, booklets and lunch/dinner tickets. After 6:00pm, our event staff will be preparing for the owner's meeting, AGM and barn party and will not be available to check you in. If you must arrive after 6:00pm, please note that on your site form so we can make arrangements for you.

If you are unexpectedly delayed during travel and will arrive after 6pm please call the site coordinator to arrange check-in at (423) 646-9292. If you plan to arrive the morning of the inspection, please arrive no later than 7:30am. Please note it is advisable to arrive the day prior to the inspection to give your horse the opportunity to rest and settle in. Horses that are not present at the gate when called will be skipped.

All horses 6 months and older must provide a copy of a Negative Equine Infectious Anemia test (Coggins) taken within 12 months. All horses traveling to the Inspection from outside the state of Tennessee must have a valid Certificate of Veterinary Inspection (Health Certificate) signed within 30 days of the date of arrival. Please email or mail a copy of your Coggins and Health Certificate to the site coordinator, Lisa Baker at majesticacres@charter.net **PRIOR** to arriving at the facility. Horses that arrive without required proof of Coggins or Health Certificate will not be permitted to unload at the inspection site under any circumstances and will not be allowed to participate in the inspection.

EVENT STAFF: If you have any issues with your stall or general facility questions please let the site coordinator, Lisa Baker, or the event staff at the check-in station know. The day of the inspection, the site coordinator and event staff will be available to you in the arena and barn areas. Please feel free to direct your questions or concerns to them, they are there to assist you. If they don't know the answer, they will find someone who does. Please be courteous and polite to the event staff, as they are volunteers.

SECURITY INFORMATION: A private security guard has been hired by FHAME to monitor barn security and will be on duty overnight. Please secure any valuables, including tack, as needed. If you choose to lock your horse stalls, we highly recommend leaving a key or combination with the security guard in the event of an emergency for the horse. Also, please ensure the emergency contact listed on your stall card is correct when you arrive.

2022 FHAME MEMBER DISCOUNTS: As a benefit of our current 2022 and/or new 2023 FHAME chapter membership, we are offering discounts on this year's inspection fees and upcoming events to our members. In order to receive the 2022 member discounts, please complete a 2023 membership application/renewal form and annotate you wish to join or renew your membership on the Inspection Fee Form. Membership payment can be made in conjunction with your inspection fees. The cost of membership is \$40. Our 2023 Membership year runs from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023. If you are currently a member, renewal is not required to receive discounts.

HORSE & TACK STALLS. See Inspection Fee Form for prices. All stalls are 12'x12'. The main barn where we typically house horses has concrete floors. There is another barn with dirt clay floors available. If you wish to stall your horse in the barn with the clay floors, please note this request on your fee form. Each stall fee includes 4 bags of shavings. You may purchase additional bags of shavings if desired. Please note, you may bring your own shavings but no straw or sawdust is allowed on site. Stalls are NOT required to be cleaned at the end of our event. A stall card will be placed on your stall with your horses' name and your emergency contact information. If you have a specific request as to how your stalls are arranged or where they are located in the barn, please note on your paperwork when you submit it. The barn is located directly across from the warm up arena and it is a very quick, convenient and level walk to the arena.

LODGING: Here are three hotel options on the same exit as the facility. Rates might be less expensive if booked through the internet. RV and trailer hookups are available to rent at our inspection site as well

Best Western Plus
130 Cracker Road
Morristown, TN 37813
(423) 587-2400
2 miles from Inspection Site
Discounted Rate: \$99.95 plus tax
Mention Friesian Horse Inspection for this discounted rate

Hampton Inn
5368 Winners Circle Road
Morristown, TN 37813
(423) 839-1920
2 miles from Inspection Site
Rate \$158.00 plus tax

Super 8
5400 Quarter Horse Trail
Morristown, TN. 37813
(423) 714-7646
2 miles from inspection site
Rate \$99.00 plus tax

PHOTOGRAPHY & VIDEOGRAPHY: Information will be in every participants packet regarding contact info and fees. Sign up will happen at check in. Typically all horses are videoed/photographed.

RUNNERS: The runners are in business for themselves. You can sign up & pay to have them present and run your horse(s) at the exhibitor meeting/dinner on Wednesday evening or the day of the inspection. FHAME has helped to make them available for you, as a professional runner is priceless! You are also welcome to present your own horse if you wish.

IBOP's: All IBOP's (riding, driving and show driving) will be conducted in accordance with FHANA/KFPS standards. For specific tack, attire and rules, please see the 2022 FHANA Keuring Handbook or FHANA website. IBOPs will take place in the outdoor arena or under the covered warm up arena in the event of inclement weather.

INSPECTIONS: Inspections will take place in the outdoor arena or under the covered warm-up arena in the event of inclement weather. Foals will be walked in hand after examination and then turned loose for their movement to be assessed. All other classes of entries (minus IBOPs) will be shown in hand on the triangle. For specific tack and rules, please see the 2022 FHANA Keuring Handbook.

HANDLERS AT THE WALK: For classes other than foals, all horses in the class will first enter the arena together to circle the arena at the walk. This is done by the owner, runner, or trainer of the horse. Due to the limited number of runners, you must be prepared to walk your own horse. This is to allow your horse to relax and become familiar with the arena. All horses will leave the arena and be called back individually in catalog order for their official inspection. Additionally, once a class is completed (including foal classes in many cases) the judges will often ask for all horses to return to the arena together and stand with their handlers for comments about each horse and announcement of the premium.

INSPECTION ATTIRE: Traditional white attire is suggested out of respect for the judges for any handlers entering the arena during the inspection.

ORDER OF GO: The final order of the inspection will be determined by the judges, and announced during the owner's meeting the night before the inspection. The anticipated schedule of classes is:

IBOPs

Measuring of all adults (stall side in barn, have their number on their halter)

3+ yrs Stallions

2 year old Stallions

Yearling Stallions

Colts

Fillies

Yearling Fillies

2 year old Fillies

Mares

Geldings

Stallions- 2nd viewing. (By invitation of the Judges)

Champion round- per Judges' discretion. Participants will be announced by judges following the last class of the day. Only horses that receive a 2nd premium or higher are eligible for championships. May include foals in some rare cases.

Please note that ORDER OF GO is subject to change by the judges.

Don't Forget List.

- Original laminated KFPS registration papers (give to runners when horse is presented.)
- White tack, grooming supplies & hoof polish
- White clothing.
- Exact cash for runners \$120
- Feed & hay
- Manure bucket & fork
- Water hose for washrack.
- Water/feed buckets.

FHANA Established Site Rules.

- Only event staff, KFPS and FHANA representatives are allowed in the arena.
- No spectators, unofficial photographers, or videographers may be in the arena at any time.
- Handlers must wait outside of the arena unless presenting or running a horse.
- Owners may only enter the arena by invitation from the designated Judge or Judge's liaison.
- No dogs inside the arena.
- All dogs on the premises must be on a leash and never left unattended.
Dogs who misbehave or bark excessively will be asked to leave.
- No smoking.
- No loose horses on the grounds (including foals).
- Do not tie or leave horses unattended.
- Let others know if you are entering with a stallion or unruly horse.
- Safety first, always be aware of your surroundings and proximity to other horses and humans.
- Equestrian appropriate attire and footwear is required for handling horses or in horse occupied areas.
- No riding or driving on grounds unless you are presenting for the IBOP.
- Lunging and groundwork/exercise privileges allowed for participants, only with permission granted by event staff in designated warm up area.
- If participating in the IBOP test, please ask permission before using main arena for practice.