



16th Annual Point Show & Intermountain Versatility Circuit July 8th - 10th, 2010

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Open to Registered Missouri Fox Trotter Horses
July 8-10, 2010

Western Montana's Beautiful Bitterroot Valley
Sapphire Event Center, Corvallis, MT
www.sapphireeventcenter.com

Registration: \$10.00 per horse & rider per class
\$15.00/class for Postmark after June 26, 2010

July 8, 9 am-Model & Showmanship Classes

Ranch Horse Cow Classes

July 9, 9 am-Performance Classes

July 10, 9 am-Versatility Classes

July 11 -BSFTA Memorial Trail Ride, 9 am.

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Welcome from the Show chair

This year is our 16th year of putting on this show. Sadly I have to follow in the wake of my Wife, Cathy, and her record setting show in 2008 and then Jacks huge success with combining The Versatility and Performance shows once again in 2009. I have attempted to take the successes of the shows before me, learn from them, and hopefully improve on them. We will combine classes where appropriate and move classes into days that were previously over early in the day. We will have a no host supper on Friday and hope to wrap up early enough on Saturday to have a no host get together with the Judge, Karen Graddy, that evening. Signup sheets for these events will be available on the show grounds. We hope that many can join us. We will then cap the weekend with a Memorial trail ride and catered lunch on Sunday in honor of our fallen comrades in some of the most beautiful ridding in Montana. You really don't want to miss that.

We again will have a full slate of performance classes and have increased the amount of Novice classes along with the Intermountain Versatility Circuit and National High Point Classes. Most of all we want you to have fun. My wife and I are looking forward to seeing old friends and hopefully making a few new ones. So come join us in the beautiful Bitterroot Valley of Montana, you'll be glad you did.

Noteworthy items: Immediately following the finish of the classes on Saturday we will have our awards ceremony at the Sapphire. There we will crown our Champions for Ranch Horse: Open, Amateur, and Youth; Versatility Awards: Open, Amateur, Novice, and Youth; All Around: Open and Amateur and then our High Point Youth award.

This year, when we hand out our thank you cards with the awards, we ask that you write in them immediately and return them so that we can make sure that they are delivered to our wonderful sponsors. Also, to the extent that you can, please patronize those that have made this possible.

Hope to see you all here!

Randy Olson

Show Chair



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Welcome from the Show Chairman, Cont.

Where to eat.

Victor Steakhouse in Victor; one of our clubs favorites. Victor Steakhouse is your traditional Montana steakhouse, thick juicy steaks, simple and satisfying. Good food and a large drink selection makes it a good place to kick back and relax after the show.

The Kitchen in Hamilton; located on 2nd St in Hamilton as our own Mark Goss has so enthusiastically put "it's best breakfast in the valley." They have everyone's favorites and all of it is to die for, if you try it out be sure and get the ham, it is delicious.

The Edge restaurant in Hamilton; It has impressive views and even more impressive food. It is relaxed Atmosphere and offers everything from steaks and seafood to just plain old comfort food. Well priced and a lot of fun.

Nap's Grill in Hamilton; if you are looking for legendary Montana burgers you will find it at Nap's. Their Nap's deal (12oz burger, basket of fries, and a soda) will destroy any amount of hunger that you may have. And for under ten bucks it is a steal.

Marie's Italian Restaurant in Stevensville; if you like Italian this is a must while you are in the area. Marie's serve the freshest ingredients with the best sauces, breads, and wines this side of the Atlantic. It is a small family operation so space is limited and it is by reservation only.

Memories cafe in Corvallis; this is very central to the show grounds and serves up some of the best food and, as the name implies, memorabilia from the Bitterroot valley. If you end up there be sure to get a piece of pie before you leave.

Here are some of the hotels close to the show grounds.

Bitterroot River Inn in Hamilton

Super 8 Hamilton

Townhouse Inn of Hamilton

Stalls: Additional stalls can be found at the Ravalli Fair Grounds in Hamilton.

The cost per Stall is \$15.00 per night, please call the Ravalli Fair Grounds office at 406-363-3411 to Reserve your stalls.