

NH Medal Classes Hosting Requirements

1. Shows wishing to host NH Medal Classes must submit application and proof of insurance a minimum of 10 days prior to the show date and must receive approval prior to running NH Medal Classes.
2. Dates of hosting shows will be posted on the NHHJA website.
3. There is no fee to host NH Medal Classes. Please use the term host/hosting rather than affiliate/affiliated.
4. Each hosting show must submit show results to the medal point secretary within 7 days following the show date. Failure to submit these to the medal point secretary on time will result in a \$25.00 fine and may result in the loss of hosting ability.
5. Only judges rated by NEHC or USEF may judge NH Medal classes. Any exceptions must be approved by the Board prior to competition.
6. Only one class per medal division may be offered per show day, unless special permission by the Board is granted prior to the show.
7. Courses for all Medal classes must consist of at least 6 fences. Combinations may only be used in Junior and Adult medal classes. There must be a safe area for warm-ups. Jumps must be well constructed.
8. At least 3 riders must complete the course in order for points to count.
9. In the event of insufficient entries, NH Medal Classes may be combined as follows. When combined, all riders must show over a common course, with fences set at their respective heights.
 - *NH Junior Medal & NH Amateur Adult Medal
 - *NH Mini Medal and/or NH Adult Mini Medal and/or NH Modified Children's Medal
10. Other than as listed above, NH Medal classes may not be combined with any other classes.
11. A horse/pony may only be ridden once, in any qualifying class and at NH Finals.
12. Testing is optional and at the discretion of the judge.
13. Riders do not need to be NHHJA members to show in NH medal classes at Host Shows, however, in order to accumulate points to qualify for the NH Medal Finals, a rider must be a current member of NHHJA. Riders may join the day of show.
14. Riders may ride in more than one NH Medal class, at qualifying shows as long as they are eligible per specs for each class. If a rider **qualifies** for more than one medal class, he/she must choose **ONE** medal class to compete in at NH Finals.

Qualifying Medal Classes

- *must be a member to accrue points for finals* -

-No more than one rider per horse per class (follows USEF EQ 102-10)-

NH Adult Medal – fences not to exceed 2’9”. Amateur riders 18 years of age and older must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-23. *NH Adult Medal and NH Junior Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height.*

Note: When rider wins Adult medal class at year-end finals, he/she must skip one (1) year of competing in the class at the finals, but may return to compete in the class the following year.

NH Junior Medal – fences not to exceed 3’. Junior riders must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-23. *NH Junior Medal and NH Adult Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height.*

Note: When rider wins Junior medal class at year-end finals, the rider no longer eligible to compete in the class again at finals.

NH Mini Medal - fence heights not to exceed 2’6”. Open to junior riders who have never shown higher than 3’ at any recognized show. Riders must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8. *NH Mini Medal, NH Modified Children’s Medal and/or NH Adult Mini Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height.*

Note: If a rider wins Mini medal class at year-end finals two (2) years consecutively, the rider is no longer eligible to compete in class again at finals.

NH Modified Children’s Medal – fence heights not to exceed 2’3”. Open to junior riders who have never shown higher than 2’6” at a recognized show. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8. *NH Modified Children’s Medal, NH Adult Mini Medal and/or NH Mini Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height.*

Note: When rider wins Modified Children’s medal class at year-end finals two (2) years consecutively, the rider is no longer eligible to compete in class again at finals.

NH Adult Mini Medal – fence heights not to exceed 2’6”. Open to amateur riders 18 years of age and older who haven’t shown higher than 2’9” at a recognized show in the current show season. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8. *NH Adult Mini Medal, NH Modified Children’s Medal and/or NH Mini Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height.*

Note: When rider wins Adult Mini medal class at year-end finals, he/she must skip one (1) year of competing in the class at the finals, but may return to compete in the class the following year.

NH Novice Medal – fence heights not to exceed 18”. Open to junior and amateur adult riders who have never shown higher than 2’ at a recognized show. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. Course may be taken at trot or canter, and simple changes shall not be penalized. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge.

Note: When rider wins Novice medal class at year-end finals 2 years consecutively, he/she is no longer eligible to compete in the class again at finals.

***New* NH Pre Child/Adult Medal** - fence heights not to exceed 2'. Open to junior and amateur adult riders who have not shown higher than 2'3" at a recognized show in the current show season. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify for NH Medal Finals. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and at the discretion of the judge.

Note: Note: When rider wins Pre Child/Adult medal class at year-end finals 2 years consecutively, he/she is no longer eligible to compete in the class again at finals.

NH Medal Class Specifications

- *Must be a member to accrue points for finals.* -
- Point scoring: 1st-10; 2nd-8; 3rd-6; 4th-4; 5th-2; 6th-1. -
- No more than one rider per horse per class (follows USEF EQ 102-10). -

NH Adult Medal – fences not to exceed 2’9”. Amateur riders 18 years of age and older must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 8 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. *NH Adult Medal and NH Junior Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-23.*

NH Junior Medal – fences not to exceed 3’. Junior riders must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 8 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. *NH Junior Medal and NH Adult Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-23.*

NH Children’s Medal - fence heights not to exceed 2’6” for large ponies/horses, 2’ for small/medium ponies. Open to junior riders who have never shown higher than 3’ at any recognized show. Children’s riders must accumulate 10 points in order to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. *NH Children’s Medal and/or NH Modified Adult Medal and/or NH Modified Children’s Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective height. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8.*

NH Modified Children’s Medal – fence heights not to exceed 2’3”. Open to junior riders who have never shown higher than 2’6” at a recognized show. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. *NH Modified Children’s Medal and/or NH Modified Adult Medal and/or NH Children’s Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. To be shown at respective heights. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8.*

NH Modified Amateur Adult Medal – fence heights 2’3”-2’6”. Open to amateur riders 18 years of age and older who have not shown higher than 2’6” at a recognized show in the current show year. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 8 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. *NH Modified Adult Medal, NH Modified Children’s Medal, and/or NH Children’s Medal may be combined if there are not enough entries to fill them separately. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8.*

NH Novice Medal – fence heights not to exceed 18”. Open to junior and amateur adult riders who have never shown higher than 2’ at a recognized show. Must accumulate 10 points to qualify. Riders will be required to perform over a minimum of 6 fences with at least one change of direction. At least three (3) riders must complete the course. Testing is optional and is at the discretion of the judge. USEF Tests 1-8.

New Hampshire Hunter Jumper Association

2026 NH Medal Qualifying Classes

Hosting Contract

Host Show Name: _____

Primary Contact Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Dates of horse show(s): _____

In signing this contract, the 'Host' agrees to the following:

Results of all New Hampshire Medal classes must be reported no more than *seven (7) business days after the classes were held*. Results may be emailed to kara.quigley@ymail.com, or mailed to Kara Quigley, 1 Conifer Rd, Rindge NH 03461.

There is no hosting fee for the 2026 show season. Once this Hosting Contract and Proof of Insurance are provided, host shows will be posted on the NHHJA website.

All New Hampshire Medal Classes must run according to the class specifications. All medal riders must be members of NHHJA for their medal points to count. Please download the membership form from the website.

Authorized Signee of Host Show: _____ Date: _____

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Please return this completed form and Proof of Insurance to:

Kara Quigley
1 Conifer Rd. Rindge, NH 03461
kara.quigley@ymail.com

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Thank you for hosting NHHJA Medal Classes! We extend our warmest wishes for a safe and successful show season!