

## OCT. 9-12 | THE KENTUCKY HORSE PARK

## Competitive Trail Preliminary Competition

**Max Course Time: 7 minutes** 

Wait for the steward to indicate when the timer will start your run through the course. Riders may elect to move at a faster gait where in between obstacles to make up time.

Obstacle 1: Somewhere Over the Rainbow Walk horse through the rainbow curtain. Proceed to the next obstacle.

**Obstacle 2 – Tornado** Grab handle on turnstile. While holding handle, ride one full revolution from starting place spinning the tornado. Proceed to the next obstacle.

**Obstacle 3 – Follow the Yellow Brick Road** Start at the marker and walk over the yellow brick road path of bridges. Proceed to the next obstacle.

Obstacle 4 – If I Only Had a Brain Back through the chute. Proceed to the next obstacle.

## Obstacle 5 - Put 'Em Up, Put 'Em Up

<u>Individual Riders</u> – Muster your courage and pick up lion from barrel and drape lion over the withers. Ride to the second barrel and set down lion. Dismount and walk to the mounting block. Re-mount and ride back to barrel to retrieve the lion and drape lion over the withers. Ride to the first barrel and replace the lion.

<u>Team Riders</u> – Muster your courage. Rider #1, pick up lion from barrel and drape lion over the withers. Ride to the second barrel and set down lion. Dismount and walk to the mounting block. Hand horse off to Rider #2. Rider #2, re-mount and ride back to barrel to retrieve the lion and drape lion over the withers. Ride to the first barrel and replace the lion. Proceed to the next obstacle.

Obstacle 6 – "No one can love who has not a heart" Retrieve a red heart at the obstacle. Ride up to the Tin Man and place heart in his chest. Proceed to the next obstacle.

**Obstacle 7 – Field of Poppies** Make two laps around the poppies. The first lap, lope one full circle on the outside of the markers in the correct lead. Transition to a trot for the second lap. Slow down to a walk and proceed to the next obstacle.

**Obstacle 8 – I'm Melting** Ride into the water at designated spot. Continue riding through the water and exit at the marker. Proceed to the next obstacle.

Obstacle 9 – Pay No Attention to the Man Behind the Curtain Facing horse toward the curtain, retrieve the rope and draw the curtain. Hold for a count of 1-2-3. Gently release the curtain and replace the rope. Proceed to the final obstacle.

Obstacle 10 – You've Always Had the Power My Dear With your right hand, open the gate, ride through, and shut the gate. (You may need to tap your heels three times). There is no place like home.

