



West Virginia University Equine Studies Program,  
West Virginia University Western Equestrian  
Team  
and Zone 2 Region 5

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2022 IHSA WESTERN SEMI-FINALS

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March 19-20, 2022

WVU JW Ruby Research Farm

Reedsville, WV

# 2022 Western Semi Finals – WVU

## Judges:

Tammy Braham, PA

Steve Lackey, NC

## Show Manager:

Bobby Dean

## Location:

WVU JW Ruby Research Farm at Reedsville  
155 WVU Reedsville Farm Drive  
Reedsville, WV 26547

## Registration:

**Entry Fees:** \$85 for individuals and \$595 per team.  
Entries should be submitted by the Region President to Bobby Dean at [mountaineercoach77@gmail.com](mailto:mountaineercoach77@gmail.com) by **Monday March 9**. Please make checks payable to **IHSA, Inc.**

# Lodging, Travel, and Food:

**Preferred Hotel:** Springhill Suites by Marriott  
1910 Hunters Way / Morgantown, WV 26505  
T 304.225.5200 F 304.225.5211  
To reserve rooms with our rate of \$89 per night use the link here by March 18th:  
[Book your group rate for IHSA Semi-Finals](#)

**Camper Hookups:** We do offer camper hookups with water and electric (no sewer) on site for \$50 for the weekend. If you would like to reserve a camper hookup, please email [Crystal.Smith@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:Crystal.Smith@mail.wvu.edu) by **March 7<sup>th</sup>**.

## Directions to the WVU JW Ruby Research Farm:

The farm is located less than 5 minutes northwest of Reedsville, and 20 minutes southeast of Morgantown.

### Directions from I-68 to 155 WVU Reedsville Farm Drive, Reedsville, WV 26547 (25 minutes)

- From I-68 take Exit 4/Route 7 (Sabraton)
- Follow Route 7 East towards Masontown/Reedsville
  - Follow Route 7 East for 13.2 miles
  - Pass thru the town of Masontown
  - Pass the Save-A-Lot, Subway, and Dairy Queen in Reedsville
- Turn R at the 4-way stop sign in Reedsville onto the Kingwood Pike
  - Follow the Kingwood Pike for 0.9 miles
- The farm is on the Left.

**Note:** DO NOT follow your navigation system or GPS once you get on Route 7 East. It will take you off Route 7 on very windy, narrow Summer School Road. Follow the written directions outlined above. The only turn you should make off Route 7 East is the R turn at the 4-way stop in Reedsville onto the Kingwood Pike.

**Concessions:** Breakfast and lunch will be available for purchase on Saturday and Sunday on the grounds. Please bring cash for the food stand.

**We know you can ride,  
but do you think you can dance?  
We'll be the judge.**

# **HOEDOWN SHOWDOWN**

## **Dinner & Exhibitor Party**

**Saturday,  
March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**5 pm**

**Hazel Ruby McQuain Equine  
Education & Resource Center  
at the JW Ruby Research Farm**

Dinner includes - Pulled Pork BBQ Sliders, Chipotle Beef Chili, Vegetarian Chili, Cornbread, Zesty Coleslaw, Deserts, and Drinks. Dance Off Competitions with awards for individuals and teams throughout the night, so bring your best dance moves.

Please RSVP by March 7<sup>th</sup> to [Crystal.Smith@mail.wvu.edu](mailto:Crystal.Smith@mail.wvu.edu) with the school you are representing and number of people in your party.

# General Schedule of Events

**Friday:** Rider/Team check in between 4:00-6:00 PM  
Reining schooling at 5:00 PM  
Horsemanship schooling from 6:00 - 7:30 PM

*The WVU Equine Studies Program and the WVU Western Equestrian Team will be sponsoring a reception with light snacks and refreshments from 4:00 - 6:00 PM.*

**Saturday:** Ranch Schooling 7:00 AM  
Coaches Meeting 8:30 AM  
Show Starts at 9 AM

*At the conclusion of Saturday's classes, we will be hosting a Hoedown Showdown in the educational center on site. This will include a BBQ style dinner and dance off competition for individuals, teams, coaches, and families. This event is sponsored by WVU Equine Studies, WVU Student Government Association and the WVU Western Equestrian Team. See flier for more information and be sure to RSVP by March 7<sup>th</sup>.*

**Sunday:** Reining Schooling 7:00 AM  
Coaches Meeting 8:30 AM  
Show Starts at 9 AM

*Team awards ceremony at the conclusion of the event.*

**Note:** Due to restrictions on arena size and evenness of horses, all individual classes will be split into sections with a final. The only exception to this will be Individual Reining; it will just run as a final. Awards will be given at the conclusion of the Finals of each individual class.

# Saturday Order of Classes

## *Ranch Warm-Up*

Team Ranch Riding

## *Horsemanship Warm-Up*

Individual Level 1 Horsemanship Preliminary A

Individual Open Horsemanship Preliminary A

Individual Rookie Horsemanship Preliminary A

Individual Level 2 Horsemanship Preliminary A

Individual Beginner Horsemanship Preliminary A

Team Level 1 Horsemanship

## *Reining Warm-Up*

NRHA Individual Reining Finals

Individual Open Horsemanship Preliminary B

Individual Rookie Horsemanship Preliminary B

Individual Level 1 Horsemanship Preliminary B

Individual Beginner Horsemanship Preliminary B

Individual Level 2 Horsemanship Preliminary B

Team Intermediate Horsemanship

**Breaks to drag the arena will be taken as needed.**

*There may be horses in the reining classes shown in romal reins.*

# Sunday Order of Classes

## *Reining Warm-Up*

Team Reining

## *Horsemanship Warm-Up*

Alumni Horsemanship

Team Level 2 Horsemanship

Individual Rookie Finals

Individual Level 2 Horsemanship Finals

Individual Level 1 Horsemanship Finals

Team Beginner Horsemanship

Team Open Horsemanship

Individual Beginner Horsemanship Finals

Individual Open Horsemanship Finals

Individual Level 2 Ranch Riding

**Breaks to drag the arena will be taken as needed.**

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***Presentation of Team Awards***

***Safe Travel Home!***