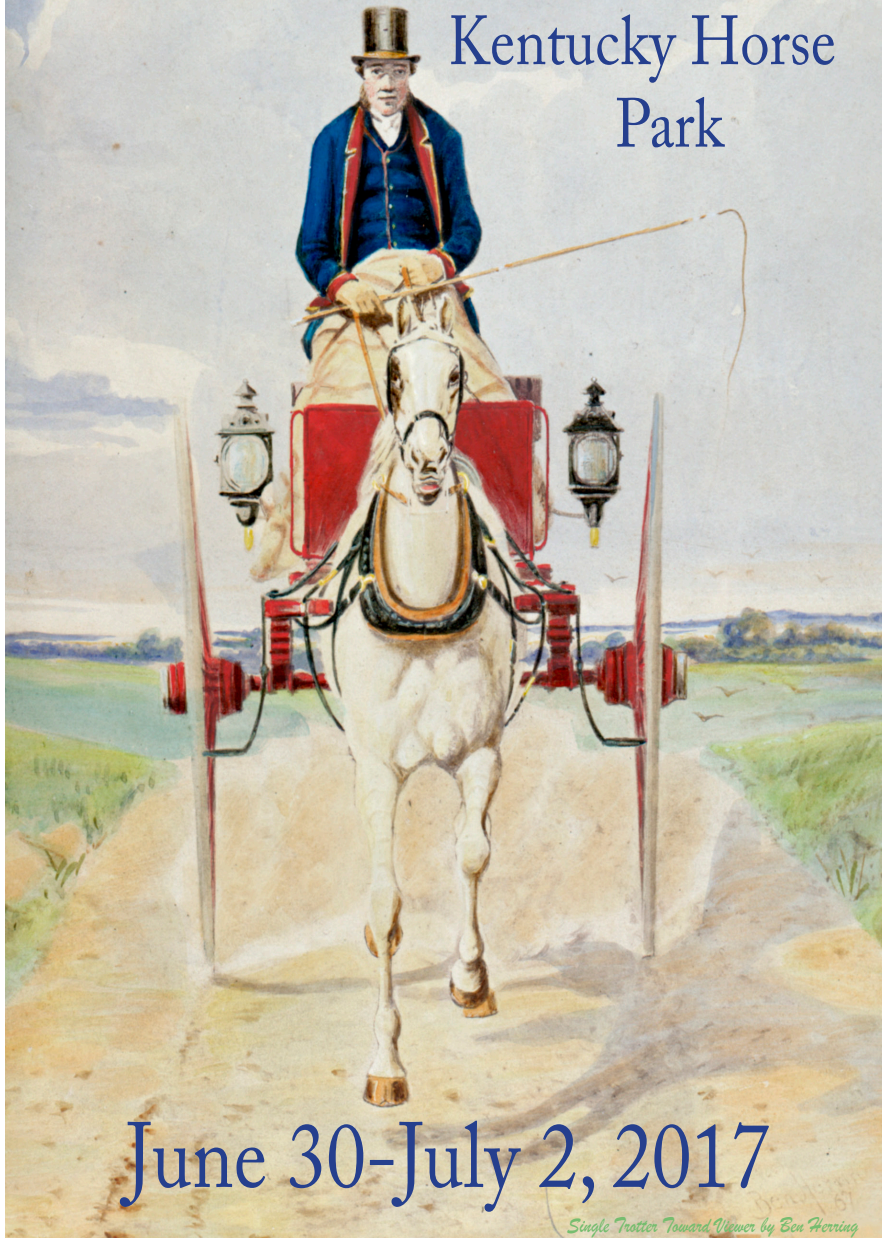


the 7th annual **CAA Carriage Festival**

at the

**Kentucky Horse
Park**



June 30-July 2, 2017

Single Trotter Toward Newer by Ben Herring

USEF-approved Local Competition ADS-recognized Competition

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Classes Offered:

1. Single Horse Turnout
2. Singel Horse Reinsmanship
3. Single Horse Timed Obstacles
4. Single Horse Working
- 5a. Large Single Pony Turnout (12.2+)
- 5b. Small Single Pony Turnout (12.2 & Under)
- 6a. Large Single Pony Reinsmanship
- 6b. Small Single Pony Reinsmanship
- 7a. Large Single Pony Timed Obstacles
- 7b. Small Single Pony Timed Obstacles
- 8a. Large Single Pony Working
- 8b. Small Single Pony Working
9. Pair Horse Turnout
10. Pair Horse Reinsmanship
11. Pair Horse Timed Obstacles
12. Pair Horse Working
13. Pair Pony Turnout
14. Pair Pony Reinsmanship
15. Pair Pony Timed Obstacles
16. Pair Pony Working
17. Tandem Horse / Pony Turnout
18. Tandem Horse / Pony Reinsmanship
19. Tandem Horse / Pony Timed Obstacles
20. Tandem Horse / Pony Working
21. Utility Vehicle Working
22. Utility Vehicle Reinsmanship
23. Utility Vehicle Timed Obstacles
24. Multiple Horse / Pony Turnout
25. Multiple Horse / Pony Reinsmanship
26. Multiple Horse / Pony Timed Obstacles
27. Multiple Horse / Pony Working
28. Park Bonneted Phaeton Afternoon Turnout
29. Park Bonneted Phaeton Evening Turnout
30. Park Bonneted Phaeton Performance
31. Park Wicker Phaeton Afternoon Turnout
32. Park Wicker Phaeton Picnic Turnout
33. Park Wicker Phaeton Performance
34. Festival Turnout
35. Festival Reinsmanship
36. Festival Timed Obstacles
37. Festival Working
38. VSE Turnout
39. VSE Reinsmanship
40. VSE Timed Obstacles
41. VSE Working
42. Junior Turnout
43. Junior Reinsmanship
44. Junior Timed Obstacles
45. Junior Working
46. Coaching Appointments
47. Coaching Obstacles
48. Coaching Best Pleasure
49. Coaching Best Team
50. Attendants Class
51. Fancy Dress / Costume Class
52. Carriage Dog Class
53. Old Guard - Working
54. Double Jeopardy Single Pony
55. Double Jeopardy Single Horse
56. Coaching Quick Change

Officials

The following have been invited to officiate. The committee reserves the right to vary, change, or add to these names should it be necessary.

JUDGE.....Nicole Cable
New York

TECHNICAL DELEGATE.....Kali Knickerbocker (r-RD)
New York

RINGMASTER.....Matt Ferro
New York

ANNOUNCER.....Peter Fenton
Kentucky

VETERINARIAN.....Hagyard
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SHOW SECRETARY.....Jill Ryder

LICENSEE.....Carriage Association of America

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To enter the CAA Carriage Festival, complete and sign the Entry Form, the CAA Waiver, the ADS Disclaimer, and the Federation Entry Agreement, and send these with payment to the CAA office (address and fax number above).

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Where To Stay

Kentucky Horse Park Campground

The Kentucky Horse Park's Campground offers 260 spacious sites with 50/30/20 amp electric, and water. All sites are 55-foot paved back-ins with fire rings and picnic tables. Two dump stations are provided.

Be sure to book early, as the CAA Carriage Festival falls on a holiday weekend this year! The summer holiday-weekend rate is \$40 per night, with a five-night minimum stay. Check-in is at 2:00 p.m., and check-out is 12:00 noon. All guests must check in at the Campground store upon arrival, before going to their site.

To reserve a campground site, call Reserve America at 888-4KY-PARK (888-459-7275).

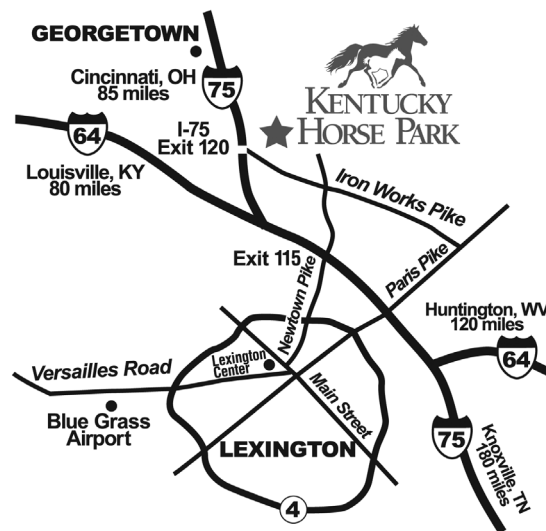
Area Hotel and Bed & Breakfast Options

The Embassy Suites is the official Carriage Festival hotel, with a special rate of \$135.95 per room, which includes breakfast and a daily cocktail party. To make a reservation, call 859-455-5000 and mention our group code: CAA.

These additional options are located near the Kentucky Horse Park ...

La Quinta Inn (pet-friendly) – 859-231-7551
Fairfield Inn – 859-977-5870
Griffin Gate Marriott Resort & Spa (pet-friendly) – 859-231-5100
Clarion Lexington - North – 859-233-0512
Winner's Circle Motel, Georgetown – 800-999-6965

The Blue Heron B&B – 859-527-0186
Lyndon House Bed & Breakfast – 859-420-2683



General Information

The CAA Carriage Festival is more than just a driving horse show. It is a celebration of all things related to horse-drawn carriages from the pleasure-driving show and the annual Carriage Showcase, to the trade fair, educational talks and demos, and social activities with fellow CAA members and carriage aficionados. There is something for everyone during the three days of activities located in and around the Alltech Arena at the Kentucky Horse Park in Lexington.

Carriage Showcase

The annual Carriage Showcase competition is a great place to show off your vehicles or to view some spectacular ones, plus learn a thing or two!

Social Activities

We want everyone to enjoy themselves meeting new and old friends, and you are invited to participate in the welcome reception, the barbecue dinner on Friday evening (tickets available), and the popular barn party.

Talks and Demos

Educational talks and demos will take place over the weekend on a variety of subjects, including harness, carriage art, pony vehicles, tips for showing, and so much more.

Trade Fair

Vendors will be set up on the mezzanine in the Alltech Arena.

Pleasure-driving Show

A variety of driving classes will be presented on Friday and Saturday, ranging from single ponies to coaches and everything in between!

Driving at Will

Come stable with us in Barns 22, 23, and 24, near the Alltech Arena. You can then drive around the Park at will.

The Kentucky Horse Park

The Kentucky Horse Park has so much to offer. You can meet Thoroughbred legends at the Hall of Champions, see interesting breeds at the Breeds Barn Show, or head out for a walking barn tour to meet the Park's police horses, see the blacksmith facility, and explore a Kids' Barn with stories and activities perfect for young visitors.

The 2017 CAA Carriage Showcase . . .

an adjudicated evaluation of vehicles preserved, restored, or newly built, following traditional styles.

The competition will take place on Friday, June 30, 2017.

Classes Offered in the Carriage Showcase:

1. Restored: Amateur
2. Restored: Professional
3. Original / Preserved
4. New Vehicles
5. Miniature Reproductions
 - 6a. Vehicles in Use – Restored (30 years and older)
 - 6b. Vehicles in Use – New (less than 30 years old)
7. Photo Showcase

Restored: The object of the Showcase is to evaluate the quality and authenticity of the restoration done on the vehicles. The judges' decisions will take into account the paintwork, including the suitability of the color scheme; the trimming; and the quality of the work. The trim (cushions, squabs, carpet, top, and lining), as well as the accessories (dash, fenders, whip socket, lamps, stick basket, etc.) shall also be judged for quality and appropriateness.

Amateur: To qualify for the amateur class, all of the painting must be the work of an amateur. Professional striping and trimming work will be allowed.

Miniature Reproductions: Modeled reproductions of original vehicles that are functional but not large enough for animal use.

Vehicles in Use: Used (driven) since they were restored, conserved, or newly built. These vehicles give viewers an opportunity to see the effects of use on materials and finishes, the durability of repairs that may have been made, and might provide some guidance and feedback to restorers and owners considering restorations. Vehicles previously entered in the Restored class and driven since then are eligible for this class.
not eligible for overall awards, unless at least 20% of the vehicle has been modified since its last competition. (Exception: See "Vehicles in Use" above.)

For information on additional awards offered, regulations and rules as well as an entry form please visit www.CAAOnline.com or call the CAA office.

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The CAA Carriage Festival is a United States Equestrian Federation (USEF) "Approved Pleasure Driving Competition" and will be held in accordance with the USEF Rules. We recommend that all competitors familiarize themselves with the current USEF Rule Book, which is available online at www.USEF.org. For more information call the USEF Customer Care department at (859) 258-2472. Hard copies of the Rule Book are available to USEF members when renewing membership.

General Rules and Regulations

A Complete set of Rules and Regulations will be included in your participant packet and is also available at www.CarriageFestival.com as well as www.CAAOnline.com.

Stalls and Carriage Storage

We are pleased to provide permanent stabling adjacent to the Indoor Arena at \$100 per stall for Thursday, Friday, and Saturday night. Any additional nights are available at \$40 per stall per night. All stalls have doors. Shavings are available from Dever Show Services (located right at the Hore Park, 859-233-9702). If you pre-order shavings, they will be waiting for you at your stall(s). Hay and grain is also available through Dever.

Stalls will be available beginning at 12:00 noon on Wednesday, June 28, 2017. No arrivals will be allowed on Tuesday, June 27. Reservations must be made for all stalls. Please indicate the number of stalls needed and the amount of payment on your entry form. The committee requests that you plan your arrival between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4 p.m. Should this time be inconvenient to your travel plans, please notify us of your approximate arrival time. Competitors exhibiting stallions are responsible for providing any additional screening or wallboarding, etc. Night security will be provided; however, the Committee will accept no responsibility for items lost or damaged.

Entries close June 1, 2017. POST ENTRIES will be accepted up to the day before any class, provided the Committee has not closed the class.

Golf Carts

****Please note change in vendors****

Golf carts will be available for rent. Insurance regulations require that golf carts, ATVs, scooters, etc. are not to be driven in spectator areas or the staging areas. A five-mile speed limit is to be maintained in all areas and all drivers must have a valid driver's license and proper insurance coverage. Extreme caution is to be exercised when operating a golf cart, ATV, scooter, etc. in the stable area. Cunningham Golf and Utility Vehicles (www.cunninghamgolfcar.com) will now be providing all golf cart services at the Kentucky Horse Park. Please feel free to contact David Dewberry at DDewberry@cgsuv.com in regards to your needs.

Minors who do not have a valid driver's license which allows them to operate a motorized vehicle in the state in which they reside will not be permitted to operate a motorized vehicle of any kind, including, but not limited to, golf carts, motorcycles, scooters, or farm utility vehicles, on the competition grounds of licensed competitions. Minors who have a valid temporary license may operate the above described motorized vehicles as long as they are accompanied by an adult with a valid driver's license. The parent(s), legal guardian(s), or individual who signs the entry blank as a parent or guardian of a minor

operating a motorized vehicle in violation of this rule are solely responsible for any damages, claims, losses or actions resulting from that operation. Violations of this rule will be cause for sanctions against the parent(s), guardian(s) and/or trainer(s) who are responsible for the child committing the offense. Penalties may include exclusion of the child, parent(s), guardian(s), and/or trainer(s) from the competition in accordance with Chapter 6. Wheelchairs and other mobility assistance devices for individuals with disabilities are exempt from this rule.

Arena Footing

All ring classes will be held in the Kentucky Horse Park's (indoor) Alltech Arena, on sand footing.

Dogs

Under no circumstances should dogs be allowed to run freely alongside, beside, or under the vehicle during competition. If a dog is riding on a vehicle, it must never be tied or in any way attached to the vehicle. No dogs will be allowed on the grounds or in the stabling area unless restrained by a leash. The Committee will confine any dog not restrained by a leash and a \$25 retrieval fee will be assessed.

Juniors

Junior driver is an individual who has not reached his/her 18th birthday as of December 1 of the 2017 competition year. Junior drivers not yet 14 years of age must be accompanied by a knowledgeable adult horse-person at all times. Failure to comply incurs elimination.

Stallions are prohibited in Junior classes.

Junior drivers who have not reached their 11th birthday are limited to classes held in the ring.

All Juniors in all competitions must wear properly fastened protective headgear, which meets or exceeds current ASTM (American Society for Testing and Materials) / SEI (Safety Equipment Institute) standards for equestrian use and carry the SEI tag. It must be properly fitted with harness secured. Failure to comply will result in elimination.

Turnout

In all classes the driver will wear a hat (Juniors: see Rule 10), an apron or knee rug, and gloves. An appropriate driving whip shall be carried at all times while driving. The whip thong must be able to reach the farthest horse / pony. A driver not in compliance with the above shall be severely penalized. Failure to carry a whip in an Obstacle class incurs elimination. A person who is unable to carry a whip may obtain special permission from the Technical Delegate to drive without one. The person must supply the TD with a doctor's letter on official letterhead; a copy should be submitted at the time of making entries. In all classes, drivers and their passengers should be dressed conservatively according to the style of the present day. Any attempt to introduce period costumes or gaudy trappings is discouraged (exception: "Fancy Dress / Costume Class"). Dress for driver, passengers, and attendants should conform to the type of turnout; i.e., Formal, Park, Sporting, or Country. In all classes, gentlemen must wear a coat or jacket unless excused from doing so by the Judge, and are requested to remove their hats when accepting awards. Ladies must wear a conservative dress, tailored suit, or slacks. Floppy hats are inappropriate for driving and are discouraged. Grooms of either sex may wear stable livery in any but the most formal vehicles, where formal livery would be appropriate.

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