MARYLAND'S PREMIER 2019 HORSE EVENTS

ALL SEASONS


Medieval Times Dinner and Tournament, medieval jousting on horseback, open year round, Arundel Mills, Hanover (medievaltimes.com) 1-888-WE-JOUST (Anne Arundel Co.)

Maryland Horse Shows Association, horse shows of all types, indoor and outdoor held statewide year round (mdhsa.org)

Show Place Arena and Prince George’s Equestrian Center, year-round schedule of horse events, Upper Marlboro (showplacearena.com) 301-952-7900

JANUARY

- Jan 2-May 5: Laurel Park Winter Meet, Laurel Park (marylandracing.com) 301-725-0400 (Anne Arundel Co.)

February

- Feb. 16-18: Cure the Winter Blues, Saturdays Laurel Park, (marylandracing.com) 301-725-0400 (Anne Arundel Co.)

MARCH

- March 6 – May 18: Rosecroft Spring Harness Racing Season starts, Oxon Hill (rosecroft.com) (Prince George’s Co.)
- March 24: Foxhall Farm Trophy Team Chase (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-991-5918 (Baltimore Co.)
- March 31: Green Spring Valley Point to Point, Cockeysville (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-446-0989 (Baltimore Co.)

APRIL

- Jousting Season Begins, ring jousting, official Maryland state sport (marylandjousting.com)
- April 6: Elkridge Harford Point to Point Races, Monkton (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-404-7071 (Baltimore Co.)
- April 13: My Lady’s Manor Steeplechase, Monkton (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-557-9570 ext 211 (Baltimore Co.)
- April 20: Grand National Point-to-Point, Butler (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-771-1756 (Baltimore Co.)
- April 27: Maryland Day, UMD Ag Day Avenue, stable open house & show, College Park (marylandday.umd.edu) 301-405-1000 (Prince George’s Co.)
- April 27: Maryland Hunt Cup Steeplechase, Glyndon, (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 443-253-5134 (Baltimore Co.)
- April 28: Maryland Junior Hunt Cup, Shawan Downs, Cockeysville (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-446-0989 (Baltimore Co.)

MAY

- May 5-6: Maryland Combined Training Association Horse Trials, Shawan Downs (mdcta.com) (Baltimore Co.)
- May 5: Howard County-Iron Bridge Race Meet, Pleasant Prospect Farm, Brookeville (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-692-6290 (Howard Co.)

JUNE

- June 1 - Aug. 18: Laurel Park Summer Meet (marylandracing.com), 301-725-0400 (Anne Arundel Co.)
- June 22-23: Ride For Life Dressage Competition, Show Place Arena & Prince George’s Equestrian Center (pvdarideforlife.org)

JULY

- July 8-14: EQUUS Film Festival, Maryland State Fairgrounds, Timonium, Fasig-Tipton. http://mda.maryland.gov/horseboard (Baltimore Co.)

AUGUST

- August 3: Maryland Junior Hunt Cup, Shawan Downs, Cockeysville (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-446-0989 (Baltimore Co.)

SEPTEMBER

- September 7: Maryland Day, UMD Ag Day Avenue, stable open house & show, College Park (marylandday.umd.edu) 301-405-1000 (Prince George’s Co.)

OCTOBER

- October 20: Grand National Point-to-Point, Butler (marylandsteeplechasing.com) 410-771-1756 (Baltimore Co.)

NOVEMBER

- November 24: Maryland Combined Training Association Horse Trials, Shawan Downs (mdcta.com) (Baltimore Co.)

DECEMBER

JULY

• July 4-7: Maryland Horse Trials Recognized Horse Trials #1, Loch Moy, (themarylandhorsetrials.com) 301-514-0111 (Frederick Co.)

• July 13-15: Maryland Horse Trials Recognized Horse Trials #2, Loch Moy, (themarylandhorsetrials.com) 301-514-0111 (Frederick Co.)

• July 27: Ronny Maher Memorial Polo Cup, Ladew Gardens, Monkton (marylandpolo.com) (Harford Co.)

AUGUST

• Aug 23 - Sept. 2: HORSE LAND Maryland State Fair (11 days of horse racing, horse shows, pulling contests), Timonium (marylandstatefair.com) 410-252-0200 (Baltimore Co.)


SEPTEMBER

• Date TBD - Green Cup Polo Tournament, Congressional Polo Club, (greencuppolo.com) (Montgomery Co.)

• Sept. 6 -Dec. 29: Laurel Park Fall Meet, live horse racing, (marylandracing.com) 301-725-0400 (Anne Arundel Co.)

• Sept. 16-Dec. 16: Rosecroft Fall Harness Racing Season starts, Rosecroft Raceway, Oxon Hill (rosecroft.com) (Prince George’s Co.)

• Sept. 13-16: Maryland Horse and Pony Show, Show Place Arena & Prince George’s Equestrian Center, Upper Marlboro (mdhorseandponyshow.com)

• Sept. 14-22: Great Frederick Fair, Harness Racing and Horse Festival, (thegreatfrederickfair.com)

• Sept. 21: Bill Pickett Rodeo, Show Place Arena and Prince George’s Equestrian Center, Upper Marlboro, (billpickettrodeo.com)

• TBA: Days End Farm Fall Festival, Days End Farm Horse Rescue, Lisbon (defhr.org) (Howard Co.)

• Sept. 28: Shawan Downs Legacy Chase, Cokesville (shawansdowns.org) 410-666-3676 (Baltimore Co.)

• Oct. 6-8: Harrison Mule Days, Carroll County Equestrian Center, Mount Airy (harrisonmuledays.com) 301-674-3187

OCTOBER

• Sept 30 - Oct. 8: Capital Challenge Horse Show, Show Place Arena & Prince George’s Equestrian Center, Upper Marlboro (capitalchallege.org)

• Oct. 5-7: Harrison Mule Days, Carroll County Equestrian Center, Mount Airy (harrisonmuledays.com) 301-674-3187

• Oct 5-7: Maryland Horse Trials Recognized Horse Trials #3, (themarylandhorsetrials.com) 301-514-0111 (Frederick Co.)

• Oct. 15: Totally Thoroughbred Horse Show, Pimlico Race Course (pimlico.com) (Baltimore City)

• Oct. 18-20: Fair Hill International 3-Day Event, Fair Hill Natural Resources Management Area (fairhillinternational.com) (Cecil Co.)

• Oct. 19: Maryland Million, Laurel Park (marylandmillion.com) 410-252-2100 (Anne Arundel Co.)

• Oct. 23-27: Washington International Horse Show, Verizon Center, Washington, D.C., horses stabled at Prince George’s Equestrian Center. (wihs.org)

• Oct. TBA: Waredaca Classic Three Day Event Competition, Laytonsville (waredaca.com) 301-570-4191 (Montgomery Co.)

• TBA: Full Moon Farm Horse Trials, Finksburg. (fullmoonfarm.com) (Carroll Co.)

• TBA: Day of the Horse (grahameq.com) 410-663-4445 (Baltimore Co.)

NOVEMBER

• TBA: Days End Farm Fall Festival, Days End Farm Horse Rescue, Lisbon (defhr.org) (Howard Co.)

• TBA: Day of the Horse (grahameq.com) 410-663-4445 (Baltimore Co.)

DECEMBER

• TBA: Lisbon Ole Fashion Christmas Horse Parade, (lisbonhorseparade.com) 301-674-3187 (Howard Co.)

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