

**Gulf Coast Donkey and Mule ASSociation Proudly Hosts**

**TEXAS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP  
ADMS NATIONAL SHOW  
ACOSA REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP &  
NMDA MINIATURE DONKEY SHOW**

**2009**

**September 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>**

Lone Star Equestrian Center

[www.thelonestar.org](http://www.thelonestar.org)

Conroe, Texas

**Large Animal Judge: Matthew McMillan**

**NMDA Miniature Judge: Wayne Whitehead**

Pre-registration deadline **August 24, 2009**

Entry forms & Texas Donkey & Mule rules available on [www.gcdma.org](http://www.gcdma.org)

**BUCKLES 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE EACH CLASS \*\***

**\*\*Trophies for all pee wee's in each class**

Start Times:

Saturday September 12th - **8:00 a.m.**

Sunday September 13th - **7:00 a.m.**

Participants may begin arriving Friday September 11th, 12:00 noon (**no early arrival without special arrangements**)

Entry Fee: \$12.00/per class-GCDMA Members \$10.00/per class - Late Entry Fee \$14.00 per class

Office Fee: \$ 10.00/per equine – Late Office Fee \$25.00/per equine

**Stalls** - \$40.00 weekend (STALLS ARE REQUIRED) miniature donkeys only will be allowed two animals per stall

**SHAVINGS** - One bag per stall minimum \$8.50 (7.6 cu ft.) NO SHAVINGS ARE TO BE BROUGHT ON THE PROPERTY

**Vender Booths** \$50.00 **RV Hook ups** \$25.00 per day (water and electricity only) 46 sites available, sites reserved in order, as received with entry.

**Proof of Negative Coggins Required**

Please mail entries to: Mary Merriwether, 26719 Maplewood Drive, Spring, TX 77386

For information contact: Rose Jones (281) 689-7205 [lazyj@icansurf.net](mailto:lazyj@icansurf.net)  
Jeannie Richards (979) 732-7097 [lilangelsdonkeys@gmail.com](mailto:lilangelsdonkeys@gmail.com)

**Registration Requirements:**

Donkeys, Mules, & Miniature Donkeys must be registered with American Council of Spotted Asses (ACOSA) to enter ACOSA classes

Donkeys & Mules must be registered with ADMS to show in ADMS Halter Classes (no registration required for all other donkey and mule classes)

Miniature Donkeys must be registered with ADMS to show in NMDA Sanctioned Shows

ACOSA [www.spottedass.com](http://www.spottedass.com) ADMS [www.lovelongears.com](http://www.lovelongears.com)

**Copies of all registration papers (front and back) must be included with entry**

# Large Animal rules will comply with the latest printed rulebook with amendments for the Texas Donkey and Mule Organizations

## Miniature Donkey rules will comply with the latest printed rulebook for NMDA (NMDA required measurements will be taken at check in)

Please call or email Mary Merriwether to purchase copies of the Texas rule book  
281- 292-3960 [marymeri@swbell.net](mailto:marymeri@swbell.net) , also available on line: [www.gcdma.org](http://www.gcdma.org)

Please contact NMDA ([www.nmdaasset.com/](http://www.nmdaasset.com/)) for miniature donkey rulebooks and membership information

### Exhibitor Ages:

Large Animal PEEWEE: 8 YRS & UNDER      Miniature Donkey PEEWEE: 5 YRS & UNDER  
Large Animal & Miniature Donkey SUB-YOUTH: 5 YRS – 10YRS  
Large Animal YOUTH 11 - 18 YRS      Miniature Donkey YOUTH 11 – 17 YRS  
Large Animal ADULT: 19 YRS & OVER      Miniature Donkey ADULT: 18 YRS & OVER  
(Youth's age is determined as of January 1, 2009)

### Animal Age:

Large Animal Age is determined as of January 1, 2009 See Texas Donkey and Mule Rule Book  
Miniature Donkeys Actual Age at time of show, See NMDA Rule book

(SUB-YOUTH & YOUTH MAY NOT SHOW JACKS OF ANY AGE, INCLUDING JACK FOALS)

**Amateur Requirements:** To qualify for Amateur status exhibitor must not have ever been compensated in any way for services rendered for the training or showing of any equine. Exhibitors will be required to sign a statement upon arrival at show to be eligible if not currently a card holding Amateur. All current cards from any recognized association will be accepted. Please present Amateur Card at check in.

**Novice Requirements:** Large Animals will follow the rules as outlined in the current Texas Donkey and Mule rulebook

Miniature Donkeys will follow the rules as outlined in the current NMDA rulebook.

An Isle of Stalls at this show will be dedicated to animals For Sale – Please include your 3 x 5 with descriptions of sale animals to be read by our announcer during breaks. Sale animal entry forms available on line at [www.gcdma.org](http://www.gcdma.org)

### Host Hotel

*Baymont Inn & Suites*

1506 Interstate 45 South

Conroe, Texas 77304

936-539-5100

Special Show Rate: \$69.00

\*Please mention Gulf Coast Donkey and Mule Association for special rate

### Veterinary Information:

Equine Veterinary Assoc.	Conroe Vet Clinic
4050 FM 1488	201# A Porter Road
Conroe, Texas 77384	Conroe, Texas 77301
936-273-1410	936-756-5233

## Saturday September 12, 2009 –8:00 AM

Large Animal rules will comply with the latest printed rulebook for the Texas Donkey and Mule Organizations

1. Hunter Hack Mule/Donkey Open
2. Hunter Under Saddle Mule/Donkey Open
3. Hunt Seat Equitation Mule/Donkey Open
4. Amateur Hunter Under Saddle Mule/Donkey
5. ADMS Registered Hybrids – Zorses
6. ADMS Registered Hybrids – Zedonks
7. ADMS Champion Hybrid – (1<sup>st</sup> place class 5 & 6)
8. Donkey Foals & Yearlings (Foaled 2008 –2009)
9. ADMS Foals & Yearlings (Foaled 2008 -2009)\*
10. Donkey Geldings, 36.01” & over
11. ADMS Geldings, 36.01” & over\*
12. Donkey Jennets, 36.01” & over
13. ADMS Jennets, 36.01” & over\*
14. Donkey Jacks, 36.01” & over
15. ADMS Jacks, 36.01” & over\*
16. Model Donkey (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place Classes )
17. ADMS Champion Halter Donkey (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place Classes )
18. **ACOSA Donkey 36.01” & over - Regional Championship**
19. Showmanship Donkey 36.01” & over OPEN
20. Youth Showmanship – Donkey
21. Mule Foals (Foaled 2009) \*GCDMA FUTURITY CLASS
22. Mule Yearling (Foaled 2008)\* GCDMA FUTURITY CLASS
23. ADMS Mule Foals & Yearlings\*
24. Mules to 56”
25. ADMS Mules to 56”\*
26. Mules 56.01” & over
27. ADMS Mules 56.01” & over
28. Model Mule (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Classes)
29. ADMS Champion Halter Mule (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place classes)
30. **ACOSA Mules – Regional Championship \*\*\*\***
31. Showmanship Mule OPEN
32. Youth Showmanship – Mule
33. Sub Youth Showmanship – Donkey or Mule
34. Novice Showmanship – Donkey 36.01” & over or Mule

### 15-Minute Tack Break

35. Single Hitch Pleasure Driving – Donkey 36.01” & over OPEN
36. Youth Single Hitch Pleasure Driving – Donkey 36.01” & over
37. Single Hitch Reinsmanship Driving – Donkey 36.01” & over OPEN
38. Single Hitch Pleasure Driving – Mule OPEN
39. Youth Single Hitch Pleasure Driving – Mule
40. Single Hitch Reinsmanship Driving – Mule OPEN
41. Pee Wee Leadline Pleasure Class – Mounted\* \*walk only
42. Pee Wee Leadline Trail Class – Mounted\* \*walk only  
**entered in no other division\*\***
43. Green Western Pleasure - Mule OPEN
44. Green Walk Trot – Donkey OPEN
45. Sub Youth Walk Trot Donkey or Mule (under saddle)
46. Novice Western Pleasure – Donkey or Mule
47. Amateur Western Pleasure – Mule/Donkey
48. Western Pleasure – Mule OPEN
49. Western Pleasure – Donkey OPEN
50. Youth Western Pleasure – Mule
51. Youth Western Pleasure – Donkey
52. Green Mulemanship OPEN
53. Green Walk Trot Dokeymanship OPEN
54. Novice Mulemanship/Donkeymanship
55. Donkeymanship OPEN
56. Youth Donkeymanship
57. Mulemanship OPEN
58. Youth Mulemanship
59. Amateur Mulemanship/Donkeymanship
60. Reining Mules OPEN
61. Reined Working Donkey OPEN
62. Ranch Riding Mules OPEN
63. Green Trail – Mule OPEN
64. Sub Youth Trail – Donkey or Mule (under saddle)
65. Green Walk Trot Trail Donkey OPEN
66. Trail - Mule Open
67. Youth Trail – Mule
68. Amateur Trail – Mule/Donkey
69. Trail – Donkey 36.01” & over Open
70. Youth Trail Donkey – 36.01” & over
71. Novice Trail – Donkey or Mule

**ADMS National Champion Mule: \* 1, 2, 3, 24, 25, 26, 27, 31, 38, 40, 48, 57, 60, 62, 66**

**ADMS National Champion- Donkey: \*1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 35, 37, 49, 55, 61, 69**

**ADMS National Champion Youth Mule: 32, 39, 50, 58, 67**

**ADMS National Champion Youth Donkey: 20, 36, 51, 56, 70**

**ADMS National Champion Sub Youth Donkey or Mule: 33, 45, 64**

**ADMS National Champion Green Mule: 24, 25, 26, 27, 43, 52, 63**

**ADMS National Champion Green Walk Trot Donkey: 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 44, 53, 65**

**ADMS National Champion Novice:34, 46, 54, 71**

**ADMS National Champion Amateur Mule: 4, 47, 59, 68**

**ADMS National Champion Amateur Donkey: 4, 47, 59, 68**

\*Only highest point earning halter class to count for high point Donkey & Mule

**ACOSA Regional Champion Gist Buckles for 1<sup>st</sup> place  
Class 18 & 30**

**Pee Wee Trophies for all entries\*\***

If class size warrants classes may be divided into heats or rounds

**Class # 72 to start 5:00 pm or 30 minutes after class 71 (Saturday September 12th)**

**Miniature Donkey exhibitors will comply with the latest printed rulebook for NMDA**

- 72. NMDA Obstacle Driving – Adult
- 73. NMDA Obstacle Driving – Youth
- 74. NMDA Obstacle Driving – Green

**TACK BREAK**

- 75. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class – Green
- 76. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class – Pre-Green
- 77. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class – Youth
- 78. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class – Sub Youth
- 79. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class – Adult
- 80. NMDA In-Hand Trail Class - Novice

**Sunday September 13th, 2009 –ADMS National Show/Texas State Championship  
Miniature Donkey Show 7:00 AM**

- 81. NMDA Foals at Halter- (must be minimum six months actual age)
- 82. NMDA Yearlings Jennets at Halter-
- 83. NMDA Yearling Geldings at Halter-
- 84. NMDA Yearling Jacks at Halter

**NMDA Champion Junior & Reserve Miniature Donkey  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place class 81, 82, 83, 84)**

- 85. NMDA 2 yr Jennets at Halter
- 86. NMDA 3 & 4 yr Jennets at Halter
- 87. NMDA 5 & Over Jennets at Halter

**NMDA Champion & Reserve Jennet Miniature Donkey  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place 85, 86, 87)**

- 88. NMDA 2 yr Geldings at Halter
- 89. NMDA 3 & 4 yr Geldings at Halter
- 90. NMDA 5 & Over Geldings at Halter

**NMDA Champion & Reserve Gelding Miniature Donkey  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place 88, 89, 90)**

- 91. NMDA 2 yr Jacks at Halter
- 92. NMDA 3 & 4 Jacks at Halter
- 93. NMDA 5 & Over Jacks at Halter

**NMDA Champion & Reserve Jack Miniature Donkey  
(1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place 91, 92, 93)**

**NMDA Champion Best of Breed Miniature Donkey  
(champion winners from Jennets, Jacks, Geldings)**

- 94. ACOSA Jennets
- 95. ACOSA Geldings
- 96. ACOSA Jacks

**ACOSA Regional Champion & Reserve Champion  
Miniature Donkey (1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place 94, 95, 96)**

- 97. NMDA Showmanship at Halter – Adult
- 98. NMDA Showmanship at Halter - Novice
- 99. NMDA Showmanship at Halter – Green
- 100. NMDA Showmanship at Halter – Pre-Green
- 101. NMDA Showmanship at Halter – Youth
- 102. NMDA Showmanship at Halter – Sub Youth

- 103. Pee Wee Showmanship (5 & under)\*\*
- 104. Pee Wee Lead Line Trail (5 & under)\*\*

**\*\* entered in no other division**

- 105. NMDA Lead Line Race – Pre-Green
- 106. NMDA Lead Line Race Youth
- 107. NMDA Lead Line Race Sub Youth

- 108. NMDA In-Hand Jumping – Adult
- 109. NMDA In-Hand Jumping - Novice
- 110. NMDA In-Hand Jumping Green
- 111. NMDA In-Hand Jumping Youth
- 112. NMDA In-Hand Jumping Sub Youth

**TACK BREAK**

- 113. NMDA Pleasure Driving – Green
- 114. NMDA Pleasure Driving – Youth
- 115. NMDA Pleasure Driving – Sub Youth
- 116. NMDA Pleasure Driving – Adult
- 117. NMDA Pleasure Driving - Novice

- 118. NMDA Cloverleaf Barrel – Adult
- 119. NMDA Cloverleaf Barrel – Youth
- 120. NMDA Cloverleaf Barrel – Green

- 121. NMDA Snigging – Adult
- 122. NMDA Snigging – Green

**Texas State Championship/ADMS National Show  
Championship Classes to Count for High Point**

**Supreme Champion Sire \* See special rules**

**NMDA Champion Adult Miniature Donkey: 72, 79, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 93, 97, 108, 116, 118, 121**

**NMDA Champion Youth Miniature Donkey: 73, 77, 101, 106, 111, 114, 119**

**NMDA Champion Sub Youth Miniature Donkey: 78, 102, 107, 112, 115**

**NMDA Champion Pre-Green Miniature Donkey:  
76, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 88, 91, 100, 105**

**NMDA Champion Green Miniature Donkey: 74, 75, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 93, 99, 110, 113, 120, 122**

**NMDA Champion-Non Driving Adult Miniature Donkey\*: 79, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 93, 97, 108**

**\* must enter at least one performance class**

**\* must have not been show in harness previously**

**NMDA Champion Non Driving Green\*: 75, 86, 87, 89, 90, 92, 93, 99, 110**

**\*must enter at least one performance class**

**\* must not have been show in harness previously**

**NMDA Champion Novice Miniature Donkey: 80, 98, 109, 117**

**ACOSA Regional Champion Gist Buckles for  
Champion and Reserve**

**Pee Wee Trophies for all entries\*\***

**\*Green and Pre Green Donkeys are ineligible for Adult High Point Awards**

**\*\*\* If class size warrants classes may be divided into heats or rounds**

**(NMDA required measurements will be taken at  
check in)**