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HORSE style

An Exceptional Guide to Horse Showing & Equestrian Lifestyle

HORSE&style showcases the best of the equestrian world's hunter/jumper horse shows, trainers, events and more. With a distribution of 4,000 per issue and growing, H&S is distributed at high level hunter/ jumper competitions, tack stores and training centers from the West Coast to Southern Florida and the Eastern Seaboard.

In addition, **HORSE** & style features a wide variety of equestrian lifestyle pieces, including fashion trends, vacation guides and entertainment.

Looking for something different? Look to **HORSE**&style.

DEMOGRAPHICS

Equestrian competitors and fans constitute an ideal market for high quality products and services. As a group they are well educated, have ample disposable income and the time to use it in pursuit of their passions. Other factors, including age and profession, make them a perfect target audience for corporations seeking an upscale market. Research compiled from USEF offers these indicators of the buying power and influence held by horse sport enthusiasts:

- * 85% are women
- * 63% are married
- * A majority are between 34-54 years of age
- * 66% have a college degree or better
- * 56% are employed full-time
- \ast 80% make or directly influence purchasing decisions at work
- * 38% have a net worth over \$500,000
- * Nearly half have an annual income greater than \$100,000
- * 40% live on a farm; 66% of those are ten acres or more
- * 63% have traded stocks, bonds or mutual funds in the last year
- * The market value of the average home is \$594,000. 22% own two or more homes.
- * On average, they spend 30 nghts per year in a hotel and rent a vehicle four times per year.
- \ast They own three vehicles; 53% own a pick-up truck
- * 94% own a pet besides a horse or pony. Average number of cats owned is two and average number of dogs owned is two.

Equestrian enthusiasts are highly active and mobile. Forty-three percent take more than 16 airline trips a year. Over half have purchased a new automobile within the last year and 97.3% hold more than one credit card account. *

* Source: USEF



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Trim size for the magazine is 8.5 w x 11 h. The safe area is 1/4" inside the edge on all four sides. Do not use trim size as ad size. Full page ads need to have a 1/8" bleed on all sides. Documents WITHOUT proper BLEED will be shrunk to fit in the safe area, which will cause white area all around the ad.

AD DESIGN

Design and Production Services are done by Applehead Design and billed seperately at \$65 per hour. \$25 per photo scan. Layout/design, scanning, reduction, or enlarging of ad material, and changes to original material supplied will all incur production charges. Contact Sarah at (415) 359-5455, or email to advertising@ horseandstylemag.com for questions about your ad.

DIGITAL DATA

All submitted ads must be 300 DPI, CMYK, 4/C process, no spot colors. PDF/X-1a is the preferred file format. CMYK PDFs are also acceptable. Make sure all fonts are embedded in PDF. Ads saved as JPEGS are not recommended. Do not send Microsoft Word files, GIF files, 72 DPI JPEG files, EPS files without fonts outlined, InDesign files, Quark files or Microsoft Publisher files.

Horse & Style is responsible only for accurate output of the electronic file submitted when they meet our specified requirements and cannot be held responsible for digitally submitted ads that do not meet the technical specification. Horse & Style is not responsible for color correcting bad scans, copy fitting, typos, etc.

SHIPPING:

All ad materials should be shipped directly to: Horse & Style Magazine 2448 Larkey Lane Walnut Creek, CA 94597 or emailed to: advertising@horseandstylemag.com

HORSE&style is a full color magazine produced bi-monthly.

ADVERTISING DEADLINES

WINTER ISSUE Dec/Jan 2013/2014 RELEASED DECEMBER 1 Ad Deadline 11/15/2013

SPRING STYLE PREVIEW

Feb/Mar 2014 RELEASED FEBRUARY 5 Ad Deadline 1/15/2014

WINTER CIRCUIT ROUNDUP

Apr/May 2014 RELEASED APRIL 1 Ad Deadline 3/14/2014 INSIDE THE SUMMER CIRCUIT

June/July 2014 RELEASED JUNE 5 Ad Deadline 5/16/2014

BEHIND THE BRAND

Aug/Sept 2014 RELEASED AUG 1 Ad Deadline 7/15/2014

FALL/WINTER FASHIONS PREVIEW

Oct/Nov 2014 RELEASED OCT 5TH Ad Deadline 9/20/2014

Buy ahead 15% discount on 6 issue commitment and save! 10% discount on 3 issue commitment Commitment of same size ad for all issues

Full Page 8.5 x 11"	2/3 Page 5.625 x 11"		Half Page - Horz 5 x 8.5"
\$800 Design for bleed 8.75 x 11.25" (1/8" bleed)	\$550 Design for bleed 5.875 x 11.25" (1/8" bleed)		\$450 Design for bleed 5.4 x 8.75" (1/8" bleed)
Half Page - Vert 4 x 11" \$450 Design for bleed 4.25 x 11.25" (1/8" bleed)	1/3 Page 8.5 x 3.5" \$400 Design for bleed 8.75 x 3.25" (1/8" bleed)		1/3 Page 2.75 x 11" \$400 Design for bleed 2.875 x 11.25" (1/8" bleed)
Quarter Page 4 x 5.375" \$250 Design for bleed 4.25 x 5.625" (1/8" bleed)	SPECIAL ADVERTISING Inside Front or Inside Back Cover - \$850 Back Cover - \$1000		

Business Card Listing - \$75





Ad submissions are subject to the approval of *Horse & Style's* staff.

FILE WEIGHT

• Advertisements shall not exceed 50kb in size.

Animations shall not exceed 15 seconds in length, and shall not play more than two times per page view.
Any use of sound must be user-initiated (on click)

FILE FORMATS

GIF (.gif)JPEG (.jpg)

• Loading files from cross domains is not permitted for security reasons.

• All creative must function uniformly on both MAC and PC platforms as well as multiple browser versions of Internet Explorer, Firefox, Chrome, Mozilla and Safari.

MONTHLY ONLINE ADVERTISING RATES

Homepage skyscraper (300x600px) \$300

Homepage square banner (125x125px) \$75

Homepage horizontal banner (400x100px) \$175

> **Content page banner** (285x250) \$150

www.horseandstylemag.com



WHERE TO FIND US!

Our distribution is constantly growing and is not limited to the shows and businesses listed on this page! Check online for updated listings.

HORSE SHOWS/COMPETITION VENUES

HITS Thermal Desert Circuit Thermal, CA

Blenheim Equisports San Juan Capistrano, CA

Los Angeles Equestrian Center Los Angeles, CA

Murieta Equestrian Center Sacramento, CA

Leone Equestrians Sacramento, CA

Brookside Show Park Sacramento, CA Sonoma Horse Park Sonoma, CA

The Horse Park at Woodside Woodside, CA

Menlo Charity Horse Show Atherton, CA

Del Mar Fall Festival & International **Del Mar, CA**

Huntington Beach Equestrian Center Huntington Beach, CA Spruce Meadow Summer Series & Masters Alberta, Canada

The Winter Equestrian Festival Wellington, FL

HITS Saugerties Saugerties, NY

Kentucky Spring/ Summer Horse Shows Lexington, KY

> Old Salem Horse Show Old Salem, NY

The Devon Horse Show **Devon, PA**

The Colorado Horse Park Parker, CO ORSEStyle

USEF Pony Finals Lexington, KY

USHJA International Hunter Derby Finals Lexington, KY

National Horse Show Lexington, KY

TACK STORES

Christensen's Saddlery Loomis, CA

> Care's & Whoa's Rancho Murieta, CA

Sheldon Feed Store Elk Grove, CA

Gallop's Saddlery Portland, OR

> Olson's Tack Bellevue, WA

Dover Saddlery Parker, CO

> Jeffers Dothan, AL

Hunters Green Tack Shop Mt. Pleasant, SC

> The Tackeria Wellington, FL

Dover Saddlery Hockessin, DE Alpharetta, GA Libertyville, IL Gambrills, MD Wellesley, MA Plaistow, NH Huntington Station, NJ Raleigh, NC Warrington, PA North Kingstown, RI Dallas, TX Chantilly, VA Charlottesville, VA

Mary's Tack and Feed **Del Mar, CA**

> LA Saddlery Burbank, CA

Orinda Village Horse Shop Orinda, CA

The Equestrian's Concierge Petaluma, CA

> Carousel Saddlery Woodside, CA

Marin Tack & Feed Marin, CA

Western Saddlery Pleasanton, CA

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Sponsor **HORSE** & style Magazine's monthly online contest!

Gain wide exposure for your brand – Reach a highly engaged, discerning audience – Increase your sales

YOU PROVIDE:

A product of your choice, \$100 minimum retail value as contest giveaway prize

WE PROVIDE:

Continual promotions during the contest period on the official H&S Facebook page (4x), Instagram feed (4x) and Twitter (10x)

1/3 page in the relevant print issue of H&S, announcing contest sponsorship with 1st mention of product, and 1/3 page in the following print issue of H&S, announcing winners with 2nd mention of product

Link on H&S website with product information and contest entry gateway

H&S Giveaway contest

The fee: \$250

Contest will run for four continuous weeks and contest sponsor will receive frequent and consistent promotion

Access to entrants' email addresses with permission (\$200 additional fee)

Email sarah@horseandstylemag.com for more







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