

# The Third Annual *CHINA BUFFET*

Sunday, June 6, 2010

Part of the  
**(nearly) Summer Solstice Celtic Weekend**  
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**ARGHHH, MATEY - PIRATES!**

**Location:** Knights of Columbus hall, 10 Meadow Road, Spencer, MA

**Directions:** From Sturbridge: Head east on Rte 20 to Rte 49 North (left turn at light). Follow Rte 49 to it's end (junction with Rte 9, approx. 7.4 miles). Bear right onto Rte 9, past shopping plaza with Dunkin Donuts, Subway, Sky Buffet, and Big Y (on left) and McDonald's, Hess Gas Station, and FlexCon (on right) to traffic light. Take left at the light onto Meadow Road. The Knights of Columbus Hall is less than ½ mile on right.

From Worcester: Take Rte 290 West/South to Rte 9 West. Follow Rte 9 through Worcester (be sure to follow signs carefully as Rte 9 is Highland St. to Park Ave.). Take a left and continue on Park Ave. (which is ALSO Rte 12) until the two roads split at Webster Square. Rte 9 then becomes Main Street. Continue through Cherry Valley and Leicester to Spencer (approx. 6 miles). Drive through downtown Spencer and continue to lights with Meadow Road (FlexCon will be on left). Total mileage from Worcester is 10 miles. Turn right onto Meadow Road. The Knights of Columbus Hall is less than ½ mile on right. **PLEASE NOTE: Traffic can be extremely heavy in Worcester. I strongly recommend going all the way to Sturbridge and going from there.**

**Time:** Hall will open a 8:00 am. Show will begin promptly at 9:00 am.

**Fees:** \$40 per entrant; if **ALSO** entered in the Fantastic Plastic Live **OR** NEMHC Summer Live, \$50.; if entered in **ALL THREE** shows, \$60. Nancy Timm will be collecting ALL entry forms and entry fees for ALL shows, but will NOT be involved with any of the planning of the other two shows.

**Deadline:** Entry fees MUST be received by June 1, 2010. Please include the receipt form (enclosed). Entries received after this date will be charged a \$10.00 late charge fee. Make checks payable to Nancy F. Timm. We will only accept the first 50 entries, so first come, first served. There will be no exceptions due to the limited space in the hall, and we want everyone who comes to be comfortable. We will also not be able to accommodate those entrants who want to enter on the day of the show. You will need to turn in your list of horses and their exhibitor numbers to the show coordinator (Linda Dean) prior to the start of the show. Please be sure it is legible and that it includes every horse you plan to show. Also, double-check the horses' numbers that there are no two horses assigned the same number. This will prevent inaccurate results. **Please read the section regarding tags and entries.**

**Judges:** OF Breed Halter Classes, Large Size and Mini Divisions – Lindy Pinkham  
OF Collectibility, Large Size and Mini Divisions – Lindy Pinkham  
CM Glaze Breed Halter, Large Size and Mini Divisions - Robin Briscoe  
CM Glaze Workmanship, Large Size and Mini Divisions – Robin Briscoe  
Performance Division – Kim Morrison  
Miscellaneous Division – Lilla Correida  
Lakeshore Division – Linda Dean  
OF Resin Division – Kim Morrison

**Awards:** Custom paper flats, 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> place in each class  
Custom commercial rosettes to champions and reserves  
Custom-glazed tiles to champions and reserves  
Custom paper flats to Merit Awards  
Custom paper flats to 10<sup>th</sup> place and custom LS Collection pins for Champs and Reserves awarded in Lakeshore Collection Division, sponsored by Cindy Neuhaus of Lakeshore Collection, Ltd

**Champions:** Champions will be determined by callbacks. Any horse placing 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> will be called back with the ribbons it won.

**Superior Chinahead:** ‘Golden’ doubloons will be given for first in each class. The China Buffet shower who wins the most ‘golden doubloons’ will receive a special prize as the CB Superior Chinahead!

**Results:** Results will be emailed in a MS Word.doc attachment to entrants who have email access. For those of you who either don’t have email or would prefer a hard copy, please provide a LSASE.

**Limits:** There is no limit of horses, but please be advised that you will only have a half table (no exceptions), so plan accordingly.

For the base entry fee, you may enter 3 horses per class, although if you would like to enter more than 3 in a class you may do so by laying a dollar bill next to the horse. The extra horse(s) must be included on the list of your entries that you need to hand in the day of the show. A horse may be shown in ONE breed class ONLY! Models shown in more than one breed class will be disqualified. It was mentioned at a past show that some entrants whose horses did not pin in one class changed the breed on the tag and showed the horse in another class. This will NOT be tolerated and judges will be told to look out for this.

Models shown during lunchtime fun classes ONLY do not need to be registered.

**Tags:** You will need to provide your own leg tags. Tags may be placed beside especially small or fragile models instead of being attached to a leg, or replaced by a tag-sized card if desired. The China Buffet is a participant in the Region 10 tag system. Please contact Jackie Arns at (203) 233-0199 or email; [drsteggy@drsteggy.com](mailto:drsteggy@drsteggy.com) to obtain your exhibitor number and instructions on creating your tags. You will need to turn in your list of entries and their numbers prior to the start of the show. You may create a list of your models by accessing a newly created program on

[regionxnation.com](http://regionxnation.com) and printing out both your list as well as tags. Please provide a list of models for this show only. Each show will require a separate list of entries, so please be sure to turn in the correct one.

**General Info:** PLEASE NOTE – This is NOT a NAMHSA-qualifying show. However, equine models winning 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> in their classes will receive tickets to qualify them for entry in the Region X Regionals show held in November. The top five dog models entered in the Miscellaneous Division Domestic/Pets class will receive conformation points towards their New England Model Dog Expo championship of record.

Table space is limited. Each entrant will have half of a large banquet table to set up, so please plan accordingly. Sales tables will be available on a first come, first served basis, and only if there are enough tables for entrants. Please feel free to bring additional tables if space is a concern.

Multiple tables will be used to save time. As one class is being judged, the setting up for the next class can be done on the other table. Please put horses on the tables in a timely manner; however, as all chinaheads know, it is prudent to be careful and not rush when handling fragiles. We don't want any broken models!

Classes may be split or combined if number of entries warrant. If there are too few entries in a particular class, the judge may decide to combine it with another similar class in order to warrant 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners a fair NAN qualification.

There will be a 45-minute lunch break around 12:00 pm (or when it is convenient to break). We will have Subway come around 10:00 to take orders from those interested. There are several fast food places nearby if anyone does not want Subway.

Fun classes will be held at this time.

**Fun Classes:** There will once again be a **Clinky O. C. D. Collector's Class!** This is your opportunity to show off those Clinkies done by your favorite factory, artist or sculptor. Special prizes will be given to the Top Three!

### **Mini**

**Divisions:** Once again this year the little guys will compete separately from the bigger models. Models SM and Thumbscale size or smaller will have their own OF, CM GL, Foal, Collectibility and Workmanship Divisions, with Champs and Reserves in each division.

**Rules:** No set-ups or handlers in halter classes. Halters and bridles, though not recommended, may be used if appropriate to the breed, but must fit well, and must be put on in a timely manner.

Fragile models may be laid on a towel or piece of felt. The judge reserves the right to pick up and inspect the models, or ask the exhibitor to do so.

Documentation of OF Collectibility entries is also STRONGLY recommended, especially of uncommon/rare pieces or the numbers produced with which judges may not be familiar. We all love to learn more about chinas we may never have seen or heard of!

No radios, pets, or smoking is allowed in the show hall. Bad sportsmanship and poor conduct will not be tolerated, and may be cause for dismissal of those entrants from the show hall. Bringing young children to this show is discouraged, due to the extremely fragile nature of china models; if you choose to bring young children with you, you MUST keep control of them at all times. Running in the hall is NOT permitted! If the children cannot be controlled, all will be asked to leave. This will be strictly enforced.

The decisions of all judges is final. If you have any questions regarding your entry, address them to the judge immediately after the class is pinned, while the reasons are fresh on the judge's mind.

The China Buffet, show coordinator, judges and the hall can not be held responsible for any loss, damage, theft, or injury to participants, their property, or to guests.

MOST IMPORTANT – have fun!!!!

**Raffle:** Any donations are welcome! Nice OF models, clinky or otherwise, custom models, gift certificates, obstacles, or live show quality tack will be greatly appreciated. If you have anything you would like to donate, please notify the show coordinator when you send in your entry.

**Hotels:** The following is a partial list of hotels and motels, most located on Route 20 in Sturbridge (only 10 minutes away from the show hall):

Comfort Inn & Suites	(508) 347-3306
Days Inn	(508) 347-6441
Econo Lodge	(508) 347-2324
Green Acres Motel	(508) 347-3496
Hampton Inn	(508) 347-6466
Sturbridge Heritage Motel	(508) 347-3943
Express Inn at Sturbridge	(508) 347-5141
Publick House	(508) PUBLICK
Rodeway Inn	(508) 347-9673
Scottish Inns	(508) 347-9514
Sturbridge Country Inn	(508) 347-5319
Sturbridge Host Hotel & Conference Ctr.	(508) 347-7393
Sturbridge Quality Inn & Conference Ctr.	(508) 347-1978
Super 8 Motel	(508) 347-9000

## Show

**Coordinator:** Linda Dean

188 Coggin Hill Rd., Union, ME 04862

(207) 785-4866 (NO collect calls) or email; [ldean@tidewater.net](mailto:ldean@tidewater.net)

Feel free to write (please enclose SASE for reply), call or email if you have any questions or concerns about this show.

## BREED GUIDELINES

Please be specific when listing your horses to be registered. Entrants have been known to put down “pony” or “warmblood” as the breed. The judge needs to have a specific breed when judging the breed classes, as one breed of pony has different characteristics than that of another pony. It is advised to provide references and photos when showing uncommon breeds/colors. Not only does it help educate the judge to make just pinnings, but also helps to educate fellow showers.

American Gaited Breeds – American Saddlebred, Tennessee Walking Horse, National Show Horse, Rocky Mountain Horse, Missouri Foxtrotter, Walkaloosa, American Racking Horse, etc.

Draft Breeds – (may be split if entries warrant) British breeds such as Suffolk, Shire, Clydesdale, or Other draft breeds such as Percheron, Jutland, Ardennais/Ardenne, Belgian, Breton, American Spotted Draft, etc.)

Longears/Exotics – Donkey, Mule, Hinny, Poitou, Zebra, Przewalski, Wild Ass, Quagga, Onager, Zorse, etc.

Pony Breeds – the Pony class will be split as follows; British – British Shetland, Highland, Welsh A, B, & C, Exmoor, Dartmoor, Dales, Fell, Connemara, New Forest, Highland, Hackney, Eriskay, etc.) and Other – Haflinger, Fjord, Chincoteague/Assateague, Potok, Konik, POA, Quarter Pony, Icelandic, Gotland, etc.

Spanish Breeds – Andalusian, Lippizzan, Lusitano, Paso Fino, Peruvian Paso, Barb, Hispano-Arabe, etc.

Stock Breeds – American Quarter Horse, Appaloosa, Paint, Canadian Cutting Horse, Azteca, etc.

European Warmblood – Hanoverian, Trakehner, Dutch, Danish, Belgian, Swedish, Bavarian Warmblood, Gelderland, Frederiksborg, Selle Francais, Oldenburg, Westphalian, Hessen, Holstein, Wurttemberg, etc.

Other Sport/Coaching Breeds – Thoroughbred crosses, such as the Anglo-Arab, Irish Hunter, and Thoroughbred, Orlov Trotters, Finnhorses, Irish Draught, American, Canadian, Morgan Sport Horses, and Appaloosa Sport Horses make up the Other Sport Horse Breeds. Coaching breeds include the Friesian, Yorkshire Coach Horse, Cleveland Bay, and Dutch Tuigpaard.

Other Purebred – Any pure breed that does not fit into any of the listed breed categories, such as Akhal-Teke, American Bashkir Curly, Maremmana, Kathiawari, etc.

Half/Partbred/Grade – Cross-bred horses that do not fit in any other category listed, as well as horses without a pedigree.

Paint vs Pinto – Paint refers to the breed. They are of Thoroughbred or Quarter Horse breeding. Other pinto-colored horses should be entered in their appropriate breed class, whether it be a pony, gaited breed, etc. This also applies to appaloosa-spotted horses. They may not actually be an Appaloosa just because it has spots, as in breeds such as the Colorado Ranger, Knabstrup, and Noriker-Pinzgauer. Please place these in the appropriate classes as well.

**The *CHINA BUFFET* Classlist**  
**K of C Hall, Spencer, Massachusetts**  
**June 6, 2010**  
**Classes may be split at judge's discretion**

**Open Performance Division** - Judged on safety & correctness of set-up & model to event depicted; tack fit & suitability; accuracy of documentation/props/dolls & model to the event depicted; condition

- 1) Other Performance, including harness
- 2) English Performance
- 3) Western Performance

**Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**OF Adult Breed Halter Division - Curio-size and Up** - Judged on conformation, breed type and condition. Documentation needed only for rare/unusual/historical breeds or colors, etc.

- 4) Arab/Part-Arab
- 5) Morgan/Part Morgan
- 6) Gaited Breeds Pure and Part
- 7) TB/STD/WBs Pure and Part
- 8) Spanish Breeds/Mustangs Pure and Part
- 9) Stock/Color Breeds Pure and Part (QHs/Paints/Appaloosas)
- 10) British Pony Breeds Pure and Part
- 11) Other Pony Breeds Pure and Part
- 12) Draft Breeds Pure and Part
- 13) Other Pure/Part Breeds/
- 14) Longears/Exotics

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**OF Foal/Yearling Halter Division - Curio-size and Up** - Judged on conformation, breed type and condition as in above divisions

- 15) Colts
- 16) Fillies

**Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**OF Collectibility Halter Division, incl. Foals/Yearlings - Curio-size & Up-** Judged on rarity, age, condition, desirability and judge's overall impression - documentation **STRONGLY** recommended as to maker, date(s) and numbers made.

- 17) UK (RW, Albany, AAA, Beswick, Royal Doulton, HA, etc)
- 18) Non-UK European (Hutschenreuther, Goebel, Royal Copenhagen, Rosenthal, etc.)
- 19) Other Non-American (Japan, Cheval, Loza, etc)
- 20) Pour Horse
- 21) Hagen Renaker
- 22) Other OF Studio Chinas (Velasquez, Kathman, Para, Lucas, etc)
- 23) Other American (Breyer, Cybis, etc)

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Lakeshore Collection Division** - Open to Lakeshore porcelain models only. Division sponsored by Cindy Neuhaus, Lakeshore Collection, Ltd. These classes are to be judged on OF Collectibility or CM Workmanship criteria. Lakeshore models may also be shown in their appropriate halter or performance classes.

24) OF LS Matte/Satin/Glossy LE

25) OF LS SR/AoF/OOAK/TR

**Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve**

26) CMGL LS Patterned

27) CMGL LS Solid

**Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Custom Glaze Adult Halter Division - Curio-size and Up-** Judging criteria same as OF China Halter

28) Light Breeds Pure and Part

29) Sport/Carriage Breeds Pure and Part

30) Spanish Breeds Pure and Part

31) Stock/Color Breeds Pure and Part

32) Pony Breeds Pure and Part

33) Draft Breeds Pure and Part

34) Other Pure/Part Breeds

35) Longears/Exotics

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Custom Glaze Foal/Yearling Halter Division - Curio-size & Up** - Judging criteria same as CM GL Halter

36) CM GL Colts

37) CM GL Fillies

**Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Custom Glaze Workmanship Division, incl. Foals/Yearlings - Curio-size & Up** - Judged on quality & execution of finishwork, quality of prepping, accuracy & realism of color or creative use of color..

38) Bay/Black/Brown

39) Chestnut/Sorrel

40) Palomino/Buckskin/Dun/Grulla

41) Grey (may be split dapple and other greys)

42) Appaloosa, Paint and Pinto Patterns

43) Other Natural Color

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> place models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**MINI DIVISIONS** - Open only to models thumbscale/stablemate size and smaller

**Mini OF Breed Adult Halter Division** - Criteria same as above OF Halter

44) Light Breeds Pure and Part

45) Gaited Breeds Pure and Part

46) Sport Breeds Pure and Part

47) Stock/Mustangs/Paints/Appaloosas Pure and Part

- 48) Pony Breeds Pure and Part
  - 49) Draft Breeds Pure and Part
  - 50) Other Pure/Part
  - 51) Longears/Exotics
- Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Mini OF Foal/Yearling Halter Division** - Criteria same as above OF Halter

- 52) Colts
  - 53) Fillies
- Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Mini OF Collectibility Division, including foals/yearlings** - Criteria same as above OF Collectibility.

- 54) UK/Other European (AAA, Chaney, etc)
- 55) Hagen-Renaker (Monrovia and San Dimas up to 1990)
- 56) Hagen-Renaker (1990's/current/reissues)
- 57) Pour Horse (thumbscale only)
- 58) American and Other Non-American (Breyer, Japans, Loza, etc)
  
- 59) Other OF Studio (Velasquez, Kathman, Para, Lucas, etc)

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**

**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Mini CM Glaze Adult Halter Division** - Criteria same as above Halter

- 60) Light Breeds Pure and Part
  - 61) Sport/Carriage Breeds Pure and Part
  - 62) Spanish/Stock Breeds Pure and Part
  - 63) Pony Breeds Pure and Part
  - 64) Draft Breeds Pure and Part
  - 65) Other Pure/Part Breeds
  - 66) Longears/Exotics
- Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Mini CM Glaze Foal/Yearling Halter Division** - Criteria same as above Halter

- 67) Colts
  - 68) Fillies
- Merit Awards (up to 5, all entered models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Mini CM Glaze Workmanship Division, including Foals/Yearlings** - Criteria same as above CM Workmanship

- 69) Bay/Black/Brown
- 70) Chestnut/Sorrel
- 71) Palomino/Buckskin/Dun/Grulla

- 72) Grey
- 73) Appaloosa/Paint/Pinto Pattern
- 74) Other Natural Color

**Merit Awards (up to 10, all entered models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**Miscellaneous Division** -Classes \*75,\*76,\*77,\*78,\*79, are not eligible for NAN-qualification) If entries in the following classes are collectible, please include documentation to aid the judge. Judged on uniqueness, quality of decoration, collectibility if applicable, condition; judge's overall impression.  
NAN Q classes 80 & 81 to be judged according to OF Collectibility criteria.

- 75) Fantasy Animals \*
- 76) Domestic Animals/Pets \*
- 77) Wild Animals \*
- 78) Medallions/Trophies/Awards \*
- 79) Pins/Jewelry/Busts/Tiles/Ornaments \*
- 80) OF Art Glazed/Decorator/Bisque/White Glazed Color (open to all sizes)
- 81) OF Horses with molded-on Tack and/or Riders (may be entered in the performance division but may not cross-enter in any other halter division)

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

**OF Resin Division** - *These classes will be double-judged for breed halter and collectibility.*

- 82) *Light/Sport Breeds*
- 83) *Stock/Color Breeds*
- 84) *Pony Breeds*
- 85) *Draft Breeds*
- 86) *Other Pure/Part Breeds*
- 87) *Longears/Exotics*

**Merit Awards (up to 10, 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>cd</sup> place models eligible)**  
**Champion/Reserve Champion**

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