USHJA Green Hunter Incentive FAQ for Competition Managers and Judges

Does the exhibitor have to pay/compete in the entire section to compete in the Green Hunter Incentive?

No.

The exhibitor can enter only the GHI class even if it is run concurrently with another class.

Can the judge's card remain open for both height sections if it is being run concurrently? Yes.

For a GHI run concurrently with the green hunter class, the card can remain open for both heights provided the horses are jumping the same course, in the same ring, and judged by the same judge(s).

The GHI Stake class horses being judged together as a class need to jump the same course in the same ring with the same judges.

How should judges approach the scoring?

As a reminder, judges are asked to keep referencing the GHI Stake class horses as a group when determining their scores if the class is run concurrently with another class.

What if we have a large turnout for the class?

It is highly recommended that the incentive be split by height if possible, rather than by California split, particularly if there are more than 40 in the class.

What heights can/must be offered?

Both a 3'/3'3" and a 3'6"/3'9" section must be offered.

Sections may be combined if there are fewer than four horses in each section, and prize money must be adjusted (see section III.C. of the specifications for prize money).

Should numbers warrant, shows may also offer the GHI with separate heights, each pinned separately. If so, prize money must also be distributed separately.

*Please note on the submitted results it is important to record which specific height the horse jumped for purposes of verifying eligibility and attributing results to the correct standings list.

For your convenience a judge's card for the USHJA Green Hunter Incentive Stake Class is available on the USHJA website <u>HERE</u> for your *optional* use. It is recommended that show management include the horses' names when possible.