



## 2026 USHJA CODE OF CONDUCT

As members of the USHJA, and as a condition of competing in this event, we recognize our role in furthering the hunter/jumper sport by holding ourselves to the highest ethical standards. We shall strive:

- To adhere to the rules and standards set forth by the USHJA and the USEF and to work to further their goals and objectives.
- To ensure that the welfare of the horse is the foremost consideration and that every horse shall be treated humanely, with dignity and compassion.

I have read and understand the rules and regulations of the above programs listed and further understand that violation of these rules and regulations or any rules and regulations set forth by Competition Management, USHJA or USEF may cause my immediate elimination from any of the respective events I participate in at 2026 Platinum Performance/International Hunter Derby Championships.

Furthermore, I agree to conduct myself in a sportsmanlike manner throughout the entire competition which is taking place Aug. 14-15, 2026, Lexington, KY. I understand that conducting myself in a manner less than sportsmanlike may result in my immediate elimination by the competition officials from the 2026 Platinum Performance/International Hunter Derby Championships.

**Horse:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Rider:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Owner:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Trainer:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature

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Date

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Print Name