



Welcome to the Hunt Seat Equestrian Team!

Below you will find all the basic information about joining the team. If you have any further questions, please contact osuhseteq@gmail.com!

Meetings

- We meet at 8 pm on varying Wednesday's
 - o Meeting locations are located on the team website (osuhuntseat.com)
- Meetings are required for all members
 - o Competitive members are allowed 3 excused and 2 unexcused absences
 - o Non-competitive members are allowed 3 excused and 3 unexcused absences
 - o If you cannot attend, please email Hirsh.46@osu.edu
 - o Missing more than the allowed meetings makes you ineligible to ride or show (within reason)

Lessons

- Elite Equestrian Center
 - o 7380 Scioto Darby Creek Road, Hilliard, OH
- Team lesson options:
 - o Group lessons: \$50/lesson
 - o Semi-Private lessons: \$60/lesson

- o Competitive members are required to ride weekly
- Availability is collected from team members at the beginning of each semester and sent to our coach Allison Applegett
- o We suggest a 3 hour window for lesson availability

Showing

- Intercollegiate Horse Show Association (IHSA)
 - o Showing organization we show under
 - o Founded by Bob Cacchione
 - o More information on the organization itself is located at ihsainc.org
- Shows are based on a “catch ride” format
 - o Horses are “drawn” by random for each rider in a class
 - o There is no warm up time to get to know your horse
- Fees:
 - o Class fees: \$50/class (may vary), you can be entered in up to 2 classes per day (1 jumping, 1 flat)
 - o Coaching fees: \$25/day
 - o Hotels (when applicable): \$40/night maximum. We do our best to ensure no one is paying a large amount for travel accommodations like hotels
 - o Paperwork and Team Dues
- Team dues: \$75/year or \$45/semester
 - o This helps pay for team equipment, facility rental, etc.
- IHSA dues: \$45/year, for competitive members only
 - o You will be registered for IHSA at our barn orientation at the beginning of the year
 - o If you have shown in USEF recognized events, please bring a printout of your show record
- Checks can be made out to “HSET @ OSU”, cash is also acceptable for payments
- We now accept payment through Venmo

- DoSportsEasy: how students sign up through Club Sports o Requires impact testing (for concussions) as we are considered a high-risk sport

Volunteering

- Members are required to complete 7.5 hours of volunteering outside of the barn each semester
 - o These hours will be offered to us by the volunteer coordinator
- We also require that each member helps at our IEA shows for 2 shifts per show weekend

Officers

- Coach: Allison Applegett, Allison.applegett@sbcglobal.net
- President: Ellie White
- Vice President: Colleen Pettengill
- Secretary: Remy Hirsh
- Treasurer: Ellen Schloemer
- PR Chair: Sophie Whitesel
- Fundraising Chair: Kristian Nelson
- Barn Ambassador: Elena Gerken
- Volunteer Chair: Cristina Lopez
- Social Chair: Lizzie Feenie
- Show Point Secretary: Eva Pelecky
- Clothing Chair: Misha Press
- Scheduling Coordinator: Chloe Manuli
- Risk Managers: Sydney Knight and Kate Read