

The World is Coming

Join AQHA and John Deere at the Kentucky Cup Reining.

Please join your fellow American Quarter Horse enthusiasts and attend The Kentucky Cup Reining Test Competition at the Kentucky Horse Park on **July 23, 2009, at 7 p.m.**

The Kentucky Cup Reining is the first event to slide into the new indoor arena at the [Kentucky Horse Park](#) and is the first official test for the 2010 Alltech FEI World Equestrian Games. A four-star FEI event, the [Kentucky Cup Reining](#) offers a similar format to the Games in both nation's cup competitions and individual championships. Participants in the Kentucky Cup Reining will be among the first to compete in the newly opened indoor arena at the Kentucky Horse Park, giving them a first glimpse at the same structures where 2010 Games reining championships will be held. This opportunity is important for all nations interested in bringing home medals from Kentucky in 2010. Be one of the first spectators to experience this gorgeous climate-controlled 6,000 seat arena.

Be at the Kentucky Horse Park for a special announcement from AQHA, the Reining Horse Sports Foundation and the AllTech/FEI World Equestrian Games.

Riders from North America and several other countries will compete for top prize money and the prestigious gold medal.

Nations expected to field teams include Brazil, Canada, Dominican Republic, Germany, Great Britain, Israel, Italy, Mexico, Switzerland and the United States. Additionally, many nations are anticipated to send athletes for the individual competition, including Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, The Netherlands, France, Spain and Uruguay.

Reining superstars are scheduled to compete, including AQHA Professional Horsemen Tim McQuay, Matt Mills and Pete Kyle along with two-time FEI World Reining Masters champion Rudi Kronsteiner, 2006 World Equestrian Games individual champion Duane Latimer and NRHA's only \$3 million rider Shawn Flarida. Tickets are free. Parking is \$5.

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