

## **BHOTM CODE OF CONDUCT POLICY**

All Board Members and Exhibitors who participate in horse shows produced by the Baroque Horse of the Midwest believe that our conduct matters for both the well-being of the association and its participants. This association was formed to promote the care and showing of the Baroque style horse. We wish to promote a fair, inclusive and level playing field for all exhibitors. Our conduct transcends all areas of our goals and includes how we deal with each other internally, and how we deal with the horse show industry. The Code of Conduct for the Baroque Horse of the Midwest sets forth our basic ethical standards and core values that are applicable to us all.

All Board Members and Exhibitors are responsible for understanding and complying with the Baroque Horse of the Midwest Code of Conduct.

## All are expected to:

- Promote ethical behavior at all shows and activities of the Baroque Horse of the Midwest.
- Respect all other exhibitors and refrain from disparaging remarks about exhibitors, attendees or acts that are unethical.
- Promote the humane care of horses.
- Maintain a safe environment for all horses, their riders, owners and participants.
- Comply with this Code of Conduct, knowing that failure to do so may result in action by the Baroque Horse of the Midwest, Inc. including dismissal from the organized event.