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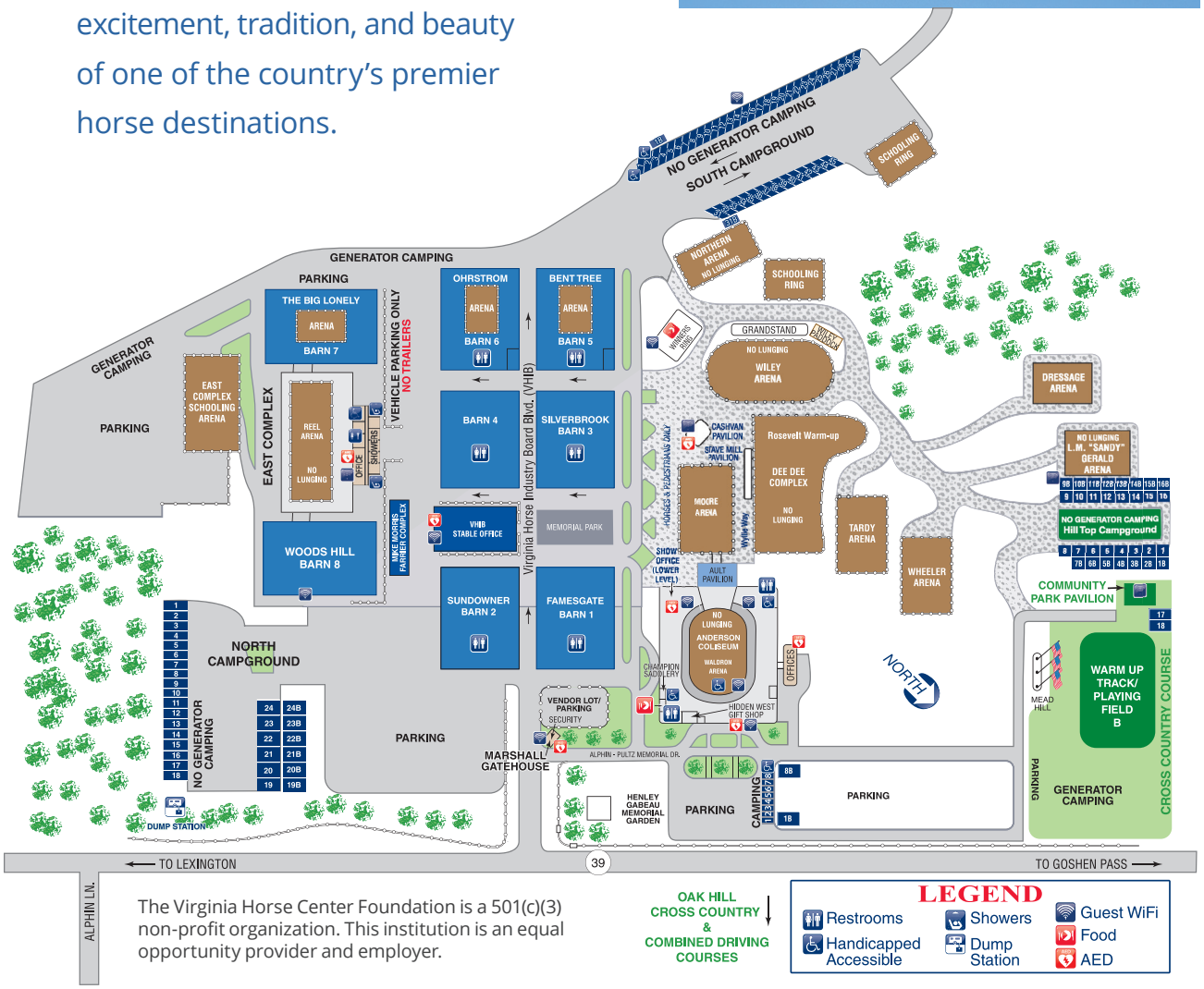

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OAK HILL CROSS COUNTRY & COMBINED DRIVING COURSES

LEGEND

- Restrooms
- Handicapped Accessible
- Showers
- Dump Station
- Guest WiFi
- Food
- AED

2026 PROVISIONAL

Events Calendar

Virginia Horse Center Foundation™

JANUARY

3 ..... Winter Tournaments **SB**
3-4 ..... DC Fast Pitch Softball
9-11 ..... Dog Owners Training Club of Lynchburg
10-11 .... Eventing Jumper Derby **EV**
15-18 .... Lexington Country I – Blue Ridge Champions Series Sponsored by Boone Tractor* **HJ**
24-25 ... DC Fast Pitch Softball
30-31 .... USA BMX Blue Ridge Nationals

FEBRUARY

1 ..... USA BMX Blue Ridge Nationals
5-7..... Virginia Winter Classic Antique Tractor Pull
7..... Winter Tournaments **SB**
14-15 .... DC Fast Pitch Softball
20-21 ... Lone Star Rodeo
21 ..... Winter Tournaments **SB**
21-22 .... Polar Bear Horse Show **HJ**
26-28 .... Spring Welcome - Blue Ridge Champions Series Sponsored by Boone Tractor* **HJ**

MARCH

1 ..... Spring Welcome - Blue Ridge Champions Series Sponsored by Boone Tractor* **HJ**
5-8 ..... Virginia High School Rodeo Association Rodeo
7-8 ..... The Heart of Alpaca Show
7-8 ..... SWVHJA Benefit Horse Show
13-15 .... Interscholastic Equestrian Association Zone 3 Finals **HJ**
14-15 .... Fox Run Horse Show **HJ**
21-22 .... Trimble's Ridge Horse Show **HJ**
21-22 .... VHC Eventing Starter Trials* **EV**
26-29 .... AQHA March to Virginia and Virginia Maiden* **QH**

APRIL

3-4 ..... Great American Ranch & Trail Horse Sale **W**
4 ..... Rockbridge Bull & Oyster Fest
4 ..... Porsche Car Show
10–11 ... United Professional Horseman's Association **PH**
10-12 .... Blue Ridge Arabian Classic*
11–12 ... Eventing Jumper Derby **EV**
23–27.... Lexington Spring Premiere* **HJ**
29-30 .... Lexington Spring Encore* **HJ**

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MAY

1-3 ..... Lexington Spring Encore* **HJ**
6-9 ..... Bonnie Blue National Horse Show* **SB**
14-17 .... Mid-Atlantic Dressage Festival* **D**
14-17 .... Keswick Horse Show A **HJ**
21-24 .... Virginia Horse Center Spring Eventing* **EV**
28-31 .... Virginia Barrel Classic **W**

JUNE

4-7..... Youth Equestrian Development Association National Championship Show* **W**
6-7..... Bit and Bridal Horse Show
11-13 .... Rockbridge Horse Show* **SB**
17-20 .... Shenandoah Classic Horse Show* **SB**
23-24 .... House Mountain Horse Show **HJ**
25-28 .... Equestrian Vaulting Region IX Championship

JULY

1-5 ..... Region 15 & 16 Arabian Championships
2-5 ..... Northern Airstream Rally
3-5 ..... Balloons over Rockbridge
3-5 ..... Airstream Rally
10-12 .... Dressage at Lexington **D**
18-19 .... American Connemara Pony Society Region 3
23-26 .... Virginia Commonwealth Games
26-28 .... East Coast Western Dressage Championships
30 ..... East Coast Arabian Championships

AUGUST

1-2 ..... East Coast Arabian Championships
5-9 ..... Lexington National Horse Show A – Festival of Champions* **HJ**
14-16 .... National Barrel Horse Association Colonial Nationals **W**
15-16 .... Virginia Horse Center Starter Trials* **EV**
16 ..... Thoroughbred Heritage Horse Show
21-23 .... The Virginia Young Horse Festival
22 ..... USEF/USHJA Sallie B Wheeler National Breeding Championship* **HJ**
23 ..... USHJA Young Hunter Pony National Championship* **HJ**
29 ..... East Coast Halter Futurity **W**
29 ..... Dairy Goat Society of Virginia Show
29-30 ... House Mountain Horse Show **HJ**

SEPTEMBER

3-6 ..... VA 4-H State Championship Horse & Pony Show
10-13 .... Rockbridge Regional Fair and Expo
11-13 .... Virginia Paint Horse Show **PH**
12 ..... Young 5-K Race
12–13 ... House Mountain Horse Show **HJ**
18-20 .... VA State Barrel Show Finals **W**
19 ..... Goose Creek Horse Show **HJ**
19-20 .... UDJC (United Dressage & Jumping Club)
20 ..... Eventing in Virginia - Jumper Derby & Dressage **EV D**
20 ..... Glenmore Hunt Pony Club
23-26 .... ASHAV Horse Show **SB**
26 ..... Cornhole Tournament

OCTOBER

1-4 ..... Virginia Dressage Association **D**
10-11 .... Fox Run Horse Show **HJ**
7-11 ..... Friesian Grand Nationals
8-11 ..... North American Suffolk Horse Association Annual Meeting
10-11 .... Fox Run Horse Show **HJ**
17 ..... Blue Mountain YEDA Show and Clinic
17-18 .... UDJC (United Dressage & Jumping Club)
18 ..... Benefit Trail Ride
21-25 .... SWVHJA Horse Show **HJ**
29-31 .... Virginia Horse Center Fall Eventing* **EV**

NOVEMBER

1 ..... Virginia Horse Center Fall Eventing* **EV**
5-8 ..... VHSA Associate Finals **HJ**
13-15 .... Blue Ridge Cluster St. Bernard Dog Show
20-22 .... AQHA Virginia Harvest Festival* **QH**
20-21 .... Southeast Bull Riding Association

DECEMBER

5 ..... Rockbridge Christmas Basket Program
10-13 .... The Barracks Hunter Jumper Show **HJ**
19-20 .... DC Fast Pitch Softball

D	Dressage	**PH**	Paint Horse
EV	Eventing	**QH**	Quarter Horse
H	Hunter	**SB**	Saddlebred
HJ	Hunter/Jumper	**W**	Western
J	Jumper	*	Indicates VHC-owned events

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