

GYMKHANA

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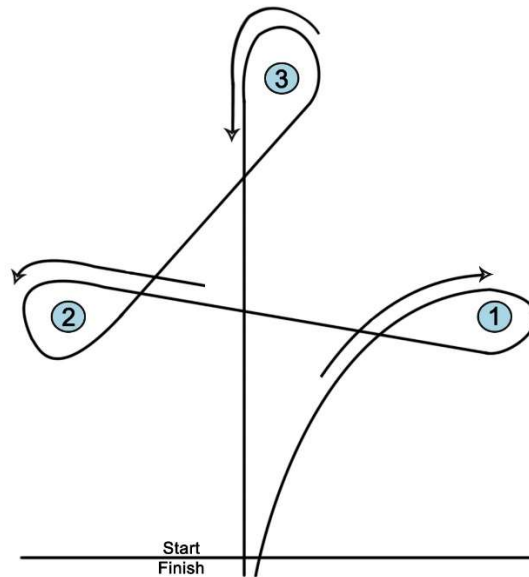
What is Gymkhana?

Gymkhana classes are individual timed events where competitors are judged on speed and accuracy. Each rider must complete a designated pattern specific to their class, with time penalties assessed for errors. The fastest final time wins.

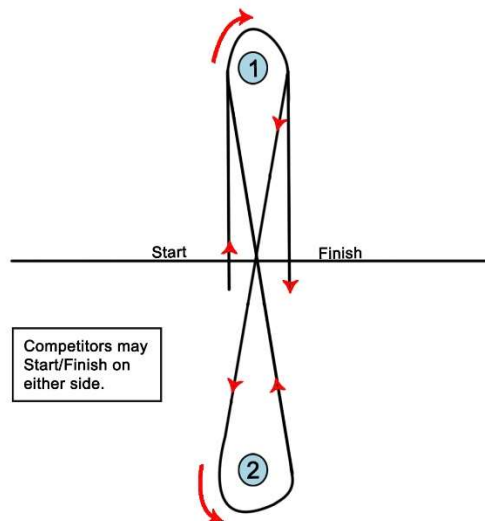
The Events

We're offering four Gymkhana classes:

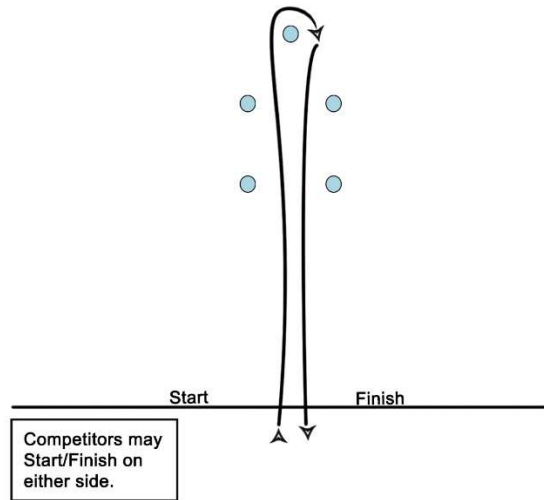
Barrel Race puts speed and agility to the test. Riders race through a cloverleaf pattern around three barrels, with the option to start with the left or right barrel first.



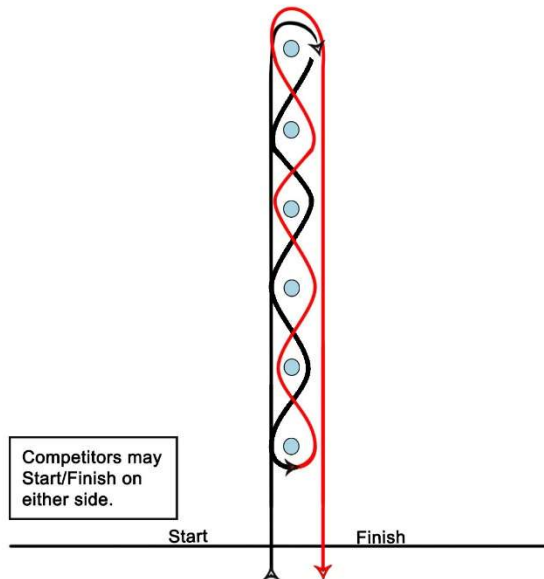
Flag Race is a high-stakes combination of speed and precision. Riders begin at the center line, race to the first barrel to grab a flag, weave to the second barrel in a figure eight pattern, swap flags, return to deposit the second flag at the first barrel, and sprint back to the finish at the center line.



Thread the Needle demands precision and control. Riders must steer through a narrow "eye" formed by two poles on either side, and execute a clean turn around a fifth pole, then race back.



Pole Bending tests speed and pattern work. Riders race to the end of the pole line, weave through all six poles, turn at the end, weave back through them, and sprint to the finish.



Ready to Compete?

Gymkhana welcomes competitors of all experience levels. Come test yourself against the clock and the competition. See you at the gate!