

**Subject:** Launch of ITPF Affiliation Program for Tent Pegging Facilities

**Dear Esteemed Members of the International Tent Pegging Federation,**

I hope this email finds you in the best of spirits. As per what we agreed on during the last General Assembly Meeting (GA) held in March 2023 in Oman. After thoughtful deliberation and careful consideration, the International Tent Pegging Federation (ITPF) has officially launched its Affiliation Program for Tent Pegging Facilities.

This pioneering initiative aims to recognize and credit academies, clubs, colleges, schools, and other institutions that practice tent pegging. By becoming affiliated with ITPF, these facilities will enjoy a multitude of benefits, including:

- Recognition as an International Tent Pegging Academy or Club by ITPF
- Inclusion of Activities in the ITPF Newsletter
- Promotion on ITPF's Social Media Channels
- Publication of Facility Name and Contact Information on the ITPF Website
- Eligibility to Host International Athletes / Coaches / Judges Courses.
- Registration of Athletes as International Athletes / Coaches / Judges with ITPF after attending training programs in the facility.

**To be eligible for affiliation, facilities must adhere to the following requirements:**

- Adherence to all ITPF rules and regulations during practice sessions, ensuring rider safety and horse well-being.
- Availability of a tent pegging track measuring at least 150 meters in length and 18 meters in width (minimum).
- Provision of a minimum of 10 equine stalls designed with suitable dimensions and space.
- Inclusion of a dedicated room for theoretical sessions.
- Availability of athlete washrooms, and changing rooms equipped with lockers and toilets.
- Recognition by the National Federation (NF).
- Paying the application fee of 50 US dollars (One time, amount is non-refundable).
- File Submission of bylaws, NF recognition certificates, vision and mission statements, board members' names, and facility logo before the affiliation process.

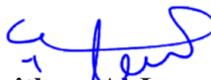
- Full paid Arrangement for the ITPF committee inspection of 2 officials and one local official to ensure compliance with rules and regulations, both before the first affiliation and during renewal every two years.
- Payment of a foundational affiliation fee (non-refundable) ranging from \$200 to \$600 USD, upon approval.
- Renewal fees for affiliation every two years, ranging from \$100 to \$300 USD (non-refundable).

Attached to this email, you will find the application form and detailed guidelines for the affiliation process.

Should you have any queries or need further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us. We look forward to welcoming your esteemed facilities into our growing family of ITPF-affiliated tent pegging institutions.

Thank you for your attention and support in making tent pegging a globally recognized and celebrated sport.

**Best regards**



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