

DEPARTMENT 106 – HORSES & PONIES

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OPEN HORSE SHOW WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY - CLASSES WILL RUN ALTERNATELY WITH JR. FAIR CLASSES

Rules Governing Exhibits

1. Pre-registration required **by July 21**. Separate entry form for each animal. Name of horse and class number **MUST** be listed. Rider/Handler must be designated on fair entry form. Check in at entry booth.
2. Classes may be combined at judge's discretion.
3. All stallions 2 years or older must be registered and handler must be 18 or older. Registration papers must be available to Show Chair the day of the show.
4. ASHA rules apply.
5. **PROPER ATTIRE (INCLUDING SADDLE) AND BOOTS WITH APPROPRIATE HEEL MUST BE WORN. SEI APPROVED HELMETS/CAPS (WITH CHIN STRAP SECURELY FASTENED) REQUIRED TO BE WORN AT ALL TIMES, FOR ALL RIDERS/DRIVERS, NO MATTER WHAT CLASS, AND DURING EXERCISING.**
6. No walk/trot, horse and rider combination may cross enter into canter classes and vice versa.
7. Horses will be brought in for judging. All Open Exhibitors to park on NORTH side of show ring. No trailers or horses allowed between show ring and horse barn. Open horse or pony may stay at fair with prior approval from superintendents.
8. Substitution of a horse or pony is permissible **ONLY** upon submission of a certificate of disability signed by a local vet.
9. Any animal 56" or under will be considered a pony and must compete in pony classes and cannot compete in any horse classes. Any animal over 56" will be considered a horse and must compete in horse classes and cannot compete in any pony classes. Any animal registered with a Horse Breed Association must show in horse classes. **Miniature horses will be shown in pony classes for safety reasons.** Animals will be measured if size is questioned.
10. **4-H HORSES/PONIES** may be shown in Open Classes by handler other than the assigned 4-H exhibitors for that animal (example: family member). **NOTE: 4-H exhibitors may not show their exhibit animals in open classes.**
11. See page 3 for health requirements.
12. Requested 3 minute tack changes will be announced one class prior to change. Please request tack change on entry form and at entry booth. Emergency tack changes must be made one class prior to change at announcers' booth and will be announced. **If you are scratching any or all classes, have the courtesy to contact the superintendent as soon as possible.**

No Cross Entry Between Regular Classes & Walk-Trot.

If you are requesting a stall(s) for horse(s) – BE SURE TO NOTE IT ON YOUR ENTRY FORM. Stalls will be reserved on a first come-first served basis!

CLASS A - EQUINE

1. Halter - Horse/Pony, English or Western, mare or gelding
2. Showmanship - English or Western, all ages
3. English Pleasure - Walk-Trot, Horse/Pony, Huntseat/Saddleseat, all ages
4. English Pleasure - Horse/Pony, all ages
5. English Equitation - Walk-Trot, Horse/Pony, Huntseat/Saddleseat, all ages
6. English Equitation - Saddleseat, all ages
7. Western Pleasure - Walk-Trot, Horse/Pony, all ages
8. Western Pleasure - Horse/Pony, all ages
9. Western Horsemanship/Stock seat Equitation - Walk-Trot, Horse/Pony, all ages
10. Western Horsemanship/Stock seat Equitation - Horse/Pony, all ages
11. Driving - Horse/Pony, Pleasure, all ages
12. Driving - Horse/Pony, Reinsmanship, all ages
13. Driving - Horse/Pony, Obstacle Course, all ages
14. Trail Class - Walk-Trot, all ages
15. Trail Class - Horse/Pony, English/Western, all ages
16. Western Riding - Horse/Pony, all ages

CLASS B – LEAD LINE – Straight Judging (Ribbons ONLY)

17. Horse or Pony - Rider must be 10 & Under as of January 1 of the exhibit year. Handler must be 18 years of age or older. You may also have a side walker. The horses in lead line are subject to the same rules as other horse entries, and must stay at the grounds unless the stalls are all full.. Proper safety attire must be worn. Will be judged on how the rider handles their horse/pony. On entry form only the rider enters, not the handler. A large class may be further split.