

Section B MISSOURI STATE FAIR HORSEMANSHIP for 4-H & FFA

JULY 24, 25, 26, & 27, 2014

Mathewson Exhibition Center and Coliseum
Stall Theme - Harvest the Fun

Superintendent - Jamie Daniel, Sedalia, MO
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Judge - Amanda Burrows, NEO University, OK

Judge - Mary Ann Cash, Hazelwood, MO

Game Judge - Sharon Clark, Versailles, MO

Trail & Reining Judge - Mike Swain, Sedalia, MO

Ring Steward - Heather Northcutt, New Bloomfield, MO

Ring Steward - Debbie Davis, Plattsburg, MO

Stalling - Christy Doogs, Sedalia, MO

Show Secretary - Christy Doogs, Sedalia, MO

Announcer - Sandra Alden, Gallatin, MO

Gates/Paddock - Bob Mitchell, Paris, MO

Pony Measurer/Announcer - Bob Reavis, LaMonte, MO

Gates/Paddock - Sammy Watson, Braymer, MO

Entries in this section close and must be received by July 1.

All ponies will be measured from the third wither bone and as they stand.

Electronic communication devices prohibited in the show ring.

Earliest Arrival: Thursday, July 24, 7:00 a.m., enter Gate 4 **ONLY**

Must Be Out Of Barns: Sunday, July 27, 11:00 p.m.

Dorms are open for \$7.00 (\$6.47 + \$.52 sales tax) per bed/per night.

Must provide own bedding and towels, etc.

See Ben Gallup to pay for your stay.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Show Committee has the right to interpret and enforce all rules.

Any announcements made the day of the show supersede any written communication.

The Missouri State Fair is not responsible for injury, accident, illness or theft. (See General Rules and Regulations.)

ELIGIBILITY - EXHIBITOR

- Each exhibitor must be enrolled by May 1 of the show year in a 4-H and FFA horsemanship project.
- Each exhibitor must be a member in good standing within his/her local club or chapter. **4-H members must bring a copy of their horse enrollment form with them to the show. FFA members must bring a signed statement from their Vo-Ag Instructor affirming their enrollment in the horse project with them to the show.**

AGE

- Each 4-H exhibitor must have passed his/her 8th birthday and not have passed his/her 19th birthday before January 1 of the current year.
- Active members of the FFA who are continuing their supervised agriculture experience program are eligible.
- To determine age, the age of the exhibitor on January 1 of the 4-H or FFA program year shall be maintained throughout the year.

OWNERSHIP

Exhibitors must manage all horses shown beginning no later than May 1 of current year. Although ownership is desired, it is not required. Management is defined as the animal being under the complete care of the 4-H or FFA member for the time he/she is enrolled in the project. Horses shall not receive professional training, showing or handling after May 1 of the current year.

4-H and FFA members may not show stallions.

CERTIFICATION

The 4-H project leader or Vo-Ag Instructor has the responsibility of certifying that membership, age and management requirements are met.

GENERAL RULES

- A negative coggins test is required on all horses and must be presented when entering the Fairgrounds.
- Exhibitors showing the novice (walk/trot) classes are not eligible to show in any other classes with the exception of games and costume classes. Novice means exhibitor, not horse.

Requirements to show in Novice (walk/trot) classes are:

- Walk/trot riders are usually in their first or second year* of horsemanship project. (*Project leaders may authorize members to continue in walk/trot classes past two years if circumstances warrant.)
Additional clarification may be found in the Missouri State Fair Horsemanship for 4-H/FFA guidelines.
- Exhibitors who earned a placing ribbon in a novice (walk/trot) class at the Missouri State Fair Horsemanship for 4-H/FFA in a previous year are not eligible to show in a novice walk/trot class that they place in.

C. Having received a blue Danish ribbon at his/her county 4-H show **will not** disqualify a member from the Novice (walk/trot) classes in the State Fair 4-H/FFA Horse Show.

- Exhibitor age requirements for all classes are specified and may be divided further at the option of the show management in order to equalize class sizes. Exhibitor must show in either Quarter type or Saddle type. Exhibitor CANNOT show same horse in both divisions.
- All exhibitors must wear their numbers on their saddle pad (on both sides) in all classes, except Saddle Seat and Showmanship.
- An exhibitor may show only once in each class.** If a pony measures out of pony class, the pony may go to the horse class of exhibitor's age group. EXCEPTION: If exhibitor has a horse already in this class, they must decide which horse to show; only 1 per class.
- Horses will not be allowed to run in or out of the arena during game classes. Enforcement of this rule is the judge's decision. No helper past the gate.
- Exhibitor may lead their horse into the arena and then mount their horse, if this can be done safely.
- In case of timer failure, the exhibitor will be given a re-ride. The time from the re-ride will be the time that the exhibitor receives.
- ASTM/SEI helmets are required for all game classes and must be buckled at all times while in the arena, even while entering and exiting. Helmets are optional head attire for all other classes.
- NEW** 10. Unless superseded by these rules, regulations, and requirements, the USA Equestrian rules, regulations and requirements will be used as guidelines for Pony Cart and Saddle Seat. American Quarter Horse Association rules, regulations and requirements will be used as guidelines for Western/Hunt Seat Quarter Type classes. ARHA rules, regulations and requirements will be used as guidelines for Ranch Riding classes. Show management and the class Judges reserve the right to interpret and enforce all class rules.
- Any score sheets used by any Judge, may be displayed in the show office, at the discretion of show management or Judge of that class.
- A horse cannot be shown by more than one 4-H or FFA member in the Missouri State Fair Horsemanship for 4-H and FFA. The exhibitor must be the one who manages and cares for the horse.
- SUBSTITUTION:** The horses entered by July 1 will be the designated Missouri State Fair project horses. Any changes must be approved by show Superintendent and Project Leader. (Refer to ownership rule.)
- GROUND RULES:**
 - Each club or chapter must have an adult supervisor (parent, leader or Vo-Ag instructor) on the grounds at all times.
 - Stalls are available and will be **assigned** by the show committee. **DO NOT MOVE STALL CARDS.** Horses are stalled by county.
 - All horses entering the Missouri State Fairgrounds July 24 thru July 27 must be shown before the Missouri State Fair Horsemanship for 4-H & FFA Judges. Any horses not following the preceding rules will be asked to leave the Fairgrounds. Horses are to be ridden by 4-H/FFA exhibitors only in designated areas.**
 - No horse trailers or trucks may be left in front or back of barns or around tents per directive of the State Fire Marshal, or in areas where safety of riders may be a concern. Horse trailers must be parked in designated trailer parking areas **ONLY**.
- Saddles are required for all games classes. Saddle-type riding pads are prohibited.
- Use of hackamore or other types of bridles is the optional choice of the contestant; however, judges or horse show management may prohibit the use of equipment that may be considered severe.
- Showmanship at halter will follow the 4-H Showmanship at Halter guidesheet. FFA members may request a guidesheet from their County Extension Office.
- Because it is in the best interest of all 4-H or FFA members to maintain a reputation of integrity and to present a wholesome and progressive image, the following regulation is set forth: 4-H or FFA members are expected to conduct themselves according to the best traditions of the 4-H or FFA organization. **Unsportsmanlike conduct or inappropriate conduct** (drinking, stealing, vandalism or indiscreet behavior) **will not be tolerated.**
- Any violation on the part of an exhibitor, his/her family, or representative may result in dismissal of the exhibitor from showing in any further classes.
- Any flagrant disregard of rules may be cause for disqualification.
- Only the first 550 stall requests will be accepted. Horses will have first priority; tack stalls will be assigned after horses are accommodated. Sharing of tack stalls (by counties or clubs) will be a necessity. This will allow more youth to participate in the show. All other entries will be allowed to pay daily jump out fee or have the entry returned.
- Stall fee is \$27.00 per horse before July 1. Each horse **MUST** have a stall if staying overnight. Each tack stall is \$27.00 before July 1. **Any returned check will constitute a voided entry.**
- Any party desiring to make a late entry** will be able to do so by paying \$25 per head. This can be done up to July 12, 2014.
- Jump out fee of \$15.00 will be charged if you are only going to show for one day and not stay overnight. **If you stay overnight you must have a stall.**
- The Missouri State Fair does not guarantee premium money, merchandise, prizes or special awards. Because the State Fair Commis-

sion is without constitutional or statutory authority to borrow money for its operation, it reserves the right to prorate premium money because of state budget restraints.

26. Stalls will be available July 24, 7:00 a.m. Enter through Gate 4 only. Horses will be released when through showing.
27. No individual or company, except the designated purveyor, may sell feed, hay or bedding on the fairgrounds. Feed, hay and bedding will be for sale on the fairgrounds on a cash basis only. There will be NO SELLING of clothing, tack or lottery tickets in the barns or out of trailers. If you want to sell items, you must contact the Missouri State Fair office and pay vendor fees.
28. Plaques will be given for first place and rosettes will be given to second through 10th places.
29. Costume Classes 29, 43 and 57 will be judged on originality and at a WALK ONLY. There will be no stories in any costume classes. Native American (Indian) and Open Costume class participants must have handlers.

ANIMAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EXHIBITION

1. EXHIBITION REQUIREMENTS EQUINE.

- A. Intrastate (equine in Missouri moving for exhibition only).
 1. Equine that are to be exhibited must be free of clinical signs of an Infectious or contagious disease. Any equine showing signs of infectious or contagious diseases at an exhibition may be excused by the official inspecting veterinarian. When an official inspecting veterinarian is present; all equine will be subject to daily inspection.
 2. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is not required.
 3. All equine (except nursing foals accompanied by their dams) must be accompanied by a current VS Form 10-11 or any officially recognized state EIA test chart showing the graphic description of all markings needed for identification, or micro-chip, or legible tattoo, or unique registered brand. A certified photocopy or certified facsimile of the VS Form 10-11 or any officially recognized state EIA test chart may be accepted for the purpose of exhibition.
- B. Interstate (equine from another state entering Missouri for exhibition only).
 1. Equine that are to be exhibited must be free of clinical signs of an infectious or contagious disease. Any equine showing signs of infectious or contagious diseases at an exhibition may be excused by the official inspecting veterinarian. When an official inspecting veterinarian is present; all equine will be subject to daily inspection.
 2. A Certificate of Veterinary Inspection is required.
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 4. Alteration or substitution of any information on any VS Form 10-11 including certified photocopy or certified facsimile or any official copy of a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection shall cause the document to be invalid and in violation of sections 267.010 to 267.730, RSMo, and may result in civil penalties not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) per violation and subject to expulsion.
 5. A six (6) - month passport from states with which there is a reciprocal agreement will be accepted in lieu of VS Form 10-11. These passports must have proof of a negative EIA test within thirty (30) days of the date of application of the passport and permanent identification for each horse by means of registered brand, legible tattoo, or microchip to be recorded on the passport and the VS Form 10-11 or any officially recognized state EIA test chart, along with other identifying characteristics. In the event of confirmed vesicular stomatitis in any of the states with which reciprocal agreements exist, use of the six (6) - month passport will be suspended by the state veterinarian of Missouri.
 6. Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis (VEE) vaccination and entry permit is required prior to entry on equine originating from states in which VEE has been diagnosed within the preceding twelve (12) months.
 7. Any equine originating from a premise under quarantine for Vesicular Stomatitis shall obtain an entry permit and must include the statement on the Certificate of Veterinary Inspection that "the equine listed have not been exposed to Vesicular Stomatitis or located within (10) miles of premises quarantined for Vesicular Stomatitis within the past thirty(30) days".
- C. The board, organization or manager of each assembly or event is responsible for certifying that all equine admitted or participating meet the regulations in this section and shall not admit or allow participation of equine not so certified. Untested equine shall not be allowed to congregate with other equine. The owner of each animal shall comply with requirements under this section 267.010 to 267.730, RSMo, and may be assessed civil penalties not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for each violation.

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Thursday, July 24, 2:00 p.m. - Game Classes -

NEW

MFA ARENA

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Novice exhibitors can only enter novice classes, other than game and costume classes.

Classes

- 1 Pole Bending, 8-12 (ponies 56" & under)
- 2 Pole Bending, 13 & over (ponies 56" & under)
- 3 Pole Bending, 12 & under (horses over 56")
- 4 Pole Bending, 13 & 14 (horses over 56")
- 5 Pole Bending, 15 & over (horses over 56")
- 6 Barrels, 8-12 (ponies 56" & under)
- 7 Barrels, 13 & over (ponies 56" & under)
- 8 Barrels, 12 & under (horses over 56")
- 9 Barrels, 13 & 14 (horses over 56")
- 10 Barrels, 15 & over (horses over 56")
- Friday, July 25 - 8:00 a.m. - Mathewson Exhibition Center**
- 11 Showmanship, 15 & over, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 12 Showmanship, 13 & 14, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 13 Showmanship, 12 & under, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 14 Showmanship, Novice, all ages (Quarter Type)
- 15 Showmanship, Novice, all ages (Saddle Type)
- 16 Showmanship, (ponies 56" & under), any type
- 17 Showmanship, 12 & under, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- 18 Showmanship, 13 & 14, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- 19 Showmanship, 15 & over, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- BREAK**
- 20 Therapeutic Horsemanship
- 21 Western Pleasure, All Ages, (ponies 56" & under), any type (at gate class may be split)
- 22 Western Pleasure, Novice, all ages (Walk/Trot) (Quarter Type)
- 23 Western Pleasure, 12 & under, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 24 Western Pleasure, 13 & 14, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 25 Western Pleasure, 15 & over, (Quarter Type) (over 56")
- 26 Ranch Riding, 12 & under (cannot enter any other WP class)
- 27 Ranch Riding, 13 & 14 (cannot enter any other WP class)
- 28 Ranch Riding, 15 & over (cannot enter any other WP class)
- 29 Open Costume, (must have handlers, no stories/narratives)

COLISEUM (time to be announced)

- 30 Western Pleasure, Novice (Walk/Trot) (Saddle Type)
- 31 Western Pleasure, 12 & under, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- 32 Western Pleasure, 13 & 14, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- 33 Western Pleasure, 15 & over, (Saddle Type) (over 56")
- Saturday, July 26 - 8:00 a.m. - Mathewson Exhibition Center**
- 34 Horsemanship, 12 & under, Quarter Type (over 56")
- 35 Horsemanship, 12 & under, Saddle Type (over 56")
- 36 Horsemanship, All Ages, (ponies 56" & under)
- 37 Horsemanship, Novice (Walk/Trot), Quarter Type, All Ages
- 38 Horsemanship, Novice (Walk/Trot), Saddle Type, All Ages
- 39 Horsemanship, 13 & 14, Quarter Type (over 56")
- 40 Horsemanship, 13 & 14, Saddle Type (over 56")
- 41 Horsemanship, 15 & over, Quarter Type (over 56")
- 42 Horsemanship, 15 & over, Saddle Type (over 56")
- 43 Native American Costume (must have handler, no stories/narratives)

COLISEUM - 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

- 44 Trail Class, 13 & 14
- 45 Trail Class, 15 & over
- DONNELLY ARENA - 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**
- 46 Trail Class, 12 & under
- 47 Trail Class, Novice (walk/trot)
(Novice exhibitors are not eligible for classes 44, 45 & 46)
- Sunday, July 27, 8:00 a.m. - Mathewson Exhibition Center**
- 48 Pony Cart (class will be split at the gate)
- 49 English Pleasure, Novice, all ages. (Walk/Trot)
- 50 English Equitation, Novice, all ages. (Walk/Trot)
- 51 English Pleasure, All Ages (Saddle Seat - over 56")
- 52 English Pleasure, All Ages, Gaited (Saddle Seat - over 56")
- 53 English Equitation, All Ages (Saddle Seat - over 56")
- 54 Hunter Under Saddle, 14 & under (Quarter Type - over 56")
- 55 Hunter Under Saddle, 14 & under (Saddle Type - over 56")
- 56 Hunt Seat Equitation, 14 & under (over 56")
- 57 Arabian Costume (no stories/narratives) (at gate class may be split)
- 58 English Pony Pleasure, All Ages (56" & under)
- 59 Pony Equitation Class, All Ages (56" & under)
- 60 Hunter Under Saddle, 15 & over (Saddle Type - over 56")
- 61 Hunter Under Saddle, 15 & over (Quarter Type - over 56")
- 62 Hunt Seat Equitation, 15 & over (over 56")

COLISEUM - 7:00 a.m. - (Classes at Will)

- 63 Reining, 15 & over (AQHA pattern #11)
- 64 Reining, 13 & 14 (AQHA pattern #11)
- 65 Reining, 12 & under (AQHA pattern #11)
(Novice exhibitors are not eligible for classes 63, 64 & 65)

NO DOGS ALLOWED ON THE FAIRGROUNDS!

If you show English and Reining, please try to show early in the reining classes.