DEPT. 106 – HORSES AND PONIES

OPEN DIVISION



Superintendents: Evan & Rachael Geib 920-660-7986 or 920-660-7983

Entries Due: July 15th **Stall Reservations Due:** July 15th

Horse & Pony Arrival: Wed. 7:00 am – 12:00 p.m. ~All horses are required to be in their stalls by noon~

Show Times:

Thursday, p.m. Open Division (Division 311 – Trail) After Junior Pleasure show

Friday, 8 a.m. Open Division Pleasure show (Divisions 312 – 319)

Sunday, 9 a.m. Junior & Open Division Gymkhana classes

Release: Sunday, 6:00 p.m.

GENERAL RULES:

In addition to the rules listed below, please refer to ALL THE RULES & REGULATIONS listed for the Brown County Fair http://www.browncountyfair.com and in the 4-H Horse Handbook 4.3-Equestrian Guideliines-Google Docs for questions regarding equipment & apparel requirements.

- 1. When -Equestrian Guildlines entering classes use horse's age and exhibitor's grade as of January 1 of the current year.
- 2. Only ponies and miniature horses, and donkeys that measure 56" and under are eligible to participate in pony/miniature classes. Any ponies or miniature horses and donkeys in question will be measured.
- 3. Animal Stall, Pen, & Cage Reservation can be made online at www.browncountyfair.com Showorks registration under Fees. There is a \$25 stall fee that will be refundable after inspection at clean up time on Sunday. Horse stabling will be given on first come basis, with initial consideration given to Junior Division exhibitors. NO ONE is allowed a tack stall until all horses have a stall, and then they will be assigned by the Barn Superintendent. Trailering in and out for the show will only be allowed if no stalls are available.
- 4. No horse, equipment, decorations, etc. may be taken down or packed up before 6pm on Sunday. Removal of any of these items will result in loss of all premiums awarded in this department for the current year.
- 5. Mares with foals 3 months or younger can be stalled together. Any foal older than 3 months must be stalled separately.
- 6. All horses must have a valid negative Coggins test for the current year. Before unloading any horse, you must provide the Barn Superintendent the **ORIGINAL** and **1 COPY**. The copy will be kept on file and the original returned to the exhibitor. Premise ID number needs to be provided at the time of registration.
- 7. Cleaning of stalls is to be done before 9 a.m. and between 4-6 p.m. each day (except Sunday-see posting in barn). Exercise times and any changes or additions will be posted in the barns. Animals must be fed, watered, and exercised daily under the responsibility of the exhibitor or immediate family member. Barn aisles should be clear of show/tack boxes. No horse can be cross-tied in the aisle of barns at any time.
- 8. No one but exhibitor, owner, and immediate family shall handle or ride a project animal while at the Fairgrounds.
- 9. Anyone handling/riding a horse/pony or walking in the arenas must wear boots, hard-soled shoes, or equestrian footwear with heels.
- 10. If an exhibitor chooses to allow fair visitors to pet their animal, exhibitors must do so in a safe manner with the horse controlled by a halter and leadline at the door of the stall.
- 11. Grazing is allowed in the area by the arena and west of the horse barn. When grazing, the horse must be controlled by a halter and leadline and the exhibitor must remain standing at all times.

- 12. Horses must be mounted and dismounted in the riding ring. No riding or lunging of horses in the barn areas or on grassy areas around the barns.
- 13. No horse, pony, or foal may be let loose in the arena at any time unless permission is granted by the Barn Superintendent.
- 14. SEI/ASTM approved helmets are required (with safety harness securely fastened) when mounted or driving. Helmets are not required for Showmanship classes.
- 15. All horses must have a bridle and a saddle when being ridden.
- 16. If you are in need of the veterinarian, you or a decision- making family member, must stay with the animal until the vet has completed the examination and made diagnosis.
- 17. Please read the Animal Welfare Awareness Policy in the Exhibit Handbook: www.browncountyfair.com
- 18. A halter and lead rope should be kept on the stalls at all times, in case your horse needs to be moved from there stalls due to an emergency.

SHOW RULES:

- 1. Classes will be judged according to the most recent rules and regulations from the WI State 4-H Horse Association. *Handbook* https://fyi.extension.wisc.edu/wi4haganimalscience/wi-4-h-horse-assn-handbook/
- 2. Novice classes are for those new to showing or showing a green horse. They are limited to walk-trot (no cantering). Riders entered in these classes may not cross-enter into canter classes on the same horse.
- 3. A two (2) minute gate rule for tack changes will be enforced. Clock will start when the first horse enters the ring. Exhibitors requiring a tack change must notify the gate person of the request a minimum of two classes before their class is called.
- 4. Exhibitors showing in the Junior Division classes cannot enter into Open Division classes with the same horse.
- 5. The Show Superintendent reserves the right to combine or divide classes, in accordance with ATCP 160.04 and ATCP 160.07. If a question arises, the decision of the Show Superintendent shall prevail.
- 6. No one may approach the judge or announcers stand before or during the show. Technical questions should be directed to the gate person or a Horse Team Member. Exhibitors are encouraged to thank the judge for their work after the show is complete.
- 7. Children 7 & under may be accompanied by an adult in the show ring. *That adult may NOT assist or coach.* They are only there for safety purposes. Coaching may lead to disqualification.
- 8. Possible reasons for disqualification include, but are not limited to:
 - a. Animals entered in the wrong class
 - b. Unnecessary roughness with animals
 - c. Use of severe bits, illegal equipment, or illegal apparel
 - d. Animal not under control by an exhibitor
 - e. Animals showing signs of lameness, unsoundness, or unruliness
 - f. Failure to follow rules

PREMIUMS FOR DIVISIONS 311 - 318 UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED:

1st **2**nd \$9.00 \$8.00

3rd \$7.00 4th

\$6.00

*Champions - RIBBONS ONLY

<u>DIVISION 311 – TRAIL & MINIATURE HORSE JUMPING (this will also include donkeys and miniature</u>

<u>donkeys</u>) – **Straight Judging:** Judged on the animal's performance over obstacles ridden under English or Western tack.

CLASS NO.

- 1. Horse or pony Trail Exhibitor 19 & Over
- 2. Horse or pony Trail Exhibitor 13-18
- 3. Horse or pony Trail Exhibitor 12 & Under
- 4. Horse or pony Trail Novice (Walk/Trot)

- 5. Miniature horse in-hand Trail all ages
- 6. Miniature horse in-hand jumping all ages
- 7. Therapeutic Trail all ages

<u>DIVISION 312 – SHOWMANSHIP</u> – Straight Judging: Judged on exhibitor's ability to show animal at halter CLASS NO.

- 1. English Horse Exhibitor 19 & Over
- 2. English Horse Exhibitor 13-18
- 3. English Horse Exhibitor 12 & Under
- 4. Western Horse Exhibitor 19 & Over
- 5. Western Horse Exhibitor 13-18
- 6. Western Horse Exhibitor 12 & Under

- 7. Pony or Miniature Horse, and donkey Exhibitor 19 & Over
- 8. Pony or Miniature Horse, and donkey Exhibitor 13-18
- 9. Pony or Miniature Horse , and donkey— Exhibitor 12 & Under
- 10. Draft Horse all ages

<u>DIVISION 313 – HALTER</u> – Straight Judging: Judged on the conformation of the horse or pony CLASS NO.

- 1. Foals & Weanlings
- 2. Yearlings
- 3. Pony & Miniature Horse, and donkey Mares & Geldings age 2-4 years
- 4. Pony & Miniature Horse , and donkey– Mares age 5 & over
- Pony or Miniature Horse, and donkey Geldings 5 & over
- 6. Horse Mares & Geldings age 2-4 years
- 7. Horse Mares age 5 & over
- 8. Horse Geldings 5 & over
- 9. Draft Mares all ages
- 10. Draft Geldings all ages

<u>DIVISION 314 – PLEASURE DRIVING</u> – Straight Judging: Judged on the animal's performance as a cart animal **Single carts only

CLASS NO.

- 1. Pony & Miniature Horse & donkey
- 2. Horse

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<u>DIVISION 315 – ENGLISH EQUITATION</u> – Straight Judging: Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show their animal under English tack

CLASS NO.

- English Equitation- Horse Exhibitor age 19 & Over
- 2. English Equitation- Horse Exhibitor age 13-18
- English Equitation- Horse Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 4. English Equitation- Horse Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 5. English Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 19 &
- 6. English Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 13-18
- 7. English Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 8. English Equitation Pony Novice (Walk/Trot)

<u>DIVISION 316 – ENGLISH PLEASURE</u> – Straight Judging: Judged on the animal's performance and pleasurability to ride under English tack

CLASS NO.

- English Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 19 & Over
- 2. English Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 13-18
- 3. English Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 4. English Pleasure Horse Novice (Walk/Trot)
- English Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 19 & Over
- 6. English Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 13-18
- 7. English Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 8. English Pleasure Pony Novice (Walk/Trot)

DIVISION 317 - WESTERN EQUITATION (HORSEMANSHIP) - Straight Judging: Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show their animal under Western tack

CLASS NO.

- 1. Western Equitation Horse Exhibitor age 19 &
- 2. Western Equitation Horse Exhibitor age 13-
- 3. Western Equitation Horse Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 4. Western Equitation Horse Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 5. Western Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 19 &
- 6. Western Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 13-
- 7. Western Equitation Pony Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 8. Western Equitation Pony Novice (Walk/Trot)

DIVISION 318 – WESTERN PLEASURE – Straight Judging: Judged on the animal's performance and pleasurability to ride under Western tack

CLASS NO.

- 1. Western Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 19 & Over
- 2. Western Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 13-18
- 3. Western Pleasure Horse Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 4. Western Pleasure Horse Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 5. Western Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 19 & Over
- 6. Western Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 13-18
- 7. Western Pleasure Pony Exhibitor age 12 & Under
- 8. Western Pleasure Pony Novice (Walk/Trot)

DIVISION 460 – LEAD LINE – Straight Judging (Ribbons ONLY)

CLASS NO.

1. 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 horse or pony must be at the Fair already. Proper safety attire must be worn. Will be judged on how rider handles their horse/pony. On entry form only the rider enters not the handler. A large class may be further split.

<u>DIVISION 319 – MISCELLANEOUS</u> – Straight Judging (Ribbons ONLY):

CLASS NO.

1. Costume Class

DIVISION 320 - GYMKHANA - Straight Judging (Ribbons ONLY): Timed events on horseback. . Legal wear must be used for both exhibitor and animal.

CLASS NO.

- 1. Pole Bending Age 19 & Over
- 2. Pole Bending Age 13-18
- 3. Pole Bending Age 12 & Under

- 4. Pole Bending Pony
- Pole Bending Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 6. Flag Race Age 19 & Over

- 7. Flag Race Age 13-18
- 8. Flag Race Age 12 & Under
- 9. Flag Race Pony
- 10. Flag Race Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 11. Ball & Pail Age 19 & Over
- 12. Ball & Pail Age 13-18
- 13. Ball & Pail Age 12 & Under
- 14. Ball & Pail Pony
- 15. Ball & Pail Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 16. Cloverleaf Barrels Age 19 & Over
- 17. Cloverleaf Barrels Age 13-18
- 18. Cloverleaf Barrels Age 12 & Under
- 19. Cloverleaf Barrels Pony
- 20. Cloverleaf Barrels Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 21. Plug Race Age 19 & Over
- 22. Plug Race Age 13-18
- 23. Plug Race Age 12 & Under
- 24. Plug Race Pony
- 25. Plug Race Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 26. Catalog Race Age 19 & Over

- 27. Catalog Race Age 13-18
- 28. Catalog Race Age 12 & Under
- 29. Catalog Race Pony
- 30. Catalog Race Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 31. Speed & Action Age 19 & Over
- 32. Speed & Action Age 13-18
- 33. Speed & Action Age 12 & Under
- 34. Speed & Action Pony
- 35. Speed & Action Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 36. Texas Keyhole Age 19 & Over
- 37. Texas Keyhole Age 13-18
- 38. Texas Keyhole Age 12 & Under
- 39. Texas Keyhole Pony
- 40. Texas Keyhole Novice (Walk/Trot)
- 41. Egg & Spoon Age 19 & Over
- 42. Egg & Spoon Age 13-18
- 43. Egg & Spoon Age 12 & Under
- 44. Egg & Spoon Pony
- 45. Egg & Spoon Novice (Walk/Trot)