

**2023**  
**DEPARTMENT 6**  
**JUNIOR CLASS HORSE & PONY**

Supt. Sam Johnson

- A. Livestock exhibitors are required to comply with all of the statutory and regulatory provisions of the State of Wisconsin relating to animal health. See the current animal health regulations in the front of this book.
- B. For base dates and class definitions see Section ATCP 160.56 of the State of Wisconsin Regulations.
- C. Any non-therapeutic substance used as a stimulant, depressant, tranquilizer, or sedative for the purpose of altering a horse or pony's show ring performance is prohibited. Failure to comply will result in disqualification and forfeiture of the current year's fair classes & ribbons. Removal of the horse from the fairgrounds will be decided by the Superintendent and Horse Project Leaders.
- D. Horse Identification Forms (ID Forms), copy of a current negative Coggins, current proof of vaccinations, and Premise ID are required documents to be submitted by **May 1<sup>st</sup>** to the Racine County Fair Office. These documents must be submitted per exhibitor, and per animal. Failure to submit these required documents will result in disqualification to show at the Racine County Fair. ID Forms and instructions, which are included in your exhibitor packet, are available through your 4-H Horse Project leader(s), Superintendent, Club Leader, or at [www.racinecountyfair.com](http://www.racinecountyfair.com).
- E. The animal must be in a good state of health and not showing evidence of any contagious or infectious disease. Horses exhibiting signs of illness may be subject to veterinary inspection. Horses found to be infected with contagious disease will be ordered to be removed from the Racine County Fair.
- F. Horses must check-in on the Tuesday of Fair week between 12:00 p.m. and 5:45 p.m.
- G. Your original negative Coggins and Health Agreement Form will be required to be shown at check-in.
- H. Exhibitors will be exhibiting animals for full time of Fair. Animals must be in place by 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday of Fair. Animals cannot be removed from the fairgrounds until the approved release time on Sunday evening. Any horses unable to stay for the required time due to pre-existing injury, illness, temperament, or safety concerns should not be brought to the Fair.
- I. **Horses that become sick, injured, or dangerous while at the Fair will be examined by the Fair Veterinarian, who will then decide if the horse should be removed from the Fairgrounds. Only the Fair Veterinarian or Superintendent of the Horse Project is allowed to excuse a horse from the Fair.**
- J. No decorations may be removed from the barn and no stall may be stripped prior to 9:00 p.m. on Sunday. Stalls must be cleaned prior to barn inspection on Monday after the Fair. Failure to comply will result in forfeiting ribbons.
- K. No trailers will be allowed to remain on the Fairgrounds.
- L. Rules to determine if an exhibitor qualifies to show their horse / pony at Fair will be determined by the Horse Project Superintendent. Participation qualifications may include but are not limited to: participation in horse project activities, meetings, and clinics. These requirements must be completed prior to July 1<sup>st</sup> of the exhibition year.
- M. Any exhibitors planning on staying overnight for any night of the Fair must have an overnight form for each night, completed and turned into the Superintendent by 6:00 p.m. Tuesday night of Fair week. Every child must have a chaperone. The limit is five (5) exhibitors per chaperone per night. Overnight forms are included in your exhibitor packet, and will also be available at the Racine County Fair Office or the Superintendent. Wristbands for each night will be handed out, and any person in the barn after 10:00 p.m. without a wristband will be asked to leave the barn.
- N. **A MANDATORY PRE-FAIR MEETING WILL TAKE PLACE AT 6:30 P.M. ON TUESDAY OF FAIR WEEK.** Attendance is required by the exhibitor and will be taken. Members that are absent will be disqualified for the remainder of the current year's Fair.
- O. Any unforeseen circumstances will be brought before the Superintendent, show committee, and/or judge. The decision is final. All exhibitors and parent / guardians are required to have read and abide by the Racine County Fair Horse & Pony – Exhibitor Packet Rules & Regulations as well as all rules in this Fair Book.
- P. It is a privilege to participate in the Racine County Fair. This privilege can be revoked for conduct unbecoming an exhibitor, parent, or leader.
- Q. Classes can and will be run simultaneously at the judge's discretion.

**DIVISIONS 1 THROUGH 12 WILL BE HELD ON  
WEDNESDAY STARTING AT 10:00 A.M.**

**Division 1 – English Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Hunt seat Showmanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>2</b>	Hunt seat Showmanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>3</b>	Hunt seat Showmanship, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>4</b>	Saddle seat Showmanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>5</b>	Saddle seat Showmanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>6</b>	Saddle seat Showmanship, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>7</b>	Pony Showmanship, English, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>8</b>	Pony Showmanship, English, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>9</b>	Pony Showmanship, English, 10 – 12 Years Old

**GRAND CHAMPION ENGLISH SHOWMANSHIP**

**RIBBON**

**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION ENGLISH SHOWMANSHIP**

**RIBBON**

**Division 2 – Horseless Horse Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	English Horseless Horse Showmanship, Any Age

**Division 3 – Therapeutic English Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Therapeutic English Showmanship, Any Age

**Division 4 – English Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as an English Pleasure Mount  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Hunt seat Pleasure, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>2</b>	Hunt seat Pleasure, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>3</b>	Hunt seat Pleasure, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>4</b>	Saddle seat Pleasure, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>5</b>	Saddle seat Pleasure, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>6</b>	Saddle seat Pleasure, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>7</b>	Pony English Pleasure, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>8</b>	Pony English Pleasure, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>9</b>	Pony English Pleasure, 10 – 12 Years Old

**GRAND CHAMPION ENGLISH PLEASURE**

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**Division 5 – Horseless Horse English Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as an English Pleasure Mount  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Horseless Horse Walk / Trot English Pleasure, Any Age

### Division 6 – Therapeutic English Pleasure

Judged on the performance of the horse as an English Pleasure Mount  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Therapeutic Hunt Seat Pleasure, Any Age

### Division 7 – Walk / Trot Horse English Pleasure

Judged on the performance of the horse as an English Pleasure Mount  
This class is intended for beginners.

**Any participant in Walk / Trot divisions may not enter any canter divisions.**  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Walk / Trot English Pleasure, Any Age

### Division 8 – English Equitation

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to ride  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Hunt seat Equitation, 16 – 19 Years Old
2	Hunt seat Equitation, 13 – 15 Years Old
3	Hunt seat Equitation, 10 – 12 Years Old
4	Saddle seat Equitation, 16 – 19 Years Old
5	Saddle seat Equitation, 13 – 15 Years Old
6	Saddle seat Equitation, 10 – 12 Years Old
7	Pony English Equitation, 16 – 19 Years Old
8	Pony English Equitation, 13 – 15 Years Old
9	Pony English Equitation, 10 – 12 Years Old

**GRAND CHAMPION ENGLISH EQUITATION**  
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### Division 9 – Horseless Horse English Equitation

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to ride  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Horseless Horse Walk / Trot Hunt Seat Equitation, Any Age

### Division 10 – Therapeutic English Equitation

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to ride  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Therapeutic English Equitation, Any Age

### Division 11 – Walk / Trot Horse English Equitation

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to ride.  
This class is intended for beginners.

**Any participant in Walk / Trot divisions may not enter any canter divisions.**  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Walk / Trot English Equitation, Any Age

### Division 12 – Performance

Judged on the horse and exhibitor's ability to perform together  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Hunter Hack, 16 – 19 Years Old
2	Hunter Hack, 13 – 15 Years Old
3	Hunter Hack, 10 – 12 Years Old
4	Hunter Hack, Pony, Any Age
5	Pleasure Driving Horse, Any Age
6	Pleasure Driving Pony, Any Age
7	Draft Horse Driving, Any Age
8	Reinsmanship (Driving Equitation), Any Age
9	Obstacle Driving, Any Age

**GRAND CHAMPION PERFORMANCE**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION PERFORMANCE**

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### ***DIVISIONS 13 THROUGH 25 WILL BE HELD ON THURSDAY STARTING AT 10:00 A.M.***

#### **Division 13 – Western Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Western Showmanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
2	Western Showmanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
3	Western Showmanship, 10 – 12 Years Old
4	Pony Western Showmanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
5	Pony Western Showmanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
6	Pony Western Showmanship, 10 – 12 Years Old
7	Draft Horse Showmanship, Any Age

**GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN SHOWMANSHIP**  
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#### **Division 14 – Horseless Horse Western Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Horseless Horse Western Showmanship, Any Age

#### **Division 15 – Therapeutic Western Showmanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to show the horse at halter  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Therapeutic Western Showmanship, Any Age

#### **Division 16 – Western Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as a Western Pleasure Mount  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

Class No.	Entry
1	Western Pleasure, 16 – 19 Years Old
2	Western Pleasure, 13 – 15 Years Old
3	Western Pleasure, 10 – 12 Years Old
4	Pony Western Pleasure, 16 – 19 Years Old
5	Pony Western Pleasure, 13 – 15 Years Old
6	Pony Western Pleasure, 10 – 12 Years Old

**GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN PLEASURE**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN PLEASURE**

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**Division 17 – Horseless Horse Western Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as a Western Pleasure Mount  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Horseless Horse Walk / Trot Western Pleasure, Any Age

**Division 18 – Therapeutic Western Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as a western pleasure mount.  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Therapeutic Western Pleasure, Any Age

**Division 19 – Walk / Trot Western Pleasure**

Judged on the performance of the horse as a western pleasure mount.  
This class is intended for beginners.  
Any participant in Walk / Trot classes may not enter any canter classes.  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Walk / Trot Western Pleasure, Any Age

**Division 20 – Western Horsemanship**

Judged on Exhibitor's ability to ride Western.  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Western Horsemanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>2</b>	Western Horsemanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>3</b>	Western Horsemanship, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>4</b>	Pony Western Horsemanship, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>5</b>	Pony Western Horsemanship, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>6</b>	Pony Western Horsemanship, 10 – 12 Years Old

**GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP**  
**RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP**

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**Division 21 – Horseless Horse Western Horsemanship**

Judged on Exhibitor's ability to ride Western.  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Horseless Horse Walk / Trot Western Horsemanship, Any Age

**Division 22 – Therapeutic Western Horsemanship**

Judged on the exhibitor's ability to ride Western.  
Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Therapeutic Western Horsemanship, Any Age

**Division 23 – Walk / Trot Western Horsemanship**

Judged on the performance of the horse as a western.

This class is intended for beginners.  
 Any participant in Walk / Trot classes may not enter any canter classes.  
 Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Walk / Trot Western Horsemanship, Any Age

**Division 24 – Performance**

Judged on the horse and exhibitor's ability to perform together.  
 Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Western Riding, Any Age
<b>2</b>	Trail Class, English or Western, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>3</b>	Trail Class, English or Western, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>4</b>	Trail Class, English or Western, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>5</b>	In-Hand Trail Class, Any Age

**GRAND CHAMPION WESTERN PERFORMANCE**  
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***DIVISION 25 WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY***  
***START TIME WILL BE ANNOUNCED DURING FAIR***

**Division 25 – Gymkhana**

Judged by timer, fastest horse / pony & rider combination wins  
 Danish Judging – Ribbon Only

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Pole Bending, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>2</b>	Pole Bending, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>3</b>	Pole Bending, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>4</b>	Key Race, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>5</b>	Key Race, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>6</b>	Key Race, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>7</b>	Plug Race, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>8</b>	Plug Race, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>9</b>	Plug Race, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>10</b>	Cloverleaf Barrels, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>11</b>	Cloverleaf Barrels, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>12</b>	Cloverleaf Barrels, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>13</b>	Flag Race, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>14</b>	Flag Race, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>15</b>	Flag Race, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>16</b>	Ball and Pail, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>17</b>	Ball and Pail, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>18</b>	Ball and Pail, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>19</b>	LT Special, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>20</b>	LT Special, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>21</b>	LT Special, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>22</b>	Speed and Action, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>23</b>	Speed and Action, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>24</b>	Speed and Action, 10 – 12 Years Old
<b>25</b>	Keyhole, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>26</b>	Keyhole, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>27</b>	Keyhole, 10 – 12 Years Old

**\*\*\*RACINE COUNTY FAIR HORSE & PONY PROJECT SPORTSMAN AWARD\*\*\***

Nominations will be taken during the week of the Fair in a sealed drop box.  
 All forms must have a signature.  
 Location of the nomination box will be announced at the Tuesday Meeting.

**Division 26 – Horse Educational**  
 Danish Judging – Ribbon Only  
 Open exhibitors aged 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade and above

Judging Monday of fair  
 11:00 AM in Poultry Barn

**HORSE POSTERS**

- a. Only 1 poster per category is allowed.
- b. Poster board of 14" x 22" with a 1" border is recommended.
- c. On the back please include the following:
  - a. Name
  - b. County
  - c. Category (Creative or Educational)
  - d. Age
  - e. Grade
- d. No Sharp Objects. Nothing may protrude over 1/8" above the board.
- e. Include a card with the following:
  - a. Choice of Subject
  - b. Resources Used
  - c. Reason it is Creative Design or Educational
- f. Creative Designs include advertisements, book report posters, collage, promotions, etc
- g. Education Illustrations include equipment, anatomy, health, breeds, careers, safety, colors and marking, etc.

**Creative Design**

Advertisement, Book Report Poster, Collage, Promotion, etc

Class No.	Entry
<b>22</b>	Creative Design, Senior 15 – 19 Years Old
<b>23</b>	Creative Design, Junior 10 – 14 Years Old
<b>24</b>	Creative Design, Beginner, 9 Years Old and Under

**Educational Illustration**

Equipment, Anatomy, Health, Breeds, Careers, Safety, Colors and Markings, etc

Class No.	Entry
<b>25</b>	Educational Illustration, Senior 15 – 19 Years Old
<b>26</b>	Educational Illustration, Junior 10 – 14 Years Old
<b>27</b>	Educational Illustration, Beginner, 9 Years Old and Under

**Other Educational Projects**

Class No.	Entry
<b>28</b>	Scrapbook
<b>29</b>	Other project cleared by Superintendent done by Horseless Horse exhibitor to fulfill project requirement – Examples: Rope Halter, Flip Book of Medical Emergencies and Treatments

**HIPPOLOGY**

Knowledge Test  
 Monday of Fair

Class No.	Entry
<b>30</b>	Hippology Test, 16 – 19 Years Old
<b>31</b>	Hippology Test, 13 – 15 Years Old
<b>32</b>	Hippology Test, 11 – 12 Years Old
<b>33</b>	Hippology Test, 10 Years and Under

**MODEL HORSES**

- a. Classes 1 – 3 are open only to exhibitors 8 years of age and under or Special Needs (Therapeutic) which is any exhibitor with special need competing. These classes are permitted to use commercially made equipment (CE).
- b. Classes 4 – 5 are open to all ages and abilities. The work is to be done by the exhibitor.
- c. All exhibitors in the classes 6 – 21 are required to use tack made by the exhibitor. You may re-use last year's tack, but please refresh settings.
- d. Exhibitors under 11 years of age or therapeutic may have help making the tack and setting up at

- the show.
- e. The model may be lightly used.
  - f. Placings are based on suitability and workmanship of the tack on the model in that class.
  - g. The judge may regroup classes as needed.
  - h. More rules and information are located in the Racine County 4-H Horse Project Handbook.
  - i. A picture (4"x6") must be provided with each of the models which will be used for display during the fair.

<b>Class No.</b>	<b>Entry</b>
<b>1</b>	Showmanship – 8 Years old and under or Therapeutic – with CE
<b>2</b>	Pleasure – 8 Years old and under or Therapeutic – with CE
<b>3</b>	Performance – 8 Years old and under or Therapeutic – with CE
<b>4</b>	RRH – Any Equine – no tack required – any age
<b>5</b>	Open Costume – Historical or Fantasy made by member – any age
<b>6</b>	Of-Showmanship English – with or without doll
<b>7</b>	Of-Showmanship Western – with or without doll
<b>8</b>	Of-Showmanship Draft – with or without doll
<b>9</b>	Of-Showmanship Pony – with or without doll
<b>10</b>	Of-Showmanship Any Other – with or without doll
<b>11</b>	English Pleasure
<b>12</b>	Western Pleasure
<b>13</b>	Working Stock Horse – has props to show what is happening
<b>14</b>	Training & Raising Horses
<b>15</b>	Dressage
<b>16</b>	Gymkhana or Other Game Type Events
<b>17</b>	Trail – Natural or Ring Type
<b>18</b>	Working Hunter
<b>19</b>	Driving / Harness
<b>20</b>	Open Performance – Any Other
<b>21</b>	Open – Any other model – See-through horse, dog scene, etc