2022 State 4-H Working Steer Shows

To request a disability-related accommodation to participate in any of these shows, please contact Wendy Sorrell at 802-651-8343 ext. 513 by July 1, 2022 so we may assist you.

- Two qualifying shows are available for 4-H members who are trying to qualify for Eastern States.
- All current 4-H Working Steer project members who want to come and show their steers are also welcome to participate.
- The shows are open to any 4-H member with a team listed on a 4-H Approval Form. Approval Forms, Lease/Loans (if applicable) and Animal Health Forms will be checked before animals are shown.

**First Qualifier/Show:** Sunday, July 17, 2022 starting at 10:00 a.m.
Connecticut Valley Fair, 66 Carson Lane, Bradford, VT 05033
Contact Terri Chamberlin, 802-763-7820 or 802-356-6568 (cell); or Wendy Sorrell, 802-651-8343 ext. 513

**Second Qualifier/Show:** Saturday, August 13, 2022 starting at 10:00 a.m.
Highland Farm, 1444 Skyline Drive, Pomfret, VT 05053
Directions: Take Route 14 to Sharon. Go across the green iron bridge which is across from Tracey Midway station. Turn right off the bridge then take the first left onto Howe Hill Road. Look for Allen Hill Road which will be on the right. Watch for the 4-H signs. Stay on Allen Hill Road for two miles, then turn left on to Skyline. Look for the first place on the right with white fencing and a red arena.
Contact Terri Chamberlin, 802-763-7820 or 802-356-6568 (cell); or Wendy Sorrell 802-651-8343

**Event Details:**
- Teamsters may choose which classes they would like to compete in. If they are participating to qualify for ESE then they must compete in all three events at each show and follow all standards and guidelines.
- The three events at each show are Fitting and Showing, Cart Class, and Stone Boat.
- Ribbons will be awarded at the show according to the judge’s discretion.

**Fitting and Showing:** Teamsters will be judged on the condition of the steers and the manner in which they are presented to the judge. Judges will consider the following:
- Condition, cleanliness and grooming of steers
- Teamster’s appearance and knowledge of working steers
- Driving of the steers

**Cart Class:** Teamsters will be judged on their ability to maneuver a two-wheeled cart through a series of obstacles. The judge will determine the course and set the time limit for hitching and completing the course.

**Stone Boat:** Teamsters will be judged on their ability to work a stone boat. The judge will determine the course and set the time limits for hitching and completing the course. The course will include at least one turn to the gee and one turn to the haw. Teamsters may elect not to pull the required weight for their division.