State 4-H Horse Show
Friday, July 12 - Sunday, July 14, 2024

Champlain Valley Exposition
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Route 15, Essex Junction, VT 05452

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Alcohol, tobacco and illegal drugs are not allowed at 4-H meetings, events or activities. Please refrain from any use of the above mentioned or you will be asked to leave.

The water is chlorinated but is not recommended for human consumption so bring drinking water. Some horses will not drink the water; you must know your horse and plan accordingly.

ASTM/SEI properly fitted helmets are required at all times by anyone who is mounted or driving, including Lead Line. Please refer to the “New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines, Revised 2024 for proper attire and more complete rules.

PAPERWORK NEEDED: All paperwork needs to come with the HORSE and trailer.

(a) Current Negative Coggins’s test, (b) current proof of rabies. Your horse will not be allowed off the trailer without this paperwork!

CAMPERS: May arrive between 4PM and 8PM THURSDAY, or between 8AM and 8PM FRIDAY. HORSES: May not arrive before 2:00 PM FRIDAY (if you are not arriving Friday, please note this on your entry) NO PETS ALLOWED! NO SMOKING OR BIKES IN OR AROUND THE BARNs! BIKES found in the barn area will be jailed until the end of the show. NO CAMPFIRES! This refers to anything with an open flame.

An exhibitor must apply in writing to the state 4-H Livestock Educator, Wendy Sorrell, via email at: wendy.sorrell@uvm.edu, with questions regarding unusual equipment or other matters that are not clearly addressed in the program or guidelines and not addressed at the show. This must be done at least a month ahead of time. For questions or to request language interpretation/translation assistance and/or a disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, please call or email Wendy Sorrell at 802-656-7641 or wendy.sorrell@uvm.edu by June 10, 2024 so we may assist you.

All vehicles/trailers are to be parked in designated areas. There is no parking between any buildings in the horse area and the roadsides. This is a safe place to unload your horse and equipment, but you can not stay parked in that area. During the day the roads around the barns are closed for everyone’s safety. Please do not drive over or around cones.

STABLING: All pre-entry participants will be stabled by club. A single member attending from a club may request to be next to another club on the entry form. Entries must be received by post-mark of June 21st to be considered pre-entry. Post entries will be accepted, no guarantee of stabling or with your club. Stalls are $60 per stall for the weekend, and are non-refundable. They are available Friday through Sunday. All horses staying overnight must have a stall. (You are not allowed to use nails, screw-eyes, etc. with the portable stalls, plan accordingly.) Horses stabled on the grounds must participate in at least 2 classes over the weekend, to occupy a stall. Bedding will be available by PRE-PURCHASE on your entry form. The shavings will be delivered to your stall area. Upon your departure, your stall and the aisle way must be completely stripped and put on the manure pile. Tack stalls may be available if we have extra stalls, at $60.

CLUBS must fill out an entry form (Club Name) and send to secretary with payment for TACK STALLS.

Lights will be turned off at 10:00 P.M. If you need to check on your horse, please use a flashlight.

CAMPING: See arrival times above. All campers must be in place by 8PM Friday. No camping/staying over on Wednesday or Sunday night. Exhibitors may stay on the grounds in campers and/or tents. Each family staying on the grounds is asked to pay $15 for the weekend if not paying for electrical hookup. Again, this year you may camp in the 4-H Exhibit Hall for $25. (See separate sheet for restrictions) These fees help to offset our grounds expenses. Please fill out the camping form. Any unit using electricity or water hook-up will be subject to the $25 fee for hookups. Camping fees are payable in advance on the form enclosed, all camping fees are non-refundable. If you wish to have a camping space next to someone, please indicate that on your camping form. Camper bar spaces will be marked in advance. The upper part of the grounds are only marked by group, first come, first served on the 30 amp breakers. Plan on bringing water splitters and extension cords. If renting, please put the name the camper was rented under on the camping form in addition to the exhibitor’s name.

Quiet time in the camping areas begins at 10:00 P.M. This helps everyone get a good night’s sleep. Please be considerate.

OTHER FEES: Pre-entered classes are $7 per class. Entries received after a post-mark of June 21st will be charged an office fee of $25. Stall fees are non-refundable. Classes added at the show will be $10 per class. Class drops will not be refunded, and there will be no class ‘swaps’. Numbers are $2 and you may keep them. You will be issued a “set” of numbers and are encouraged to use one on each side of your saddle pad for best identification by show officials. Numbers must be visible on both sides, if not on your back. Stall and camping fees must accompany your entry. Classes may be paid upon your arrival. Registration goes faster if all fees are paid ahead of time. Questions at the show need to go to the managers and/or committee members. No one may approach any judge.
Everyone will be asked to volunteer for various parts of the show. Please be generous with your assistance.

Members are asked to remain on the grounds for the duration of the show, and may leave only when accompanied by a parent, legal guardian, or other responsible adult with prior arrangement.

CHAMPIONSHIPS AND RESERVES

All riders/drivers are eligible for a 4-H Championship, a Gymkhana Championship and one show Championship may be chosen. You may ride all seats, but must determine which championship to ride toward on the entry form.

Gymkhana: See Gymkhana Classes and Rules. To be awarded Sunday.
* Beginner (8-18 in 1st year of competition; W/T only) * Junior (W/T/C 8-13) * Senior (W/T/C 14-18)

Senior 4-H (Ages 14-18, W/T/C)
4 – Fitting & Showmanship 15 – Project 3 – Quiz Bowl 51 – Judging

Junior 4-H (Ages 8-13, W/T/C)
5 – Fitting & Showmanship 16 – Project 1 or 2 – Quiz Bowl 49 or 50 – Judging

Advanced Beginner 4-H (Ages 8-18 having cantered in fewer than 8 shows)
6 – Fitting & Showmanship 17 – Project 1, 2 or 3 – Quiz Bowl 49, 50 or 51 – Judging

Beginner 4-H (Ages 8-18; walk/trot only; those over 12 should be in their first or second year of showing)
7 – Fitting & Showmanship 18 - Project 1, 2 or 3 – Quiz Bowl 49, 50 or 51 – Judging

Showmanship Championship (awarded in the ring; Ages 8-18)
The top two of each Fitting and Showmanship class will compete for this championship as shown in the schedule. You may be asked to change horses. This class is showmanship only.

Beginner Combined (Ages 8-18; walk/jog only; those over 12 should be in their first or second year of showing)
11 – Trail 65 – Equitation 27 – Road Hack 73 – Pleasure

Advanced Beginner Combined (Ages 8-18; having loped in fewer than 8 shows)
12 – Trail 64 – Equitation 26 – Road Hack 72 – Pleasure

Western (Ages 8-18 Combined)
8 or 9 – Trail 21 or 60 – Ranch Riding or Reining 63 – Equitation 26 - Road Hack 68 or 71 – Pleasure

English 13 & Under (Ages 8-13)
10 – Trail 67 – Equitation 25 – Road Hack 70 – HUS or 74 Eng Performance 75 – Pleasure

English 14-18
10 – Trail 66 - Equitation 25 – Road Hack 70 – HUS or 74 Eng Performance 76 – Pleasure

Small Equine
13 - Trail 14 - Suitability 59 - Hunter over fences

The patterns used for Fitting and Showmanship, Trail, Western Riding, Western Reining, and Ranch Riding will be published in the pattern booklet handed out at the Secretary’s booth when you register.
HORSE SHOW AGE DIVISIONS: All ages (except Lead Line) are as of January 1 of the current year. See the “Championships” section for age criteria for championships and qualifier classes.

Beginner: Riders 8 years through 18 years, walk and trot/jog only. Those over age 12 should be in their first or second year of showing.

Advanced Beginner: Riders 8 years through 18 years. Riders will be asked to walk and trot/jog and will be asked to canter/lope done briefly, individually or in small groups or for a short period of time. Riders in this division should not have shown one season or eight shows as an Advanced Beginner.

Walk/Trot/Canter Divisions*: 13 & Under (Ages 8-13) 14-18 years

* The ages may be subject to change according to entries. Management reserves the right to balance the two divisions.

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS: Please refer to the “New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines, Revised 2024 for further information not covered here. It is available on the UVM Extension web site.

Command Class: This is an elimination contest where any rider not executing the judge’s exact commands promptly and correctly will be eliminated. The judge may ask contestants to walk, jog or trot, canter or lope, reverse, halt, back, to go from any gait to any other gait and to canter or lope in a counter lead. Each command will be given twice. By the time the second command is given, (specifically when the announcer or judge has stopped speaking) the horse must be performing that command. When at the halt, movement forward, backward or to the side will result in elimination. Head movement of the horse or rider will not count against the entry. Tack, appointments, equipment as per seat ridden.

Costume Class: To be judged on originality, creativity and workmanship. Will be held in the small ring after jumping is finished.

English Performance: To be shown at a walk, park trot and canter both ways of the ring. The park horse should display brilliance and animation in his/her performance along with proficiency in executing the required gaits. Horses should stand quietly and back readily. Saddle Seat ONLY.

Equitation: To be judged on hands, seat, position, and ability to control the horse at the walk, trot/jog, and canter/lope (depending upon division). Individual tests may be required of some or all exhibitors. See the guideline for specific tests. Please note: The Maiden Equitation is for riders who have not won a first place in a walk, trot/jog, canter/lope equitation class at the State 4-H Horse Show. (No Advanced Beginners in Maiden)

Melissa Issler Alumni Equitation: Equitation class for any former 4-H member who has ridden previously in this show. See rules for Equitation classes.

Fitting and Showmanship: To be judged on showmanship with the horse in hand, both standing and at a walk and trot and on fitting evidenced by grooming and condition. Conformation not to count. Patterns will be posted. Two classes will run at the same time. All exhibitors for each class will enter the ring in a posted order, work their pattern, and return to the barn then return to the ring for final pinning. Any not returning to ring forfeit any prizes.

Gymkhana: Rules and patterns will be available at the booth and posted at show.

Hunter Hack: Horses are to be shown at a walk, trot, canter, and a hand gallop both ways of the ring. The judge may ask for extended trot. All horses are required to jump two fences no more than two feet six inches high. No Advanced Beg.

Hunter Under Saddle: For hunter-type horses and ponies. To be shown at a walk, trot, canter and hand gallop. Extended trot may be asked for. The Hunter should be obedient, alert, responsive and move freely with a ground-covering gait.

Jim Wallace Memorial Pleasure: Open to all W/T/C riders mounted on horses or ponies (no beginners/advanced beginners). Can be English or Western. To be judged as a pleasure class.

Judging: Exhibitors will judge two-four classes of 4 halter and/or performance horses. Judging will take place 8:00 AM Sunday, 7/14 in the small ring. Seniors will fill out written reasons on a pre-determined class to break any ties. All others will be asked questions to break any ties. You will need your exhibitor number for this event. Please listen for announcements.
Jumping: In all jumping classes, novices will not be allowed to cross-enter into the WTC jumping classes. Courses will be posted. Advanced Beginners may only enter Crossrails or Novice. Beginners may only enter Crossrails. A rider may only ride one horse in an Equitation over fences, but may ride more than one horse in Hunter over Fences.

Equitation over Fences: To be judged on Equitation over a course of at least 6 jumps.

Hunter over Fences: To be judged on an even hunting pace, jumping style, way of going, and manners over 8 jumps.

Small Equine In Hand Hunter over Fences: Hunters are to be judged on style, manners and way of going, with preference given to those equines that cover the course at an even pace, with free flowing strides, as in a brisk trot or canter, but must maintain same gait throughout the entire course.

Walk-Trot Crossrails, Walk-Trot Equitation over Crossrails: May not enter any other jumping classes. Height of fences no more than 18 inches. Open to Beginners.

Jumping Warm-up: 6:30AM Sunday, sign up available at show, no fee, 4-6 riders at a time for up to 15 min/group. You must supply a mandatory adult supervisor for your practice group.

Lead Line Class: For children 5 years and older as of the day of the show. To be shown at a walk and may be asked to trot/jog a little bit. Judged on ability to maintain seat and position and exercise some degree of control. Those leading must be 14 years or older. All children will receive participation ribbons.

Pairs Class: You will enter the ring side by side and remain side by side throughout the class. To be shown at the walk, trot/jog and canter/lope both ways of the ring (depending upon division). To be judged 80% on the pair's ability to stay together throughout the class while performing the required gaits (with leads to count) and 20% on matching and looking alike. (Each participant must pay an entry fee.)

Pleasure Classes: To be shown at the walk, trot/jog and canter/lope both ways of the ring (depending upon division). Horses must stand quietly and back readily. All horses may be asked to extend any gait.

Project Classes: To be shown at the walk, trot/jog and canter/lope (depending on division). To be judged 60% on riding/driving ability, suitability of equine to exhibitor and control of equine, 40% on general knowledge, to be determined by questions from the judge.

Quiz Bowl: There will be one round of questions for each age division: 8-10 year olds, 11-13 year olds, Seniors 14-18 years. All participants must be prompt in their arrival on Friday evening, 7/12, 6:30PM to compete in Quiz Bowl, at their age group’s designated time, with their exhibitor number. There may be tie breakers, listen for announcement.

Ranch Riding: Ranch Riding Pattern #3 will be used. The ranch riding horse should reflect the versatility, attitude and movement of a working horse. The horse’s performance should simulate a horse riding outside the confines of an arena and that of a working ranch horse. This class should show the horse’s ability to work at a forward working speed while under control by the rider. Light contact should be rewarded and horse shall not be shown on a full drape of reins. The overall manners, responsiveness of the horse while performing the maneuver requirements and the horse’s quality of movement are the primary considerations. Open to Advanced Beginners, Juniors and Seniors in Western tack.

- Each horse will work individually, performing both required and optional maneuvers and scored on the basis of 0 to 100, with 70 denoting an average performance.
- The required maneuvers will include the walk, jog and lope in both directions, the extended jog and extended lope in at least one direction, stops and backs.
- Three optional maneuvers may include a side pass; turns of 360-degrees or more; a change of lead (simple or flying); walk, jog, or lope over a pole or poles; or some combination of maneuvers that would be reasonable for a ranch horse to perform.

Ranch Rail Pleasure: The ranch rail pleasure class measures the ability of the horse to be a pleasure to ride while being used as a means of conveyance from one ranch task to another and should reflect the versatility, attitude, and movement of a working horse. The horse should be well-broke, relaxed, quiet, soft and cadenced at all gaits. This class should show the horse’s ability to work at a forward, working speed while under control by the rider. Light contact should be rewarded and horse shall not be shown on a full drape of reins. Part of the evaluation of this class is on smoothness of upward and
downward transitions. The overall manners and responsiveness of the horse while performing the maneuver requirements and the horse’s quality of movement are the primary considerations. To be shown at the walk, jog and lope both ways of the ring. Horses must stand quietly and back readily. All horses may be asked to extend any gait. Open to Juniors and Seniors in Western tack.

**Beginner/Advanced Beginner Road Hack Classes:** To be judged on performance as a road hack animal (shown either English or Western). Both divisions will be shown at the walk, trot/jog and extended trot/jog. May be asked to back. Advanced Beginners will be shown additionally at the canter/lope, but not at the hand gallop.

**English Road Hack:** To be shown at a walk, trot, road trot, canter and hand gallop. Excessive speed at the hand gallop will be penalized. Horses are asked to stand quietly and back readily. To be shown under English tack, and martingales and dropped nosebands are not permitted. To be judged on performance, manners, suitability for a road hack, substance and conformation. Ponies are allowed.

**Western Road Hack:** To be shown at a walk, jog, extended jog, lope and extended lope. (See rules above for English Road Hack). No posting or 2-point position.

**Small Equine Classes:** Open to equines 12 hands and under or Miniature horses under 39 inches; must be at least 2 years or older. They may cross enter into the driving division classes.

**In-Hand Trail:** To be judged over 5-8 obstacles on an outside course. Full details found in the New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines under Halter Obstacle.

**In-Hand Suitability:** This class judges the communication between handler and equine. Handlers will enter the ring at a walk while going the first way of the ring. Entries will be asked to follow given commands on the rail both ways of the ring that may include walking, trotting, stopping, backing and turning at any gait. Handlers and equine will also be asked to execute a pattern. Patterns may include any of the above gaits as well as ground tying. Equines and handlers will be judged 70% on suitability as a team in communication and execution of rail work, 15% on pattern completion and 15% on presentation of both handler and equine.

**Western Reining:** Exhibitors will be asked to perform a reining pattern, with or without music. There is no time limit. Pattern #1 will be used and posted and printed in the pattern booklet.

**Trail Classes:** To be judged over obstacles on an outside course. Exhibitors will report for trail class after the completion of their Fitting and Showmanship classes. There will be two trail rings operating at the same time. An order of go will be posted, starting with Western Trail and Beginner Trail followed by Ranch Trail and Advanced Beginner Trail as stated in the class order.

**Versatility Class:** To be shown in English tack first, and may work over 2 jumps, not to exceed 18”. All entries will then change to Western tack in the ring and after working on the rail, entrants may be asked to ground tie their horses. All rail work will be judged as pleasure classes. Grooms are required for the tack change. Horses will be asked to back in both sets of tack.

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**PLEASE BE ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY**

Each year we throw out recyclable material at this horse show. In an effort to be more earth friendly we would like to ask each club to bring one or more trash cans with cover(s) to recycle your bottles and cans in and then take home with you or use the recycle bins on the grounds. You may want to donate the returnable bottles and cans to a charity of your choice or use as a bottle drive for your club. Plastic water bottles can also be recycled in most places. This can be a way for you as 4-H members to help the environment. Please feel free to decorate these containers and place them in your stall or camping areas. Thank you, your show committee.

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We will try to offer an informational meeting to answer questions and help you be successful. If you have any questions about this show, your equipment, or need a reader, or about dressage in general, please attend. Check the Show Office for meeting time.
SPECIAL AWARDS at the Vermont State 4-H Horse Show

Beginner 4-H Champion is presented a perpetual trophy donated by Gray Tree Farm, Bruce and Jan Lingner. This perpetual trophy was started in 2008.

Advanced Beginner 4-H Champion is also presented a perpetual trophy donated by Gray Tree Farm, Bruce and Jan Lingner. This was started in 2008.

Junior 4-H Champion is presented a perpetual plaque, which replaces the previous silver plate. If anyone knows the whereabouts of this plate, the Boyer Memorial trophy, please let us know.

Senior 4-H Champion receives the Paul Quinn Memorial Award. This perpetual award is presented to honor Paul Quinn, a staunch supporter of the Vermont 4-H Horse Program, as well as the Vermont 4-H Horse Show. Paul was an equine photographer, whose family raised and showed Morgan horses and whose three daughters were all involved in the 4-H horse program. This perpetual trophy was started in 1979.

Showmanship Champion Perpetual Trophy
The Upwey Equestrians 4-H Club proudly sponsor the Showmanship Champion Perpetual Trophy. It is given in honor of all its members who have excelled in the showmanship arena, and all they have chosen to pursue in the horse world over its 35 years of formation. This was started in 2017.

Overall High Point 4-H Champion in Memory of Designated Hit – Started in 2011
This is award is presented to the 4-Her with the highest overall score in the 4-H division. This award is presented by the Ackerman family in memory of their gelding Designated Hit. "Hitter" was a horse that taught his rider everything from patience to responsibility, but most importantly to never give up on your dreams. Hitter was the first horse to receive the Paul Quinn Memorial three years in a row and the Versatility Award two years. The 4-H State Horse Show was always one of the favorite shows the Ackerman family attended and wish to dedicate this trophy to their best friend.

Other Special Awards are:

Jim Wallace Memorial Pleasure Class is a perpetual award offered for a special class. Jim Wallace was a 4-H parent who worked diligently at the show for several years. His two daughters were in 4-H and participated at the show, so Jim just pitched in and did whatever he could, from setting up to running errands during the show, to helping with the clean up. He was always there to help. This special pleasure class and the trophy are presented to honor his memory. This perpetual trophy was started in 1984.

Melissa Issler Alumni Equitation Class is a class for former Vermont 4-H Horse Show riders. These riders may be just out of 4-H, or they may be leaders now or parents who have previously competed at the Vermont 4-H Horse Show. The perpetual award is given in memory of 4-H member Melissa Issler, who lived and breathed 4-H. Melissa attended Eastern States and the Eastern National 4-H Horse Roundup and was involved in many different aspects of 4-H. This award was given in Melissa’s memory by her mother Cathy Boomhower. This perpetual trophy was started in 1999.

The winner of the Versatility Class is presented a perpetual plaque donated by Mary Fay to honor her horse, who was shown at the Vermont 4-H Horse Show for 20 years. Marci Mac was shown by several 4-H members over the years who had the privilege of using her as a project horse. She was shown in all age divisions, as well as hunt seat, saddleseat and western. Marci made her final appearance at the Vermont 4-H Horse Show in 1996, at 30 years of age and being ridden by the same rider as in her first appearance in 1976! This perpetual trophy was started in 2000.

Club Award: presented to the club with the most points gathered by its top placing members in General Knowledge, Judging, Quiz Bowl, Fitting and Showmanship, and 4-H Project classes.

All trophies and plaques are perpetual and must be returned to the show the year after that in which it was awarded. These trophies/plaques are: the Beginner, Advanced Beginner, Junior, Sr. 4-H awards, Overall Highpoint 4-H, Showmanship; the Dressage High Scorer trophy; the Jim Wallace Memorial Pleasure, the Marci Mac Versatility and the Melissa Issler Alumni Equitation awards; and the Club Class plaque.
Hints and Reminders
Print as a single sheet of paper

- Checks payable to: Vermont 4-H Horse Show

- Shavings will be available for $6.00 per bag. You must pre-order and pay these on directly on your entry form. They will be delivered to your stall.

- An exhibitor must apply in writing to the state 4-H Livestock Educator, Wendy Sorrell, (wendy.sorrell@uvm.edu) with questions regarding unusual equipment or other matters that are not clearly addressed in the program or guidelines and not addressed at the show. This must be done at least a month ahead of time. To request a disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, please contact Wendy Sorrell by June 10, 2024 so we may assist you.

- 4-H CLUBS - If the club is paying for a tack stall, you only need to fill out on the entry form the NAME OF CLUB, e-mail address and phone number and put how many tack stall(s) your club needs and enclose payment. This form is the same form as the horse and riders use.

- Exhibitors must be enrolled in 4-H Online to participate, with the exception of Leadline and Alumni.

- Not quite so new, but if it rains it will be – you may camp in the 4-H Exhibit Hall for $25 for the weekend. In the event of rain or heavy winds, this may be a wonderful opportunity! This building has a dirt floor and is not wired for multiple electrical hook ups. It does have lights. The doors are sliding doors on each end of the building. So, there are to be no electronic devices plugged in (this includes fans) and no cooking inside of the building. Water is available by the outside faucets nearby and the bathrooms and showers are nearby. We will limit the space you may use. This is the fourth year of doing this so we may have to change things as we go along. We will require that a designated 4-H chaperone or parent of the youth be in the building with the group. The cost for camping in this building will be $25 for a space about 10 X 12. If you need more space then you may need to pay for another spot. Lights go out at 10:00 P.M.

- Every youth on the grounds must have their parent(s) or their designated 4-H chaperone present on the grounds at all times.

- EVERYONE at the show is expected to volunteer for one or more jobs: gate keeping, trash dumping, bathroom cleaning, helping with setting up and taking down obstacles and more to be determined. THANK YOU!
Paquette Building

1. Quiz Bowl 8-10
2. Quiz Bowl 11-13
3. Quiz Bowl 14-18

Lights will be turned off in the barns at 10:00 P.M. If you need to check on your horse please use a flashlight. Quiet time in camping areas also begins at 10:00 P.M. Please be considerate of others.

Saturday, July 13th 2024 UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW 8:00 AM

(Classes 4 and 5 will run at the same time, in the main ring. Classes 6 and 7 will run in order as announced.)

4. Sr. 14-18 Fitting and Showmanship
5. Jr. 13 & Under Fitting and Showmanship
6. Advanced Beginner Fitting and Showmanship
7. Beginner Fitting and Showmanship

Showmanship Championship (The top two from classes 1-4)
8. Western Trail
9. Ranch Trail
10. English Trail
11. Beginner Trail
12. Advanced Beginner Trail
13. In-Hand Trail (Small Equine only)
14. In-Hand Suitability (Small Equine only)
15. Sr. 14-18 Project
17. Advanced Beginner Project
18. Beginner Project
19. Versatility (English 1st then Western)
20. Jim Wallace Memorial Pleasure Class (E&W, WTC only)
21. Ranch Riding (Ranch Riding pattern #3)
22. Command Class (WTC)
24. Command Class Beginner
25. Road Hack English (WTC)
27. Road Hack Beginner
28. Road Hack Western (WTC)
29. Beg./Adv. Beg Pair Class
30. Jr./Sr. Pair Class
31. Beginner Turn N Burn
32. Junior Turn N Burn
33. Senior Turn N Burn
34. Beginner Crazy 8
35. Junior Crazy 8
36. Senior Crazy 8
37. Beginner Barrel Back Thru
38. Junior Barrel Back Thru
39. Senior Barrel Back Thru
40. Beginner Speed Barrels
41. Junior Speed Barrels
42. Senior Speed Barrels
43. Beginner Big M
44. Junior Big M
45. Senior Big M
46. Beginner Barrel Race
47. Junior Barrel Race
48. Senior Barrel Race

GYMKHANA AGE DIVISIONS
Beginner: 8-18 in their first year of competition (Walk-Trot ONLY)
Junior: 8-13 years
Senior: 14-18 years

Classes subject to change.
$30.00 Blanket Fee for all Gymkhana Classes. No post entry fee.
Flag Ceremony for Kentucky and Eastern States Delegates

6:30AM – Jumping Warm-up – sign up available, no fee, 4-6 riders at a time for up to 10 min/group (Times Enforced)

49. Judging 8-10
50. Judging 11-13 (small ring all at the same time)
51. Judging 14-18
52. Walk-Trot Hunter Cross Rails (18”)
53. Walk-Trot Equitation Over Cross Rails (18”)
54. Novice Hunter Over Fences (18”-2’)
55. Novice Equitation Over Fences (18-2’’)
56. WTC Hunter Over Fences (2’-2’3’’)
57. WTC Equitation Over Fences (2’-2’3’’)
58. Hunter Hack
59. In-Hand Hunter over Fences (Upper Ring)
60. Western Reining (Pattern #1 to be posted)
61. Lead Line (5-8 years on show day and lead by someone over 14)
62. Costume Class
63. Stock Seat Equitation (WTC)
64. Advanced Beginner Equitation (English & Western)
65. Beginner Equitation (English & Western)
66. English Equitation Sr. 14-18
67. English Equitation Jr. 13 & Under
68. Ranch Rail Pleasure
69. Hunter Under Saddle Sr. 14-18
70. Hunter Under Saddle Jr. 13 & Under
71. Western Pleasure (WTC)
72. Adv. Beginner Pleasure
73. Beginner Pleasure
74. English Performance
75. English Pleasure Jr. 13 & Under
76. English Pleasure Sr. 14-18
77. Melissa Issler Alumni Equitation (Alumni of this show)
78. Club Class

Awarding of ribbons: Trail, Quiz Bowl, Judging classes and Championships.

Please remember to strip your stall and your stall area and put on the manure piles. Please pick up the trash around your area. Thank you for attending the show and for all of your help.
UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT EXTENSION
STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW SUPPORTER FORM

Please fill out the required information. Make checks payable to Vermont 4-H Horse Show and mail them to: Deb Danforth, 6310 Monument Hill Rd., Castleton, VT 05735. Product or goods to be used for prizes are also welcomed. Please enclose payment.

Name: ___________________________________________________________________________________

Address: _________________________________________________________________________________

Phone __________________________ email ________________________________________________

I wish to provide sponsorship for the Vermont 4-H Horse Show and Gymkhana as follows:

__ Gold Supporter ($1000.00 +)
__ Silver Supporter ($500.00-$999.00)
__ Bronze Supporter ($250.00-$499.00)
__ Friends of 4-H ($50.00-$249.00)
__ Grand Championship(s) @ $ 40.00 each
__ Reserve Championship(s) @ $ 30.00 each
__ Class(es) @ $20.00 each
__ Ribbons @ $15.00 each

Amount enclosed: $ ______________

Any reference to commercial products, trade names, or brand names is for information only, and no endorsement or approval is intended.

CUT HERE AND KEEP THE BOTTOM PORTION FOR YOUR RECORDS

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UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT EXTENSION
STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW AND GYMKHANA SUPPORTER

Name ___________________________ Date: __________________________

Address: ____________________________________________________________________________

Amount donated: __________________ Check number __________________

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2024 CAMPER/CAMPING SPACE

NAME OF CLUB: _______________________________ NAME: _______________________________

ADDRESS: _______________________________________________________________________________

PHONE: _______________________________ Payment to be included on entry form for show

_______ ELECTRIC & WATER HOOK-UP NEEDED $80.00 for the weekend ($40/night)

(This is for one power hook-up only) (One cord into the electrical outlet)

_______ CAMPING SPACE FOR CAMPER/TRAILER/TENT $15.00 (No electric/water hook-up needed)

_______ Camping inside 4-H Exhibit Hall (10 X 12 area) $ 25.00 (No electric, no cooking inside building)

License plate number on camper/trailer _____________________ Camper Length Set-Up _____________

(Important because of limited length in some spots)

I’d like to camp next to: __________________________________________________________________

(no promise, but we will try)

For questions or to request language interpretation/translation and/or a disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, please contact Wendy Sorrell (wendy.sorrell@uvm.edu) by June 10, 2024 so we may assist you.

Camper bar between barns Camper bar by ring Tractor pulling Paquette Building
Upper part of grounds Inside 4-H Exhibit Hall Hand mowing area (tenting only, no electric)

In an effort to help with the continually rising cost of running the show without increasing stall and entry fees, the committee will continue the camping fee to help offset our grounds expense. People camp for the duration of the show using the grounds, bathrooms, buildings etc. without paying any fee if they do not use an electrical hook-up for the show. This fee is only $15.00 per family for three days of camping. That is very low compared to camp ground fees.
One entry blank per horse/rider combination/Club Tack Stall

2024 ENTRY FORM FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT STATE 4-H HORSE SHOW

Name of Rider ______________________________ Name of Horse ______________________________

Mailing Address __________________________________________________________________________

Breed of horse ______________________________ Sex: Mare Gelding Phone ______________________________

Rider Date of birth ________________ Name of Club ______________________________________

Month/day/year Club tack stall(s) must fill out form and mail to secretary, put name here

E-mail address ____________________________________________ County __________________________

Please Circle your division to count towards a championship (one gymkhana division, one 4-H division, and one other riding/small equine division. Leadline and adults please remember one entry blank per horse/rider combination

Gymkhana Beginner 8-18 Gymkhana Junior 8-13 Gymkhana Senior 14-18

Beg 4-H 8-18 Adv. Beg 4-H 8-18 Jr. 4-H 8-13 Sr. 4-H 14-18

Beginner 13 & U English 14-18 English Small Equine

Adv. Beginner Western

Circle classes entered:  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  10  11  12  13  14  15  16  17  18  19  20  21  22  23

24  25  26  27  28  29  30  31  32  33  34  35  36  37  38  39  40  41  42  43  44  45  46  47  48  49

50  51  52  53  54  55  56  57  58  59  60  61  62  63  64  65  66  67  68  69  70  71  72  73  74  75

76  77  78

I hereby enter the University of Vermont State 4-H Horse Show at my own risk. I agree not to hold responsible UVM Extension, the Addison County Fair & Field Days, any member of the horse show committee or its sponsors for loss of, injury to, or damage to my horse, my equipment, or myself.

Signature of Exhibitor ________________________________

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian ________________________________

Stall and camping fee(s) must be sent with this entry. Classes and shavings may be paid for at the show.

Checks payable to: Vermont 4-H Horse Show

Total money sent in: $ ________________ Date received: __________________

Remember your current year Coggins, Rabies, must arrive with your horse. It will be checked before unloading.

OFFICE USE ONLY: Paid by check # ____________ Cash ____________

Owes ________________________________

Send entries to: Cassie Kennett

21 School St.

Vergennes, VT 05491

They must be received by postmark of June 21st. If received after the 21st there is no guarantee of stabling for your horse or with your club.

Entries due by postmark of June 21, 2024

Parent/legal guardian or 4-H chaperone responsible for member @ show ________________________________