State 4-H Working Steer Show

Saturday, August 14, 2021
Begins at 10:00 a.m.
Connecticut Valley Fairgrounds, Carson Lane, Bradford, VT

To register contact Terri Chamberlin, 802-763-7820 or 802-356-6568 (cell)
or Allison Smith, 802-651-8343 x509, Allison.smith.2@uvm.edu

All current 4-H Working Steer project members who want to come and show their steers are welcome to participate. The show is 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.

Event Details: Ribbons will be awarded at the show according to the judge’s discretion. Teamsters may choose which classes they would like to compete in.

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 50% of the weight of the steers.

To request a disability-related accommodation to participate in any of these shows, please contact Allison Smith at Allison.smith.2@uvm.edu or 802-651-8343 ext. 509 by July 23, 2021 so we may assist you.

Participants will be notified prior to the event of the most up to date COVID guidelines according to the State of Vermont and UVM 4-H Program.