

Department 30 Youth Horse Show

Livestock Coliseum

Manager: Sherri Thornton - 207-341-7848

16 Johnson Flat Road, Burnham, ME 04922

Pre-Entry is Encouraged

Date & Time: Starting at 9:00 am

Thursday August 10th

Registration opens 7:30 am

GENERAL RULES:

All Rules and Regulations as found on pages 54 - 60 and 118 will apply to all classes as necessary, in addition to any rules listed below. The New England 4-H Horse Show rules and guidelines book will be the resource for this show.

Please use the **Youth Horse Entry Form** included in this book to list your entries and mail with **proof of insurance, W-9 form, stabling request, camping application (if Applicable)** and any **fees** to the above address. Entry form also available online at www.SkowheganStateFair.com.

****Rules subject to change without notice****

This event is held to promote good sportsmanship and provide a learning experience for all youth. We encourage volunteers and parents to participate in all appropriate classes. Use of abusive language and abuse of animals WILL lead to removal from the show. All decisions by the judge are final.

Show starts at 9:00 AM in the Coliseum.

Pre-registration is strongly suggested, send it in, it is easier to scratch than add. All registrations must be complete by 8:45 am Thursday August 10th.

E-mailed entries will be allowed, send to wife55@roadrunner.com entries after Monday August 8th, must be on sight day of show and before 8:45am.

Reservations must be made with Sherri Thornton for stalling arrangements. Request Stalls when sending in entry form.

The following MUST accompany your registration:

VALID COGGINS TEST (good for 3 years, 12 months if out of state) required upon entry to grounds

Proof of current Rabies vaccination

Proof of Insurance.

No stallions allowed in the show.

Youth must be 13 years old and under to ride a pony in this event. A pony is defined as being 14 hands high or less. Exception to this rule will be the POA (Pony of America) and Halfingers or Fjords.

All "holds" will be for a maximum of 3 minutes. Only one "hold" is allowed for a class. Holds must be requested at least one class in advance on the appropriate form at the announcer booth.

All protests must be submitted prior to the end of the show on the appropriate form with protest fee that is available at the announcer's booth. Show committee decisions will be final. Fee returned if finding is to the favor of person filing the protest.

NO SNEAKERS for riders.

Lunch break will be announced and will be 45 minutes to 1 hour.

The NEW ENGLAND 4-H HORSESHOW RULES AND GUIDELINES BOOK will be used. It can be found on the Maine

4-H web page, Horse resources link: <http://www.maine4h.umaine.edu/horse.htm>

ALL RIDERS MUST WEAR ASTM-SEI CERTIFIED RIDING HAT/HELMET FOR ALL CLASSES.

Model Horse Classes 1-6: These are display classes. All Model horse classes are for handheld horses not live horses. You must provide your own model horse. These displays can be homemade. Classes 1-6 judged separately during the show. All age categories eligible to compete. Entries will be exhibited ringside under the overhang.



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Please bring proof of insurance.

OPEN CLASSES ARE FOR VOLUNTEERS AND PARENTS. Open Classes will not receive a premium, Premiums listed below apply to Youth Classes ONLY.

GAMES are subject to change and time constraints.

Classes will be age combined unless noted in class listing.

Directions for each class will be announced prior to start of that class.

PREMIUMS

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Premium amounts are listed below the Class or Category number. If premiums are the same for all classes, amounts will be listed above class 1.

CLASSES:

\$10.	\$9.	\$8.	\$7.	\$6.	\$5.
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01 **Model Horse Costume Class:**

Ages 5-8. Present your model horse in your favorite costume for the judge's inspection. PLEASE LABEL YOUR EXHIBIT WITH 3x5 CARD.

02 **Model Horse Costume Class:**

Ages 9-13. Same rules as class 1 PLEASE LABEL YOUR EXHIBIT WITH 3X5 CARD.

03 **Model Horse Costume Class:**

Ages 14-17. Same rules as class 1. PLEASE LABEL YOUR EXHIBIT WITH 3X5 CARD.

04 **Model Horse Stable Scene:**

Ages 5-8. Present you model horse in a farm or stable scene for the judge's inspection. Use our creativity but be realistic. PLEASE LABEL WITH 3X5 CARD.

05 **Model Horse Stable Scene:**

Ages 9-13. Same rules as class 4. PLEASE LABEL YOUR EXHIBIT WITH 3X5 CARD.

06 **Model Horse Stable Scene:**

Ages 14-17. Same rules as class 4. PLEASE LABEL YOUR EXHIBIT WITH 3X5 CARD.

Beginning of Live Horse Classes

07 **Senior Showmanship:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

08 **Junior Showmanship:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

09 **Walk/Trot/Leadline Showmanship:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

10 **Open Showmanship 18 and over:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

11 **Western Halter Horse all ages:**

This is a conformation class for stock type horses and ponies. Shown in a halter, no bridles.

12 **English Horse/Pony in Hand all ages:**

This is a type class. Looking for a horse that exhibits Hunter characteristics. Shown in English bridle or breed specific halters.

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13 **Most Colorful all ages:**

Any Size Equine. This is a class to exhibit those horses that display the best coat colors characteristics for their representative color breeds. 80% on color and 20% on confirmation.

THERE WILL BE A HOLD PRIOR TO CLASS 14 and AFTER CLASS 14

14 **Costume Class all ages:**

Any Size Equine. This is a walk class only. Judge's choice. Originality and work effort included in decision. Combined class judged separately.

15 **Leadline (ages 5-8): Equitation E/W**

No mixing of Tack

16 **Leadline (ages 5-8): Pleasure E/W**

No mixing of Tack

17 **E/W Walk Trot Equitation:**

May not enter any canter classes. An adult must be available for each rider in case of assistance needed in ring. To be judged on the rider's form, security in seat, and skill in control of the horse at a walk and at a trot or jog. May be asked to back.

18 **E/W Walk Trot Pleasure:**

May not enter any canter classes. An adult must be available for each rider in case of assistance needed in ring. To be judged on the horse's performance, manners, suitability as a child's mount, and apparent ability to give a pleasurable ride at a walk and at a trot or jog. May be asked to back.

19 **Senior English Equitation:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

20 **Junior English Equitation:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

21 **Open English Equitation 18 and over:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

22 **Senior English Pleasure:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

23 **Junior English Pleasure:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

24 **Open English Pleasure 18 and over:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

25 **In Hand Obstacles all ages:**

(Small Equine) Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description. PATTERN CLASS.

26 **Senior Western Equitation:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

27 **Junior Western Equitation:**

Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

28 **Open Western Equitation 18 and over:**

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29 **Senior Western Pleasure:**

To be Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

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30 Junior Western Pleasure:
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31 Open Western Pleasure 18 and over:
Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

32 Driving Reinsmanship (may be divided Sr./ Jr./ Open at discretion of the show manager):
Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

33 Driving Pleasure all ages:
Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

34 Reinmanship for Drivers:

35 Driving Gambler's Choice all ages:
Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

36 Ranch Pleasure:

37 Ranch Equitation:

38 Western All Around all ages:
Refer to New England Rule Book for Class Description.

39 Liberty all ages:

40 Leadline/ Stick Horse Egg on Spoon:
Class pinned separately

41 Egg on Spoon

42 Leadline/Walk/Trot Rescue Ralph:
Class pinned separately

43 Single Barrel

44 Keyhole Race



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