

DRAFT HORSE AND MULE DEPARTMENT

Glen Borton, Superintendents

Lewie Eggert, President Draft Horse Association

1. ENTRIES: LaPorte County resident horse owner only. Driving (cart, wagon, loose line) class exhibitor must be 14 or older and accompanied by Qualified Driver (over 18 years of age). Halter classes exhibitor must be in 3rd grade or 9 years or older.
2. Drivers must be affiliated with the LaPorte County Draft Horse Association or the 4H Wagonmasters Club (except for friends of the breed) and the entry must be entered under the horse owners' name.
3. FEE: \$5.00 Entry Fee for each Division in each class. Exhibitor must also purchase an Exhibitor's Ticket for \$25 from the Fair Office (see #6 below).
4. NOTE: premium checks for prize money will be available for pickup in the fair office on Saturday of fair week (office is open until 6:00pm each night). Checks will not be mailed and will be forfeited after September 15.
5. No premium will be paid if the exhibitor does not wear the correct exhibitor number for the entry or if the animals are not entered in the correct division.
6. **Registration will begin on Thursday, June 1, and will END ON Monday, July 10 @ 9:00AM.**
7. Any exceptions must be cleared by the superintendent.

PREMIUMS AS FOLLOWS:

Number of Horses in Division:	1 st Place:	2 nd Place:	3 rd Place:	All other placing
1-5	\$13.00	\$10.00	\$ 7.00	\$2.50
6-10	17.00	14.00	11.00	\$2.50
11-15	20.00	17.00	14.00	\$2.50
16 +	23.00	20.00	17.00	\$2.50

1. Show attire: Shirt with collar and work shoes or boots.
2. Exhibitor must own all animals shown. During sign up you must indicate that you will be using another horse on the grounds to complete your multi horse exhibit.
3. Care of Animal: Exhibitor must properly care for animal including stall work, grooming, care of tack and feeding on average of twice a day.
4. All hoof trimming and shoeing of equine should be done prior to entry day of fair.
5. Any animal found to be in poor health or poor condition (such as thin), will not be admitted to the fair.
6. All animals must conform to Health Regulations and Vaccinations. **Required shots Eastern and Western Encephalomyelitis, Rhinopneumonitis, Influenza, West Nile Virus, Strangles, Rabies Immunization. Any animal to be shown in 4-H or Open Class must show Health Papers from their personal veterinarian per Indiana State Animal requirements.**
7. Check in for the project will be Monday morning on July 10 from 8:00am to 11:00am.
8. All exhibitors working with animals must wear boots.
9. All animals must be faced inwards in their stalls.
10. Draft horse and mule department: There must be three entries in a division for placing to be paid.
11. **It is at the judge's discretion to make changes to the course for participants' safety and enhancement of the course. The judge's decision is final and will be upheld.**
12. In farm classes, no high-wheeled, fifth-wheel or parade wagons allowed. Scotch bottom shoes are allowed.
13. Release time for the Draft Horse Project is Saturday at 6:00 pm or at the end of Saturday's Fun Day.

CLASS 45 DRIVING

Monday, July 10, 2016 @ 3:00 pm

DIVISION:

1. Unicorn Farm.
2. Farm Wagon Driving – Men's
3. Farm Wagon Driving – Women's
4. Four Horse Hitch – Farm
5. Six Horse Hitch – Farm Team

CLASS 46 PERCHERONS AT HALTER

Tuesday, July 11, 2016 @ 9:00 am

DIVISION:

1. Mares, 4 years and older
2. Fillies, 3 years
3. Fillies, 2 years
4. Fillies, 1 year
5. Mares and Foal at side
6. MARES, CHAMPION AND RESERVE - ROSETTES
7. Geldings, 3 years and younger
8. Geldings, 4 years and older
9. GELDINGS, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES

CLASS 47 BELGIANS AT HALTER

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION:

1. Mares, 7 years and older
2. Mares, 4-6 years
3. Fillies, 3 years
4. Fillies, 2 years
5. Fillies, 1 year
6. Mares and Foal at side
7. MARES, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES
8. Geldings, 3 years and younger
9. Geldings, 4 years and older
10. GELDINGS, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES

CLASS 48 CLYDESDALE AT HALTER

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION:

1. Mare 4 years and older
2. Fillies, 1-3 years old
3. Mares and Foal at side
4. MARES, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES
5. Geldings, 3 years and younger
6. Geldings, 4 years and older
7. GELDINGS, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES

CLASS 49 HAFLINGERS AT HALTER

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION:

1. Mares, 4 years and older
2. Fillies, 1-3 years old
3. Mares and Foal at side
4. MARES, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES
5. Geldings, 3 years and younger
6. Geldings, 4 years and older
7. GELDINGS, CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES

CLASS 50 ALL BREED FOAL CLASS

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION

BEST OF BREED FOAL – FIRST PLACE RIBBON
OVERALL CHAMPION AND RESERVE – ROSETTES

CLASS 51 MULES/DONKEYS AT HALTER

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION

1. Mares
2. Geldings
3. Overall Champion and Reserve - Rosette

CLASS 52 / LOOSE LINE

Tuesday, July 11, 2016

DIVISION

1. Single Horse loose line– Men's
2. Single Horse loose line– Women's
3. Farm Cart Class-Men's**
4. Farm Cart Class-Women's**

**In cart classes 3 and 4, the same horse cannot be used.

In loose line, you may only attempt to back out of the cones two times. If this is not accomplished, you will be disqualified

CLASS 53 LOOSE LINE / TIMED EVENTS

Friday, July 14, 2016 @ 3:00 pm

DIVISION

1. Antique Class
2. Friend of the Breed Class – Non horse owners accompanied by owner/ rider
3. Team Log Skidding
4. Honey Do obstacle course – two-person event
5. Feed Wagon Race – Team-timed event (one driver and one stacker) – A team can only go through the course once.

Event 2 - 4 are timed. You have 30 seconds to pass the first cone. If this is not accomplished, you will be disqualified.

For the Log Skidding event you must be over 18 to participate.

In **Honey Do :

ONE ENTRY PER OWNER IS ALLOWED

There is an additional fee of \$10.00 to participate in these classes and win the "pot". Your money for the "pot" is due during meeting before the course.

Course, Honey Do List and amount of the "pot" will be explained at the meeting of teamsters before the events.