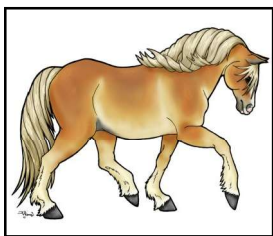


DEPARTMENT 2 ~ DRAFT HORSES & PONIES



ENTRIES CLOSE: July 1, 2026

ENTRY FEES: 10% of First Place premium, per entry, per class

**Director - in - Charge
Sharen Cope
330-247-8557**

RULES

ALL EXHIBITORS ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR APPROPRIATE SHOW RING ATTIRE!

**NO TANK TOPS, SPAGHETTI STRAPS, SHORT SKIRTS, TORN OR RIPPED JEANS.
THOSE NOT COMPLYING WITH THIS RULE, WILL BE DISQUALIFIED & EXCUSED FROM THE RING FOR THAT CLASS.
Handler & Assistant in all halter & performance classes must be suitably dressed.**

- All Horses & Ponies entered in this department, must be stabled on the Fairgrounds and be in place between the hours of 8:00 pm, Tuesday, August 4, and 8:00 am, Wednesday, August 5, and remain there until 7:00 pm the last night of the fair.
- Horses & Ponies will not be permitted out of their stalls except for judging, after 9:00 am. Exercising must be finished by 9:00 am.
- **ONLY wood shavings or sawdust will be accepted for bedding. Bedding WILL NOT be furnished.**
- Stalls are assigned as entries are received by the Fair Director in charge. **Please mark exact number of animals to be stabled.**
- **STALLS MUST BE CLEANED DAILY - NO EXCEPTIONS.** Those not abiding by this rule may be subject to premium forfeiture.
- No registered Horses or Ponies are permitted in grade classes, except as otherwise specifically provided herein.
- No change can be made in any class after filing or from those stated below.
- The age of Horses & Ponies will be reckoned by January 1 of the year of birth.
- In order to protest a class, a protest fee of \$50 must be deposited with the Director in charge, or secretary, within an hour after the protested class has been judged.
- The management, with approval of a certified veterinarian, reserves the right to remove any Horse or Pony that has a cough or temperature.
- Out of state Horses & Ponies must have evidence of a negative Coggins Test, N/A for Ohio-owned Horses & Ponies.
- The management reserves the right to cancel any class in which there is less than three entries.
- **All youth entrants are required by State law to wear a helmet - this includes any riding guests.**
- Failure to comply with the qualifications/requirements for specific classes will result in forfeiture of premiums.

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DEPARTMENT 2 ~ DRAFT HORSES & PONIES

~ ORDER OF EVENTS ~

HALTER CLASSES ~ FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 9:00 AM, IN THE COLISEUM

SPECIAL YOUTH & ADULT CLASSES ~ FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 2:30 PM, IN THE HORSE ARENA

~ These classes are for draft horses stabled on the grounds ~

HITCH CLASSES ~ SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 10:00 AM, IN THE HORSE ARENA

****ALL TRUCK-IN AND STABLED EXHIBITORS SHOWING IN THE HORSE ARENA :**

PLEASE PARK TRAILERS IN THE NORTH END OF INFIELD **

LOT 1 - DRAFT HORSE - YOUTH

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$25.00 2nd - \$20.00 3rd - \$15.00

- All rules and instructions on previous page apply.
- No Stallions permitted in showmanship classes.
- Youth classes are open to any boy or girl 10-18 years of age as of January 1.
- Youth drivers, Age 14 & under, MUST be accompanied by an adult.
- All youth entrants are required by State law to wear a helmet.
- Any DRAFT HORSE breed may be shown in the classes below.

Class No: Description

1. Jr. Showmanship - Exhibitor 10 - 14 years of age
Juniors to show horse in hand at discretion of Judge
2. Sr. Showmanship - 15 - 18 years of age
Seniors to show horse in hand at discretion of Judge
3. Horse Under Saddle - English or Western Tack
Shown at walk & trot only
4. Single Hitch

***BEST OF SHOW AWARD**

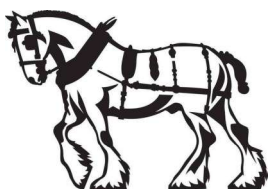
LOT 2 - DRAFT HORSE - ADULT

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$25.00 2nd - \$20.00 3rd - \$15.00

Class No: Description

1. Single Hitch, Men or Ladies to Drive
2. Team Hitch, Men or Ladies to Drive



LOT 3 - REGISTERED PERCHERONS

LOT 4 - REGISTERED BELGIANS

LOT 5 - REGISTERED CLYDESDALES

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$25.00 2nd - \$20.00 3rd - \$15.00

- 1st & 2nd place winners must compete in Junior & Senior Champion Classes
- Senior & Junior Reserve Champions must compete in Grand Champion Classes

Class No: Description

1. Stallion 3 years & over
2. Stallion 1 year & under 3
3. Stallion, Foal under 1 year
- * **Grand Champion & Reserve StallionRosette**
4. Mare 3 years & over
5. Mare 1 year & under 3
6. Mare, Foal current year
- * **Grand Champion & Reserve MareRosette**
7. Brood Mare-Nursing Foal
8. Produce of Mare, 2 head any age
9. Best Team (matched pair—1 ownership)
10. Get of Sire, 3 head any age combined ownership permitted
11. Stallion & 2 mares, 1 ownership
12. Gelding any age

**Championship Classes - all Grand Champion from
Lots 3, 4, 5 to compete**

- * **Champion Mare, All BreedsRosette**
- * **Champion Stallion, All BreedsRosette**

LOT 6 - GRADE DRAFT HORSES

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$25.00 2nd - \$20.00 3rd - \$15.00

Class No: Description

1. Geldings, 4 years & over
2. Mare, 4 years & over
3. Gelding or Mare, 3 years & under
4. Best Team at Halter

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HALTER CLASSES

Friday, August 7, 2026

9:00 am ~ Coliseum

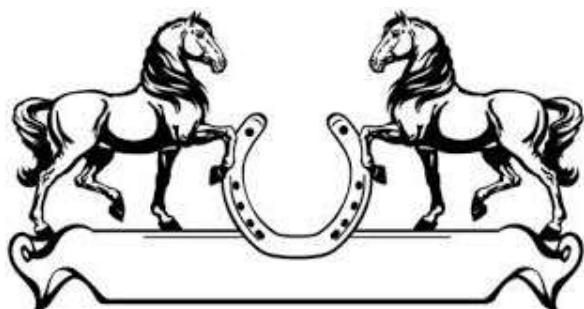
LOT 7 - MULES OR DONKEY (Any age)

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$20.00 2nd - \$13.00 3rd - \$9.00

Class No: Description

1. Halter Class, Jack or Gelding
2. Halter Class, Jenny
3. Youth Halter Class, Mule or Donkey (any age any size)
4. Performance - Walk/Trot Cart class (any size- any harness)



LOT 8 - DRAFT PONIES

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

- First and Second prize ponies must compete for championship classes.
- Ponies two years old and over must be entered and shown in one of the hitch classes to be eligible to show in any draft pony halter classes. Failure to comply with the qualifications will result in forfeiture of premiums.

Premiums: 1st - \$20.00 2nd - \$13.00 3rd - \$9.00

Class No: Description

1. Stallion, over 1 yr. 56" & under
2. Stallion, Foal of current year
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion Stallion.....Rosette**
3. Mare, over 1 yr., 50" & under
4. Mare, over 1 yr., over 50" to 56"
5. Mare, Foal of current year
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion MareRosette**
6. Mare & Foal of current year
7. Gelding, Over 1 yr., 56" & under
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion Gelding.....Rosette**
8. Best Matched Pair 56" & under

Premiums: 1st - \$15.00 2nd - \$10.00 3rd - \$8.00

Class No: Description

9. Pony under saddle, open-walk/trot

LOT 9 - GRADE PONIES

(50" and under)

LOT 10 - GRADE PONIES

(over 50" but not over 56")

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$25.00 2nd - \$20.00 3rd - \$15.00

- First and second prize ponies must compete for the championship classes, excluding the children's classes.

Class No: Description

1. Stallion 1 yr., & over
2. Stallion, Foal of current year
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion Stallion.....Rosette**
3. Gelding, any age
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion GeldingRosette**
4. Mare 1 yr., & over
5. Mare, Foal of current year
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion MareRosette**
6. Brood Mare, and her Foal of current year
7. Single Hitch, Pleasure (shown Friday)
8. Pleasure Pony, Western or English (shown Friday)

LOT 11 - HAFLINGER PONIES

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$20.00 2nd - \$13.00 3rd - \$9.00

- **All Haflinger Ponies in this class must be registered.**
- First and second prize ponies must compete for Championship classes.
- Ponies three years old and over must be entered and shown in one of the hitch classes to be eligible to show in any Haflinger Pony Halter Class. Failure to comply with this qualification will be cause to forfeit any premium.

Class No: Description

1. Stallion, 3 yr., & over
2. Stallion, 1 yr., & under 3
3. Stallion, Foal under 1 yr.
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion StallionRosette**
4. Mare, 3 yr., & over
5. Mare, 1 yr., & under 3
6. Mare, Foal under 1 yr.
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion MareRosette**
7. Mare & Foal, each count 50%
8. Produce of Mare, 2 head any age
9. Best Matched Pair
10. Get of Sire, 3 head any age, (comb. ownership permitted)
11. Stallion & 2 Mares (comb. ownership permitted)
12. Gelding, any age
- * **Grand & Reserve Champion Gelding.....Rosette**

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HALTER CLASSES

Friday, August 7, 2026
9:00 am ~ Coliseum

LOT 12 - OPEN CLASS AMERICAN MINI-HORSES

(34" and under)

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$15.00 2nd - \$10.00 3rd - \$8.00

- First and second prize winners must compete for Championship classes.

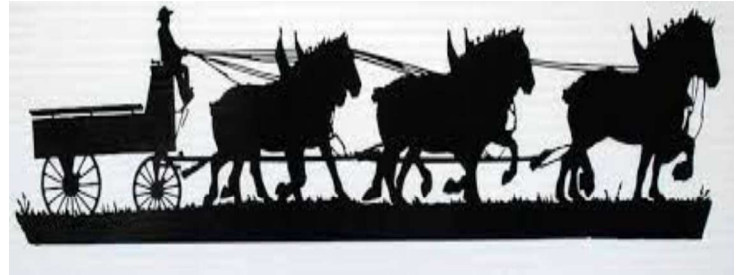
Class No: Description

1. Stallion, 3 yr., & over
2. Stallion, 2 yr., & under 3
3. Stallion, 1 yr., and under 2
4. Stallion, Foal under 1 yr.
* **Grand & Reserve Champion Stallion** Rosette
5. Mare, 3 yr., & over
6. Mare, 2 yr., & under 3
7. Mare, 1 yr & under 2
8. Mare, Foal under 1
* **Grand & Reserve Champion Mare**..... Rosette
9. Mare & Foal, each count 50%
10. Produce of Mare, 2 head any age (combined ownership)
11. Best Matched Pair (one ownership)
12. Get of Sire, 3 head any age (combined ownership)
13. Stallion & 2 Mares (one ownership)
14. Gelding, Any age
* **Grand & Reserve Champion Gelding**.....Rosette

LOT 13- AMERICAN MINI HORSES, HITCH CLASS

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Class No:	Description	Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd
1.	Single Hitch, driven by a Gentleman...	\$15	\$15	\$10	\$8
2.	Single Hitch, driven by a Lady	\$15	\$15	\$10	\$8
3.	Tandem Hitch	\$20	\$20	\$15	\$12
4.	Team Hitch	\$18	\$18	\$12	\$10
5.	Unicorn Hitch	\$25	\$25	\$20	\$17
6.	Four Horse Hitch	\$30	\$30	\$25	\$22
7.	Roadster in Harness	\$15	\$15	\$10	\$8



LOT 14 - SHOWMANSHIP LEAD LINE

/COSTUME CLASSES

JUDGING: Friday, August 7

Premiums: 1st - \$20.00 2nd - \$13.00 3rd - \$9.00
4th - \$7.00 5th - \$5.00

- Registered & Grade Ponies are eligible
- The same costume **WILL NOT** be permitted in Classes 6, 7, 8, 9, or 10. (Showmanship animal does not count)

Class No: Description

1. Mare or Gelding, under 56" (shown by Youth under 12)
2. Mare or Gelding, under 56" (shown by Youth 13 to 18)
3. Mare or Gelding, under 56" (shown by 18 & over)
4. Leadline, under 50", Pleasure Pony equipment Rider (must be 6 or under)
5. Leadline, over 50", Pleasure Pony equipment Rider (must be 6 or under)
6. Leadline Costume, under 56" (shown by Rider 9 & under)
7. Leadline Costume, under 56" (shown by Rider 10 to 14)
8. Leadline Costume, under 56" (shown by Rider 15 to 18)
9. Single or Team Hitch, under 56" costume (shown by Youth 15 & over)
10. Single or Team Hitch, under 56" costume (shown by Youth 14 & under)
11. Walk/Trot Pony, Rider 10 & under
Must have rider and be led by a second individual

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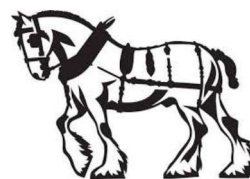
SATURDAY HITCH CLASS

Saturday, August 8, 2026 ~ 10:00 am Horse Arena

~ ATTENTION SATURDAY DRIVE IN HITCH EXHIBITORS ~

PLEASE MAKE ALL INTERESTED ENTRIES BY JULY 18th SO THAT EXHIBITOR TAGS AND SHOW BILLS MAY BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO SATURDAY MORNING.

THANK YOU.



LOT 15 - SATURDAY HITCH CLASS

Horses & Ponies in Farm Class not eligible in Regular Hitch Class on Saturday

RULES FOR GOVERNING HITCH CLASSES

- Mare, Gelding and Stallion eligible for all hitch classes.
- In all hitch classes, horse or horses shall be shown hitched to a suitable vehicle.
- Driver and assistant in all hitch classes must wear a coat and tie.
- No more than two persons shall be permitted on box or wagon while in the show ring.
- All entries shall be ready well in advance of class time to avoid delays. Hitches not ready when class is called, will be disqualified.
- The hitch classes will be judged on performance 60%, equipment 20%, and conformation 20%.

Class No. Description (Classes 1 - 10) Premiums: 1st - \$50.00 / 2nd - \$35.00 / 3rd - \$25.00 / 4th - \$20.00

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| 1. Single Hitch, Horses, Gentlemen | 6. Single Hitch, 50" & under, Gentlemen ** |
| 2. Single Hitch, Haflingers, Gentlemen (not eligible in Lots 2-8) | 7. Single Hitch, over 50", not over 56", Gentlemen ** |
| 3. Single Hitch, Horses, Ladies | 8. Single Hitch, 50" & under, Ladies ** |
| 4. Single Hitch, Haflingers, Ladies (not eligible in Lots 2-8) | 9. Single Hitch, over 50", not over 56", Ladies ** |
| 5. Single Hitch, Farm Harness (No Show Harness or Show Wagons) | 10. Single Hitch, driven by a Youth, 56' & under ** |

*** All Hitches to be shown in Draft Harness with appropriate Rig Hitches*

Class No. Description Premiums: 1st - \$15.00 / 2nd - \$10.00 / 3rd - \$8.00 / 4th - \$6.00

11. Single Hitch, Farm Harness (Hitch Class for Ponies 56" and under, Registered or Grade)

Class No. Description (Class 12) Premiums: 1st - \$50.00 / 2nd - \$30.00 / 3rd - \$20.00 / 4th - \$15.00

12. Horse Under Saddle, English or Western (walk/trot)

Class No. Description (Classes 13 - 21) Premiums: 1st - \$60.00 / 2nd - \$40.00 / 3rd - \$35.00 / 4th - \$30.00

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| 13. Tandem Hitch, Horses | 18. Team Hitch, Horses |
| 14. Tandem Hitch, Haflingers (not eligible in Lots 2-8) | 19. Team Hitch, Haflingers (not eligible in Lots 2-8) |
| 15. Tandem Hitch, 50" & under ** | 20. Team Hitch, 50" & under ** |
| 16. Tandem Hitch, over 50", not over 56" ** | 21. Team Hitch, over 50", not over 56" ** |
| 17. Team Hitch, Farm Harness (No Show Harness or Show Wagons) | |

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Class No. Description (Class 22) Premiums: 1st - \$20.00 / 2nd - \$15.00 / 3rd - \$12.00 / 4th - \$10.00

22. Team Hitch, Farm Harness (Hitch Class for Ponies 56" and under, Registered or Grade)

Class No. Description (Classes 23 - 25) Premiums: 1st - \$60.00 / 2nd - \$50.00 / 3rd - \$45.00 / 4th - \$40.00

23. Unicorn Hitch, Horses
24. Unicorn Hitch, Haflingers (not eligible in Lots 2-8)
25. Unicorn Hitch, 56" & under (All Hitches to be shown in Draft Harness with appropriate Rig Hitches)

Class No. Description (Classes 26 - 28) Premiums: 1st - \$115.00 / 2nd - \$95.00 / 3rd - \$85.00 / 4th - \$75.00

26. ****Four Horse Hitch (combined ownership permitted)
27. Four Horse Hitch, Haflingers (not eligible in Lots 2-8)
28. Four Pony Hitch, 56" & under (All Hitches to be shown in Draft Harness with appropriate Rig Hitches)

Class No. Description (Classes 29 - 31) Premiums: 1st - \$140.00 / 2nd - \$120.00 / 3rd - \$105.00 / 4th - \$100.00

29. Six Horse Hitch, Horses (combined ownership permitted)
30. Six Horse Hitch, Haflingers (not eligible in Lots 2-8)
31. Six Pony Hitch, 56" & under (All Hitches to be shown in Draft Harness with appropriate Rig Hitches)

*****Special Award Given by - South Range Percherons**