



# NH State 4-H Horse Show



**July 12-14, 2024**

**Deerfield Fairgrounds Deerfield, NH**

Judge: Sherri Thornton

F & S Judge: Julie Inglis

The 2024 NH State 4-H Horse Show Cover Design Contest Winning Artist: Riley Martel

Deerfield Fairgrounds, 34 Stage Road (Route 43) Deerfield, NH

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## Notes for 2024

- **Exhibitors 14+ as of 1/1 may show two horses in two divisions.** Please see below for more information.
- **Exhibitors age 12+ as of 1/1 may cross-enter into a second division**, showing their horse in not more than two classes. Please see below for more information.
- Horses should be listed in the member's 4HOnline account by the June 1 deadline for the State 4-H Horse Show (May 1 for ESE eligibility).
- Participants are encouraged to camp with household members on the grounds (indicate on your entry form). Camping will be by county grouping as close to stabling areas as possible. Any exhibitor leaving the grounds at night must designate an animal care person who will be on the grounds and provide an emergency contact phone number.
- Decorating of barns is allowed. Remember you must remove any decorations you bring.
- You must include horse information on the stall door and may add one decorative sign per stall door and one county sign per barn area.
- The schedule will change based on entry numbers and weather conditions. Further information will be announced.

## Entry and Information

### **Eligibility**

**Exhibitors (Riders/Drivers/In-Hand):** This show is open to NH 4-H members 10-18 years old as of January 1, 2024 who have been selected by their county as a delegate or alternate; if your county does not have a selection process or you were unable to attend, get approval from your county and complete the readiness form. All must enter by deadline (**July 3, 2024**); delegates must include fees, and alternates will pay upon arrival at show if they participate. No post entries accepted.

**Horse sharing** will be allowed at the State 4-H Horse Show. There is no entry fee discount or stabling discount for members sharing a horse. Members must be part of the same county delegation (if members are from two different counties, they will need to choose which one to stable with/camp with during the show). In-hand horses may be shared by three members.

### **How to Enter**

Enter via 4HOnline. You may pay via credit card in 4HOnline or check made payable to **UNH Cooperative Extension**; some counties collect funds and pay with one county check. Follow instructions from your county.

An exhibitor must have a 4HOnline animal listing completed by May 1 for ESE eligibility. All other horses should be listed in 4HOnline by the June 1 deadline for the State 4-H Horse Show. For questions about this, reach out to [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu).

For persons with disabilities requiring special accommodations, contact Hannah Majewski at [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu). For further information on this event, please contact your county 4-H staff or Hannah Majewski at [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu).

### **Entry Fee**

An entry fee of \$100.00 for each horse-exhibitor combination and \$15.00 for each stable manager is necessary to help cover show costs. Entry fees are due with entries. Make check or money order payable as directed by your county to the county or UNH Cooperative Extension. No refunds of entry fees unless Hannah Majewski is notified in writing via email at [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu) at least 48 hours before opening of the show that the member will not participate.

Those entering up to two additional classes in a second division pay a \$12 per class entry fee. Enter and pay at the show.

*A limited number of scholarships are available for those unable to pay. For more information, please contact Hannah Majewski at [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu).*

### **Cancellation**

Exhibitors unable to attend the New Hampshire 4-H State Horse Show for any reason must contact their county office immediately to allow for timely notification of alternates. Cancellations less than 48 hours in advance will not receive refunds except due to injury or illness of exhibitor or horse.

### **Awards**

Ribbons and trophies will be awarded. A stable manager award for high point quiz and judging is awarded. To break ties:

- 1<sup>st</sup> tie breaker: Total of Quiz and Judging. If still tied →
- 2<sup>nd</sup> tie breaker: Fitting and Showmanship Score. If still tied →
- 3<sup>rd</sup> tie breaker: Scores of answers to questions in Judging

### **Exhibitor Information**

#### **Exhibitors and Stable Managers participate in the following:**

All exhibitors must participate in the following:

- 4-H General Knowledge Quiz (100 points)(see the [Pacific Northwest 4-H Horse Project Manual](#) and [Pacific Northwest 4-H Horse Judging Manual](#) p 1-25)
- 4-H Horse Judging (100 points)
- Stable Managers and Show Helpers– Showmanship with borrowed horse. Those wishing to participate should bring appropriate attire (neat pants, belt and a polo shirt or button shirt if you do not have “show attire”). There is no additional entry fee for stable manager showmanship.

#### **Exhibitors participate in these additional activities**

- 4-H Fitting & Showing (100 points) (optional for Stable Managers/points not counted for stable mgr. awards)
- 4-H Equitation (100 points)
  - Hunt or Saddle Seat Division: Hunt or Saddle Seat Equitation
  - Western/Stock Seat Division: Western Equitation
  - Novice or Open Walk Trot Divisions: Novice or Open Walk Trot Equitation
  - Driving Division: Reinsmanship
  - In Hand: Suitability
- **Classes:** 3 Choice Classes in your division (see class list and entry form) (50 points each). Members age 12+ may cross enter up to 2 choice classes from a second division (see details below).

#### **Choice classes** (see class list and NE 4-H Horse Show rules for additional details):

Hunt seat & Saddle Seat – choose 3 from pleasure, hunter under saddle, trail, bridle path hack, handiness, discipline rail, hunter over fences.

Western – choose 3 from pleasure, discipline rail, trail, western all around, handiness.

Walk-Trot (open or novice) – choose from pleasure, trail, discipline rail.

In-Hand – choose 3 from pleasure, obstacle, discipline rail, small equine in-hand hunter over fences.

Driving—choose 3 from pleasure, precision driving, discipline rail, handiness.

Note: modified classes for those requiring accommodation due to disability will be added as necessary. Contact the State Office via email at [hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu) with questions about accommodations.

### **Showing two horses:**

Members age 14+ may show two horses at the State 4-H Horse Show provided that:

- Both horses were entered in the member's 4hOnline account on or before the June 1 deadline.
- They are entered into two different divisions.
- Two full entry fees are paid.
- There will be a maximum of a five-minute hold between classes.
- Another member (stable manager/teen leader or exhibitor) participating in the show may hold the member's second horse ringside in the event the member is in two consecutive classes.
- Another member (stable manager/teen leader or exhibitor) participating in the show may care for the member's horse from the first class in the event the member is in two consecutive classes.
- The exhibiting member is the only person allowed to exercise/warm up either horse.
- Neither horse may be shared with another exhibitor except for a horse being shared with a member exhibiting in Novice Walk-Trot or In-Hand.
- An adult is prohibited from assisting in holding or caring for either horse unless there is an immediate safety issue that requires it.
- The member must designate in which division to compete for end of show awards.
- The member must have a signed readiness form indicating:
  - The member has consistently worked with both horses.
  - The member is capable of feeding, caring for, tacking up and managing both horses with minimal assistance from another member if required. No adult assistance is allowed except to intervene when required for safety.
  - The member has shown both horses in the current show season in the division they are proposing to enter.
  - The member can safely manage each horse in the State 4-H Horse Show setting.

### **Cross-entering:**

- Members may cross-enter up to two classes in a second division.
- Enter at the show (no pre-entries). \$12 entry fee per additional class payable at the time of entry.
- No cross-entering F & S or trail.
- Only equines under 48 inches (12 hands) may enter Small Equine In-Hand Hunter Over Fences.
- There will be a maximum of a five-minute hold between classes.
- Another member (stable manager/teen leader or exhibitor) participating in the show may assist the member with tack changes. Only the exhibitor may exercise/warm up the horse.

- Any horse showing signs of fatigue or overwork will be excused from their class and must be cooled, watered and rested. The horse must be evaluated by a veterinarian, show manager or show steward prior to being exercised again.
- Weather conditions and schedule may reduce or eliminate the options for cross-entering.

### **Horse Show Rules**

The New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines and the New Hampshire Supplement to the New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines for specific rules on classes, equipment, etc.

- [New England 4-H Horse Show Rules and Guidelines](#) and [NE 4-H Horse Show Bit Rules](#)
- [NH Supplement to the New England 4-H Horse Show Rules](#)

### **Assistance**

Each horse may be owned or managed (borrowed) by the exhibitor who is solely responsible for the horse at this event. Members are expected to care for their animals by themselves or with the assistance of other participating members. Members are encouraged to assist one another as a team. Adult assistance is allowed for set-up, move in, move out and heavy lifting. Adult intervention is encouraged if safety is a concern.

### **County Stable Managers/Show Assistant**

Each county may bring up to ten non-competing 4-H members to serve as County Stable Managers; counties may bring one additional stable manager per 3 competitors over 30. Stable managers & show assistants must be current 4-H members enrolled in the horse program. They may assist with all duties except riding, exercising, or preparation for a class. Stable Managers must complete an entry in 4HOnline. All stable managers must enter Quiz and Judging. Stable managers must be on the grounds for the duration of the event. Stable Managers must pay a \$15.00 entry fee. Stable managers wishing to participate in Showmanship with a borrowed horse should indicate on their entry. It is expected that stable managers participating in showmanship have experience with the class AND have handled the horse they will be showing. Those unable to safely handle the horse will be excused.

Additional youth may be selected to serve as a show office assistant to perform duties related to show management. Interested youth may contact Hannah Majewski ([hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu)). Show assistants must complete an entry form, but do not pay an entry fee; they must be chaperoned by their county chaperone or a parent or guardian at night and are expected to participate in Horse Judging and the Quiz. They may participate in Showmanship with a borrowed horse.

### **Supervision**

Each county will appoint one screened 4-H leader to serve as the official county head chaperone to coordinate and see that adequate supervision is available at all times for their entire group. Chaperones are responsible for assigning stalls and overseeing sleeping arrangements. Each county may make their own sleeping arrangements and must provide adequate chaperones. The chaperones must sleep in the designated county area, supervising the delegates. All head chaperones and any other interested volunteers are asked to attend a zoom meeting with show officials prior to the show (Monday July 17, 7 PM). Counties without chaperones must make arrangements with another county to take responsibility for their delegate(s).

County chaperones will be responsible for recruiting volunteers (youth/adults) from their county who will assist with tasks as requested by the show committee such as gate keeper, ring clean up and watering and practice ring monitor.

10-11 year old stable managers will be part of the County delegation and will be supervised by the designated county chaperone. In addition, 10-11 year old stable managers must have a parent, guardian or designated adult on the grounds at all times to provide supervision. This adult is NOT to be the county head chaperone, unless that head chaperone is the parent or guardian of the 10-11-year-old Stable Manager

### **Conduct**

All youth and adult attendees agree to abide by the New Hampshire 4-H Code of Conduct.

## **General Policies**

### **Safety**

The following rules are mandatory for all and will be enforced:

- Smoking only at private campsites away from youth or outside the fairgrounds gate. No smoking in barns, spectator areas or public areas.
- Fire lanes must remain clear at all times. If unloading in a fire lane, a driver MUST stay with the vehicle.
- Equipment will be stored properly to reduce tripping and other hazards.
- Horses must not be left unattended with stall doors open, while tied or tacked up.
- All 4-H youth exhibitors are required to wear a properly fitted ASTM/SEI approved equestrian helmet with secured chin harness properly fastened at all times when mounted on an equine, in small equine hunter over fences, or in a vehicle being pulled by one or more equines.
- Adults may intervene if necessary for safety.

### **Walk Trot divisions:**

Novice walk-trot is for members who have not mastered the canter in a group in a show setting. Open walk-trot is for members who choose to show walk-trot for ANY reason.

### **Stabling, Tying, and Showing from Trailers**

- Horses must be stabled in a barn.
- Washing may be done outside in designated areas with horse held by a delegate or another 4-H member. Sponging may be done in stalls.
- No horses may be shown from trailers.
- Stalls must be cleaned and stripped of all bedding prior to leaving the grounds. Counties will be charged \$30 per stall for ALL stalls if stalls are not cleaned.

### **Arrival/Departure**

Gates will open no earlier than 9:00 a.m. Friday; horses and campers may arrive after that time. Horses may leave at any point after their last class Sunday.

**NOTE: All stalls must be stripped prior to leaving the grounds or the entire county will be subject to a fee of \$30 per stall for cleaning.**

### **Health Requirements for Horses**

All horses must have a current vaccination for rabies given at least 30 days and not more than 1 year prior to the show. Horses stabled outside New Hampshire must conform to entry and health regulations as required by current New Hampshire law. For out of state horses, a Certificate of Veterinary Inspection "health certificate" signed by an accredited veterinarian and a valid negative AGID (Coggins) test conducted within 6 months prior to entry are required.

### **Guidelines for Volunteers, Guests, and Spectators**

Volunteers, guests, and spectators are welcome and encouraged. Everyone must follow the conduct guidelines outlined for youth participants.

4-H has a policy of no alcoholic beverages. Adult smoking (including "vaping" or e-cigarettes) is permitted in personal camping areas or outside the fairgrounds gate only when no children are present. There will be absolutely no smoking in the barns, spectator areas, public spaces or ring area.

Do not visit if you are not feeling well.

### **Dress Code**

A minimum of shirt that covers the torso, fingertip length shorts (minimum inseam 4 inches), and shoes that completely enclose the foot must be worn at all times by everyone associated with show activities on the grounds. Tank tops must not be revealing or have less than a one-inch strap. No bathing suits. Clothing must be in good repair. No clothing with profanity or promoting sex, alcohol, tobacco, drugs, criminal behavior or is in poor taste is allowed. Sandals and open-toed shoes are allowed in non-horse areas (campsites, show office, restrooms)

4-H and county spirit are encouraged. Please consider wearing NH 4-H Animal Science t-shirts, other 4-H clothing and/or county delegate clothing when not showing. State 4-H Horse Show clothing is available for pre-order or purchase on the grounds in limited quantity.

### **Facility Information**

#### **Shavings**

There are several feed stores in the area with feed and shavings available for purchase. You will be required to strip your stall or pay a stall stripping fee of \$30 per stall for the entire delegation (including tack and feed stalls) as assessed by the Deerfield Fairgrounds.

#### **Food**

Food will not be sold on the grounds. Check with your county to see if there are plans for shared meals. There will be an Ice Cream Social fundraiser for NH 4-H Horse Teams on Saturday evening -- please bring cash for a suggested \$5 donation per bowl of ice cream and toppings.

### **Lodging, Sleeping and Camping Information**

#### **Evening Curfew**

10:00 p.m. - All exhibitors in camping/sleeping areas; quiet hours enforced

8:00 a.m. – official resumption of activities and all delegates must have returned to the grounds.

### **Camping**

Camping facilities are available for parents and other adults involved with the show. Due to safety and fire regulations, camping is permitted in designated areas only.

### **Costs**

Campers or tents using electrical or water hook-up (per night): \$35 (\$70 total for the weekend) \*

Tents with no hook-up (per night): \$17.50\* (\$35 for the weekend); if tents use electric or water hook-up, or plug in at all, the camper fee is charged. Vehicles/horse trailers used for camping are charged camper fee (if living quarters trailer &/or hooked up) or tent fee (not a camper/not hooked up)

\*Please note: ALL TENTS and CAMPERS ON THE GROUNDS MUST PAY THIS FEE, REGARDLESS OF HOOKING UP OR USING ELECTRICITY. If you are on the grounds with a camper or tent, you must pay this fee. This includes horse trailers, vans, etc. used for camping.

### **Selection for Big E (Eastern States Exposition)**

The NH State 4-H Horse Show will be the selection process for exhibitors age 12+ (with their equine listed in 4HOnline by May 1) wishing to qualify for the Big E. Up to 15 eligible members in the riding, driving and small equine in hand division will be selected. (we do not yet have exact numbers for how many delegates NH may send). Additionally, 2-3 Teen Leaders will be selected. The 4-H Horse Show at the Big E will tentatively be held September 19-23 (The Big E has not released official show dates for 2024).

For those qualifying as delegates, a brief meeting will be held in the show office immediately after the award ceremony.

For more information about [Eastern States Exposition](http://www.thebige.com), please visit [www.thebige.com](http://www.thebige.com).



**New Hampshire State 4-H Horse Show Schedule.** Classes will halt during impending thunder storms

<b>Friday</b>		Classes will resume after storm danger has passed	
2:00–4:00	Registration -- all registered by 4 pm	<b>Trail and Obstacle Classes (only order changed)</b>	
5:00	Chaperone/Volunteer Meeting	Class 24	Senior Western Trail
5:50	Judging/Quiz Volunteers Report	Class 25	Senior English Trail
6:00	Opening Ceremonies	Class 26	Open Walk Trot Trail
	Judging- Ring	Class 27	Junior English Trail
	Quiz- Location TBA	Class 28	Junior Western Trail
<b>Saturday</b>		Class 29	Novice Walk Trot Trail
8:00 AM		Class 30	Junior In-hand Obstacle
<b>Fit &amp; Show</b>		Class 31	Senior In-hand Obstacle
Class 1	Senior English	Class 32	Senior Precision Driving
Class 2	Senior Western	Class 33	Junior Precision Driving
Class 3	Senior Driving	<b>English and Western Discipline Rail</b>	
Class 4	Senior In Hand	Class 34	Senior English Discipline Rail
Class 4A	Senior Gymkhana	Class 35	Senior Western Discipline Rail
Class 5	Open Walk-Trot	Class 36	Junior English Discipline Rail
Class 6	Junior English	Class 37	Junior Western Discipline Rail
Class 7	Junior Western		
Class 8	Junior Driving		
Class 9	Junior In Hand		
Class 10	Junior Gymkhana		<b>Dinner Break</b>
Class 11	Novice Walk-Trot		
<b>Equitation</b>			<b>Saturday Evening</b>
Class 12	Senior Hunt Seat & Saddle Seat	<b>Handiness *must do handiness pattern in</b>	
Class 13	Senior Western	<b>NE Horse Show rule book</b>	
Class 14	Senior Reinsmanship	Class 38	Handiness Senior English
Class 15	Senior In Hand Suitability	Class 39	Handiness Senior Western
Class 16	Open Walk-Trot	Class 40	Handiness Junior English
Class 17	Junior Hunt Seat & Saddle Seat	Class 41	Handiness Junior Western
Class 18	Junior Western	Class 42	Handiness Senior Driving
Class 19	Junior Reinsmanship	Class 43	Handiness Junior Driving
Class 20	Junior In Hand Suitability		
Class 21	Novice Walk-Trot		
Class 22	n/a		
Class 23	n/a		
Classes may be split or combined at staff discretion. Schedule subject to change due to # of entries, weather and other factors			
Saddle seat will be split from hunt seat if there are 3 or more Saddle Seat entries			

**Sunday 8 am**

Class 44	Hunter Over Fences
Class 45	Small Equine In Hand Hunter Over Fences
<b>Pleasure Classes</b>	
Class 46	Senior English
Class 47	Senior Western
Class 48	Senior Pleasure Driving
Class 49	Open Walk Trot Pleasure
Class 50	Junior English
Class 51	Junior Western
Class 52	Novice Walk Trot Pleasure
Class 53	Junior Pleasure Driving
<b>Other Classes</b>	
Class 54	Bridle Path Hack
Class 55	Hunter Under Saddle
Class 56	Open Walk Trot Discipline Rail
Class 57	Western All Around Junior (Eq, Pleasure, showmanship)
Class 58	In-Hand All Around (Suitability, Pleasure, Showmanship)
Class 59	Novice Walk Trot Discipline Rail
Class 60	Driving Discipline Rail
Class 61	In Hand Discipline Rail
Class 62	Western All Around Senior (Eq, Pleasure, showmanship)
Class 63	Gymkhana Horsemanship
Class 64	Flag Race
Class 65	Barrel Race
Class 66	Keyhole Race
Class 67	Pole Bending
<b>Break</b> - please clean stalls, pack, take down campsites	
<b>Scores are being tabulated as quickly as possible</b>	
<b>Awards</b>	
<b>Closing Ceremonies</b>	

**Costume class:** open to all! Enter at the show. Choose from 3 divisions

- 4-H spirit
- Mythical creature
- Open

(all must wear closed-toed shoes & helmets required if mounted or in a vehicle pulled by an equine.

Stable managers/teen leaders may enter without a horse or with a borrowed horse.

Stick horses allowed/encouraged!

Costume class will be held Saturday evening or Sunday, depending on show progress and weather.

\$5 donation requested per exhibitor

# Register via <https://v2.4honline.com/>

**Entry Deadline: July 3** (or immediately after county show)

For questions or to request accommodations due to a disability, contact Hannah Majewski ([hannah.majewski@unh.edu](mailto:hannah.majewski@unh.edu)).

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Include the following:**

- Entry Fee: \$100 for exhibitors, \$15 for Stable Managers/Teen Leaders; members (14+ only) entering two horses/two divisions pay two entry fees.
- Readiness form for 10-11 year old, showing two horses, Hunter Over Fences, Walk Trot or those without a County Show/unable to attend a county show (upload in 4HOnline or bring to the show)
- Camping Fees
- T-Shirt/ Sweatshirt Order Form

Entry Fee (\$100 per exhibitor \$15 stable manager) \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Camping (\$35/**night**/\$70 weekend camper; \$17.50/**night**/\$35 weekend tent\*) \_\_ Camper \_\_ Tent \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE\***; Any tent/vehicle using water or electric hook ups must pay a camper fee

T-Shirt Order Form/Fee (\$17 per t-shirt/\$40 per sweatshirt) \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(complete separate order form and write amount here)

Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable as directed by your county to the County or to **UNH Cooperative Extension** (NOTE: most counties collect fees and submit one check – please confirm payment information with your county)

All county entries may be sent together to

NH 4-H Office  
c/o Hannah Majewski- 4-H State Horse Show  
Kendall Hall 129 Main St, Rm 313  
Durham NH 03824



**PERMISSION AND LIABILITY WAIVER** for all participants (exhibitor, stable manager,  
**MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN**

My child, \_\_\_\_\_ ,  
has permission to participate in the State 4-H Horse Show, including staying overnight, at Deerfield Fairgrounds during the event. It is understood that my child will be supervised by county chaperones. I understand my child may camp on the grounds with a parent or guardian or may leave the grounds if an adult assumes overnight care of the animal.

I wish my child to stay in the: \_\_\_Off the grounds                      \_\_\_Camping on the grounds with family

I understand that my child may not change his/her sleeping location without my written consent.

I have read the rules and regulations governing the 4-H State Horse Show, and we agree to abide by those rules and give superintendents, UNH Cooperative Extension staff, and volunteers full authority to make judgment and enforce these rules. The above applicant meets the eligibility requirements and is willing to conduct him/herself in an appropriate manner according to the 4-H Code of Conduct.

I agree to treat the facilities and my animal with care and respect. I agree to release and hold harmless, defend and indemnify The University of New Hampshire, UNH Cooperative Extension, 4-H Foundation of NH, Inc., Deerfield Fairgrounds and their trustees, agents, employees, and volunteers from any liability, claim, or demand connected with this event. I bring my animal at my own risk and I am aware of the hazards associated with participation and with the handling of large animals including possible injury or death. I will be responsible for physical or financial damage done by myself or my animals to another person or property.

We have read the rules and regulations governing the State 4-H Horse Show and agree to abide by these rules; and give superintendents and UNH Cooperative Extension staff full authority to make judgment and enforce these rules.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Camper or tents with electric and/or water hook up \$35/night \$70/weekend

Tents without hook up \$17.50/night \$35/weekend. If tent connects to water or electricity at any point, you will be charged the camper fee.

Please indicate campsite needed (if any) and payment on youth entry form.

# STATE SHOW 4-H HORSE SHOW SHIRT ORDER FORM

State Show qualifiers may make an advance order for t-shirts & sweatshirts when registering in 4HOnline or submitting this form so that it is received by the deadline.

Advance orders are guaranteed. A limited number of t-shirts will be available for purchase at the show. All shirts are sage green with white lettering. Sweatshirts have front design only – large on hoodie, left chest on quarter zip. T-shirts have a large front design.

## SHIRTS MUST BE ORDERED BY June 24 to be guaranteed

All shirts will be printed with the design shown above. Shirts will be available at State Show for distribution.

### Adult Sizes Only

**T-Shirt @ \$17.00** (t-shirts are sage green with white lettering)

**Hoodie \$40** (hoodies are sage green with white lettering)

**¼ zip sweatshirt \$40** (heather gray with green print L chest)

Place number of shirts desired in the column with the appropriate size:

	S	M	L	XL	XXL (+\$2 tee/5 sweatshirt )	
T-Shirt \$17						_____ t-shirts
Hooded Sweatshirt \$40						_____ hoodies
1/4 zip sweatshirt \$40						_____ 1/4 zip sweatshirts

# t-shirts \_\_\_\_\_ X \$17 = \_\_\_\_\_ (+\$2 per shirt for XXL)

# hoodies \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40 = \_\_\_\_\_ (+\$5 per shirt for XXL)

# ¼ zips \_\_\_\_\_ X \$40 = \_\_\_\_\_ (+\$5 per shirt for XXL)

**TOTAL DUE: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ PLEASE INCLUDE PAYMENT WITH ORDER**

**CHECKS PAYABLE TO: UNH Cooperative Extension** (or as directed by your county)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ County \_\_\_\_\_

If you order and pay for a shirt but do not attend the show, your shirt will be given to your county chaperone for delivery to you.

## NH State 4-H Horse Show

### Hunter Over Fences Readiness Form

The NH State 4-H Horse Show requires prospective entries for Hunter Over Fences to provide documentation that they and their mount are prepared for this class. Please have the form below completed at one of the following:

- ✿ A County Qualifying 4-H Event, after completing the Hunter Over Fences Class (at least 6 fences at 2'3" or higher) with a Blue or Red Danish Ribbon while riding the horse to be entered at the State 4-H Horse Show.
- ✿ At any show, horse trials or other competition over fences by completing a course of at least 6 fences at 2'3" or higher while riding the horse to be entered at the State 4-H Horse Show.
- ✿ A riding instructor may observe you riding the horse to be entered at the State 4-H Horse Show completing a course of at least 6 fences at 2'3" or higher

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Use this portion at a show or other competition:

Name of Show or Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Show or Event: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Rider (4-H Member): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Horse: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby attest that the above-named horse and rider combination successfully completed a course of at least 6 fences at 2'3" or higher; if a 4-H Show, a Blue or Red Danish award was received.

Name of Show Official: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone or email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Use the portion below for verification by a riding instructor:

Date of Observation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Rider (4-H Member): \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Horse: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby attest that the above-named horse and rider combination successfully completed a course of at least 6 fences at 2'3" or higher.

Name of Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone or email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**This form is to be submitted with the 4-H member's State 4-H Horse Show entry in 4HOnline or brought to the show**

## NH State 4-H Horse Show

### Readiness Form for all 10 & 11 year old exhibitors, Walk-Trot State Exhibitors, showing two horses and those without county qualifying shows.

The NH State 4-H Horse Show requires those without county qualifying shows, those (14+) showing two horses, all 10-11 year old members showing, and Walk-Trot exhibitors (Novice & Open) to provide documentation that they and their mount are prepared for this show experience. Please have the form below completed at one of the following:

- ✿ A County Qualifying 4-H Event where the member is observed caring for and riding the horse(s) to be entered at the State 4-H Horse Show
- ✿ A riding instructor or 4-H leader may observe you caring for and riding the horse(s) to be entered at the State 4-H Horse Show. For those without a county show/unable to attend their county show, the exhibitor must have been observed in a show setting.

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I am familiar with and have observed the member and animal listed below and feel that the 4-H member is capable of the following activities in a horse show setting:

- Independently leading and tying the horse in the barn and throughout the show grounds
- Independently managing, feeding, watering and caring for the horse for the duration of the show
- Independently grooming, tacking up, and preparing the horse for showing
- Exhibiting in a group setting of up to 12 horse and exhibitor combinations
- Maneuvering the horse around obstacles (including other horses and exhibitors) in a crowded show setting)
- Independently untacking, cooling out, caring for and grooming horse after exercise.
- Requesting help from an appropriate leader or show official in the event of an emergency or a concern regarding the health/well-being of the rider or horse.
- Completing all of the above tasks for two horses for those members age 14+ wanting to enter two horses

Date of Observation: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Exhibitor (4-H Member): \_\_\_\_\_ Name of Horse(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby attest that the above-named horse and exhibitor combination(s) have met the criteria checked above, and in my opinion are ready for the challenge of participating at the NH State 4-H Horse Show.

Name of 4-H Leader or Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact phone or email: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**This form is to be submitted with the 4-H member's State 4-H Horse Show entry in 4HOnline or brought to the show**

### **State 4-H Horse Show Packing list:**

Counties and delegates must bring all items necessary for care, housing and feeding of county delegates & chaperones. Delegates may stay with household members or may leave the grounds overnight provided an adult has been left in charge of the animal and delegate returns prior to the start of the following day's activities. )

#### **Individual delegate supplies:**

- Casual clothing & footwear
- Show clothing & footwear
- Toiletries and towels
- Hand sanitizer
- Medication if used (must be in care of parent or guardian)
- Camping supplies if camping on the grounds
- Drinking water and snacks

#### **Supplies for horse**

- Feed (hay and grain) and bedding (no bedding is supplied)
- Water bucket(s)
- Feed bucket
- Halter and lead
- Grooming tools
- Saddle with fittings, bridle, saddle pad or harness & cart or in-hand showing supplies.
- Stall hardware for hanging buckets, cross ties, etc.
- Stall cleaning supplies (no sharing outside of your immediate household without disinfecting first)
- Fan if used, with extension cord and means to securely fasten fan (must be in good/safe condition. No frayed wires)
- Sign for stall door (minimum must have horse name, exhibitor name and contact info, owner name and contact info, feeding instructions, any special needs or vices)

#### **Other**

- Poster and art contest entries
- Your costume for costume class

#### **County/Shared supplies for barn:**

- Horse first aid kit
- Human first aid kit
- Fire extinguisher and/or fire buckets

#### **County supplies for county camping/gathering/eating area**



## 4-H HORSE EDUCATION POSTER CONTEST

**Purpose:** To educate the public about safety around horses and general horse knowledge.

**How:** Create a Horse Safety/General Horse Knowledge Poster

**Who:** Any 4-H member including Cloverbud is invited to submit a poster for the contest.

**What:** The poster may illustrate any aspect of Equine education or general horse safety.  
It can be a drawing, a cartoon, a collage, printed instructions, etc.

The poster must be a minimum of 11" x 14" in size, or a maximum of 22" x 28" and should be readable at 30'. **THIS POSTER SHOULD BE YOUR OWN WORK.**

Check with your 4-H extension office for tips on making posters and further information. **Members are discouraged from using glue sticks – items glued this way tend to fall off posters.**

Each division judged separately. Divisions include: 5-7yrs (Cloverbuds), 8-10yrs (Juniors), 11-13 years (Intermediates) and 14 to 19yrs (Seniors)

**The form below must be firmly attached to the back of your poster.**

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NAME:

AGE:

MAILING ADDRESS:

TOWN:

STATE:

ZIP:

Email:

Phone:

**DIVISION:** (Circle One)

Cloverbud (5 – 7)

Junior (8-11 years)

Intermediate (12-13)

Senior (14-18 years)

## 4-H HORSE EDUCATION POSTER EVALUATION

Name of Exhibitor: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Poster Title: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

**An excellent poster captures people’s attention and clearly conveys a message.**

Criteria		Excellent 4 points	Very Good 3 points	Good 2 points	Fair 1 point
Overall Impression	Poster attracts attention and maintains interest				
Neatness	The poster is free of smudges, has been assembled with care and writing is neat				
<b>Artwork/Design</b>					
Use of Color	Pleasing color combinations, color use enhances readability and attractiveness				
Layout/Design	Space is efficiently used, the layout is easy to follow				
Creativity	Interesting use of materials, color, and design that add to the impact of the poster				
<b>Message/Content</b>					
Title	Easy to read, captures the idea/topic of the poster subject				
Written Material *Does it educate the public about horses?	Clear: easy to follow and easy to read, accurate and condensed				
Spelling, Usage, Grammar and Mechanics	Free of spelling mistakes and free of grammatical errors				
Graphics/pictures/illustrations/photos	Enhance poster’s impact, message or help viewer understand the content				

Your point total: \_\_\_\_\_

The above tool is used to evaluate your submitted poster. Use this as a tool to help you in designing your poster. You will receive a completed one after your poster has been reviewed. Giving you the evaluator’s opinion as to how active your poster is in teaching the public about general horse knowledge or horse safety.

Posters will be evaluated using the Danish scoring system