

# Horse Department

Horse Superintendent.....Kim Strong  
Judged.....Thursday, July 14 at 8:00 a.m.

## **Division Rules**

1. Exhibitors will be allowed to enter and show up to 4 animals.
2. Senior exhibitors are grades 9-12 and Junior exhibitors are grades 4-8.
3. Classes will be split where noted and upon request of superintendent.
4. Exhibitors must wear blue jeans & 4-H/FFA T-shirt. Hard soled boots/shoes are required.
5. Contestants shall act as young ladies or gentlemen at all times. Unnecessary roughness or discourtesy will dismiss the exhibitor or rider from further competition for the entire show. Good sportsmanship shall prevail. No abuse or schooling of horses will be tolerated. Each rider or exhibitor must keep his horse under control or be excused for the ring.
6. Each exhibitor is eligible to show one entry per class.
7. ASTM and SEI approved helmets are required for all riding classes.
8. Patterns for all pattern classes will be posted 1 hour before start of class.
9. Exhibitors must attend 2 practices to be eligible to show at the Expo.
10. For other rules, follow the Rules and Regulations for 4-H Equine Shows in Iowa.

## **Halter Rules**

1. Each animal may be exhibited in one halter class (16.1 to 16.18)
  - a. Distinctions:
    - i. Pony: 14-0 hands and under at mature height.
    - ii. Horse: 14-1 hands and over at mature height.
    - iii. Stallions will only be allowed to show in Weanling Halter (class 16.11).
    - iv. Foals shall be born in current club year. (2011)
    - v. Yearling shall have been foaled between Jan. 1, 2010 and Dec. 31, 2010.
    - vi. Two year olds shall have been foaled between Jan. 1, 2009 and Dec. 31, 2009.
2. Color Breed exhibits showing in class 16.15 will not be allowed in another halter class.
3. Mule/Burrow exhibits will be shown in class 16.17 and will not be allowed in another halter class.
4. Champion Halter - Top 2 horses from classes 16.1 to 16.18 will be chosen to be brought back for this class. Champion & Reserve Champion awards will be presented for this class only.

## **Performance Rules**

1. Junior and senior indicates riders' grade level, not age of animal.
2. Each animal may be exhibited in one pleasure class (classes 16.3 to 16.315).
  - a. Animals showing in walk-trot (16.31 or 16.315) will not be allowed to show in (16.32 to 16.325).
  - b. Animals showing in pleasure (16.32 or 16.325) will not be allowed to show in (16.31 or 16.315).
3. Each exhibitor may exhibit in one horsemanship class (classes 16.330 to 16.345).
  - a. Animals showing in walk-trot classes (16.30 to 16.315) will only be allowed to show in walk-trot horsemanship classes (16.330 to 16.335)
  - b. Animals showing in pleasure classes (16.32 to 16.325) will only be allowed to show in horsemanship classes (16.34 to 16.35).
4. There will be no loping obstacles in either division of trail.
5. Cart class is open to all horses, ponies, or draft horse. A parent/guardian must be present on cart. Class will be split per superintendent if needed.

## **Timed Events and Games**

Rules for timed events/games will follow rules from *Rules and Regulations for 4-H Equine Shows in Iowa*.

<b>Halter</b>	<b>Class name</b>	<b>Horse and Pony special awards</b>
16.100	Pony halter	Grand Champion Halter - Jack Walker Chrysler/Dodge/Jeep
16.110	Light Horse Weanling halter	Reserve Grand Champion Halter - Keokuk County State Bank
16.115	Light Horse Yearling halter	Junior Showmanship - Keokuk County State Bank
16.120	Light Horse 2 & 3 year old halter	Senior Showmanship - Keokuk County State Bank
16.130	Light Horse Four years & older	Senior Pony Pleasure - PTL, The Shop
16.150	Color Breed halter	Junior Pony Pleasure - T.I.P. REC
16.170	Open Mule halter (All Ages)	Senior Walk trot - Maria & Gene Brookhart
16.180	Draft Horse halter (All Ages)	Junior Walk trot - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
	Grand Champion & Reserve Champion Halter	Senior Western Pleasure - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
16.200	Senior Showmanship	Junior Western Pleasure - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
16.205	Junior Showmanship	Senior Walk trot Horsemanship - Shelly & Joe Koehn Family
		Junior Walk trot Horsemanship - Shelly & Joe Koehn Family
		Senior Horsemanship - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
		Junior Horsemanship - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
		Junior Trail - Kim & Roger Strong Family
		Senior Trail - Gary Joe & Nancy VanPatten Family
		Working Ranch Horse - Keokuk County Hoofbeats 4-H
		Senior Champion Timed Events/Games- Rick Bethke Family
		Junior Champion Timed Events/Games - Dar Eckley Family
<b>Performance</b>	<b>Class name</b>	
16.300	Senior Pony pleasure	
16.305	Junior Pony pleasure	
16.308	Draft Horse Walk-Trot	
16.310	Senior Walk-Trot	
16.315	Junior Walk-Trot	
16.320	Senior Western Pleasure	
16.325	Junior Western Pleasure	
16.330	Senior Walk-Trot Horsemanship	
16.335	Junior Walk-Trot Horsemanship	
16.340	Senior Horsemanship	
16.345	Junior Horsemanship	
16.412	Working Ranch Horse	
16.420	Cart Class	
<b>Timed Events</b>	<b>Class name</b>	
16.450	Trot Poles	
16.451	Poles	
16.500	Trot Barrels	
16.501	Barrels	
16.600	Speed Race	
16.650	Flag Race	
<b>Games</b>	<b>Class name</b>	
16.700	Egg and spoon race	
16.720	Baby Bottle	
16.740	Cowboy Rescue	
16.760	Ride a Buck	
16.800	Senior Trail	
16.801	Junior Trail	