

Open Driving

SHOW

Due to Covid-19 protocols online entries are required

Please enter at least a class on-line by the close of entries to get your information in the system. Class additions can be made the day of the show at the post entry fee!

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ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 08, 2021

Prize lists will not be printed, show information is on-line.

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www.dutchessfair.com

(Listed under the Competitions & Horse Show)

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OPEN TO ALL BREEDS OF
HORSES, PONIES, DONKEYS, MULES

Sunday, August 29, 2021

SHOW STARTS AT 9:30 AM

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SHOW COMMITTEE

Mr. Dave Fountain, Superintendent

Ms. Robin Ezell, Secretary

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The following have been invited to officiate;
however, the committee reserves the right to vary or add to
these names.

Driving Judge.....Ms. Marsha Himler

Ringmaster.....Mr. Harold Fountain

Ring AnnouncerMr. Dick Lahey,

NO DOGS ALLOWED ON GROUNDS

RULES

(New/updated rules in red)

1. LOSS, INJURY OR DAMAGE to horse or owner (including rider or other employee) is in no way the responsibility of the Dutchess County Fair Management or the Horse Show Committee.
2. INSUFFICIENT ENTRIES in a class shall result in the cancellation of that class. The Committee also reserves the right to divide, combine or add any classes it deems necessary for the good of the show. In a money class, the Committee reserves the right to declare it a Sweepstakes if there are insufficient entries.
3. ONLY JUDGES and those having duties to perform shall be allowed in the ring during judging.
4. NUMBERS must be worn in ring. No charge for numbers.
5. ALL ENTRY FEES must be paid prior to receiving exhibitor numbers or a blank signed check payable to DCAS Inc. may be left with the Secretary until the end of the show. No entry fees will be refunded without a veterinarian's certificate. Post entries will be \$1.00 extra per class
6. A CERTIFICATE OF A NEGATIVE COGGINS TEST, conducted within 12 months, must be shown before exhibitor numbers will be issued. ALL EQUINE ENTERING ANY NYS COUNTY FAIR OR THE NYS STATE FAIR MUST BE ACTIVELY IMMUNIZED AGAINST RABIES. VACCINE MUST BE MUST BE ADMINISTERED AT LEAST FOURTEEN (14) DAYS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL ON FAIRGROUNDS. VACCINATION CERTIFICATE FROM YOUR VETERINARIAN MUST ACCOMPANY EACH EQUINE. EQUINES NOT MEETING THESE REQUIREMENTS WILL BE REJECTED FROM THE PREMISES. Please see for NYS Ag & Markets regulations for out of state horses found on our website www.dutchessfair.com.
7. Two Tickets to enter the Fairgrounds will be mailed to all exhibitors upon receipt of entry. No refunds on tickets purchased at the gate.
8. SCHOOLING. "Controlled" free schooling will be permitted between 6:30 AM and 9:15 AM.
9. **Online entries are now required, www.dutchessfair.com, list under Participate and Competitions tab.**
10. NO DOGS ALLOWED ON GROUNDS!!
11. HORSES MAY NOT ENTER GOUNDS BEFORE 8:00 PM AUGUST 28TH.
12. \$35.00 charge for returned checks.
13. Junior's age will be determined as of January 1 in the year of the show. Junior to drive classes will be judged on driving ability and not on the quality of horses. All juniors must be accompanied by an adult capable of driving horses. Juniors may not show a stallion in any class.
14. NEW YORK STATE HELMET LAW: Article 34-B. S1265 No person less than fourteen years of age shall ride/drive a horse/horses unless such person is wearing a helmet meeting or exceeding ASTM F1163 (Safety Equipment Institute certified) Equestrian Standard.
15. All Prizes and Ribbons must be picked up the day of the competition.
16. **PLEASE include name of Whip (if different from exhibitor), name of passenger (if applicable and brief description of the carriage online when making entry.**

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**DUTCHESS COUNTY FAIR
LIGHT HORSE DRIVING SHOW
Sunday, August 29, 2021 @ 9:30**

Open to all breeds of horses and ponies, donkeys and mules. Class specifications noted below, Header allowed, not required. Header may enter ring when class is called to line up. Appropriate dress required for exhibitors and headers. Junior whip must be accompanied by an adult. Anyone removing the bridle from any animal while it is still hitched will be excused from the showgrounds. All classes will be worked both ways of the ring at the Judge's discretion. All classes may require animals to stand quietly and back, or execute a figure eight.

Entry Fee \$10.00 Per Class
Except Stake Class for which Entry Fee is \$15.00.
Trophy and Six Ribbons

CLASS LIST

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
1. Ladies to Drive Single or Pair <i>(Judged on ability and skill of whip. 75% handling of reins and whip control, posture and overall appearance of driver. 25% condition of harness and vehicle and neatness of attire.)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
2. Open Pleasure Driving, Turnout	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
3. Gentlemen to Drive Single or Pair <i>(Judged same as Class 1)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
4. Pleasure Driving, JUNIOR to Drive <i>(Open to Juniors 18 years of age & under)</i>	Ribbons to 6th Place					
5. Junior to Drive, Reinsmanship <i>(Open to Juniors 18 years of age & under, Judged same as Class 1.)</i>	Ribbons to 6th Place					
6. Carrier & Ives Class <i>(Judged on how closely participants resemble an 1890 turnout. Judged on appearance and authenticity of carriage, driver and passenger.)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
MID HUDSON DRIVING ASSOCIATION WILL PROVIDE A SPECIAL AWARD FOR FIRST PLACE.						
7. Pleasure Driving <i>(Judge on performance, manners and suitability for a pleasurable drive.)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
8. \$200.00 Pleasure Driving Stake Class <i>(Must have entered at least 2 other classes. To be judged on performance, manner and Suitability.)</i>	\$200	\$100	\$60	\$40	\$20	\$10
9. Novice to Drive <i>(Open to All who have never won a blue ribbon.)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20
10. Clover-Leaf - "Barrel Race" (Timed Event) <i>(Participants will be timed as they follow the clover-leaf-barrel racing – pattern. Breaking into a canter will add a 5 second penalty each time. Off course will be an elimination.)</i>	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30	\$20

- CLASSES WILL BE CLOSED AFTER A TWO-MINUTE WARNING, UNLESS ADVANCED NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN TO SHOW OFFICIALS.