

Bangor State Fair
4-H Horse Show at Agricultural Area Show Ring

4-H Horse Show: Thursday, August 1, 2019
(Rain date: Friday, August 2, 2019)

Horse Judging Contest, Game Show, and Quiz Bowl: Friday, August 2, 2019

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Thursday, August 1: Check-in time for show is 11:00-11:30 A.M. Show starts at 12:00 P.M. The 4-H Horse Show may be rescheduled at the discretion of the 4-H Representative, if necessary, due to weather.

RULES AND REGULATIONS governing 4-H Horse and Game Show at Bangor Fair:

Entries are open to girls and boys in the State of Maine who are enrolled in an approved 4-H Horse Project. Participants must have reached their 9th birthdays, but not passed their 19th birthdays, as of midnight December 31, 2018. Due to limited space, we welcome all 4-H members who are willing to trailer-in, trailer-out as long as they are pre-registered. Stall space is reserved for Penobscot County 4-Hers first.

1. All riders must own or lease their horse no later than April 1, 2019
2. All participants must submit the standard 4-H Animal Approval Form to their County Extension Office no later than 4:00 PM June 30, 2019.
3. All participants must pre-register using the attached pre-registration form. A copy of MALE Insurance, their Animal Approval Form, copy of current Coggins Test (within past 12 months for horses coming from out of state and within last 3 years for instate), proof of current, annual rabies shot, and proof of EHV and Equine Influenza (must be administered within six months of your last 4-H horse event of the season). Horse owners may, however, administer their own EHV and Equine Influenza inoculations and a sales receipt will be sufficient evidence for proof of vaccination." Proof must be submitted with your Entry Form. No phone registrations will be accepted. **Entry Form is due on July 19, 2019.**
4. No stallions allowed in the show.
5. Ages of riders in each level are as follows (age based on entrant's age as of December 31, 2018). (At the discretion of the show coordinator, classes may be broken down further or combined depending on the number of registrations):
 - a. Seniors must be 14-18 years old
 - b. Juniors must be 9-13 years old
6. No additions to classes will be accepted the day of the show so be sure to check all possible classes. You will be allowed to drop classes the day of show.
7. There is no entry fee. Show ribbons & premiums will be awarded for all classes and will be based on the Danish system.
8. All riders must wear an ASTM/SEI approved helmet for all riding classes and appropriate show attire.
9. All "holds" between classes will be for a maximum of 3 minutes. Only one "hold" allowed for a class.
10. No sneakers for riders.

11. All riders must participate in their appropriate fitting and showmanship class in order to enter any other classes in Equitation. NO EXCEPTIONS.
12. **Project Records** must be submitted to 4-H Representative upon arrival at check in.
13. Horses known to kick must be marked by a red ribbon in their tail
14. Bangor State Fair reserves the right to amend and add to these rules and regulations. Show Secretary has final say in Show matters. All exhibitors of animals must follow the Penobscot County 4-H Policy and Guidelines Manual.
15. Any rider who registers and competes in the Game Show as Walk/Trot must register and compete in the in the Equitation Show as Walk/Trot also.
16. Any rider who registers and competes in the Game Show as Walk/Trot/Cantor must register and compete in the Equitation Show as Walk/Trot/Cantor also.
17. If they compete in the Game Show as Walk/Trot/Cantor and do not feel safe, they may drop back to Walk/Trot but must remain Walk/Trot for remainder of fair (which Walk/Trot for the Equitation show, too).

Fitting and Showmanship - 12:00pm – 1:30pm

There will be two divisions: Senior and Junior. All 4-Hers **MUST** enter either Senior Fitting and Showmanship or Junior Fitting and Showmanship to be eligible to participate in any other class. English horses will be shown in a bridle. Western horses will be shown in a halter. Entries are led into the ring and posed, then are judged individually, standing and at a walk and trot. Judged on appearance of animal (condition, grooming, trimming & braiding, and tack). Appearance of exhibitor on showing of animal in the ring (leading, posing, showing animal to best advantage, poise, alertness and attitude). Judging is based on the Danish system. **Premiums** will be as follows:

1st	\$25
2nd	\$23
3rd	\$21

Class 1: Fitting & Showmanship Junior

Class 2: Fitting & Showmanship Senior

-----**60 Minute Lunch Break**-----

Equitation Classes: 2:30pm – 4:30pm

Judging for following Classes will also be done by the Danish System. **Premiums** will be as follows:

1st	\$15
2nd	\$13
3rd	\$11

Classes may be split or combined due to numbers.

Class 3: **Junior English Equitation Walk/Trot:** (open to beginners* only). To be judged on the rider's form, security of seat, and skill in control of the horse at a walk and at a trot or jog.

Class 4: **Senior English Equitation Walk/Trot:** (beginners* only). Same as junior.

Class 5: **Junior English Equitation Walk/Trot/Canter:** To be judged on the rider's form, security of seat and skill in control of the horse at a walk, trot and canter.

Class 6: **Senior English Equitation Walk/Trot/Canter:** same as junior

Class 7: **Junior English Pleasure Walk/Trot:** To be judged on the horse's performance, manners, and apparent ability to give a pleasurable ride at a walk and trot and. May be asked to back up.

Class 8: **Senior English Pleasure Walk/Trot:** Same as junior

Class 9: **Junior English Pleasure Walk/Trot/Canter:** To be judged on the horse's performance, manners and apparent ability to give a pleasurable ride at a walk, trot and canter

Class 10: **Senior English Pleasure Walk/Trot/Canter:** Same as junior

Class 11: **Walk/Trot Pattern:** Open to English or Western tack and attire. Judged on the ability to complete the posted course correctly, correct transitions and overall presentation.

Class 12: **Walk/Trot/Canter Pattern:** Open to English or Western tack and attire. Judged on the ability to complete the posted course correctly, correct transitions and overall presentation.

Class 13: **Junior Western Equitation Walk/Jog.** To be judged on the rider's form, security of seat, and skill in control of the horse at a walk and jog or. No chaps allowed in this class.

Class 14: **Senior Western Equitation Walk/Jog.** Same as for junior

Class 15: **Junior Western Equitation/Walk/Jog/Lope:** Same as class 13, but includes lope.

Class 16: **Senior Western Equitation Walk/Jog/Lope:** Same as for junior

Class 17: **Junior Western Pleasure Walk/Jog:** To be judged on the horse's performance, manners and apparent ability to give a pleasurable ride at a walk and jog. May be asked to back up.

Class 18: **Senior Western Pleasure Walk/Jog:** Same as for junior.

Class 19: **Junior Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope:** Same as class 17, but includes lope.

Class 20: **Senior Western Pleasure Walk/Jog/Lope:** Same as for junior.

Class 21: **Junior Parade Class:** walk/trot/parade gate

Class 22: **Senior Parade Class:** walk/trot/parade gate

***beginner means green rider and/or horse**