

HORSES

HEALTH RULES FOR HORSES

Health Rules For Horses:

1. **A valid Veterinary-client-patient relationship (VCPR) form, signed by all parties, and issued within 90 days** of fair check-in are required. Completion of the VCPR form requires a visual, in-person examination by the signing veterinarian. Certificates of Veterinary Inspection (CVI) are not required for entry but may be used in place of a VCPR form. CVIs must be completed and dated within **30 days** of entry. **Copies of the VCPR form or CVI MUST be collected at the time of check-in and entry into the Westmoreland Fair.**
2. A current rabies vaccination administered by a licensed veterinarian is required for animals 3 months of age and older. The vaccine information including date administered and manufacturer of the vaccine must be included on the VCPR form or CVI.
3. **All equine animals must have tested negative for Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) by an official test within 12 months** prior to the check-in date of the exhibition. Laboratory test results should accompany each animal to its final destination (a copy of the original lab report is acceptable). The VCPR form or CVI shall specify the date of sample collection and EIA test results. Foals less than six months of age accompanied by a test-negative dam are exempt from EIA testing recommendations. If the foal is not accompanied by the dam, a copy of the dam's test results must accompany the foal to its final destination.
4. Animals appearing unhealthy upon arrival may not enter the exhibition grounds at the discretion of the attending veterinarian or superintendent. **Animals are not to be unloaded until animals and health requirements are checked.**
5. Recommendations: It is recommended, but not required, that all horses entering the fair are vaccinated for Tetanus, Eastern and Western Encephalomyelitis, Influenza, and Rhinopneumonitis.

Out of State Horses: Exhibitors entering horses originating from out of state must follow the health requirements set forth by the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture at <https://www.agriculture.pa.gov/Animals/AHDServices/Documents/2018%20Animal%20Health%20Rules%20for%20PA%20Fairs.pdf>

The following rules apply to all Equine:

1. No horse or team of horses shall be entitled to a premium unless serviceably sound.
2. Exhibitors may be limited depending on space availability.
3. Horses entered as matched pairs must be owned by one person or firm.
4. Animals or combinations of animals owned by one exhibitor may be entered in the classes below.
5. No grade stallions shall be accepted for entry.
6. All animals entered must compete and be shown in the correct class.
7. Stall arrangements for the week will be determined on availability. If you would like your horse to stay for the entire week, please make a note on your entry form.
8. Ages to be reckoned as of August 1.
9. All entries in Section M must show registration papers.
10. All entries are subject to veterinarian examination. Animals considered unhealthy by examining veterinarian will be excused from the grounds immediately.
11. All horses are to remain in their stalls after 4pm unless participating in a show.
12. **All livestock exhibitors are responsible for their own bedding.**
13. Classifications and premiums are to apply to each of the following breeds:

DEPARTMENT 1-OPEN CLASS HORSES

**ENTRY FEE - \$4.00 per animal except nursing foal
Westmoreland County residents housed first.**

DEPARTMENT 1 – OPEN CLASS DRAFT HORSES

Arrival Wednesday August 21, 2024 Departure August 24, 2024 midnight

SECTION: BREED

A Halflinger

B Draft Cross -to include any cross bred horse with some degree of draft breeding.

C Heavy Draft

D Light Draft

CLASS

1st/\$27, 2nd/\$24, 3rd/\$21

1. Mare, (6 years and older)

2. Mare, (2-5 years)

3. Mare, (under 2 years)

Champion Mare Rosette

Reserve Champion Mare Rosette

4. Gelding, (6 years and older)

5. Gelding, ((2-5 years)

6. Gelding, (under 2 years)

Champion Gelding Rosette

Reserve Champion Gelding Rosette

9. Walk Trot (Draft Horse) 1st/\$25, 2nd/\$20, 3rd/\$15

DEPARTMENT 1 – OPEN CLASS HORSES-SECTION F, DRAFT HORSE TEAMS

Each exhibitor is limited to one entry per class. Only one family or one farm unit may hitch in combination.

CLASS		1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1.	Adult Hitch (1 Horse)	\$32	\$27	\$24	\$21
2.	Youth Single Hitch (18 yr. and under)	\$32	\$27	\$24	\$21
3.	Pair Hitched Horses Adult	\$48	\$42	\$34	\$27
4.	Pair Hitched Horses Youth (18 yrs and under)	\$48	\$42	\$34	\$27

DEPARTMENT 1 – OPEN CLASS HORSES-SECTION G, MINIATURE HORSE (may not exceed 40 inches)

Arrive - Friday, August 16, Depart – Saturday, August 26, midnight.

*** Departure of Minis depends on available stalling space**

CLASS		1st	2nd	3rd
1.	Mare (Under 2 years)	\$10	\$7	\$5
2.	Mare (2 yrs. – 5yrs)	\$17	\$13	\$9
3.	Mare (6 yrs. & over)	\$19	\$15	\$11
	Champion and Reserve Champion Mare	Rosettes		
4.	Gelding (Under 2 years)	\$10	\$7	\$5

DEPARTMENT 1-OPEN CLASS HORSES-LIGHT HORSE (No Miniatures)

SECTION BREED

M Registered Quarter Horse
 N All Other Stock Type
 O Saddle Type
 P Hunter Type
 Q Pony Type

CLASS		1 ST	2 ND	3 RD
10.	Mare (Under 2 years)	\$15	\$12	\$10
11.	Mare, (2-5 years)	\$22	\$18	\$14
13.	Mare, (6 years and over)	\$24	\$20	\$16
	Champion Mare	Rosette		
	Reserve Champion Mare	Rosette		
20.	Gelding, (Under 2 years)	\$18	\$16	\$14
21.	Gelding, (2-5 years)	\$20	\$18	\$16
22.	Gelding, (6 yrs. and over)	\$20	\$18	\$16
	Champion Gelding	Rosette		
	Reserve Champion Gelding	Rosette		

DEPARTMENT 1, OPEN CLASS HORSES
SECTION R-WESTMORELAND FAIR OPEN HORSE SHOW-

Sunday, August 18, 2024, 4:00PM

Location: Mt. Pleasant Road, Greensburg, PA 15601

GPS Address Use Only: 138 Fairgrounds Road, Greensburg, Pa 15601

Use the 2nd entrance, Horse Arena on right.

Registration opens at 2:00 pm and closes at 4:00pm- Questions? Call Jim Bower at 724-244-0063 or 724-446-3483

\$5.00 Class Entry Fee \$10.00 Class Entry Fee for Jackpot Classes \$5.00 Grounds Fee per horse

No Pre-Entry-NO REFUNDS-Premiums will be mailed following the close of the Fair.

CLASS		1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
		\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
1.	Halter Horse	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
2.	Halter Pony (14.2 hands and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
3.	Ranch Horse Halter	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
4.	Leadline (Ages 6 and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
5.	Keyhole Horse	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
6.	Keyhole Pony (14.2 hands and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
7.	Pony Pleasure (Ages 10 and under) Walk Trot Only	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
8.	Open All Day Pleasure (walk/trot)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
9.	Pole Bending Horse	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
10.	Pole Bending Pony (14.2 hands and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
11.	<u>Jackpot Pleasure</u>	\$23	\$18	\$13	\$8
12.	Pony Pleasure (14.2 hands and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
13.	Horse Pleasure	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
14.	Ranch Horse Pleasure	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

15.	Open Youth Pleasure	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
16.	Jackpot Cloverleaf Barrels	\$23	\$18	\$13	\$8
17.	Horse Cloverleaf Barrels	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6
18.	Pony Cloverleaf Barrels (14.2 hands and under)	\$12	\$10	\$8	\$6

DRAFT HORSE PULLING CONTEST

Saturday, August 24, 2024 – Noon, Peoples Grandstand Arena-FREE ADMISSION

- All entries must adhere to the Equine Regulations for Pennsylvania Fairs for health, including the Coggins Test as stated in General Rules for Horses.
- The contest will follow the rules of the **Laurel Highland Horse Pulling Association**.

OBJECT The value of draft animals depends upon their ability to pull, and capacity to endure sustained efforts. The object of this test is to determine the sustained maximum pulling capacity of each pair. These tests will also afford valuable scientific data on the relation between form and function in draft animals, and will stimulate general interest in the breeding and use of good draft horses. In particular, it is desired:

1. To demonstrate the value of type, soundness, and proper breeding in the selection of horses intended for long and arduous draft work.
2. To ascertain and to demonstrate the proper method of training and conditioning of horse for long and severe draft work.
3. To encourage horsemanship in fitting harness and in driving.
4. To demonstrate the maximum pulling capacity of the horse.

Class 1. Light Draft Teams**3200 lbs. and under **Class 2.** Heavy Draft Teams**Over 3200 lbs.
1st/\$400, 2nd/\$350, 3rd/\$300, 4th/\$250, 5th/\$200
All eligible non-winning teams will receive **\$100**.

DEPARTMENT 101-4-H & FFA HORSES

SECTION A, 4-H LIGHT HORSE AND PONY SHOW-ROUNDUP

- Saturday, August 17– 8:00 am

Entries for Roundup are to be submitted to the Westmoreland Extension Office

No money is to be sent with the entry. The \$3/class entry fee and the \$2/horse grounds fee will be

1. Only members of 4-H Horse and Pony Clubs of Westmoreland County are eligible to participate in the events listed. The show is operated under the rules and policies of the 4-H Youth Horse Program administered by Penn State Cooperative Extension.
2. Penn State encourages persons with disabilities to participate in its programs and activities. If you anticipate needing any type of accommodation or have questions about the physical access provided, please contact the Extension Educator in advance of your participation. Requests for accommodation should be made to the Extension Educator at least three weeks in advance of the event.

Classes Not listed in order of show. 1st/\$10, 2nd/\$8, 3rd/\$6, 4th/\$5, 5th/\$4

- 1 English Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 8-11)
- 2 English Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 12-14)
- 3 English Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 15-18)

- 4 Western Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 8-11)
- 5 Western Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 12-14)
- 6 Western Grooming and Showmanship, (Ages 15-18)
- 7 Open Trail Ponies (14.2 hands and under)
- 8 Open Trail Horses, (Ages 8-13)
- 9 Open Trail Horses, (Ages 14-18)
- 10 Beginner Trail
- 11 Beginner Western Horsemanship
- 12 Beginner Western Pleasure
- 13 Beginner English Equitation
- 14 Beginner English Pleasure
- 15 Western Horsemanship, (Ages 8-11)
- 16 Western Horsemanship, (Ages 12-14)
- 17 Western Horsemanship, (Ages 15-18)
- 18 Western Pleasure Ponies (14.2 hands and under)
- 19 Western Pleasure Horses, (Ages 8-13)
- 20 Western Pleasure Horses, (Ages 14-18)
- 21 Ranch Pleasure, (Ages 8-13)
- 22 Ranch Pleasure, (Ages 14-18)
- 23 Ranch Riding, (Ages 8-13)
- 24 Ranch Riding, (Ages 14-18)
- 25 Ranch Trail
- 26 Novice Reining
- 27 Pole Bending Ponies (14.2 hands and under) (Ages 8-13)
- 28 Pole Bending Ponies (14.2 hands and under) (Ages 14-18)
- 29 Pole Bending Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 30 Pole Bending Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 31 Barrel Race Ponies (Ages 8-13) (14.2 hands and under)
- 32 Barrel Race Ponies (Ages 14-18) (14.2 hands and under)
- 33 Barrel Race Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 34 Barrel Race Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 35 Raised Box Keyhole Ponies (Ages 8-13) (14.2 hands and under)
- 36 Raised Box Keyhole Ponies (Ages 14-18) (14.2 hands and under)
- 37 Raised Box Keyhole Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 38 Raised Box Keyhole Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 39 Bow-Tie Race Ponies (Ages 8-13) (14.2 hands and under)
- 40 Bow-Tie Race Ponies (Ages 14-18) (14.2 hands and under)
- 41 Bow-Tie Race Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 42 Bow-Tie Race Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 43 Saddle Seat Equitation, (Ages 8-13)
- 44 Saddle Seat Equitation, (Ages 14-18)
- 45 Saddle Seat Pleasure
- 46 Hunt Seat Equitation On the Flat (Ages 8-11)
- 47 Hunt Seat Equitation On the Flat (Ages 12-14)
- 48 Hunt Seat Equitation On the Flat (Ages 15-18)
- 49 Low Equitation Over Fences (Ages 8-13)
- 50 Low Equitation Over Fences (Ages 14-18)
- 51 Equitation Over Fences (Ages 8-13)
- 52 Equitation Over Fences (Ages 14-18)
- 53 Hunter Under Saddle Ponies (13.2 hands and under)
- 54 Hunter Under Saddle Ponies (over 13.2 hands and not over 14.2 hands)

- 55 Classic Hunter Under Saddle Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 56 Classic Hunter Under Saddle Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 57 Breed Type Hunter Under Saddle Horses (Ages 8-13)
- 58 Breed Type Hunter Under Saddle Horses (Ages 14-18)
- 59 Low Working Hunter Ponies
- 60 Low Working Hunter Horses
- 61 Working Hunter Ponies
- 62 Working Hunter Horses
- 63 Hunter Hack Ponies (14.2 hands and under)
- 64 Hunter Hack Horses
- 65 Pleasure Pony Driving (14.2 hands and under)
- 66 Pleasure Horse Driving
- 67 Draft Horse Driving
- 68 Miniature Horse Driving (Ages 8-13)
- 69 Miniature Horse Driving (Ages 14-18)
- 70 Miniature Horse In Hand Trail, (Ages 8-13)
- 71 Miniature Horse In Hand Trail (Ages 14-18)
- 72 Miniature Horse Jumping, (Ages 8-13)
- 73 Miniature Horse Jumping, (Ages 14-18)
- 74 EWD Grooming and Showmanship – Walk Only
- 75 EWD Grooming and Showmanship Assisted Walk, Trot/Jog
- 76 EWD Grooming and Showmanship Independent Walk, Trot/Jog
- 77 Obstacle Trail, Maximum Assistance
- 78 Obstacle Trail, Minimum Assistance
- 79 Obstacle Trail, Independent
- 80 Walk Trot Equitation, Maximum Assistance
- 81 Walk Trot Equitation, Minimum Assistance
- 82 Walk Trot Equitation, Independent

Department 101 Section B - HORSE POSTER

Use inside exhibit entry form. Entry will be judged and exhibited in the 4-H/FFA Building. Entry must arrive on Thursday 4-8 PM during inside exhibit intake.

Class 1

1st/\$5, 2nd/\$4.50, 3rd/\$4, 4th/\$3, 5th/\$2

14" X 22" Poster depicting any phase of caring for horses from the "Learning About Horses" Project.