

Maritime
WESTERN HORSE
Extravaganza

August 29th and 30th 2009

Princess Louise Show Park, Sussex, NB

Saturday Fun Night

The traditional Fun Night games and activities will take place once again this year! We hope you have been practicing your carrot trail!

Show Start Time: Saturday August 29th, 8:30AM Sharp
Sunday August 30th, 8:30 AM Sharp

Saturday Judge: Herb Best, New Glasgow, NS

Sunday Judge: Hilda Pretty, New Glasgow, NS

Special Awards:

General Performance Team Champions
Overall Halter Champion
Small Fry General Performance Champion
Novice Youth General Performance Champion
Youth General Performance Champion
Novice Adult Amateur General Performance Champion
Adult Amateur General Performance Champion
Open General Performance Champion
Small Fry Gymkhana Champion
Open Gymkhana Champion
Reining Champion

Show Manager Contact:

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General Information

All regular classes are \$8.00 and Stake classes are \$30.00 (2 go's) until August 26, 2009.

Entries Close August 26, 2009. Classes may be added later for horses already entered at a post entry fee of 12.00/class. Post entries close 30 minutes prior to the first class on each day of competition.

All entries Made Payable to:

NBWA

Mail to:

Jeremy Hoyt, 977 Royal Rd, Memramcook NB, E4K 1X6

Stalls will be assigned and the barns shall be open at 2:00pm on Friday August 28,2009.

Pre-registration will take place Friday August 28th from 7pm-9pm at the show office.

Canteen services will be available on the show grounds.

Ribbons and/or prizes shall be awarded to 6th place. This show is considered a NB Western Championship, as promoted and sanctioned by the New Brunswick Western Horse Association.

Points for Championships shall be awarded as follows:

Placing	1 Horse	2 Horses	3 Horses	4 Horses	5 Horses	6 Horses
1 st	1 point	2 points	3 points	4 points	5 points	6 points
2 nd		1 point	2 points	3 points	4 points	5 points
3 rd			1 point	2 points	3 points	4 points
4 th				1 point	2 points	3 points
5 th					1 point	2 points
6 th						1 point

Points are awarded for the HORSE/RIDER combination EXCEPT in the OPEN division where points are accumulated only for the horse and may have varying riders.

Classes qualifying for the Championship Awards are as follows:

Halter Division:

Halter Geldings and Halter Mares. The Top Two horses from each class will move on to the Overall for selection of Grand and Reserve for each day. Should there be a tie in overall points for the Grand Champion, the placings of the first day judge shall prevail for overall championship awards.

Small Fry General Performance Division:

Points from Showmanship, Horsemanship, Pleasure, and Trail shall be added together over the two days. The highest point earner shall be awarded Champion. In the event of a tie, the highest point earner in horsemanship shall be awarded Champion.

Novice Youth, Youth, Novice Adult Amateur, Adult Amateur General Performance Divisions:

Points from Showmanship, Horsemanship, Pleasure, and Trail shall be added together over the two days. The highest point earner shall be awarded Champion. In the event of a tie, the highest point earner in horsemanship shall be awarded Champion.

Open Division:

Points from Pleasure and Trail shall be added together over the two days. The highest point earner shall be awarded Champion. In the event of a tie, the highest point earner under the first day judge shall be awarded Champion.

Small Fry and Open Gymkhana:

Points from Barrels, Poles and Down and Back shall be added together over the two days. The highest point earner shall be awarded champion. In the event of a tie, a run off in Down and Back shall determine the Champion.

Special Classes available at this show

Green As Grass Reining:

Those entering this class may not enter the other Reining Divisions. This class is designed for the “beginner” reining enthusiast who would like to try their hand at this discipline. Those entering this class cannot have previously shown in other reining divisions in their riding career. (On your Honour)

Limited Open Pleasure Stake (awarded after 2 rounds, 1 each day):

Open only to Novice Youth, Youth, Novice Adult Amateur, and Adult Amateur competitors. All regular rules apply. (Novice may not show senior horses two handed in this class, and must be able to lope.) The class will pay out 100% of the entry fees with \$200 added. Payouts are as follows: 1st – 50% 2nd – 20% 3rd – 15% 4th – 10% 5th – 5%

Pink Pleasure (for Cancer Research):

Anyone except Small Fry's may enter (including parents, coaches, and staff) as long as they have valid insurance (provincial membership). This class is **“for fun only”** but will follow Open Pleasure Class Specs, ALL PROCEEDS shall be donated to cancer research, so PLEASE wear some pink, help support this cause, and dress yourself and your horse as FUN as you want!!

DIVISIONS ARE BROKEN DOWN AS FOLLOWS:

Small Fry

Small Fry exhibitors must be 10 years of age or younger as of January 1st 2009. Small Fry is a Walk/Jog division. Exhibitors in this division may be lead in halter by an Adult. Those being led are automatically placed under those riding on their own. Small Fry exhibitors CANNOT show in other classes where the lope is required. In the case of Gymkhana events, Small Frys who break into the lope shall be given a 5 second penalty.

Novice Youth Division

Novice Youth Exhibitors must be in their first or second year of showing. Competitors may apply to the show committee to remain in Novice Division in a written letter, explaining why they feel they should remain in this division after the 2 yr rule expires. Decisions of this nature shall be completely at the discretion of the show committee. All Novice shall be required to show at the walk and jog. In the interest of safe competition, the lope may be asked for one competitor at a time, as a group, or not at all, as the judge sees fit. Competitors in this division will not be eliminated if they choose not to lope, however the judge reserves the right, but is not required, to place those who lope higher than those who do not. Competitors who choose not to lope must do a rising trot in its place. Novice competitors may show a senior horse 2 handed on any legal bit (snaffle or curb). Novice Competitors many NOT compete in any other division aside from Halter and Open (if competing in Open, all Open rules must be followed). Novice Youth Champions from Previous year **MUST** move into the Youth division.

Youth Division

All Youth may be required to show at the walk, jog, lope, and extended gaits if called for. A Youth competitor is any rider who has not passed their 19th birthday as of January 1st 2009.

Novice Adult Amateur Division

Novice Adult Amateur Exhibitors must be in their first or second year of showing. Competitors may apply to the show committee to remain in Novice Division in a written letter, explaining why they feel they should remain in this division after the 2 yr rule expires. Decisions of this nature shall be completely at the discretion of the show committee. All Novice shall be required to show at the walk and jog. In the interest of safe competition, the lope may be asked for one competitor at a time, as a group, or not at all, as the judge sees fit. Competitors in this division will not be eliminated if they choose not to lope, however the judge reserves the right, but is not required, to place those who lope higher than those who do not. Competitors who choose not to lope must do a rising trot in its place. Novice competitors may show a senior horse 2 handed on any legal bit (snaffle or curb). Novice Competitors many NOT compete in any other division aside from Halter and Open (if competing in Open, all Open rules must be followed). Novice Youth Champions from Previous year **MUST** move into the Youth division.

Adult Amateur Division

All Adult Amateurs may be required to show at the walk, jog, lope and extended gaits if called for. An exhibitor is considered an adult if they are 19 yrs of age as of January 1st 2009. Professionals **CANNOT** show in Amateur classes.

Open Division

All Competitors except those in the Small Fry Division may enter. Competitors may be required to show at the walk, jog, and extended gaits if asked for. All competitors must follow Open Pleasure rules even those Novice that choose to enter.

General Regulations

1. All Competitors are required to have valid Liability insurance in place. A provincial Membership (ie. NBEA or NSEF) is sufficient for this.
2. **The judge's decision is Final.**
3. Horses may only be entered in a maximum of 15 classes per day.
4. Protests must be presented to the show committee within 48 hours of the class accompanied by a \$100.00 deposit, which shall be forfeited if the protest is not sustained.
5. Competitors, parents, coaches, or assigns on behalf of any competitor may not approach the judge. The ring steward may be used as a liason. The judge is not required to grant an audience with any of the aforementioned.
6. **Any rider who has not passed their 19th birthday as of January 19th, 2009 MUST wear a properly fitted and safety approved helmet while mounted at any time on the show grounds. No exceptions. Competitors who do not follow this regulation may be asked to leave the grounds immediately without any refund of fees.**
7. It is recommended that all horses be vaccinated for Flu, Tetanus, Rabies, Rhino, and Strangles.
8. Stallions MUST be under control at all times and shown by a COMPETENT HANDLER, STALLIONS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE SHOWN BY NOVICE OR YOUTH COMPETITORS.
9. Entry fees will not be refunded after August 26th, 2009, unless the request for refund is accompanied by a doctor or veterinarians certificate. All refunds shall be 75% of the entry fees paid. Grounds fees and administration costs shall be forfeited.
10. The show committee reserves the right to cancel or combine any classes with less than three exhibitors.
11. The show committee reserves the right NNOT to present Championship titles, Awards, and/or Ribbons if there are less than three exhibitors in a division.
12. Any act deemed abusive towards animal or individual is strictly prohibited and shall mean immediate expulsion from the show and show grounds, forfeiting all fees paid, and points earned over the course of the competition.
13. The show committee does not accept responsibility for accidents or illness or any expenses related to an accident, incident or illness incurred by horses, riders, grooms, spectators or any other persons, animals or property.
14. All dogs **MUST** be kept on a Leash at all times.

General Performance Division 2009

Team Challenge

Teams will be selected randomly and shall consist of one competitor from Small Fry, Novice Youth, Youth, Novice Adult Amateur and Adult Amateur divisions.

Classes that will qualify for team points in the Team Challenge are as Follows:

- Showmanship
- Horsemanship
- Pleasure
- Trail

In the event of a tie, the Team with the highest combine points in Horsemanship shall take the Championship award!

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Classes for Saturday August 29, 2009

Start Time 8:30 AM Sharp

1. Halter Mares
2. Halter Geldings
- 1 & 2 Grand and Reserve*
3. Small Fry Showmanship
4. Novice Youth Showmanship
5. Youth Showmanship
6. Novice Adult Amateur Showmanship
7. Adult Amateur Showmanship
- Warm Up*
8. Small Fry Horsemanship
9. Novice Youth Horsemanship
10. Youth Horsemanship
11. Novice Adult Amateur Horsemanship
12. Adult Amateur Horsemanship
13. Pink Pleasure (\$ for cancer research)
14. Small Fry Pleasure
15. Novice Youth Pleasure
16. Youth Pleasure
17. Novice Adult Amateur Pleasure
18. Adult Amateur Pleasure
19. Junior Snaffle Bit Horse Pleasure
20. Open Pleasure
21. Morgan/Arab Pleasure
22. QH/App/Paint Pleasure
23. Limited Pleasure Stake (round 1)
- LUNCH BREAK**
24. Small Fry Trail
25. Novice Youth Trail
26. Youth Trail
27. Novice Adult Amateur Trail

28. Adult Amateur Trail
29. Open Trail
30. Green as Grass Reining
31. Open Reining
32. Reining Freestyle
33. Small Fry Poles
34. Open Poles 1
35. Open Poles 2
36. Small Fry Barrels
37. Open Barrels 1
38. Open Barrels 2
39. Small Fry Down & Back
40. Open Down & Back 1
41. Open Down & Back 2

Saturday Fun Night

7:30 pm

Meet us at the In-Gate
for an evening of Fun,
Games, and Prizes!

Featuring the Popular
Carrot Trail!

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Classes for Sunday August 30, 2009

Start Time 8:30 AM Sharp

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| 42. Halter Mares | 71. Open Reining |
| 43. Halter Geldings | 72. Reining Freestyle |
| <i>1 & 2 Grand and Reserve</i> | 73. Small Fry Poles |
| 44. Small Fry Showmanship | 74. Open Poles 1 |
| 45. Novice Youth Showmanship | 75. Open Poles 2 |
| 46. Youth Showmanship | 76. Small Fry Barrels |
| 47. Novice Adult Amateur | 77. Open Barrels 1 |
| Showmanship | 78. Open Barrels 2 |
| 48. Adult Amateur Showmanship | 79. Small Fry Down & Back |
| <i>Warm Up</i> | 80. Open Down & Back 1 |
| 49. Small Fry Horsemanship | 81. Open Down & Back 2 |
| 50. Novice Youth Horsemanship | |
| 51. Youth Horsemanship | |
| 52. Novice Adult Amateur | |
| Horsemanship | |
| 53. Adult Amateur Horsemanship | |
| 54. Small Fry Pleasure | |
| 55. Novice Youth Pleasure | |
| 56. Youth Pleasure | |
| 57. Novice Adult Amateur Pleasure | |
| 58. Adult Amateur Pleasure | |
| 59. Junior Snaffle Bit Horse Pleasure | |
| 60. Open Pleasure | |
| 61. Morgan/Arab Pleasure | |
| 62. QH/App/Paint Pleasure | |
| 63. Limited Pleasure Stake (round 1) | |
| LUNCH BREAK | |
| 64. Small Fry Trail | |
| 65. Novice Youth Trail | |
| 66. Youth Trail | |
| 67. Novice Adult Amateur Trail | |
| 68. Adult Amateur Trail | |
| 69. Open Trail | |
| 70. Green as Grass Reining | |

Sunday Awards Ceremony

Following the last class of the day,
Team and Individual
Championships will be awarded.
You **MUST** be present in order to
receive your award.

Everyone is encouraged to **PLEASE**
stay for these awards!

Liability Release/Waiver Form

I hereby certify that every horse, rider and/or driver is eligible as entered and agree for myself, and my representative to be bound by the Rules and regulations of this event as set forth by the New Brunswick Western Horse Association.

It is hereby recognized that all equestrian sports involve inherent risk and that no helmet or protective equipment can protect against all foreseeable injury. I hereby accept this risk and hold harmless the competitions, their officials, organizers, agents, employees and their representatives.

I acknowledge that the Equestrian Sport and its competitions are high-risk sport and that I am participating at my own risk and in full knowledge of the hazards and potential hazards which are inherent in this sport, I further acknowledge the inherent risks in riding and working around horses, which risks include bodily injury to both horse and rider, which can result from normal use, competition, or schooling.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in this event, I hereby assume all risk and I hereby release and absolve the NBWHA, Organizing Committee of the Maritime Western Horse Extravaganza, Officials, volunteers, directors, agents representatives, employees, and the owners and occupiers of the land upon which the competition is held from all responsibility, liability, or claims of any nature of any kind which I may have arising from my participation in this activity, including but no limited to bodily injury or death to myself or my horse(s) and damage to property arising from any cause whatsoever, including negligence, of one or more of the individuals and organizations referred to herein.

I hereby declare that in making this entry that I have read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein and that it is binding upon myself, my executors, heirs and assigns.

Signature of Rider

Insurance #

Date

Signature of Owner if Different than Above

Date

If Competitor is under 19 yrs of Age

I acknowledge as Parent/Guardian of _____ that I have
Exhibitors Name

read and fully understand and agree to the terms and conditions stated herein on behalf

of _____ and myself.
Exhibitors Name