

Highland County Fair Horse Show 73rd Year

Monterey, VA 9:00 AM



Paybacks: 1st \$30, 2nd \$15, 3rd \$10, 4th \$5 *new* Ribbons: 1st – 6th *new*

Judge: Hunter Liles Phillips, Danville, VA

\$15/class day of show. \$10 per class if pre-registered by Friday, August 16th

To pre-register or with questions, contact Allison at aliruleman@gmail.com or 540-480-9908

AGAIN THIS YEAR entries will be through Google Forms, email, or hard copy*

HighlandCountyFairVA.com > Shows and Entertainment > Horse Show (for online or printable PDF/hard copy entry forms)

Ring conditions: Gary Crigler 540-487-6038

Food Sales Blue Grass Ruritans

1. **Open Showmanship:** All ages.
2. **Tot Leadline:** Children 10 and under. No payback. Entry fee: \$10. May cross-enter in classes *1, 3, 8, 20, 28.
3. **Beginner Youth:** All tack. Ages 12 and under. Walk only. Coaches/parents are allowed in the ring along with riders (but not on leadline). May cross-enter in classes *1, 2, 8, 20, 28.
4. **Cross Rail over Fences (jumping):** Novice horse or rider, may trot or canter the course.
5. **Low Hunter over Fences (jumping):** 2'
6. **High Hunter over Fences (jumping):** 2'3" - 2'6"
7. **Knock Down and Out over Fences (jumping):** Starts at 2'9", fences raised until highest clear jump wins. \$100 & blue ribbon - winner takes all! **Sponsor: Melissa Ann Dowd, Attorney-at-Law**

LUNCH BREAK – 45 minutes

8. **Costume:** Horses may be ridden or led, with or without a rider.
9. **Cloverleaf Barrels (speed):** Open.
10. **Speed Barrel (speed):** Open. Single barrel. **Sponsor: Little Big Dog Rescue**
11. **Open Gaited Go as You Please:** Walk and pleasure gait.
12. **Open Gaited All Day:** Walk and pleasure gait.
13. **Maiden Horsemanship:** All tack. All ages. Open to riders in first show, or never won a blue ribbon. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait. ***NEW***
14. **Junior Rider Horsemanship:** All tack. Ages 14 and under. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait.
15. **Open Junior All Day:** All tack. Ages 18 and under. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait.
16. **Senior Hunt Seat Pleasure:** Walk, trot and canter. Ages 12 and over.
17. **Senior All Day English:** Walk and trot. Ages 12 and over.
18. **Open Gaited Horsemanship:** Walk and pleasure gait. ***NEW***
19. **Young People's English Equitation:** Ages 18 and under. Walk, trot, and canter (no gaited horses).

Pebble's Trophy: Bobbie Hefner

20. **Mini Equine Showmanship:** Open to all mini equines. **Sponsored by: Elegius Mini Equine Sanctuary**
21. **Senior Non-Gaited Go as You Please:** Ages 12 and over. Walk and trot/jog.
22. **All Day Western:** Walk and jog. **Sponsor: Dare to Dream Therapeutic Horsemanship Center**
23. **Open Western Pleasure:** Walk, jog and lope.
24. **Young People's Horsemanship Western:** Ages 18 and under. Walk, jog and lope (no gaited horses).

Rebel Trophy: Dorothy and Crysta Stephenson

25. **Open Horsemanship/Equitation (Pattern):** All tack. All ages. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait, canter/lope. ***NEW***
26. ***Highland Residents Only* All Day:** All tack. All ages. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait.
27. **Open Pair:** All tack. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait. One entry (back #), two ribbons, one money.
28. **Family Class:** All tack. Walk and trot/jog/pleasure gait. Two or more members of one family. One entry (back #), ribbon & money.
29. **Break N Out/Command:** All tack. All ages. Walk, pleasure gait/jog/trot, canter/lope and other commands such as halt, back up, etc. at the judge's discretion.



RULES

A signed check must be left at registration for open accounts.

\$35 fee for returned checks.

Must scratch or add classes **2** classes before originally entered class or forfeit entry fee.

Tack changes between classes are **four** minutes, please notify in-gate when you have a tack change or special circumstance.

People showing more than one horse **must** complete separate entry forms for each horse. One form for **each** horse/rider combination, no exceptions.

Riders under the age of 16 must have an adult accompany them to the registration table in order to make changes to their classes.

The **age** of exhibitors is based on age on the day of the show.

Jumping Classes (4-7) all breeds are permitted, and all riders are **required** to wear an ASTM/SEI-approved helmet in these classes.

Speed Classes (9 & 10) **all breeds are permitted, and horses must enter and exit the ring at a walk.**

Rail Classes with **over 20** entries will be split.

Walk/jog, Walk/trot, Walk/pleasure gait Classes (11-15, 17, 18, 21, 22, 26-28) Riders in these classes are **restricted** to these gaits. If their horse breaks into a canter or lope they may be excused from the ring. ASTM/SEI-approved helmets are **required** for any rider 18 years and under in **any class** and are encouraged for all riders over 18 years of age.

Back numbers will be provided by the show, use of personal numbers is **prohibited**.

Saddles **must** be used in all classes except costume.

Exhibitors are responsible for only entering classes suited for **themselves and their mounts.**

Manure **must** be cleared from trailer parking area.

Horses are not permitted on carnival grounds.

Dogs **must** remain on a leash and in the parking area.

NO alcohol is permitted on the fairground's property.

A **PAPER** copy of a current 12-month negative Coggins test is **required** upon entry to the fairgrounds and **will** be checked at the gate and again* at the registration table. Coggins **must** be submitted in advance with online entries or early entry fee does **NOT** apply. *If you entered online and provided your Coggins, you will not have to show it at registration table – only at the gate.

Equines, Exhibitors, and/or visitors engaged in inappropriate behavior determined by the Horse Show Committee will be excused from the ring and/or fairgrounds.

All participants and/or guardians **must** sign the **Equine Liability Waiver** which adheres to the **Assumption of risk** that participants and spectators assume the inherent risk of injury associated with equine activities while on the fairgrounds.

The **Horse Show Committee** reserves the right to combine, split, or cancel any/all classes.

Schooling in the Ring (morning of show): **Lunging Only: 6:50-7:20,**

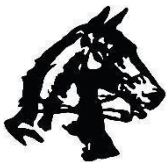
Flat Work Only: 7:20-7:40, Jumping (2') & Rail Work: 7:45-

8:05, Jumping (Cross Rails) & Rail Work: 8:05-8:25

Judge's Decision is FINAL

MISSION STATEMENT

To preserve, maintain and execute the Highland County Fair Horse Show, by honoring its history, promoting friendly and safe competition, and showcasing local horses and riders for the community.



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P.O. Box 366

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386 Myers-Moon Road/

from Jackson River Road/Route 220

Monterey, VA 24465