

DEPARTMENT 16  
SADDLE HORSES & PONIES  
Superintendent – Cheryl Wood (517) 719-8932  
Assistant Superintendent – Jen Bowles

**GENERAL RULES**

1. Livestock exhibitors must be in compliance with animal health requirements as defined by the department. Please refer to the MDARD web site [www.michigan.gov/documents/mda/ExReq\\_225448\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mda/ExReq_225448_7.pdf)
2. A maximum number of one equine per exhibitor.
3. All equine, except foals under six months of age & nursing their dam, entered in a fair, exhibition, exposition, or show must test negative to an official Equine Infectious Anemia (EIA) test within the current calendar year. Exhibitors must be able to present proof in the form of an official EIA laboratory report. (Calendar year is defined December 1<sup>st</sup> through the 31<sup>st</sup> of the following December (13 months). If an EIA test is not provided the animal will be sent home.
4. Administrative leaders must have their exhibitor's horse or pony project designation forms turned into the horse superintendent or the assistant superintendent as a club and not as individuals by May 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year to be eligible to exhibit at the Eaton County Fair. A copy of the negative EIA laboratory report MUST be attached to the horse/pony project designation form for the horse or pony being exhibited at the fair. Only 4-H members are eligible to exhibit in the state 4-H show. Each exhibitor may also submit a May 1<sup>st</sup> form and copy a negative EIA laboratory report for a back-up horse. A vet's slip along with superintendent's approval would be required for switching horses.
5. There will be no class limit, exhibitors may participate in as many classes as they would like.
6. All classes are open to boys and girls.
7. Horses and ponies are to be confined to areas designated by the superintendent.
8. Horse/pony to be exercised morning and evening only by the exhibitor, or a registered Eaton County 4-H Horse project leader or a member of their immediate family age nine or older. Warming up a horse/pony before a class will be done by the exhibitor. Boots are required to be worn while working, - exercising or leading the animal. Helmets will be required only during warm up prior to gymkhana or hunt seat classes and during those classes. Helmets required at all times when riding bareback or jumping.
9. All horses and ponies are to be led to and from the show arena and exercise area by route designated by the superintendent. Animals are not to be in the campgrounds for any reason.
10. Clubs or exhibitors are responsible for daily clean up of barns before 10:00 a.m.
11. Exhibitor's age for showing is determined by the age of the exhibitor will attain as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current calendar year. Animal's age for showing to be as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year. (Horses become a year older on January 1<sup>st</sup>).
12. Ponies or horses exhibited must not be hired out for rides.
13. No stallions are eligible for showing unless foaled in the current year.
14. Classes will be judged under rules published in the "4-H Horse and Pony Project Show Rules and Regulations" (revised 2016 formerly 4-H Bulletin #1145) and Eaton County class guidelines. Copies may be obtained from the Eaton County MSU Extension Office or on the internet at [www.msue.msu.edu/cyf/youth/horse/horserules.html](http://www.msue.msu.edu/cyf/youth/horse/horserules.html).
15. The same horse or pony cannot be shown by more than one exhibitor.
16. All requests for special considerations are to be made to the superintendent.
17. Enter every class you plan to participate in on your fair enrollment form, including fun events. Any requests for changes after the entry due date (see entry form information) are to be made in writing and be approved by the superintendent.
18. All ponies must be 56" and under and miniature horses must be 34" and under. All ponies and miniature horses will be measured on Sunday following check-in at 8:00 p.m. at the end of the horse arena on the measuring platform by the superintendent and/or assistant superintendent and a fair board member. Ponies and miniature horses that are not measured at this time will not be permitted to show in pony or miniature horse classes.
19. Horses are to be entered in halter classes (3 years of age and older) based on their registration. Non-registered horses are to be shown as grade horses. A registered horse is defined as one registered in a breed association recognized by the American Horse Show Association Rule Book. Exhibitors with horses registered in more than one association shall choose one registration. A copy of the horse's registration paper shall be attached to the Horse and Pony Project Registration Form.
20. Aisles are to be kept clean and clear. If radios are used, they are to be played at a low level. Exhibitors are not to use the barns as a recreation area.
21. Major clipping and cleaning is to be done before putting animal on exhibition. Minor clipping and cleaning is to be done in designated areas.
22. All animals are to be confined to stalls with appropriate material (binder twine is not to be used).
23. All horses/ponies in all classes must be serviceably sound.
24. Each horse exhibitor will pay \$40.00 per horse (\$5.00 to cover the cost of hauling manure, \$5.00 will go to the Horse Barn Fund, \$20. Stall fee and \$10.00 goes towards judges/trophies). Fees are due on May 1<sup>st</sup>. Please write one check payable to the Eaton County Agriculture Society that covers all the horses and ponies in the club.
25. Bedding must be clean straw, pine chips or sawdust.
26. Exhibitor and parent/guardian must sign an exhibitor agreement at check-in time. Anyone participating in the adult fun Classes must sign a waiver before the class begins.
27. Check-in time will be Sunday, 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. No exceptions will be made without prior notice and approval of the superintendent.

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**HORSE AND PONY SHOW SCHEDULE**

**Monday**

3:00 p.m. Leaders Meeting  
4:00 p.m. Pee Wee/Proud Equestrians  
Showmanship, Pleasure, Gymkhana  
7:00 p.m. Obstacle Course Fun Class- No Horses

**Tuesday**

9:00 a.m. Fitting and Showmanship  
Followed by Showman Sweepstakes  
Followed by Halter  
Followed by Walk/Trot Basic Riding Pattern  
Followed by English Pleasure  
4:30 p.m. Gymkhana Warm Up  
Followed by Gymkhana  
Followed by Fun Classes – No Horses

**Wednesday**

9:00 a.m. Bareback Equitation  
Followed by Walk/Trot Pleasure  
Followed by Western Pleasure  
Followed by Western/English Riding Pattern  
Followed by Driver Reinsmanship Class  
4:30 p.m. Gymkhana Warm Up  
Followed by Gymkhana  
Followed by Fun Classes

**Thursday**

9:00 a.m. Western Horsemanship  
Followed by Walk/Trot Equitation  
Followed by English Equitation  
Followed by Jumping  
Followed by Pleasure Driving Class  
Followed by Reining Pattern  
4:30 p.m. Gymkhana Warm Up  
Followed by Gymkhana  
Followed by Fun Classes – No Horse

**Friday**

9:00 a.m. Walk/Trot Championship  
Followed by Youth Versatility  
Followed by Darrell A. Crandell Memorial  
Followed by Trail Class  
Followed by Fun Classes

**Saturday**

8:30 a.m. Livestock Sweepstakes  
Followed by Costume Fun Class  
Followed by Parent/Leader Pleasure  
Followed by Parent/Leader Gymkhana

**STATE SHOW SELECTION**

State show selection for Eaton County will consist of the following three requirements:

1. Point Shows
2. 4-H Meetings/Club Participation (70% requirement)
3. 4-Council, Fairboard or HDC Meeting (1 required)
4. Educational Essay (1 page)

State show selection will be based upon the best two out of three point shows, with the highest point earners being eligible to fill slots to compete in the State 4-H Show. Two point shows will be held at the Eaton County Fairgrounds, 1025 S. Cochran, Charlotte, MI 48813 by June 25<sup>th</sup> of each year, the third point show will be the previous year's Eaton County Fair. Delegates must participate in at least one out of the three point shows in order to be eligible to compete at the State 4-H Show.

A list of eligible delegates will be posted on Facebook, at the Extension Office and the Eaton County Fair Grounds Front Office by June 26<sup>th</sup>. All 4-H exhibitors who wish to compete at the State 4-H Show will need to complete the Letter of Intent and submit it along with appropriate signatures and a one page essay on what life skills you have learned through your equine project to the Superintendent or the Extension Office by July 1<sup>st</sup> of each year.

Five of the following classes will be counted towards points at the Eaton County Fair for next year's State Show Selection, each exhibitor will need to designate which classes they would like to have applied to points prior to classes beginning for the week:

Fitting and Showing, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, Bareback, Hunt Seat Equitation, Hunt Seat Pleasure, Gymkhana Pattern Class, Speed and Action, Pole Bending, Cloverleaf Barrel Race, Indiana Flag Race, Keyhole

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\*\*\***MONDAY**\*\*\*

**SECTION 1 – PEE WEE AND SPECIAL NEEDS**

(All exhibitors who wish to participate in the Pee Wee and Special Needs classes must make arrangements prior to fair with an exhibitor showing at the Eaton County Fair to use their horse. 4-H horse/pony must be on the grounds. Exhibitor must be accompanied by Parent/Guardian or 4-H member whose horse/pony is being used as long as a parent/guardian is in the ring. A cowboy hat or helmet is required during showmanship. Helmets must be worn during pleasure and gymkhana classes.)

**Starting at 4:00pm**

**Showmanship**

Class

1. Pee Wee Showmanship ages 5-6 (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
2. Pee Wee Showmanship ages 7-8 (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
3. Special Needs Showmanship with assist
4. Special Needs Showmanship with spotter

**Pleasure**

Class

7. Pee Wee Pleasure Walk/Trot Only with Lead Line or Spotter ages 5-6 (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
8. Pee Wee Pleasure Walk/Trot Only ages 7-8 with Lead Line or Spotter (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
9. Special Needs Walk Only with Spotter
10. Special Needs Walk Only with Side Assist (one side or both)

**Gymkhana**

Classes

13. Pee Wee Gymkhana Walk/Trot Only with Lead Line or Spotter ages 5-6 (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
14. Pee Wee Gymkhana Walk/Trot Only ages 7-8 with Lead Line or Spotter (as of January 1<sup>st</sup>)
15. Special Needs Walk Only with Spotter
16. Special Needs Walk Only with Side Assist (one side or both)

**SECTION 2 – FUN CLASS – NO HORSE**

**OBSTACLE COURSE RELAY FUN CLASS – NO HORSE**

(Exhibitors will be divided into teams and each member will race through an obstacle, tagging next team mate, etc. until finish line, multiple teams will compete against each other)

Class

19. Obstacle Course Relay Fun Class

\*\*\***TUESDAY**\*\*\*

**SECTION 3 – FITTING AND SHOWMANSHIP**

**Ribbons**

**Starting at 9:00 a.m.**

**Horses**

Class

21. Ages 17 and over
22. Ages 15 – 16
23. Ages 13 – 14
24. Ages 11 – 12
25. Ages 9 – 10
26. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over
27. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under

**Horses – Miniature**

Class

28. Ages 15 and over
29. Ages 13 – 14
30. Ages 11 -12
31. Ages 9 – 10
32. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over
33. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under

**Ponies**

Class

34. Ages 15 and over
35. Ages 13 – 14
36. Ages 11 – 12
37. Ages 9 – 10
38. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over
39. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under

**SHOWMAN SWEEPSTAKES**

Champion and Reserve Champion in Section 3 will compete on an equal basis for horse, miniature horse and pony. Champion and Reserve Champion from this class will compete in Large Animal Livestock Sweepstakes Showmanship Contest.

**Awards donated by Chester Blacksmith Shop and Steve Newman in memory of Doug Schultz.**

Class

40. Grand and Reserve Champion Showman

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**SECTION 4 – HALTER**

**Ribbons**

(Not eligible for Crandell, Powell or Newman Classes)

**Horses**

Horses for halter classes will be divided by registered horses and non-registered horses (grade) 3 years and older.

- A. Registered Quarter Horses
- B. Registered Horses – Appaloosa, Paint, Palomino, Pinto and Buckskin
- C. Registered Horse other than those in types A or B
- D. Non-registered/Grade Horses

**Horses – All Types**

Class

41. All yearlings and 2 year olds

**Horses – Type A (Registered Quarter Horse)**

Class

42. Horses aged 3 years and over

**Horses – Type B**

**(Registered Appaloosa, Paint, Palomino, Pinto & Buckskin)**

Class

43. Horses aged 3 years and over

**Horses – Type C (Registered horse other than A or B)**

Class

44. Horses aged 3 years and over

**Horses – Type D (Non-registered/Grade)**

Class

45. Horses aged 3 years and over

**Championship**

**(1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners from all horse halter classes)**

Class

51. Champion and Reserve Champion

**Pony and Miniature Horses**

Class

54. All Miniature Horses

55. All Ponies

**Championship**

**(1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place winners from Miniature Horse and Pony halter classes)**

Class

58. Champion and Reserve Champion

**SECTION 5 – BASIC RIDING PATTERN WALK/TROT**

**Ribbons**

(Exhibitors entering in these classes will not be able to enter any classes requiring a canter)

**Basic Riding Pattern Walk/Trot – Horses and Ponies Combined**

Class

66. Ages 13 and over

67. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 6 – ENGLISH PLEASURE**

**Ribbons**

**Horses – All Types – Hunt Seat**

Class

71. Ages 16 and over

72. Ages 13 – 15

73. Ages 12 and under

**Horses – All Types – Saddle Seat**

Class

77. Ages 13 and over

78. Ages 12 and under

**Pony – All English Seats**

Class

83. Ages 13 and over

84. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 7 – GYMKHANA**

**Ribbons**

(Walk/Trot Riders may enter these classes, no cantering)

**To begin at 5:00p.m.**

**Horses**

Class

91. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 16 and over

92. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 13 – 15

93. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 11 – 12

94. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 9 – 10

95. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 16 and over

96. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 13 – 15

97. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 11 – 12

98. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 9 – 10

99. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 16 and over

100. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 13 – 15

101. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 11 – 12

102. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 9 – 10

103. Gymkhana - Ages 16 and over

104. Gymkhana - Ages 13 – 15

105. Gymkhana - Ages 11 – 12

106. Gymkhana - Ages 9 - 10

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**Ponies**

- Class  
111. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 13 and over  
112. Cloverleaf Barrel Race – Ages 12 and under  
113. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 13 and over  
114. Indiana Flag Race – Ages 12 and under  
115. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 13 and over  
116. Butterfly Pole Race – Ages 12 and under  
117. Gymkhana – Ages 13 and over  
118. Gymkhana – Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 8 – FUN CLASSES**

**MUSICAL STALLS WALK/TROT FUN CLASS**

(Exhibitor will ride horse/pony at a walk or trot while music plays  
Enter chalk stalls when music ends. No stall means you are out.  
Catering means you are out.)

- Class  
121. Musical Stalls Walk/Trot Fun Class

**\*\*\*WEDNESDAY\*\*\***

**SECTION 9 – BAREBACK EQUITATION**

**Ribbons  
Starting at 9:00 a.m.**

**Horses – All Types**

- Class  
131. Ages 16 and over  
132. Ages 13 – 15  
133. Ages 12 and under

**Pony**

- Class  
136. Ages 13 and over  
137. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 10 – WALK/TROT PLEASURE**

**Ribbons**

(Exhibitors entering in these classes will not be able to enter any  
classes requiring a canter)

**Horses**

- Class  
151. Ages 16 and over  
152. Ages 13 – 15  
153. Ages 11 – 12  
154. Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

- Class  
161. Ages 13 and over  
162. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 11 – WESTERN PLEASURE**

**Ribbons**

**Horses – All Types**

- Class  
171. Ages 16 and over  
173. Ages 13 – 15  
174. Ages 11 – 12  
175. Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

- Class  
181. Ages 13 and over  
182. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 12 – WESTERN OR ENGLISH RIDING**

**PATTERN**

**Ribbons**

**Horses and Ponies – All Types Combined**

- Class  
191. Ages 13 and over  
192. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 13 – DRIVER REINSMANSHIP CLASS**

**Ribbons**

- Class  
211. Driver Reinsmanship Class

**SECTION 14– GYMKHANA**

**Ribbons**

(Walk/Trot Riders may enter these classes, no cantering)

**To Begin at 5:00 p.m.**

**Horses**

- Class  
221. Speed and Action – Ages 16 and over  
222. Speed and Action – Ages 13 – 15  
223. Speed and Action – Ages 11 – 12  
224. Speed and Action – Ages 9 – 10  
225. Pole Bending – Ages 16 and over  
226. Pole Bending – Ages 13 – 15  
227. Pole Bending – Ages 11 – 12

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- 228. Pole Bending – Ages 9 – 10
- 229. U-Turn – Ages 16 and over
- 230. U-Turn – Ages 13 – 15
- 231. U-Turn – Ages 11 – 12
- 232. U-Turn – Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

- Class
- 241. Speed and Action – Ages 13 and over
  - 242. Speed and Action – Ages 12 and under
  - 243. Pole Bending – Ages 13 and over
  - 244. Pole Bending – Ages 12 and under
  - 245. U-Turn – Ages 13 and over
  - 246. U-Turn – Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 15 – FUN CLASSES**

**CATALOG RACE FUN CLASS**

(A phone book will be placed at the end of the arena on top of a barrel. Exhibitor will be given a page number and must go down, dismount and rip out page number given, they must then remount and cross finish line with page in hand. Horse holder provided.)

- Class
- 256. Catalog Race Fun Class

\*\*\*THURSDAY\*\*\*

**SECTION 16 – WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP**

**Ribbons**

**Chaps are optional  
Starting at 9:00 a.m.**

**Horses – All Types**

- Class
- 261. Ages 16 and over
  - 263. Ages 13 – 15
  - 264. Ages 11- 12
  - 265. Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

- Class
- 271. Ages 13 and over
  - 272. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 17 – WALK/TROT EQUITATION**

**Ribbons**

(Exhibitors entering in these classes will not be able to enter any classes requiring a canter)

**Horses**

- Class
- 281. Ages 16 and over
  - 282. Ages 13 – 15
  - 283. Ages 11 – 12
  - 284. Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

- Class
- 291. Ages 13 and over
  - 292. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 18 – ENGLISH EQUITATION**

**Ribbons**

**Horses – All Types – Hunt Seat**

- Class
- 301. Ages 16 and over
  - 302. Ages 13 – 15
  - 303. Ages 12 and under

**Horses – All Types – Saddle Seat**

- Class
- 311. All Ages

**Ponies – All English Seats**

- Class
- 316. Ages 13 and over
  - 317. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 19 – JUMPING**

**Ribbons**

(Exhibitors must have Superintendent, Parent & Leader approval, helmets are required}

- Class
- 326. Ages 16 and over
  - 327. Ages 13 – 15
  - 328. Ages 12 and under

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**SECTION 20 – PLEASURE DRIVING CLASS**

Class  
331. Pleasure Driving Class

**SECTION 21 – REINING PATTERN  
Ribbons**

**Horses and Ponies – All Types Combined**

Class  
336. Ages 13 and over  
337. Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 22 – GYMKHANA  
Ribbons**

(Walk/Trot Riders may enter these classes, no cantering)  
**To Begin at 5:00 p.m.**

**Horses**

Class  
341. Keyhole – Ages 16 and over  
342. Keyhole – Ages 13 – 15  
343. Keyhole – Ages 11 – 12  
344. Keyhole – Ages 9 – 10  
345. Big T – Ages 16 and over  
346. Big T – Ages 13 – 15  
347. Big T – Ages 11 – 12  
348. Big T – Ages 9 – 10  
349. Stake Race – Ages 16 and over  
350. Stake Race – Ages 13 – 15  
351. Stake Race – Ages 11 – 12  
352. Stake Race – Ages 9 – 10

**Ponies**

Class  
371. Keyhole – Ages 13 and over  
372. Keyhole – Ages 12 and under  
373. Big T – Ages 13 and over  
374. Big T – Ages 12 and under  
375. Stake Race – Ages 13 and over  
376. Stake Race – Ages 12 and under

**SECTION 23 – Champion and Reserve Champion Awards  
Awards donated by Bob Powell Memorial**

**Gymkhana Horse**

370. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 16 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22  
371. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 – 15  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22  
372. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 11 – 12  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22  
373. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 9 - 10  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22

**Gymkhana Pony**

377. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22  
378. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 7, 14 & 22

**English Horse**

380. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 16 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18, & 19  
381. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 – 15  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18 & 19  
382. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 11 - 12  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18 & 19  
383. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 9 - 10  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18, & 19

**English Pony**

387. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18 & 19  
388. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 6, 9, 12, 18 & 19

**Western Horse**

390. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 16 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21  
391. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 – 15  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21  
392. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 11 - 12  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21  
393. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 9 - 10  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21

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**Western Pony**

397. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21
398. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under  
Placing in this class will be based upon the combined performance in classes of section 9, 11, 12, 16 & 21

**SECTION 24 – FUN CLASSES**

**TWO MAN RELAY CLASS**

(Exhibitors will pair up with another rider (or will be paired up if needed) and will pass a baton to team mate in designated box at end of arena. First rider must stay in box until teammate finishes)

Class

409. Two Man Relay Fun Class

**\*\*\*FRIDAY\*\*\***

**SECTION 25 – WALK/TROT CHAMPIONSHIP**

**Awards donated by the Bob Powell Memorial  
Beginning at 9:00 a.m.**

**Horse** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place from classes 151, 152, 153, 154, 281, 282, 283 & 284 to compete)

Class

411. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 13 and over  
412. Champion and Reserve Champion – Ages 12 and under

**Pony** (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place from classes 161, 162, 291 & 292 to compete)

Class

416. Champion and Reserve Champion – All Ages

**SECTION 26 – YOUTH VERSATILITY**

**Awards donated by Joe and Diane Newman**

(4-H Exhibitors ages 12 years and under as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year, who placed first through sixth in Sections 3, 6, 9, 11, 12, 16 & 18. This class will be evaluated on Fitting & Showmanship, Pleasure and Equitation (Horsemanship))

Class

426. Youth Versatility

**SECTION 28 – TRAIL CLASS**

**Ribbons**

(Exhibitors will compete in a trail class pattern. Types of obstacles could include bridge, mail box, raised and lowered logs, cones, chalk, etc.)

**Horses and Ponies – All Types – Combined  
Class**

431. Hand Trail Class for all Horses and Ponies – All Ages  
432. Walk/Trot Trail Class – Ages 13 and over  
433. Walk/Trot Trail Class – Ages 12 and under  
434. Horse & Pony Trail Class – Ages 16 and over  
435. Horse & Pony Trail Class – Ages 13 – 15  
436. Horse & Pony Trail Class – 11 – 12  
437. Horse & Pony Trail Class – 9 – 10

**SECTION 29 – FUN CLASSES**

**PONY EXPRESS FUN CLASS**

(Exhibitor and Parent/Guardian or an Eaton County 4-H Horse Leader will complete a down and back race, switching riders behind the barrel. Adults are allowed to compete with more than one exhibitor. Horse holder allowed if requested.)

Class

451. Pony Express Fun Class

**\*\*\*SATURDAY\*\*\***

**8:30 A.M. – LIVESTOCK SWEEPSTAKES**

**FOLLOWING SWEEPSTAKES**

**SECTION 31 - COSTUME FUN CLASS**

(Exhibitors will dress themselves and their horses in costumes and provide a short paragraph describing their costume)

Class

471. Costume Fun Class

**SECTION 32 – PARENT/LEADER PLEASURE**

Class

501. Parent/Leader Showmanship  
502. Parent/Leader Western/English Pleasure

**SECTION 33 – PARENT/LEADER GYMKHANA**

511. Parent/Leader Cloverleaf Barrel Race  
512. Parent/Leader Indiana Flag Race