

**DEPARTMENT 01 - HORSES  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 3  
DRAFT HORSE SHOW**

Halter Classes - Tuesday, August 2 **9:00 A.M.** (Superior Housing Arena)

Hitch Classes - Tuesday, August 2 **Approx. 1:00 P.M.** (Superior Housing Arena)

Show Superintendent  
**JOE PURCELL**  
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Draft Barn Superintendent  
**JOE PURCELL**

Judge  
**JOHN CUNDELL**  
Ottawa, Canada

**PLEASE NOTE: ALL DRAFT HORSE ENTRIES WILL BE MADE ON THE HORSE SHOW ENTRY BLANK.**

**Deadline for off-line pre-entries is June 10, 2010. Deadline for on-line pre-entries is June 17, 2010. All people staying for the fair should be entered by this date. After the above dates all entries will be made the day of the show. Please see Rule 1.**

**Rules and Regulations**

1. Before making entries read standards for conduct of Fairs and general rules and regulations of the Schoharie County Sunshine Fair. Draft Exhibitors bringing up to two Draft Horses and staying for the entire nine days will receive two free exhibitor passes. Draft Exhibitors bringing 3-4 Draft Horses and staying for the entire nine days will receive three free exhibitor passes. Exhibitors bringing up to four Draft Horses and staying for the entire nine days are also entitled to purchase two additional weekly exhibitor passes at \$20.00 each. Draft Exhibitors bringing 5 or more Draft Horses and staying for the entire nine days will receive five free exhibitor passes. Exhibitors bringing 5 or more Draft Horses and staying for the entire nine days are also entitled to purchase three additional weekly exhibitor passes at \$20.00 each. All draft exhibitors staying for the entire nine days are also entitled to purchase up to 9 daily tickets at \$ 6.00 ea. Exhibitors' 18 years and older bringing draft horses to stay for less than 9 days must purchase an Exhibitor Ticket for \$20. Exhibitors 17 years and younger must purchase a Jr. Exhibitor Ticket for \$10. Draft Exhibitors bringing up to four Draft Horses are entitled to purchase one additional exhibitor pass at \$20.00; those bringing over four Draft Horses are entitled to purchase up to two additional exhibitor passes at \$20.00. Exhibitors may also purchase up to 4 daily tickets at \$6. each. Exhibitors entering the day of the show will be admitted at no charge for two people per horse.

2. All entries must be accompanied by proof of rabies inoculation and negative coggins test. **Entries will not be completed if rabies and coggins test are not with entries. NO EXCEPTIONS.**

3. Per New York State Law No VAT1265, all riders' 13 years of age and under must wear a helmet meeting or exceeding ASTM F1163 (Safety Equipment Institute Certified) equestrian standard. The parent/guardian who signs the release form for an exhibitor 13 and under is personally responsible for seeing that those exhibitor(s) in their care, custody and control obey this law.

4. **Pre-entries will be accepted until June 17<sup>th</sup>**; however, you may post enter after 7:00 a.m. on Tuesday until 9:00 a.m. at no additional fee for Halter classes. **NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER 9:00 A.M. FOR MORNING SESSION. POST ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR HITCH CLASSES UNTIL 12:00 NOON TUESDAY.**

5. Draft Horse exhibitors are invited to participate in the Draft Horse exhibit. Horses will be accepted until the limited capacity of the barn is filled. Please contact the draft barn superintendent for reservations. All inquiries concerning the Draft Horse Show should be referred to Joe Purcell, Show Superintendent. **All exhibitors staying in the barn for the Fair must be pre-entered. See Rule 1.**

6. Draft Horse barn exhibitors will be eligible

7. Draft Horse exhibitors will be provided with free stalls Thursday evening. **Please list the number of stalls needed on entry blank. Shavings will be made available at the beginning of the Fair for initial bedding of stalls by draft horse exhibitors staying for the Fair only. Any additional bedding must be provided by exhibitors. No bedding will be furnished by the Fair for daily exhibitors. Exhibitors must provide their own bedding. There will be no concession on the grounds this year from which to purchase bedding, it will have to be brought in by the exhibitor(s).** Exhibitors will be responsible for keeping their area clean both inside and outside of barn including but not limited to picking up garbage in the mornings in front of barn and raking area.

8. Halter classes will be judged Tuesday morning starting at 9:30 a.m. in the judging ring in the infield. All Hitch classes will be judged on Tuesday beginning at **approximately** 1:00 p.m. in the infield ring.

9. At no time will draft horses be allowed to be driven or ridden in areas of the fairgrounds where the fair management has not previously granted permission to do so.

10. Mares, geldings and stallions are eligible for all hitch classes, except Section 4, Classes 10, 17, 18 and 19. **For these classes only mares and geldings accepted.**

11. In all halter and hitch classes horse or horses must be sound. In hitch classes horse or horses shall be shown hitched to a suitable vehicle and the driver shall be clean and neatly dressed.

12. In all hitch classes, the driver will be allowed one helper. No other riders except mascots will be permitted on the wagon while the hitch is being shown.

13. In hitch classes where more than two horses are shown, they may be owned by one or more exhibitors. Be sure only one entry is made for each hitch.

14. Women's Driving Class will be judged on driving ability, appropriate tack and costume, and not on the quality of horses.

15. Other hitch classes will be judged according to quality of horses and equipment and the ability of the driver to handle his horses at the command of the judge.

16. The Fair Director of Management may deny admission to, or require segregation of or removal from Fair premises, any animal found to be infected with or exposed to any communicable disease whether internal or external, and whether or not such disease is specifically mentioned in these regulations, if in his opinion such action is necessary for the protection of other exhibits.

17. In the registered classes, all registration papers must be available if requested.

18. Halter classes will be shown by running all classes for alternating breeds.

19. The Draft Barn Superintendent will make all stall assignments in the barn and his decision is final.

20. All draft horses must be washed at the designated area. **NO** horses shall be washed in front of the draft horse barn by the hydrant. Failure to obey this rule will forfeit the premium.

21. Draft Horses of Exhibitors staying for the fair will not be released until Monday. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

22. **All horses exhibiting must walk while on the grounds except in the show ring.**

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**DRAFT HORSES AND PONIES ARE WELCOME TO ENTER CLASSES IN THE LIGHT HORSE SHOWS WHICH RUN EACH DAY DURING THE FAIR.**

## SECTION 1 REGISTERED BREEDS

**Entry Fees \$3.00 per class**

CLASS	Premiums			
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
1 Stallions 2 years and under	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
2 Stallions 3 years and older	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
3 Champion & Reserve Stallion	Rosette			
4 Senior Showmanship, 18 & Over	45	35	25	15
5 Junior Showmanship, 17 & Under	Trophy +40	30	20	10
7 Mare with foal at foot	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
8 Mare 2 years and under	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
9 Mare 3 years and over	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
10 Champion & Reserve Mare	Rosette			
11 Gelding 2 years and under	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
12 Gelding 3 years and over	25	15	10	5
A - Belgians				
B - Percherons				
C - Clyde/Shire				
13 Champion & Reserve Gelding	Rosette			
14 Herd Prize, 3 animals owned by exhibitor	25	15	10	5

## SECTION 2 - GRADE DRAFT HORSES

No horse shown in Section 1 is eligible to be shown in Section 2.

Ribbons awarded for 4 places in all classes.

**Entry Fees \$3.00 per class**

Class	Premiums			
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
1 Grade Draft Junior Showmanship, 17 & Under	Trophy + 20	15	10	5
2 Mare w/Foal at Foot	20	15	10	5
3 Mare 2 years and under	20	15	10	5
4 Mare 3 years and over	20	15	10	5
5 Gelding 2 years and under	20	15	10	5
6 Gelding 3 years and over	20	15	10	5
7 Champion & Reserve Grade Draft Horse	Rosette			



### SECTION 3 - DRAFT PONY/ MINIATURE DRAFTS

**Entry Fees \$3.00 per class**

Class	Premiums			
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
1 Mare any age	20	15	10	5
2 Gelding any age	20	15	10	5
3 Champion & Reserve	Rosette			

**SUPREME GRAND CHAMPION Draft Horse of the Show**

**EARL S. RICKARD MEMORIAL**  
Special Award

### SECTION 4 - HITCH CLASSES

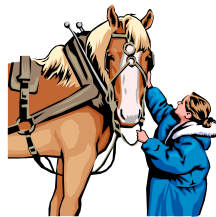
Trophies and Ribbons Awarded for all Hitch Classes

**Entry Fees for the Hitch Classes are \$7.00 for Open and Senior Classes and \$4.00 for Pony and Junior Classes**

\$200 will be given the day of show to exhibitors entered in Class #4 - 6 Horse Hitch

**JUDGING WILL BEGIN AT APPROXIMATELY 1:00 P.M. IN THE INFIELD RING IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER WITH NO INTERMISSION:**

Class	Premiums					
	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>	6 <sup>th</sup>
1 Pair of Mares - Hitch. <b>This class sponsored by Paul &amp; Linda Spencer.</b>	60	50	40	30	20	10
2 Draft Ponies Team, 4 wheeled wagon	40	35	30	25		
3 Farm Team (not eligible for class #2 or #9)	60	50	40	30	20	10
4 6 Horse Hitch - Draft (\$200 paid day of show to entrants) George B. Rickard Memorial Trophy	300	200	175	150	125	100
5 4 Horse Hitch - Ponies	60	50	40	30		
6 4 Horse Hitch - Draft	200	175	150	125	100	75
7 Unicorn Hitch - Ponies	60	50	40	30		
8 Unicorn Hitch - Draft	100	80	70	60	50	40
9 Matched Team - Draft	100	80	70	60	50	40
10 Junior Driver, team, 17 & Under, Draft	60	50	40	30	20	10
11 Ladies to Drive Team, Ponies	40	35	30	25		
12 Ladies to Drive Team, Draft	60	50	40	30	20	10
13 Draft Pony Farm Cart, not eligible for #19, #20, #21	40	35	30	25	20	
14 Draft Horse Farm Cart, not eligible for #19, #21	60	50	40	30	20	10
14A Heavy Team, 1800 & Over	100	80	70	60	50	
15 Tandem Driving, Ponies	40	35	30	25		
16 Tandem Driving, Draft	60	50	40	30	20	10
17 Junior Cart, Ponies, not eligible for #18	40	35	30	25		
18 Junior Cart, Draft	40	35	30	25	20	
\$75 donated by New York Draft Horse Association for this class will be split evenly among exhibitors and paid day of show.						
19 Ladies 2 Wheel Cart - Draft	60	50	40	30	20	10
20 Ladies & Men's 2 wheel Cart – Ponies, not eligible for #13	40	35	30	25	20	
21 Men's 2 Wheel Cart - Draft	60	50	40	30	20	10



#### 22 Special Draft Horse Exhibitors Awards

Draft Barn Superintendent: **JOE PURCELL – 797-5104**

A participation award of \$25.00 will be given to exhibitors who stable their horses in the draft horse barn for the entire week. Awards will be presented to those exhibitors who keep their exhibit in good condition as to general cleanliness and appearance. The following criteria will govern:

1. Personal appearance including neatness and cleanliness
2. Cooperation
3. Neatness and cleanliness of stalls, bedding and animals
4. Systematic and neat arrangement of feed, hay, etc.

**Trophies will be awarded for Teamster of the Day & Jr. Teamster of the Day.**

**Jr. Teamster of the Day is sponsored by Equine Properties, Esperance, New York**