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comply with this rule

SECTIONS 80 - 82 - HORSE

- Participation is open to young people who are actively participating in an educational 4-H horse program under the direction of a volunteer 4-H horse project leader approved by Cornell Cooperative Extension's Schoharie County 4-H Program, or a vocational agriculture student carrying out a supervised horse husbandry program under the direction of a vocational agriculture teacher of one of the Schoharie County vocational agriculture departments.
- 2. All equines must have been officially designated as the member's project animal by June 1 of the current year. A copy of the completed horse/donkey/mule certificate must be on file with the Cooperative Extension Office by June 1. Members may designate up to 4 personally or family owned equines as project animals and one non-owned backup equine. Each equine must be entered separately. The same horse cannot be used for different riding levels within a discipline. Members with owned or family horses may lease a horse as a backup and must follow all Schoharie County 4-H Horse Program Policies. (*) This horse will not be eligible to go to State Fair. Members may lease a horse, donkey or mule & for driving and a mini for those classes. Members not owning or using a family owned equine may designate two non-owned equine by June 1. Only one non-owned riding equine may be shown. The exhibitor must have cared for all entries continually since June 1 of the current year. A non-owned equine may be shown by different youth in different Divisions. A non-owned equine may not be shown by multiple youth in a given Division.
- 3. All youth who are exhibiting for their first time at the Sunshine Fair, and whose horse or horse/rider combination has never exhibited at the fair must be evaluated at a 4-H sponsored riding evaluation. If the youth is unable to attend the 4-H evaluation in Schoharie County, they may attend another county's 4-H evaluation event. Proof of evaluation in another County's 4-H program must be provided to the Schoharie County 4-H office prior to the Sunshine Fair Show date or the youth will not be permitted to ride in the show.
- 4. Schoharie County Helmet Policy: All youth participating in an official 4-H activity, event or show, shall wear a properly fitted and secured, officially approved ASTM/SEI protective helmet at all times when leading, handling, mounted on an equine, or seated in a vehicle being pulled by one or more equines. This age requirement overrules New York State Rules. Failure to

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will result in dismissal from the show. Per New York State Law No. VAT1265, all riders 17 years of age and under must wear a helmet meeting or exceeding ASTMFII63 (Safety Equipment Institute Certified) equestrian standard. The parent/guardian who signs the release form for an exhibitor 17 and under is personally responsible for seeing that those exhibitor(s) in their care, custody and control, obey this law.

- Making Entries Every participant must be properly entered in order to compete. Read general rules and regulations governing participation in fair and also rules and regulations for Department 11. Late entries cannot be accommodated. Entries should be received by July 6th. The address/payee is Cobleskill Agricultural Society, PO Box 249, Cobleskill, NY 12043.
- 6. No stallions allowed.
- 7. Exhibitors must purchase a youth exhibitor pass.
- 8. Exhibitors shall wear numbers clearly visible on their backs.
- Requests for stall arrangements must be submitted with entry form. Requests will be acted on and stall assignments will be made by the director or superintendent in charge of youth horse program.
 - a. Overnight Stall RentalFees:
 - i. Flat rate of \$12 from August 7 thru 9th.
 - ii. \$12 per day starting 8/10
- Camper requests must be submitted on the entry form.
- 11. Horses must remain on the trailer until the required health and ownership papers have been checked. There shall be no unsupervised riding or driving of Junior Exhibitor animals housed on the fairgrounds at any time. All riding and leading on roadways is to be at a walk only. Pedestrians have the right of way. Schooling is allowed only in designated area.

- 12. The number of horses allowed in a class will be left to the judge's discretion, with input received from the Junior Department Show Superintendent.
- 13. Riders may only show at the level that the horse rider combination has been evaluated at.
- 14. Any w/t horse rider combination that breaks gait for more than 3 strides in two classes will be disqualified for the remainder of the show.

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- Class descriptions and judging shall be according to "NYS 4-H Horse Show Rules & Regulations".
 Copies are available at the Cooperative Extension Office.
- 16. No equine may be ridden without a bitted bridle except during the Gymkhana division when a hackamore may be used.
- 17. Appropriate bits and attire should be used. English wear and equipment should only be used in English classes. Western wear and equipment should only be used in Western classes. Western riders should only be using one hand to ride, with the exception of junior horse.
- There shall be no horses on the ground around the 4-H Show Ring that are not bona fide 4-H project animals.
- 19. There shall be no horses past the draft barn towards the midway at any time.
- 20. Horses may come onto the fairgrounds after 3 p.m. on the Monday before the fair start date.
- 21. Junior Department exhibitors must be chaperoned by parent/guardian of 21 or older at all times.
- 22. Junior Department exhibitors remaining on the grounds overnight must be in their sleeping quarters by 11 p.m. No exhibitors may be in the barns after 11 p.m. No grooming of animals after 11 p.m.
- 23. Youth must be present at the time of judging.
 Each member is expected to be responsible for the showing and care of his or her own animal.
 Exceptions can be made under such circumstances or conditions as the agriculture educator may determine necessary. Up to two entries per class will be allowed. If an exhibitor has two entries in a class, the second entry must be shown by another youth who is also exhibiting in the show. Adult assistance is permitted on a case by case basis with the approval of the Cooperative Extension representative.
- 24. Any member of this department found conducting themselves in an improper manner or who violates any of the rules set forth will forfeit any guarantee of premiums and may be dismissed from the fairgrounds with exhibits.
- All equines are to be properly maintained by the exhibitors at all times.
- 26. W/T-Green or Gaited Horse classes are for youth that has three gait experience with junior horse of youth with a gaited horse

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SECTION 80 – GYMKHANA CLASSES – Show date Wednesday, Aug 9th SHOW STARTS AT 4 pm

- Classes with Asterisks (*) count toward Championship.
 To qualify for a championship, rider must compete in all
 4 classes. Ties will be decided based on shortest time of the combined 4 classes.
- Gymkhana Championships: W/J, Junior, &Senior
- (**) Driving Gymkhana Championship: Youth must compete in all 3 classes to qualify for championship.
 Ties will be decided based on shortest time of the combined 3 classes.

The age divisions for all riding classes are as follows:

Walk/Trot (at least 8 years old as of Jan 1 current year) Junior - 13 and under Senior - 14 and over

- 1. Pole Bending Walk/Jog(*)
- 2. Pole Bending Junior(*)
- 3. Pole Bending Senior(*)
- 4. Pole Bending Driving (**)
- 5. Cloverleaf Barrels Walk/Jog(*)
- 6. Cloverleaf Barrels Junior(*)
- 7. Cloverleaf Barrels Senior(*)
- 8. Cloverleaf Barrels Driving (**)
- 9. Texas T Walk/Jog (*)
- 10. Texas T Junior (*)
- 11. Texas T Senior (*)
- 12. Barrel Key Hole Walk/Jog(*)
- 13. Barrel Key Hole Junior (*)
- 14. Barrel Key Hole Senior(*)
- 15. Barrel Key Hole Driving (**)

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SECTION 81-82 – HORSE SHOWMANSHIP, CLOVERBUDS & RIDING CLASSES

Show date Thursday August 10th Cloverbuds, Showmanship, and Riding Classes

SHOW STARTS AT 8:30 AM

SECTION 81 -FITTING & SHOWMANSHIP

 Each exhibitor 8 years and older as of January 1, current year must participate in fitting and showmanship and must enter the appropriate class on their entry form.

Fitting & Showmanship Classes

Grand Champion Showman and Reserve Champion Showman will be selected from the first and second place exhibitors from Classes 1-3.

- 1. Fitting & Showmanship Novice (1st & 2nd year showing, 8 years and older as of January 1, current year)
- 2. Fitting & Showmanship Junior (13 and under as of January 1, current year)
- 3. Fitting & Showmanship Senior (14 & older as of January 1, current year)

SPECIAL CLASS

Class: 5

4-H Horse Stall Display

• The display is judged on an attractive educational display, an effective message, draws and holds attention, uses explanatory material, promotes 4-H and presents a pleasing appearance.

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SECTION 82 – RIDING CLASSES Show date: Thursday August 10th

Championship Awards:

English – W/J, Junior, and Senior Champion

Western - W/J, Junior, and Senior Champion

Championships will be decided by placings in Pleasure & Equitation Classes. Youth must participate in both to qualify for Championship.

Ranch Horse Champion – Walk/Jog, Junior, and Senior youth must participate in all 4-H Ranch Horse classes.

Jumping – youth must participate in equitation and hunter hack.

In result of a tie for championship, Fitting and Showmanship placement will be counted.

The age divisions for all riding classes are as follows:

Walk/Jog or Trot (at least 8 years old as of Jan 1 current year)

Junior - 13 and under

Senior - 14 and over

CLOVERBUD CLASSES are for exhibition only for youth ages 5 to 8. No premium. Each Cloverbud rider must be supervised by an adult while in the ring. Cloverbuds may exhibit with or without lead lines. This is the only Cloverbud classes.

Cloverbuds classes for exhibition only; RIBBON ONLY

- 1. Cloverbud, Western Pleasure
- 2. Cloverbud Western Equitation
- 3. Western Pleasure Walk/Jog
- 4. Western Pleasure Junior
- 5. Western Pleasure Senior
- 6. Western Equitation Walk/Jog
- 7. Western Equitation Junior
- 8. Western Equitation Senior
- 9. Ranch Horse Pleasure Walk/Jog
- 10. Ranch Horse Pleasure Junior
- 11. Ranch Horse Pleasure Senior
- 12. Ranch Horse Equitation Walk/Jog
- 13. Ranch Horse Equitation Junior
- 14. Ranch Horse Equitation Senior

One Hour Break – Half Hour Lunch & Half Hour Warm-Up Period Prior To English Riding Division

- 15. Cloverbud, English Pleasure
- 16. Cloverbud English Equitation
- 17. English Pleasure Walk/Trot
- 18. English Pleasure Junior
- 19. English Pleasure Senior
- 20. English Equitation –Walk/Trot
- 21. English Equitation Junior
- 22. English Equitation Senior
- 23. Disciplined Rail -Walk/Trot
- 24. Disciplined Rail Junior
- 25. Disciplined Rail-Senior
- 26. Driving Pleasure
- 27. Driving Obstacle
- 28. Ranch Working Horse Walk/Trot
- 29. Ranch Working Horse Junior
- 30. Ranch Working Horse Senior
- 31. Cloverbud Walking Modified Trail Class
- 32. Trail Walk/Jog-Trot
- 33. Trail Walk/Jog Green Horse/Alt.Gait
- 34. Trail Junior
- 35. Trail Senior
- 36. Ranch Trail Walk/Trot
- 37. Ranch Trail Junior
- 38. Ranch Trail Senior

Jumping Classes – Riders must have pre-qualified for jump classes at evaluations; may use a standing martingale

- 39. Jumping-Equitation, Walk Trot Beginner ground rails, judged in 2 point position
- 40. Jumping Equitation over fences cross rails 18' 3 gait horse
- 41. Jumping Equitation over fences 2 ft. verticals 3 gait horse
- 42. Jumping Hunter Hack over Fences walk trot ground poles
- 43. Jumping Hunter Hack over Fences Cross Rails 3 gait horse
- 44. Jumping Hunter Hack over Fences 2 ft. 3 gait horse
- 45. Miniature Horse Hunter in Hand
- 46. Miniature Horse Obstacle Course

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JUNIOR DEPT 11: 4H, FFA & FCCLA HORSE SHOWS ONE NUMBER FOR EACH HORSE/EXHIBITOR COMBINATION Read special rules for each horse show concerning entry deadlines.

Statement of Immunodiffusion test for Equine Infectious Anemia (Coggins) and Rabies Certificate required for each horse entered. No exceptions. Any animal to be exhibited from out of state must meet New York State Import Regulations and be accompanied by an official health certificate approved by the chief livestock official of the state of origin. Examinations made to qualify out of state animals after arrival in New York State will not be acceptable. Schoharie County Helmet Policy: All youth participating in an official 4-H activity, event or show, shall wear a properly fitted and secured, officially approved ASTM/SEI protective helmet at all times when leading, handling, mounted on an equine, or seated in a vehicle being pulled by one or more equines. This age requirement overrules New York State Rules. Per New York State Law No. VAT1265, all riders 17 years of age and under must wear a helmet meeting or exceeding ASTMF1163 (Safety Equipment Institute Certified) equestrian standard. The parent/guardian who signs the release from for an exhibitor 17 years of age and under is personally responsible for seeing that those exhibitor(s) in their care, custody, and control obey this law.

The undersigned promises to exhibit at the Schoharie County Sunshine Fair the horses named and does hereby certify that said hereinafter mentioned horses, so proposed to be exhibited, is hereby entered for exhibition in accordance with the Rules and Regulations contained in the Cobleskill Agricultural Society Premium Book and by which the undersigned hereby agrees to be governed in exhibiting the same. The exhibitor agrees to be solely responsible for any loss or injury to or damage done, occasioned by, or arising from any animal, equipment, exhibit, or person on exhibition, and to defend and indemnify the Cobleskill Fair and the management thereof against all claims and liability in regard thereto, and upon these conditions only will entries be accepted. In view of the indemnity agreement appearing herein, exhibitors may find it advisable for their own protection to carry liability insurance if not covered. Exhibitor agrees to abide by the rules of the Cobleskill Agricultural Society.

Exhibitor's Name (PLEASE F	PRINT)		_
Exhibitor's Age (as of Jan.1)	E-mail	County of Residence	
Address of Exhibitor in Full			_
Phone	Signature _ (f minor, signature of owner of horse, parent, or guardian.)	-
Name of Club			
Name of Horse			
Age of Horse	Year Foaled		
Name of Owner	Address	s of Owner	
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PLEASE USE A SEPARATE ENTRY BLANK FOR EACH HORSE/EXHIBITOR YOU ENTER If more than one Horse/Exhibitor is entered on the entry form, it must be redone by the exhibitor. Additional Copies Can Be Made If Needed

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Entries must be received by July 6th. The address/payee is Cobleskill Agricultural Society, PO Box 249, Cobleskill, NY 12043

Name Required for each Guardian Pass if Purchased. Two 6 day Guardian Passes are Allowed Per Exhibitor. Not to be combined with any other entry form.

HORSE ENTRY PAYMENT Department 11 Junior Dept.: 4H, & FFA & FCCLA Horse Shows			
Tickets:			
Youth exhibitor weekly pass \$5 (17 & Under)	\$		
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Adult exhibitor weekly pass \$10 (18 & Over)	\$		
May purchase up to 6 daily tickets for \$10 each			
AND May Purchase			
Up to 2 6- Day Guardian Passes @ \$10 each	\$		
Camper Fee @ \$20 per night (# nights)	\$		
Tent Fee @ \$15 per night (# nights)			
Overnight Stall Rental Monday 8/7 thru Wednesday 8/9 Fee \$12	\$		
Overnight Stall Rental 8/10, 8/11, 8/12at \$12/day			
(Mark an "X" For Each Day Needed)	\$		

	Coggins	Exhibitor #	
For Office Use Only	Rabies	Date Entered	
	Back #	Paid \$	