

**Mendocino County Fair and Apple Show**  
**HORSE SHOW – September 22, 2023**  
**Rules and Deadlines**

**HORSE SHOW–**

<p>ONLINE ENTRIES CLOSE: Midnight – Sunday September 10, 2023 DEADLINE FOR LIVESTOCK ARRIVAL: This is a trailer in show check in is 7:00 a.m. Friday, September 22, 2023. STALLS: \$15.00 if you prefer to keep your horse on the fairgrounds. RELEASE TIME: You are allowed to leave immediately following the show Mandatory \$14.00 Drug Fee and \$5.00 insurance COST: Junior \$5.00 -Open \$8.00</p>
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**4-H & FFA HORSE SHOW**

**Enter online at [www.mendocountyfair.com](http://www.mendocountyfair.com)**

1. Limited to members of chapters or clubs residing in Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, and Sonoma Counties. See Local Rule 2.
2. The 4-H & FFA Horse Show adheres to State Rules in Sections I-XI.
3. Classes are limited to FFA, 4-H Club members, and independent juniors of and residing in Humboldt, Lake, Mendocino, and Sonoma Counties who are duly enrolled in a Horse Project and have completed the same.
4. Exhibitor of horses in Livestock and Horse Show Department will comply with the provisions of the Horse Protection Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-540) and all rules adopted by the United States Secretary of Agriculture to carry out its provision.
5. Unless other rules are specified, rules and definitions for conducting each class as contained in the rule book of the American Horse Show Association, Inc., will be used as a guideline for this Horse Show, provided they do not conflict with any of the rules and regulations prescribed by the Division of Fairs and Expositions of the California Department of Food and Agriculture.
6. THREE ENTRIES CONSTITUTE A MINIMUM HORSE SHOW CLASS. Where entries are less than minimum at the closing date of entry, the class may be canceled or combined with another class. Entries in canceled classes may be transferred without penalty into another class in the same division. Should entries fall below the minimum after the closing date of entry, a class may be continued but with premiums at the discretion of the management.
7. SHOWMANSHIP ATTIRE: 4-H uniform, FFA uniform, or long sleeved button-down blouse/shirt and dark/khaki pants with appropriate boots for Independent Junior Exhibitors.
8. JUNIOR HORSE SHOW ATTIRE: 4-H uniform or FFA uniform or long sleeved button down white blouse/shirt and dark/khaki pants with appropriate boots for Independent Junior Exhibitors. English attire for junior horse show can be as above or hunt jacket and light colored britches with short sleeved white blouse/shirt and appropriate boots. No chaps allowed in English or Western classes.
9. Helmets are mandatory for all classes including showmanship. Must wear ASTM/SEI approved helmets at all times when handling a horse. A disqualification from the show will result if at any time an exhibitor is found not wearing a helmet when handling a horse, even if it is inside the stall. To avoid any problems, it is advisable that a helmet be worn at all times in the barn area. Helmet covers or hats made for helmets are allowed.
10. POST ENTRIES, PHONE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
11. Stalls are reserved for exhibitor entries. Balance allotted on first-come, first serve basis after entry closure. Stall rent does not include feed. Bedding for first day is provided.
12. NO STALLIONS ALLOWED.
13. Horses to be on grounds and checked in by 7:30 a.m. Friday, September 22, 2023. Show starts at 8:00 a.m. This means picking up horse show number as well as verification of registration number, if applicable. Failure to do so will result in disqualification from the show and forfeiture of entry and stall fees.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK-4-H & FFA HORSE SHOW

**HORSE SHOW**

**ORDER OF EVENTS:**

**Friday, September 22, 2023 at 8:00 a.m.**

- 1) Showmanship Eng/ West 4H Novice
- 2) Showmanship Eng / West 4H Intermediate
- 3) Showmanship Eng / West 4-H Advance
- 4) Showmanship Eng / West FFA Novice
- 5) Showmanship Eng / West FFA Advance
- 6) Open Showmanship
- 7) Junior Division Registered Gelding Halter
- 8) Junior Division Registered Mare Halter
- 9) Junior Division Unregistered Gelding Halter
- 10) Junior Division Unregistered Mare Halter
- 11) Junior Division Halter Pony  
*10 min tack change*
- 12) Walk / Trot English 18 and Under
- 13) Open English Walk /Trot
- 14) Junior English Pleasure 9 through 13
- 15) Junior English Pleasure 14 through 18
- 16) Open English Pleasure
- 17) Junior English Equitation 9 through 13
- 18) Junior English Equitation 14 through 18
- 19) Open English Equitation
- 20) Junior Hunter Hack
- 21) Open Hunter Hack
- 22) Bare Back Equitation – OPEN  
*30 min Break*
- 23) Junior Trail 9 through 13
- 24) Junior Trail Class 14 through 18
- 25) Open Trail Class
- 26) Junior Walk/ Jog Western
- 27) Open Walk/Jog Western
- 28) Junior Western Pleasure 9 through 13
- 29) Junior Western Pleasure 14 through 18
- 30) Open Western Pleasure
- 31) Junior Western Equitation 9 through 13
- 32) Junior Equitation 14 through 18
- 33) Open Western Equitation

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<sup>a</sup>Exhibitor must wear the official FFA or 4-H uniform of which they are members. Independent Junior Exhibitors must wear Long-sleeved button-down blouse/shirt and dark/khaki pants with appropriate boots.

JUNIOR LIVESTOCK-4-H & FFA HORSE SHOW

**REGISTERED GELDINGS AND MARES**

**GRADE AND UNREGISTERED ANIMALS**

1. BY HIS/HER SIGNATURE AS THE OWNER ON THE ENTRY FORM, THE EXHIBITOR ALSO CERTIFIES THAT THE SIRE OF EACH ANIMAL ENTERED IN THE FOLLOWING GRADE CLASSES WAS EITHER REGISTERED OR PUREBRED.
2. Leased horses are not allowed in the halter division per State Rule XI-10b.
3. NOTE: JUDGING PER THE AMERICAN HORSE SHOW ASSOCIATION RULE BOOK (LATEST EDITION.)

**DIVISION 801-JUNIOR HORSE SHOW / HALTER**  
ENTRY FEE \$5.00

Premiums Offered per Class:  
1<sup>st</sup> \$15.00      2<sup>nd</sup> \$11.00      3<sup>rd</sup> \$7.50      4<sup>th</sup> \$5.50      5<sup>th</sup> \$5.50

CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION RIBBONS/AWARDS

Class

1. Registered Gelding Halter
2. Registered Mare Halter

Class

3. Unregistered Gelding Halter
4. Unregistered Mare Halter
5. Halter Pony

**DIVISION 802-JUNIOR HORSE SHOW / SADDLE MOUNTS**  
ENTRY FEE: \$5.00

RIBBONS-first through fifth

**HIGH POINT RIBBON**

9 through 13

**HIGH POINT RIBBON**

14 through 18

JUNIOR END OF DAY HIGH POINT CHAMPION BUCKLE  
Sid Cuthbert Memorial Buckle

Class

1. Walk/ Trot English Under 18
2. English Pleasure-9 through 13
3. English Pleasure-14 through 18
4. English Equitation-9 through 13
5. English Equitation-14- 18
6. Junior Hunter Hack under 18

Class

7. Trail-9 through 13
8. Trail - 14 through 18
9. Walk / Jog Western under 18
10. Western Pleasure-9 through 13
11. Western Pleasure - 14 - 18
12. Western Equitation -9 through 13
13. Western Equitation-14 -18

**JUNIORS MUST BE SIGNED UP AND RIDE IN AT LEAST ONE JUNIOR CLASS TO ENTER IN  
THE OPEN HORSE SHOW**

ENTER DEADLINE MIDNIGHT; Sunday, September 10, 2023  
FEE: Division 86 – Open Walk/Jog-Trot  
Lope/Canter- \$8.00  
DRUG FEE: \$14.00 Required  
CHECK IN 7:00AM, Friday, September 22, 2023 Show Starts at 8:00AM

**THE DIVISION 86–OPEN HORSE SHOW**

ENTRY FEE: \$8.00

RIBBONS–first through fifth

OPEN END OF DAY HIGH POINT CHAMPION WILL RECIEVE A BUCKLE

Sponsored by Hay Wire, Fort Bragg

Class

Notes:

1. Showmanship – OPEN
2. Walk / Jog English - OPEN
3. English Pleasure - OPEN
4. English Equitation – OPEN
5. Hunter Hack - OPEN
6. \*Bareback Equitation
7. Trail – Open
8. Walk / Jog Western -OPEN
9. Western Pleasure - OPEN
10. Open Western Equitation -OPEN

Does not count towards high point