

2010 Southern 4-H Regional Horse Show
Claresholm Agri-plex

Sunday evening, August 14, 2011 start 7:00 pm

Monday, August 15, 2011 start 8:00 am

Tuesday, August 16, 2011 start 8:00 am

Wednesday, August 17, 2011 start 8:00 am

Attention: Leaders or Club Representative

1. **Attached** you will find:
 - a. *2011 Rules and Regulations, List of Classes*. Please read and familiarize yourself, your club members and their parents with the required show rules and information. Everything is also posted on the 4-H website – www.4h.ab.ca under the Southern Region.
 - b. *CLUB ENTRY FORM* – **fill it out and submit along with two club cheques; one for entry and camping fees and one for (returnable) number fees**
 - c. *FAMILY ENTRY FORM* – **make a copy for each family** (need to be copied & signed by each family); **keep these for your records and bring them to the show for your use.**
 - d. *Program Agreement Form* – **make a copy for every member to sign & MUST BE submitted with club entry form**
 - e. *Parade of Clubs info sheet* – **submit with club entry form**

2. Submit only the CLUB ENTRY FORM plus **two club cheques**, the Program Agreement Forms for each member, the CONTACT AND CAMPING INFORMATION page, and the Parade of Clubs info page.

***Please note that the *family entry forms stay with the leader* (but please bring to the show in case you need to refer to it). **No Post Dated cheques please. Two club cheques; one for entry and camping fees and one for (returnable) number fees** should be made payable to **Southern 4-H Regional Light Horse Committee**, and sent to:
Southern 4-H Regional Light Horse Show
c/o Show Secretary Bridget Graf
Box 1134, Coleman, AB T0K 0M0
Deadline for entries: Postdated by **July 15, 2011**
Show Secretary is volunteer Bridget Graf (**403-583-5606** home or 403-562-3100 work or email Bridget.Graf@dvn.com). Any changes to entries should be addressed in a timely manner to Bridget.
Any questions about the show may be directed to the 2011 volunteer Show Manager, Roxanne Johnson
(403) 894-5516 or email rm_johnson@xplornet.com

3. **Entry fees:** \$35 per participating 4-H member. This entitles the member to enter any number of classes for which he/she is eligible.
 - a. Please note: **Leaders must verify the ability and experience of the members entering.** Members should not enter classes including reining, cattle or jumping if they have not had previous experience with these events for safety reasons.
 - b. Leaders please list horse/rider combinations separately if member is using a different horse (for example Jane is riding Spot in Western Pleasure but riding Patches in Barrel Racing) – still just the one fee.
 - \$5 per goat tying or untying stock charge
 - \$5 per number (per horse). **Returnable** Club cheques for numbers will be cashed if all numbers are not handed in at the end of the show; the cheque will

only be returned if all numbers are returned to show office at the close of the show Wednesday. Please return as a club bundle, if possible.

4. Stall fees: \$35 per stall. All members will be allotted *one stall each* (one horse per stall) and a 2nd stall, if needed for 2nd horse, will be allotted on the basis of availability and when PAID entries are received. A record book must be done on the other animal and it is the responsibility of the leader that this done and the leader must sign the entry form. No horses to be stalled inside trailers over night. No horses allowed in living/camping area and no tethering of horses. *****NEW FOR 2011 - Tack stalls are available one stall per 6 riders; stall fee payable upon registration. Extra stalls that have been paid for and assigned but are no longer being used by the assigned member can be used as tack stalls at no extra cost to the club.**
5. Camping: Plug-in spots are \$20 each (tents are free as are spaces where plug in not required) for the duration of the show and will be assigned on a FIRST PAID basis. As camping units continue to be larger every year, please note the following:
 - a. All plug-in spots will be identified by club name. Decide within your club who parks where.
 - b. Each camping site is only approximately 12 feet wide. All outfits must be backed in unless prior approval received from Camp Committee. Awnings and slide-outs cannot both be extended unless you are in the second row as the space is very limited. Use space wisely.
 - c. *Please note that there are more hookups than parking spots so bring a long extension cord and organize your parking accordingly.* Trailers not requiring plug-in will not be allotted space in plug-in area.
 - d. No horse trailers in camping area. No horses allowed in camping area. ****Please indicate on list (with your club entry form) all horse trailer/living quarters combination units & the size, so sufficient parking space can be allotted to them.**
 - e.
6. Class order & assigned arenas will be posted at the show. IN THE EVENT OF RAIN, SOME CLASSES MAY BE CANCELLED. LISTEN FOR ANNOUNCEMENTS.
7. After arrival on Sunday, we will be starting at 7:00 pm with:
 - Parade of Clubs – *****NEW FOR 2011 - Participation in the parade of clubs in club outfits is MANDATORY unless exception is approved prior to the show. Please submit a letter requesting exemption with the club registration package. Please submit your club information form with your club entry.**
 - There will be a short break to allow for changes of attire followed by:
Individual Costume class and Group Costume class
 - Overview of Show, Review of rules, expectations, Q & A.
8. Things to remember, or note as some may have been updated or changed (but please read the entire package):
 - a. *****Supervision of 4-H competitors**: every 4-H member must have an adult guardian in charge on the show grounds at all time. Indicate on the Contact and camping information form a contact phone # if available and name of the parent or adult guardian who will be in charge of each member.
 - b. **Patterns** All class patterns will be posted *no earlier than the Sunday evening prior to the Parade of Clubs and no later than one hour prior to classes requiring patterns. Locations to be outside the show office and at the entry end of the indoor arena.*
 - c. **Numbers** – the number assigned to each competitor is a 3 digit number. The first number indicates the Level that he/she is competing in. Competitors will only have to remember which sub-category they are in. ie: Level 3 – 12 and 13 (age as of January 1st 2011) or Level 3 – 14 & over etc. This should also simplify the job of the gate person. LEADERS PLEASE ENSURE THAT EACH MEMBER IS

- ENTERED IN THE CORRECT LEVEL, as this method of numbering makes changes difficult.
- d. **Trail** – set up in 2 arenas (Level 1 to 3 in one, and Level 4 to 7 plus Junior Horse in the other). Please ensure members are competing in the correct arena. Again, MEMBERS NEED TO KNOW WHICH LEVEL they are in and age as of JANUARY 1st 2011: ie Level 3, 12 years old
 - e. **Classes:**
 - i. **Showmanship:** ***NEW FOR 2011 - Participation in the parade of clubs and SHOWMANSHIP IS MANDATORY unless exception is approved prior to the show. Please submit a letter requesting exemption with the club registration package.
 - ii. **Breakaway roping, Sorting, Calf daubing and Dressage will not be included at the 2011 show**
 - iii. **Ride and Lead will not be included at the 2011 show.** Clubs will be notified if there are event changes. Big T Race will be an event at the 2011 show..
 - iv. **Each year events will be reviewed at the April organizational meeting.**
 - f. **Gymkhana classes** –
 - i. In Level One there will be a 5 second penalty for every loping stride with a max of 10 strides in an entire run. After 10 strides it would be a no time.
 - ii. RUNNING starts are permitted in Barrel Racing only if conditions allow for a SAFE running entry.
 - iii. Poles, key hole, thread the needle and flags will be run in tandem with a white chalkline marking the middle of the arena, all the way to the gate, and if crossed the competitor will be disqualified.
 - g. **Club attire** is mandatory for all western show/performance classes Monday and Tuesday, until Barrels and Poles.
 - h. **English tack rule change reminder:** Since 2010 it is required that saddle pads must be white or natural in color except in classes over fences, which allows for colored pads
 - i. **The Show Manager and committee** may choose to split or combine some of the classes, due to the number of entries.
 - j. The show will abide by current **Southern Alberta Regional 4-H Horse Committee Rules and Regulations** (revised April 2011) and current Equine Canada rules.
 - k. In order to ensure the ongoing success of this show, every adult/parent in attendance is asked to **PLEASE volunteer** in at least one job. Each club has volunteered for, or has been assigned, some duties during the show. Please check with your club leader or with the Show office to help, wherever you can. THANK YOU! Also, **be prepared to “pitch in”** as required to keep the show running smoothly as additional jobs come up. We all can practice **“Learn to Do by Doing”** – and have fun while we’re doing it!
 - l. This facility has been generously donated for our usage. **Please ensure that all garbage is cleaned up** throughout our time here and that the barns, arenas, bleachers, bathrooms and parking areas are kept **neat and clean**.
 - m. **Each club is to bring a donated raffle item** (\$20.00 minimum) for the draw table. Tickets will be sold throughout the show, with the draws made on Day 2 (Tuesday).
 - n. There will be a **Leaders’ Meeting** held on Tuesday (Day 2) – usually around noon/lunch or end of jumping. Please have a club representative in attendance. Time will be announced Tuesday morning.

We urge everyone - members, leaders, parents - to have fun! This is a great event, and everyone is invited to have a great time!

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List of Classes

*Please see posted schedule for locations of classes.

Please note: in addition to Showmanship & Trail, other classes will take place in the outdoor arenas.

the list here is for entry purposes only – it is not the order of running of the classes.

Monday, August 15, 2011 start 8:00 a.m. – please be ready at your assigned Showmanship arena

1. Showmanship (3 arenas running at same time)
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7

2. Trail
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7
 - g. Junior Horse Level 4-7

3. Western Pleasure
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7
 - g. Junior Horse Level 4-7

4. Command Class
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7

5. Reining - pattern
 - a. Level 4 & 5
 - b. Level 6 & 7

6. Pleasure Matched Pairs
 - a. Level 1 & 2
 - b. Level 3
 - c. Level 4
 - d. Level 5, 6, 7

7. Delsey Derby
 - a. Level 1 & 2
 - b. Level 3
 - c. Level 4
 - d. Level 5, 6, 7

8. Bareback Egg and Spoon
 - a. Level 1 & 2
 - b. Level 3
 - c. Level 4
 - d. Level 5, 6, 7

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9. English Pleasure
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7
 - g. Junior Horse Level 4-7

10. English Equitation
 - a. Level 1
 - b. Level 2
 - c. Level 3
 - d. Level 4
 - e. Level 5
 - f. Level 6 and 7
 - g. Junior Horse Level 4-7

11. Hunter Hack
 - a. Level 1 & 2 – to 18"
 - b. Level 3 & 4 – heights to 2'
 - c. Level 5, 6, 7 – to 2'6"

12. Equitation over Fences
 - a. Level 4 to 7 – maximum 2'

13. Working Hunter (may choose one only)
 - a. Level 4 to 7 – maximum 2'3" **OR**
 - b. Level 4 to 7 – maximum 2'6" (may choose one only)

14. English/Western Two way Versatility Class

- a. Level 1 & 2
- b. Level 3
- c. Level 4
- d. Level 5
- e. Level 6 and 7

15. Western Horsemanship

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7
- g. Junior Horse Level 4-7

16. Invitational Command Class – stay tuned for details!

17. Barrel Racing

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

18. Tandem Pole Bending

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

Wednesday, August 17, 2011 8:00 a.m.

19. Goat Untying

- a. Level 1 - no cross entries allowed with tying
- b. Level 2 - no cross entries allowed with tying

20. Goat Tying

- a. Level 1 - no cross entries allowed with untying
- b. Level 2 - no cross entries allowed with untying
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

21. Bit T

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

22. Thread the Needle

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

23. Keyhole Race

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

24. Stake Race

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7

25. Flag Picking

- a. Level 1
- b. Level 2
- c. Level 3
- d. Level 4
- e. Level 5
- f. Level 6 and 7