

# DIVISION 4 - DRAFT HORSES, MULES & DONKEYS

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**JUDGE:**

**ENTRIES CLOSE - Friday, August 17th, 2024**

**SPECIAL ATTENTION** is called to the **Commitment to Animal Care** and **General Rules & Regulations** printed at the beginning of the prize list. Failure to abide by IPE rules may result in disqualification, forfeiture of prize money and possible disbarment from the Interior Provincial Exhibition.

**\*\*NEW\*\*** Division 4 exhibitors must be current members of Horse Council British Columbia, OR carry equivalent membership (i.e. Alberta Equestrian Federation), OR carry a 3rd party liability insurance policy and have the Interior Provincial Exhibition added as additional named insured with proof of certificate sent to the IPE office in advance of the fair. HCBC membership can be purchased online at [www.hcbc.ca](http://www.hcbc.ca)

**LATE ENTRIES** Late entries on approval base only. Office will have final approval. Late fee will be enforced.

**REFUNDS** Entry fees will only be refunded through the IPE office with either an official Doctors note or Veterinary note for exhibiting animal **PRIOR** to Tuesday, August 27th, 2024.

## **PARKING/CAMPING PASSES**

1. Division 4 exhibitors will be assigned to the Noval Arena camping area located off Adair St.
2. A limit of one (1) RV/trailer and one (1) vehicle per exhibitor. Parking \$8/day per vehicle. Camping \$10/day per trailer. Maximum 5 days. All camping units must be identified with last name of exhibitor, PROMINANTLY displayed.
3. Unidentified vehicles will be towed at owners expense.
4. Blocking fire lane will result in being towed at owners expense.

**ENTRY FEE** \*plus Exhibitor ticket, unless a current 2024 membership is held.

Adults & Students \$ 26

Child (6 to 12) \$ 10

For every 4 Horses entered (1) additional Attendant/Grooms ticket may be purchased for \$15

**MOVE IN** Exhibits are received on Tues, August 27, 2024

**MOVE OUT** No exhibits or stall displays to be removed until Sunday, September 1st, at 11pm, on a staggered basis.

Exhibitors are invited to stay overnight on Sunday free of charge.

## **EXHIBITOR INFORMATION**

1. Exhibitors are always expected to conduct themselves in a sportsmanlike manner - any infraction of this rule is to be reported and will be dealt with by the committee in charge.
2. Exhibitors are expected to maintain a safe environment, demonstrate ethical care for horses, and exhibit standards of

professional behavior always

3. Classes will be run as close to the schedule as possible. The IPE reserves the right to change or modify the order, time schedule, or classes if necessary.

4. Numbers must be displayed while handling anywhere on the ground.

5. NO one under the age of 18 may handle a stallion.

6. IPE reserves the right to disqualify an entry if a gate hold exceeds the time restrictions of the show.

7. Gate holds must be requested at least 10 minutes before start of class and approval from Director.

8. NO horse is allowed at or directly around the Lighthouse show office.

9. **No horses** are allowed to be **tied to any fence** on the IPE grounds.

10. NO pets of any type including dogs.

11. NO private golf carts or other motorized vehicles allowed on IPE grounds.

## **ANIMAL INFORMATION:**

1. Horses age shall date from the 1st of Jan of the year in which they were foaled.

2. Horses must be sound, fit, and healthy, and exhibited with safe and properly fitting harness and equipment.

3. Injured horses may be requested to be removed from the fair grounds at the discretion of the IPE.

4. Any horse that does not appear to have enough training or experience may be asked to stay in the barn.

5. Div 4 Director/IPE management retains the right to dismiss any exhibitor who does not comply. All complaints and inquiries will be made to the Draft Horse committee, (not the IPE office).

## **Stabling Regulations:**

No charge - Standing stalls

\$20/day - Draft box stalls

\*non-refundable

**All horses remain stabled on the fair grounds for the duration of the show entered.** Failure to comply will result in forfeiture of all prize money.

\$75 per stall deposit upon arrival. Cheque must be dated August 28, 2024

Stall deposit/cleanup fee will **NOT** be refunded if stall is not stripped or if the horse does not attend.

a. Entries will be limited to the number of stalls available.

Indicate on entry form which type of stall is needed.

b. Indicate on entry forms any special requests. IPE will make reasonable effort to accommodate special requests but reserves the right to stabling allotments.

c. Removal of stall tags, changing stalls or using stalls for tack room by exhibitor may result in removal from the show, forfeiting entry fees and prize money.

d. Stalls and alleyways to be **cleaned daily before 8:00am** and kept clear all day.

e. IPE will supply sawdust and limited wheelbarrows. Exhibitors are responsible for cleaning their own stalls.

## **Best Decorated Stall**

'Denim in the Dirt' theme. Exhibitors are encouraged to decorate their stalls/area. Prizes will be awarded.

#### **Awards**

The Al Jenkins Memorial Top Teamster trophy will be presented to an exhibitor at the end of the show.

#### **Juniors**

To be 16 years or under as of January 1st 2024. Juniors must be accompanied by an adult in the cart/wagon at all times. The use of ASTM/SEI or BSI approved equestrian helmets are mandatory.

#### **Show Attire**

Exhibitors must present themselves with proper show attire based on industry standards.

Hitch classes: recommended men wear a hat, tie, and collared shirt (jacket or vest optional) and women dress semi-formal (no jeans). Gloves are recommended in all driving classes. In Halter classes, exhibitors should dress semi-formal (no jeans). In the Heavy Horse Pull, exhibitors should present in a professional manner and wear collared shirts.

#### **Heavy Horse Hitch Classes**

For this show Draft horses will consist of the following breeds: Percheron, Belgian, Clydesdale, Shire, Suffolk Punch, Mules and other breeds at the discretion of the committee.

#### **NOTES:**

Heavy Horse and small draft classes will alternate.

Heavy Horse entries must show in a draft harness with a collar and Hames

#### **WEDNESDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES:**

12pm RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

1. Men's Cart  
To be shown both ways in the ring, at the walk & trot. To be judged - 50% conformation, 25% way of going 25% presentation
2. Tandem Hitch  
To be judged the same as class # 1
3. Team of Light Draft Horses  
To be judged same as class #1
4. Team Obstacle Course (Cones)  
This is a timed event.

#### **WEDNESDAY HEAVY HORSE PULL:**

5:30PM RING #1 (Time may change)

Prize Money \$1500.

Remaining prize money - 1st 30%, 2nd 25%, 3rd 20%, 4th 15% 5th 10%,

Salt provided by Sure Crop Feed

Thursday 5:15 pm - Puller parade to hitch ring

#### 5. Heavy Horse Pull

Wed 8:00am: All pulling horses must weigh in

Wed 3:45pm: Puller parade Ring #1

#### **THURSDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES:**

9:30AM RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

6. Authentic Implement Class
7. All Purpose or Farm Team Driving Class  
To be judged both ways of the ring at a walk & trot, presentation & suitability for farming or wagon work, conformation not to count.
8. Team Driving (Pattern)

#### **THURSDAY MULE & DONKEY HALTER CLASSES:**

1PM - RING #2 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$50, \$45, \$40, \$35, \$25**

9. Halter Mule or Donkey: Junior, 2 yrs. & over, any sex
10. Halter Mule or Donkey: Junior, under 2 years
11. **Halter: Mule or Donkey: Champion or Reserve Champion**  
(No registration or entry fee required)  
Top 2 placings from class 9 & 10 are asked to return. Ribbons Only

#### **THURSDAY HEAVY HORSE HALTER CLASSES, ANY BREED:**

2PM RING #2 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$50, \$45, \$40, \$35, \$25**

12. Halter: Heavy Draft: Filly or Colt, foaled in current year
13. Halter: Heavy Draft: Yearling Stallion
14. Halter: Heavy Draft: Stallion 2 years & older
15. **Halter: Heavy Draft: Grand Champion Reserve Grand Champion Stallion**  
(No pre-entry or entry fee required)  
Top 2 placing from classes 12, 13, 14 are asked to return. Ribbons only
16. Halter: Heavy Draft: Yearling Filly
17. Halter: Heavy Draft: Yeld Mare 2 years & older
18. Halter: Heavy Draft: Brood Mare evidence of being in foal or has raised a foal during the current year
19. **Halter: Heavy Draft: Grand Champion Reserve, Grand Champion Female**  
Top 2 horses from class 16, 17, 18 are asked to return. Ribbons Only
20. Halter: Heavy Draft: Light Draft Gelding
21. Halter: Heavy Draft: Heavy Draft Gelding
22. Halter: Heavy Draft: Pulling Horses Only (mares & geldings)  
Must be entered in the pull to participate
23. **Halter: Heavy Draft: Grand Champion Reserve, Grand Champion Gelding**  
Top 2 placings from classes 20, 21, 22 are asked to return. Ribbons only

24. **Halter: Supreme Champion of the Show - All Breeds**  
(Heavy Horse & Small Drafts)  
Grand Champion Female, Grand Champion Stallion,  
Grand Champion Gelding. Ribbons only

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**JUNIOR BRAIDING & SHOWMANSHIP:**

All Junior Exhibitors in Division 4 are asked to enter classes #25 & 26, NO ENTRY FEE

25. Junior Braiding & Showmanship: Braiding under 16 years old  
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**THURSDAY HEAVY HORSE PULL:**

5:30PM RING #1 (Time may change)

Prize Money \$ 1500.

Remaining prize money 1st 30%, 2nd 25%, 3rd 20%, 4th 15%, 5th 10%

Salt provided by Sure Crop Feeds

Thursday 5:15 pm - Puller parade to hitch ring

27. Heavy Horse Pull

**FRIDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES:**

FRIDAY 11AM RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$25

**Prizes: \$150, \$125, \$75, \$50, \$35**

28. Single Obstacle Course (cones)  
29. Junior Team Confirmation  
30. Unicorn Hitch  
To be judged the same as class #1  
31. Four Horse Hitch (pattern)  
To be judged the same as class #1  
32. Amateur Four Horse (pattern)  
To be judged the same as class #1

**FRIDAY HEAVY HORSE PULL:**

5:30PM RING #1 (Time may change)

Must have pulled in Wednesday and Thursday classes.

Salt Provided by Sure Crop Feeds

Friday - 5:15PM - Puller Parade to hitch ring

**Prizes: \$900, \$750, \$600, \$450, \$300**

33. Heavy Horse Pull

**SATURDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES:**

3PM RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

34. Ladies Cart  
To be judged the same as class #1 with emphasis on suitability for a lady driver In memory of Jane VanWerve Perpetual Trophy

35. Junior Cart  
To be judged the same as class #1 with emphasis on suitability for a junior driver

**Prize: Draft Junior Cart Trophy**

36. Ladies Team Driving (pattern)

37. Junior Team Driving (pattern)

**Prize: Best Junior Team Driver Trophy**

38. Team Challenge

This is a timed event. Exhibitors must supply their own double trees

39. Draft Log Skidding

Pattern to be posted, Exhibitors must supply their own double trees

**SUNDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES:**

TBA RING #1

Pattern to be posted, exhibitors must supply their own double trees

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

40. Draft Log Skidding

**SUNDAY HEAVY HORSE HITCH CLASSES 10:30am:**

TBA RING #1

41. Team of Heavy Draft Horses (wheelers)

To be judged same as Class # 1

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

42. Four Horse Hitch, Conformation

To be judged same as Class # 1

Entry Fee: \$25

**Prizes: \$150, \$125, \$75, \$50, \$35**

43. Six Horse Hitch, Conformation

To be judged same as class # 1

Entry Fee: \$50

**Prizes: \$500, \$400, \$350, \$300**

44. Six Horse Hitch (pattern)

Prizes: \$900, Split evenly among exhibitors.

Entry Fee: \$50

**Prize: \$900**

**\*\*IPE Open Costume Class\*\* ( Novelty) Prizes: \$50, \$45, \$40, \$35, \$30**

See Division 5 Light Horse to enter and more details

**SMALL DRAFT HITCH CLASSES**

For the purposes of this show, Small Draft horses will consist of the following breeds: Fjord, Halflinger, Canadian, Morgan, Friesen, Gypsy Vanner, Irish Draft, Cob types, and Draft Crossbreeds. Pony hitches must have approval by the Division 4 Director. Note: Small Draft entries must show in a Draft Harness with a collar and hames.

**WEDNESDAY SMALL DRAFT HITCH CLASSES:**

12pm RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 45. Small Draft Classes: Men's Cart  
To be shown both ways of the ring, at the walk and trot.  
May be asked to back. To be judged 50% on confirmation, 25% way of going suitability, 25% presentation
- 46. Small Draft Classes: Tandem Hitch  
To be judged - see class #45
- 47. Small Draft Classes: Team Class  
To be shown same as class # 45
- 48. Small Draft Classes: Team Obstacle Course (cones)  
This is a timed event

**THURSDAY SMALL DRAFT HITCH CLASSES:**

9:30AM RING #1(Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 49. Authentic implement class
- 50. Small Draft Team Driving (pattern)

**THURSDAY SMALL DRAFT HALTER CLASSES, ANY BREED:**

1PM RING #2 (Time may change)

**Prizes: \$50, \$45, \$40, \$35, \$25**

- 51. Halter: Small Draft Colt or Filly foaled in the current year  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 52. Halter: Small Draft: Stallion Yearling  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 53. Halter: Small Draft: Stallion 2 years & older  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 54. **Halter: Small Draft : Grand Champion, Reserve Grand Champion Stallion**  
Top 2 from classes 51, 52, 53 are asked to return.  
Ribbons only
- 55. Halter: Small Draft Type: Gelding  
(Grand Champion & Reserve awarded at the same time)
- 56. Halter: Small Draft : Yearling Filly  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 57. Halter: Small Draft Type: Yeld Mare 2 years or Older  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 58. Halter: Small Draft Type: Brood Mare, evidence of being in foal or has raised a foal during the current year  
Entry Fee: \$18
- 59. **Halter Small Draft: Grand Champion, Grand Champion Female / Reserve**  
Top 2 horses from classes 55, 56, 57 as well as fillies from class #51 are asked to return. Ribbons only  
Supreme Champion of Show: All breeds, see class #24

**FRIDAY SMALL DRAFT HITCH CLASSES:**

11AM RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 60. Small Draft Single Obstacle Course (Cones)  
This is a timed event
- 61. Small Draft Junior Team Confirmation  
To be judged the same as class # 45 with Emphasis on suitability for a lady driver
- 62. Small Draft Unicorn Hitch  
To be judged the same as class #45
- 63. Small Draft Four Horse Hitch (pattern)  
\*\*Amateur Four Horse (pattern) is combined with Heavy Horse exhibitors - \*\*see details under class #32 to enter\*\*

**SATURDAY SMALL DRAFT CLASSES:**

3PM RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 64. Small Draft Ladies Cart  
To be judged the same as class #45 with emphasis on suitability for a lady driver
- 65. Small Draft Junior Cart  
To be judged the same as class # 45 with emphasis on suitability for a junior driver
- 66. Small Draft Ladies Team Driving (pattern)
- 67. Small Draft Junior Team Driving (pattern)
- 68. Chore Team Challenge  
See details under class #38
- 69. Small Draft Type: Log Skidding  
Pattern to be posted, Exhibitors must supply their own double trees

**SUNDAY SMALL DRAFT HITCH CLASSES:**

TBA RING #1 (Time may change)

Pattern to be posted. Exhibitors must supply their own double trees

Entry Fee: \$18

**Prizes: \$100, \$90, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 70. Small Draft: Log Skidding

**SUNDAY SMALL DRAFT CLASSES:**

TBA RING #1 (Time may change)

Entry Fee: \$25

**Prizes: \$150, \$125, \$75, \$50, \$35**

- 71. Small Draft Four Horse Hitch Conformation  
To be judged the same as class # 45
- 72. Small Draft Six Horse Hitch Conformation  
To be judged the same as class #45
- 73. Small Draft 6 Horse Hitch (pattern)  
To be judged the same as class #45



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