Horse Events Rules and Regulations

1. The committee reserves the right to substitute prize money with goods of equal value.
2. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry.
3. The Committee's decision is final.
4. The Judge's decision is final.
5. Mt Morgan Show Society Inc will not be responsible for any accident, loss or damage.
6. The age of a horse shall be calculated from 1st August. Every horse foaled before this date of that year shall be deemed to be one year old on 1st August.
7. A maiden horse is one which has not won a first place in a maiden, novice or open event at an Agricultural Show.
8. A novice horse is one which has not won an open championship at an Agricultural Show.
9. Junior competitors are to be under the age of 17 years on the day of the show.
10. Stallions will not be permitted in hack classes.
11. Ponies must not exceed 14 hands.
12. Shetland ponies must not exceed 10.2 hands.
13. Miniature ponies must not exceed 8.2 ¼ hands.
14. A Galloway is a horse measuring over 14 hands but not exceeding 15 hands.
15. No ring shall be required to wait for competitors in another ring.
16. The Show Society may carry out random tests for drugs in horses.
17. Horses and competitors must be presented in appropriate gear.
18. Stallions must be controlled at all times.
19. Nominations will be ticket system, available from the Secretary's office.
20. All riders compete at their own risk.
21. Helmets to current pony club standard must be worn in all sporting and show jumping events.
22. Protests may be lodged with the Secretary within 15 minutes of event.
23. A fee of $50 must be submitted with the protest, refundable only if protest is won.
24. Prizes are to be collected on Show Day
25. Uncollected prize money will be deemed a donation after 5 days.
26. All horse events will be suspended for the duration of the Grand Parade so that competitors, place getters and champions can participate.
27. Any horse or person, regardless of sex, displaying unruly, dangerous or out of control behaviour, may be asked to leave the arena.
28. At the Judges discretion, any person displaying rude or unsporting behaviour may be asked to leave the arena with the resulting forfeiture of all nominations
29. When being led or ridden, all stallions over the age of 2 years must be under the control of the bit.
30. All stallions must be double tied or housed in stables when not being ridden or handled.
31. All stallions must only be handled by persons over the age of 18.
32. SHOW SOCIETY PIC IS QEMF0088

Ring 1 – Section 1 - Led
Judging commences 8am   Nominations $2
Prizes: 1st $6   2nd $4   3rd $2

Miniature Pony or Horse

Class 1   Miniature Pony or Horse Stallion or Colt
Class 2   Miniature Pony or Horse Mare or Filly
Class 3   Miniature Pony or Horse Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Miniature Pony or Horse

Shetland Pony

Class 4   Shetland Pony Stallion or Colt
Class 5   Shetland Pony Mare or Filly
Class 6   Shetland Pony Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Shetland Pony

Other Ponies Over 10.2HH Which Have Not Competed in Classes 1-9

Class 7   Pony Stallion or Colt
Class 8   Pony Mare or Filly
Class 9   Pony Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion any other Pony

**Grand Champion Led Pony of the Show
(George and Annie Bills Memorial Trophy)**

Class 10   Child Handler – under 12 years
Class 11   Child Handler – over 12 years and under 17 years

Ring 1
Section 2 - Ridden
Noms: $2   Prizes: 1st $6   2nd $4   3rd $2

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$50 cash prize for each of 6 Lucky Exhibitors: Each exhibit which participates in the Grand Parade is given one ticket. (Sponsored by Cr Ellen Smith.)

Junior Rider Classes
Class 12   Best Presented Horse and Rider under 17 yrs
Class 13   Most suitable child's horse/pony (Rider 8 yrs and under)
Class 14   Rider under 6 yrs, may be led by adult rider
Class 15   Rider 6 yrs & over, but under 8 yrs

Mt Morgan Light Horse Troup Perpetual Trophy to be awarded to the rider with the most potential from Class 15

Class 16   Rider 8 yrs & over, but under 10 yrs
Class 17   Rider 10 yrs & over, but under 14 yrs
Class 18   Rider 14 yrs & over, but under 17 yrs

Champion & Reserve Champion Junior Rider (Classes 14 – 18)

Class 19   Costume Class

Sponsored by Brian and Carol Glover

Pony Hacks
Class 20   Maiden Pony Hack
Class 21   Novice Pony Hack
Class 22   Local Pony Hack
Class 23   Pony Hack under 13 hands
Class 24   Pony Hack 13 hands & over
Class 25   Junior Pony Hack (for Riders under 17 yrs)
Class 26   Pony Hack (for Riders over 17 yrs)
Class 27   Open Pony Hack

Champion & Reserve Champion Pony Hack

**Irene & John McDougall Memorial Trophy
for Champion Pony Hack and in memory of Betty Ware**

Ring 2
Section 3 - Led

Judging commences 8am   Nominations $3
Prizes: 1ˢᵗ $10   2ⁿᵈ $6   3ʳᵈ $3

Registered Thoroughbred

Class 28   Thoroughbred Stallion or Colt
Class 29   Thoroughbred Mare or Filly
Class 30   Thoroughbred Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Thoroughbred

Champion Thoroughbred George Sealy Memorial Trophy

Registered ANSA

Class 31   ANSA Stallion or Colt
Class 32   ANSA Mare or Filly
Class 33   ANSA Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion ANSA

Registered Australian Stock Horse

Class 34   ASH Stallion or Colt
Class 35   ASH Mare or Filly
Class 36   ASH Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Australian Stock Horse

Registered Quarter Horse

Class 37   Quarter Horse Stallion or Colt
Class 38   Quarter Horse Mare or Filly
Class 39   Quarter Horse Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Quarter Horse

Registered Paint Horse

Class 40   Paint Horse Stallion or Colt
Class 41   Paint Horse Mare or Filly
Class 42   Paint Horse Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Paint Horse

Heavy Horse

Class 43   Heavy Horse Stallion or Colt
Class 44   Heavy Horse Mare or Filly
Class 45   Heavy Horse Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Heavy Horse

Any Other Registered Horse
(Which has not competed in Classes 28 – 42)

Class 46   Stallion or Colt
Class 47   Mare or Filly
Class 48   Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Any Other Registered Horse

Any Unregistered Horse

Class 49   Stallion or Colt
Class 50   Mare or Filly
Class 51   Gelding

Champion & Reserve Champion Unregistered Horse

Grand Champion Led Horse of the Show
(Champions from Classes 28 – 51 to compete for Grand Champion)

Supreme Champion Led Exhibit of the Show
(Grand Champions from each led division to compete)
Elenor Shield Memorial Trophy
Donated by Trudy Shield

Ring 2 – Section 4 - Ridden
Noms: $3
1ˢᵗ Prize $10   2ⁿᵈ $6   3ʳᵈ $3

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Senior Rider Classes
Class 52   Senior Rider 17yrs and over, but under 21 yrs
Class 53   Senior Rider 21 yrs and over

Champion/Reserve Champion Senior Rider

Hacks
Class 54   Maiden Hack
Class 55   Novice Hack
Class 56   Open Hack 15hh & Under 16hh
Class 57   Open Hack Over 16hh
Class 58   Open Hack for Mares
Class 59   Open Hack for Geldings

Champion & Reserve Champion Hack

Galloway Hacks
Class 60   Maiden Galloway
Class 61   Novice Galloway
Class 62   Open Galloway Hack 14hh & Under 14.2hh
Class 63   Open Galloway Hack 14.2hh & Under 15hh
Class 64   Galloway Hack for Mares
Class 65   Galloway Hack for Geldings

Champion & Reserve Champion Galloway Hack

Show Hunter Hacks
Class 66   Open Show Hunter Pony
Class 67   Open Show Hunter Galloway
Class 68   Open Show Hunter Hack

Champion & Reserve Champion Show Hunter Hack

Stallions
Class 69   Stallion Under Saddle

Champions and Reserve Champions Sponsored by
Stewart's Towing & Service Station,
Mt Morgan

Supreme Champion Rider of the Show

Supreme Champion Hack of the Show
(Champion Pony, Galloway, Hack and Show Hunter Hack eligible)
John and Ivy Hempseed Memorial Trophy

Proudly Sponsored by Kabra Granite Supplies

Ring 3 – Section 5

Judging commences 10am   Nominations $3
Prizes: 1ˢᵗ $10   2ⁿᵈ $6   3ʳᵈ $3

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Heavy Horse Events

Class 70   Junior Handler – Heavy Horse
Class 71   Heavy Horse Driven in Long Reins
Class 72   Heavy Horse – Group of three
Class 73   Heavy Horse Slide Obstacle Course

Sponsored by Mount Morgan Post Office

Carriage Driving

Class 74   Sulky or Buggy Turnout (any vehicle)
Class 75   Novice Harness Horse (horse who has not won an open harness championship at any agricultural show)
Class 76   Working Pony in Harness (14hh & Under)
Class 77   Working Light Horse in Harness (Over 14hh)
Class 78   Working Medium/Heavy Horse in Harness
Class 79   Ladies and Gentlemen Whip (the Driver should display excellent control with the lightest of discernable aids)
Class 80   Junior Whip (17 yrs and Under)
Class 81   Handy Horse/Pony
Class 82   Timed Cones Course (14hh & Under)
Class 83   Timed Cones Course (Over 14hh)

- Turnout to be judged on a large circle and in line up – with no individual workout.
- Working horse or pony may be expected to show (but not limited to) medium walk, working & extended trot, halt and rein back.
- Handy Horse/Pony may be expected to show (but not limited to) weaving through cones, reverse parking and fanning.
- The winner of the timed cones course will be the competitor who completed the course in the fastest time. A five second penalty will be added for each tennis ball that is knocked off a cone.

Champion & Reserve Champion Harness Exhibit
(Open to Winners of classes 74 - 80)

Sponsored by Nadine Goody and Gary Small

Concours D'Elegance
Costume Turnout

"A parade of horse drawn vehicles, prizes being awarded for the most elegant, best turned out & eye-catching costume"

Prizes: 1ST Place $50
2 equal Runners Up receive $25

To be judged directly before the Grand Parade

Sponsored by Cr Cherie Rutherford

Ring 4 – Section 6
Show Jumping

Judging commences 8am
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J1-J4, J6 & J8 Noms: $2 Prizes: 1st $10   2nd $6   3rd $4
J5, J7 & J9 Noms: $5   Prizes: 1st $100   2nd $50   3rd $30
J10 & J11 Noms: $5…..Prizes: 1st $50   2nd $25   3rd $15
Maximum of 3 classes per horse (six bar not included)
Same horse cannot be ridden by more than one rider in same class
Sponsored by Michael Rowe

Class J1   400mm AM7 (competitors Under 17 yrs)
Class J2   600mm AM7
Class J3   800mm AM7
Class J4   Junior AM3 (Under 17 yrs) – starting height 70cm
Class J5   Open AM3 – starting height 90cm
Class J6   Junior Top Score – starting height 40cm
Class J7   Open Top Score – 60cm and up
Class J8   Junior Power & Speed – starting height 60cm
Class J9   Open Power & Speed
Classes J10 & J11 only if time permits – at the judges discretion
Class J10   Junior Six Bar (Riders aged under 17 yrs)
Class J11   Open Six Bar

Ring 5 – Section 7

Judging commences 10am
Nominations $5
Prizes: 1st $10   2nd $6   3rd $3

All Breeds Stockhorse Hack
(Unregistered horses allowed and stallion eligible)
Class 84   Junior (under 13 yrs of age) H5
Class 85   Juvenile (13-17 yrs of age) H5
Class 86   Maiden Hack (open to horse that has never won this class) H5
Class 87   Open Hack (open to all horses) H13

All Breeds Ranch Riding
(Unregistered horses allowed and stallion eligible)
Class 88   Junior Youth (under 13 yrs of age)
Class 89   Senior Youth (13 - 17 yrs of age)
Class 90   Beginner Ranch Horse (open to horse that has not won this class)
Class 91   Open Ranch Horse (open to all horses)

All Breeds Working Horse
(Unregistered horses allowed and stallion eligible)
Class 92   Junior (under 13 yrs of age) W3a no whip
Class 93   Juvenile (13 - 17 yrs of age) W3a no whip
Class 94   Maiden Working Horse (open to horse that has never won a working class) W3a
Class 95   Open Working Horse (open to all horses) W4

All Breeds Time Trial (Pattern TT3 for all classes)
(Unregistered horses allowed and stallion eligible)

Class 96   Junior (under 13 yrs of age)
Class 97   Juvenile (13 - 17 yrs of age)
Class 98   Maiden Time Trial (open to horse that has never won this class)
Class 99   Open Time Trial (open to all horses)

CHAMPION ALL BREEDS YOUTH OF THE SHOIW
To be judged from classes 84, 85, 88, 89, 92, 93, 96 and 97 on sliding points scale
Sponsored by Infinity Performance Horses

CHAMPION ALL BREEDS WORKING HORSE OF SHOW
To be judged from classes 86, 87, 90, 91, 94, 95, 98 and 99 on a sliding points scale
Sponsored by Infinity Performance Horses

Ring 5 – Section 8
Sporting Events
Helmets to current Pony Club standard MUST be Worn
(After Grand Parade)

Nominations $3
Prizes: 1st $10   2nd $6   3rd $3

Bending Race

Class S1   8 years and under (may be assisted)
Class S2   9 – 12 years
Class S3   13 – 17 years
Class S4   18 years and over

Flag Race

Class S5   8 years and under (may be assisted)
Class S6   9 – 12 years
Class S7   13 – 17 years
Class S8   18 years and over

Figure of 8 Race

Class S9   8 years and under (may be assisted)
Class S10   9 – 12 years
Class S11   13 – 17 years
Class S12   18 years and over

Barrel Race

Class S13   8 years and under (may be assisted)
Class S14   9 – 12 years
Class S15   13 – 17 years
Class S16   18 years and over