



2024 CHAMPIONSHIP HORSE SHOW



September 19 - 23, 2024 | MN State Fairgrounds | St. Paul, MN

GENERAL INFO / RULES

IMPORTANT DATES/TIMES:

QUALIFICATION DEADLINE: August 11, 2024

ENTRY DEADLINE: August 25, 2024

ARRIVAL DAY: Wednesday, September 18, 2024

Show Office Opens: 2pm | Barns Open: 4pm | Royalty Competition: 8pm

GAME HORSE ARRIVAL: Friday, September 20, 2024

Barns Open for Game horses at APPROXIMATELY 9PM

OPEN RIDING IN COLISEUM: {NO Lunging!}

WEDNESDAY: QUEENS CONTESTANTS ONLY until Competition is complete.

THURSDAY: 5am-6am | 6am - 6:30am Driving Only

FRIDAY - MONDAY: 5am-6:30am and following last class of day until 12am.

SCHEDULE:

THURSDAY - 9/19/24 Classes begin at 7am. The last class of the day will be class number 36, Futurity 3&4 Year Old Western Pleasure. Classes 3, 4, 5, 6, 9 and 10 and classes 26 through 29 will run simultaneously. Futurity Classes 7 and 8 will start at 9am in the Compeer Arena.

FRIDAY - 9/20/24 Classes begin at 7am with Class 37 Jr. Walk Trot Pleasure. The last class of the day will be Class 60 Sr+ Ranch Riding. Classes 50 through 57 will run simultaneously.

SATURDAY - 9/21/24 Classes begin at 7am with Classes 61 and 62 (Sr. Pennant and Int. Pennant) running simultaneously. Classes 61 through 76 will run simultaneously. The last class of the day will be Class 77 4-In-A-Line.

SUNDAY - 9/22/24 Classes begin at 7am with Class 78 Sr ++ Jumping Figure 8. Adaptive Riding Classes will start at 10am in the Compeer Arena. The royalty coronation will be held after Class 84 Pony Jumping Figure 8. The last class of the day will be Class 86 Ribbon Race.

MONDAY - 9/23/24 Classes begin at 7am with Class 87 Jr Egg & Spoon Game Horse. The final class is Class 96 Sr++ Barrels.

See the full schedule for a complete breakdown of classes.

SAFETY/GROUNDS

■ Rail classes will not have more than 25 exhibitors in cuts.

■ The WSCA Championship Show Committee is committed to providing the best ground possible. With the exhibitors and their horses safety on the forefront.

■ Decisions made by the descretion of the WSCA Championship Show Committee are final.

■ Upon entering, exhibitors agree to follow the Championship Horse Show rules and agree to hold the MN State Fair, WSCA, Board of Directors, Show Committee harmless for any/all damages that may occur.

QUALIFICATIONS:

■ Prior to qualifying, you must have a champshow.org account. (One account per household) All your riders and horses **MUST** be on your account before you show at a WSCA qualifying horse show, so your qualifications can be verified.

■ Qualification dates for the 2024 WSCA Championship Show are from 8/14/2023 thru 8/11/2024. You must have qualified between those dates to be eligible to enter.

■ Riders must be a member in good standing of a WSCA Saddle Club as of May 31, 2024, and their name must appear on the WSCA Membership List.

■ Riders must have placed either first or second at a WSCA judged horse show in a WSCA qualifying class within the qualifying dates listed above.

CLASS & AGE DIVISIONS

Riders must ride in their appropriate age class, and correct pony size corresponding to age. Class and age divisions are to be determined as of January 1, 2024.

Class and age divisions are:

Pet Pony: 48" and under pony | Rider 10 yrs. & under

Pony: 54" and under pony | Rider 13 yrs. & under

PeeWee: Horse or Pony over 54" | Rider 10 yrs. & under

Junior Rider: Horse over 54" | Rider 11 to 13 yrs.

Intermediate Rider: 14 to 17 yrs.

Senior Rider: 18 to 34 yrs.

Sr+ Rider: 35 to 49 yrs.

Sr. 50+ Rider: 50 yrs. and over

PONY MEASUREMENT

All Ponies MUST be measured at the Champ Show prior to their class. Ponies must show in their appropriate size and age appropriate class.

PONY MEASUREMENT TIMES

WEDNESDAY: 8pm-9pm | **THURSDAY:** 6am-8am

FRIDAY: 9pm-10pm | **SATURDAY:** 7am-8am | **MONDAY:** 7am-8am

CLASS REGISTRATION

LATE ENTRIES

Late entries will be accepted after August 25, 2024 at **DOUBLE the fees.**

A **negative coggins is REQUIRED** and must be uploaded to your online account prior to entering.

REFUNDS

Refunds for entry fees will be given only in the case of an illness or injury to the horse or rider. A doctor's letter, or a letter from your veterinarian stating the reason you cannot participate, **MUST** be submitted to the show office. Refunds for any other reason will not be given. **No refunds will be given for stalls.**

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NEW

SHOWCASE WALK TROT CLASSES

■ The 2024 Championship Show Committee is adding Showcase Walk Trot Western Pleasure Classes to the 2024 WSCA Championship Horse Show in a effort to see the level of interest.

■ Two age divisions; Jr 17 & Under, Sr 18 & Over, Western Pleasure and Western Horsemanship in each age division.

■ Horse/Rider combination must show in a class at a WSCA Horse Show **and have a "Proof of Participation Form" completed. This form will be available on wsca.org under forms and it will be the responsibility of the exhibitor to have it filled out, signed by the show committee and mailed to address on form. Postmarked no later than August 12, 2024.**

■ The same horse/rider combination may not cross enter into any loping class at the WSCA Championship Horse Show.

SHOWCASE RANCH CLASSES

■ The 2024 Championship Show Committee is adding in some 'showcase classes' to the 2024 WSCA Championship Horse Show in a effort to see the level of interest in the addition of Ranch Classes to the WSCA Class List/Championship Show in the future.

■ Exhibitors do not need to qualify for the Showcase Ranch classes.

■ No horses less than 3 years of age may be exhibited.

■ Three age divisions; Jr 17 & Under, Sr 18-34 and Sr+ 35 & Over in Ranch Pleasure and Ranch Riding.

■ Cross entries into additional pleasure classes will be permitted.

■ The Ranch Horse classes are designed to show the overall ability of the horse to perform skills necessary to those of the all-around ranch horse.

RANCH PLEASURE: The ranch rail pleasure class measures the ability of the horse to be a pleasure to ride while being used as a means of conveyance from one ranch task to another and should reflect the versatility, attitude, and movement of a working horse. The horse should be well-trained, relaxed, quiet, soft and cadenced at all gaits. The ideal ranch horse will travel with forward movement and demonstrate an obvious lengthening of stride at extended gaits. The horse can be ridden with light contact or on a relatively loose rein without requiring undue restraint, but not shown on a full drape of reins. The overall manners and responsiveness of the horse to make timely transitions in a smooth and correct manner, as well as the quality of the movement are of primary considerations.

RANCH RIDING: The purpose of the ranch riding class is to evaluate the rider's ability to execute, in concert with their horse, a set of maneuvers with precision and smoothness while exhibiting poise and confidence, and maintaining a balanced, functional and fundamentally correct body position. The horse should be well-trained, relaxed, quiet, soft and cadenced at all gaits. The ideal ranch horse will travel with forward movement and demonstrate an obvious lengthening of stride at extended gaits. The horse can be ridden with light contact or on a relatively loose rein without requiring undue restraint, but not shown on a full drape of reins.

See *WSCA Ranch Horse Guidelines for more info.*

JACKPOT PLEASURE CLASSES

■ There are two Jackpot Pleasure Classes added the 2024 WSCA Championship Horse Show; Jackpot English Pleasure and Jackpot Western Pleasure.

■ The horse must show in 'like' class to enter Jackpot Class. i.e. Horse must be shown in Western Pleasure Class to enter the Jackpot Western Pleasure Class. {Rider can be different}

■ Added Money and 75% payout. Checks will be mailed.

■ Jackpot Classes can/will follow the rail class cut rules.

ADAPTIVE RIDING CLASSES

■ Poles, Key Race and Barrels will take place in the Compeer Arena on Sunday, September 22 at 10am.

■ Exhibitors do not need to qualify for the Adaptive Riding Classes.

■ Class eligibility will be determined by individual's ability to ride and skill level.

1. Assisted Obstacle Game Class - Walk and trot with horse handler and riding assistants as needed. Class will be judged on the proper execution of obstacles, balance and seat, control of mount, quietness of mount and pace, and safety awareness. Arena spotters are required.

2. Unassisted Obstacle Game Class - Walk, trot or canter unassisted. Arena spotters are required. Class will be judged on proper execution of pattern and time. The exhibitor with the fastest time is the winner of the event.

See *WSCA Adaptive Riding Program Guidelines for more info.*

FUTURITY/MATURITY PLEASURE

■ The Futurity/Maturity is designed to appeal to all pleasure horse breeders, owners, trainers and exhibitors by offering classes for horses ranging from yearlings to maturity 5 & over.

■ Must show proof of age to show office upon check in.

■ \$200 Added Money to each class and 75% payout. Payout based on the number of entries. Checks will be mailed.

■ Be prepared for bit inspection.

■ Yearling Longeline; no chains, walk, trot, lope both directions. 45 seconds each direction. Exhibitors can show up to 2 in Longeline.

See *WSCA Pleasure Futurity Guidelines for more info.*

FUTURITY/DERBY SIDEPOT 4D BARRELS

■ To be eligible for the Futurity, the horse must be 5 and under {must show proof of age to show office} and horse must NEVER have competed in ANY barrel race prior to November 15, 2023. Horse may have run exhibition runs.

■ To be eligible for the Derby, the horse must be 7 and under {must show proof of age to show office}.

■ The futurity/derby sidepot times will be taken from age division run. {there will not be a separate run}

■ All barrel classes are staked and dragged consistent. The Championship Show Committee is committed to providing the best ground possible.

■ 1/2 second splits. Number of placings based on the number of entries.

■ Added Money and 75% payout. Results will be posted on Tuesday, September 24, 2024. Checks will be mailed.

JACKPOT SIDEPOT 5D BARRELS

■ The Jackpot sidepot times will be taken from age division run. {there will not be a separate run}

■ Must be entered into sidepot before barrels start.

■ All barrel classes are staked and dragged consistent. The Championship Show Committee is committed to providing the best ground possible.

■ 1/2 second splits. Number of placings based on the number of entries.

■ Added Money and 75% payout. Results will be posted on Tuesday, September 24, 2024. Checks will be mailed.

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AWARDS/PAYOUT

■ Regular classes will be awarded a trophy and ten ribbons, along with payout for each placing. If class has under 20 exhibitors, the max payout will be 50% of entries.

PLEASURE PATTERNS

■ Pleasure patterns will be posted no later than Monday, September 16, 2024. They will be posted on equiscribe and on social media.

NON-STOCK TYPE

■ A Non-Stock Type Western Pleasure class is open to horses that are lighter in build than the stock horse breeds including, but not limited to, horses of Arabian, Morgan and/or Saddlebred type.

4-IN-A-LINE

■ A horse/rider combo may enter and ride in only ONE 4-in-line barrels team. Rider can ride in up to 2 teams, with different horses.

ENTRY FEES	BEFORE 8/25/24	AFTER 8/25/24
OFFICE CHARGE	\$20	\$40
SINGLE CLASS	\$20	\$40
DOUBLE CLASS	\$40	\$80
4-IN-A-LINE	\$80	\$160
ADAPTIVE RIDING CLASSES	\$20	\$40
FUTURITY PLEASURE CLASSES	\$85	\$170
MATURITY PLEASURE CLASSES	\$85	\$170
JACKPOT PLEASURE CLASSES	\$50	\$100
SIDEPOT 5D BARRELS	\$40	\$80
SIDEPOT 4D FUTURITY BARRELS	\$40	\$80
SIDEPOT 4D DERBY BARRELS	\$40	\$80

*all entry fees are subject to convenience fees.

PARKING/ELECTRICAL CAMPING	BEFORE 8/25/24	AFTER 8/25/24
PARKING PERMIT {non-electrical}	\$20	\$40
APPROVED EARLY ARRIVAL	\$50	\$100
FULL SHOW ELECTRICAL (WED - MON)	\$100	\$200
WED - FRI ELECTRICAL	\$60	\$120
FRI LATE - MONDAY ELECTRICAL	\$60	\$120
SIDE BY SIDE PERMIT	\$50	\$100

*all parking/electrical fees are subject to convenience fees.

STALLING

	BEFORE 8/25/24	AFTER 8/25/24
FULL OPTION (WED 4PM - MON)	\$130	\$260
PLEASURE OPTION (WED 4PM - FRI)	\$55	\$110
GAMES OPTION (FRI 9PM - MON)	\$56	\$112
TIE STALLS	\$25	\$50
FULL OPTION TACK STALL	\$130	\$260
PLEASURE TACK STALL	\$55	\$110
GAMES TACK STALL	\$56	\$112

*all stalling fees are subject to convenience fees.

■ **EVERY HORSE ENTERED MUST PURCHASE A STALL.** Only horses that have been entered into a class may purchase a stall.

■ **DEPOSITS:** All stalls are required to be cleaned before you leave. You STILL must then have them inspected, and checked out by the Barn Office. If you fail to complete this process, your credit card will be charged \$35 + processing fee PER STALL as a penalty for not cleaning the stalls. You may voluntarily pay that clean up fee, but we ask that you let the Barn Office know your intentions, so we can have them cleaned in a timely manner.

■ **GROUP STALLING:** Be sure to fill out & submit the group stalling form.

See *WSCA Stalling Instructions for more information on stalling.*



The WSCA Championship Horse Show Chairperson and Committee members reserve the right to make changes to the Championship Show prior to entry open date.

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