

# HORSES

## RULES

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1. Horse classes shall be open to all competitors residing in or outside Brome County.
2. **All entry forms**, applicable fees and certificate of insurance must be in the office of the secretary **before 8pm, August 10**. Entries received after this date will not be accepted and the post mark will not be taken into consideration. When stable accommodation is full, entries will be refused and entry fees will be returned.
3. A \$25 exhibitor fee must accompany each entry form along with \$20 entry fee per animal which will be refunded provided the animal is shown.
4. On making entries, the owner's name and address in full, the name of the animal if named and the age should be given. A copy of the registration form must accompany entry form for all registered horses.
5. All horses and ponies must have a clear Coggins test for the previous year or year of Fair. It is not necessary to mail it with the entry form. The original certificate must accompany the animal on arrival at the grounds. No horse will be stabled without certificate.
6. No tie out allowed.
7. Horse exhibitors are to enter at gate C and proceed to the horse committee office located in the stabling area. Horses are not to be unloaded until registration papers and proof of Coggins test is verified.
8. Exhibitors must be on fairgrounds by 9:00 p.m. Thursday. All stalls must be cleaned by 6:00 p.m. Monday, leaving the manure in the alley. Any exhibitor not leaving the stall clean will forfeit the \$20 entry fee.
9. No addition to classes will be allowed after August 10<sup>th</sup>.
10. If only one animal is exhibited in a class or section, the judge can use his own discretion as to awarding a premium. He shall in no case award a prize unless he considers the exhibit actually worthy of such a premium.
11. Registration papers must be shown with the horse before the judging. Current year foals that are not fully registered must have a Canadian National Livestock record pre-registration. Registered horses may not compete in Grade classes. All registered breeding classes must be registered with Canadian Livestock Records, Ottawa.
12. Brood mares must show evidence of being in foal or have raised a foal during the current year. The exhibitor is required to show the foal at foot or registration certificate of the foal must be provided if the foal is not shown.
13. Pairs of horses can be shown both in pairs and single. The single horse and the pair must be those entered and owned by the exhibitor.
14. Any person showing registered animals as grade will be disqualified. All draft horse geldings are to be shown as grade animals.
15. **Section 117 and 119.** All classes with age restrictions must be substantiated by showing proof of age. A photocopy of their Medicare card must be submitted with the entry form. All ages are to be as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the year of the fair.
16. **Section 114.** For all age restrictions the draft horse committee reserves the right to verify the age of the driver. All ages are to be as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the year of the fair.
17. Exhibitors must dress appropriately for all horse classes & the parade.
18. Exhibitors are not permitted to address the judge. If an exhibitor feels there is a problem, he may approach the ringmaster or the show manager.
19. Horses that are ridden or driven during the competition must be ridden or driven in Sunday's parade, not paraded on halter.
20. All horses must be washed at the wash stand. No washing near the barns.
21. All stalls are to be kept clean and tidy at all times. The horse committees reserve the right to verify.
22. **Definitions:**
  - a) An **exhibit** shall be interpreted as follows: one or more units of livestock qualifying for any entry into a class as specified in the classifications. All registered animals, whether owned by one person or by more than one person, individually or jointly, are considered to be the production of one farm or breeding unit on which they are maintained.
  - b) An **exhibitor** is any breeder or firm which presents animals or farm produce for official placing by a judge at the time specified for judging.

- c) In each classification where the same or common interests are involved in more than one breeding operation such operations are considered as one **breeding unit**. In all cases where there is any doubt that more than one breeding unit exists, the interpretation shall be that only one breeding unit exists. The responsibility of proof of separation of breeding units shall rest with the exhibitors.
  - d) **Purebred** means an animal of the breed as determined by the by-laws of an association authorized to register animals of that breed
23. **Checking of exhibits** is the responsibility of the fair committee. They will exclude ineligible animals and those not positively identified before judging.
  24. **Split classes.** For all species, classes may be split at the discretion of the judge when the number of exhibits is deemed excessive. The two sections will still be viewed as one single class.
  25. **Animal registration.** All exhibits must be owned by and registered as purebred in the name of the exhibitor. Note exception in the Get-of-Sire class. Registration of each heavy horse must accompany the entry or, in the case of spring and summer foals, a breeding certificate must be available.
  26. **No smoking.** Smoking in the horse barns is strictly prohibited.
  27. No motorized vehicles, stock or flatbed trailers are permitted to be parked between the horse barns. Parking will be available in the back.

**Section 125: Exhibitors' Competition**

Exhibitor's prize based on the quality of the exhibit.

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| Decorations and neatness  | 50% |
| Information to the public | 25% |
| Courtesy                  | 25% |

\$40 \$30 \$20 \$10

**HEAVY HORSE CLASSES**

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**The following classes apply to sections:**

**102** Percheron  
**103** Clyde  
**104** Belgian  
**105** All other registered draft

**Championship classes (Ribbons only):** Junior, senior and grand champion stallion (C4, C5, C6) and mare (C1, C2, C3) ribbon. One for each breed (Section).

**Prizes for the following classes**  
\$100, \$90, \$75, \$60, \$55, \$50, \$40, \$35, \$25, \$20

1. Filly or colt foaled of current year
2. Filly or colt one year old
3. Filly two years old  
**C1:** Junior champion filly
4. Filly foal three years old
5. Yeld mare four years and over
6. Brood mare that shows evidence of being in foal or has raised a foal during the current year. The exhibitor is required to show the mare with foal at foot or registration certificate of the foal must be provided if the foal is not shown. Top placing Belgian mare to receive **Guy Yates Trophy**.  
**C2:** Senior champion mare.  
**C3:** Grand champion mare
7. Stallion two years old.  
**C4:** Junior champion stallion
8. Stallion three years and over  
**C5:** Senior champion stallion  
**C6:** Grand champion stallion

- 9. Get-of-sire.** Three animals, any age, the get of one sire. Each animal must have been shown in its appropriate single section if offered. At least one animal must be owned by the exhibitor and registered as purebred in the exhibitor's name.
- 10. Progeny of dam.** Two animals, any age, the progeny of the dam. Each animal must have been shown in its appropriate single section if offered. Both animals must be owned by the exhibitor and registered as purebred in the exhibitor's name.

**The following classes apply to section:**  
**123** All registered draft breeds

**Prizes for the following class**  
\$110, \$100, \$90, \$80, \$70, & \$60 (for five remainder)

- 12.** Pair registered draft horses, two on the box. All breeds compete. Registered geldings are not eligible in this class.

**The following classes apply to section:**  
**124** Draft & Light breeds compete

- 13.** Mason Ashley Martin Trophy for Get-of-sire or Progeny of dam. Open to light and draft breeds. Registered horses only. See details on trophy page.

**The following classes apply to section:**  
**113** Grade draft horse specials

**Prizes**  
\$30, \$25, \$20, \$15, \$12

- 15.** Grade draft mare and foal on halter  
**16.** Grade draft yearling and two year olds  
**17.** Grade gelding three years old and over

**The following classes apply to section:**  
**114** Registered or grade specials

**Prizes for the following classes**  
\$90, \$80, \$70, \$60, \$50, \$40(for 6th to 10th),  
\$25 (remainder)

All draft team hitches require driver and assistant in proper attire.

- 21.** Draft mare or gelding, on line, one entry per exhibitor. The top placing horse will be awarded the **Earl Marsh Trophy** for the best draft horse on the grounds. The top placing Brome county horse and / or owner permanent, full time county resident, will be awarded the **T.D. Frizzle Trophy**
- 22. Bill Blackwood Memorial Trophy.** Single draft horse, hitched to a two wheel cart. Lady driver in formal attire. Driver 18+ years.
- 23.** Tandem hitch, hitched to a four-wheel wagon or two-wheel cart.
- 24.** Unicorn class, three horses not necessarily owned by exhibitor, hitched to a four wheel wagon.
- 25.** Troika hitch, not necessarily owned by exhibitor hitched to a four-wheel wagon.
- 26. J.C. Blackwood Trophy.** Pair of draft horses, hitched to a four-wheel wagon.
- 27. Clyde Jersey Trophy.** Pair of draft horses, registered or grade, hitched to a four wheel wagon. Obstacle course. Top placing team from Brome County will receive this trophy.
- 28.** Pair draft horses hitched to a four wheel wagon. Lady driver 18 years and older.

- 29. Sam Evans Trophy.** Girl or boy driver 8 to 12 years old. Pair of draft horses hitched to a four-wheel wagon. Each driver must demonstrate the ability to handle the team on his/her own. An adult 18 years and over capable of driving, must accompany each driver. Child cannot be tied; if this occurs then entry will be disqualified.
- 30. Sam Evans Trophy.** Girl or boy driver 13 to 17 years old. Pair of draft horses hitched to a four-wheel wagon. Each driver must demonstrate the ability to handle the team on his/her own. An adult 18 years and over capable of driving, must accompany each driver. Child cannot be tied; if this occurs then entry will be disqualified.
- 31.** Single draft horse, hitched to a two wheel cart. Boy or Girl in formal attire. Driver 13 to 17 years old only. An adult 18+ years, capable of driving, must accompany each driver. Each driver must demonstrate the ability to handle the hitch on his/her own. Child can not be tied on; if this occurs the entry will be disqualified.

**Sponsored by the Draft Horse Committee.**

- 32.** Tandem hitch, hitched to a four-wheel wagon, obstacle course.
- 33.** Kid cart, 8 years to 12 years. Each driver must demonstrate the ability to handle the hitch on his/her own. Child can not be tied on; if this occurs the entry will be disqualified.

**Prizes for the following class**

\$110, \$100, \$90, \$80, \$70 & \$50(for remainder to 14)

- 34.** Four horse hitch, hitched to a four-wheel wagon, not necessarily owned by the exhibitor.

**Prizes for the following class**

\$275, \$200, \$150, \$140, \$130, \$120, \$110  
& \$75 (for remainder to 12)

- 35. McPherson Trophy** Six horse hitch, hitched to a four-wheel wagon, not necessarily owned by the exhibitor.

**Ribbon & trophy class only**

- 36.** Single draft, heavy or light, “skidding” competition. Timed competition event. All horses must have competed in one or more regular or special classes (ribbon and trophy class only). **David Anderson Memorial Trophy**

## LIGHT HORSE & PONY CLASSES

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**The following classes apply to sections:**

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| <b>106</b> | Morgan                       |
| <b>107</b> | Quarter Horse                |
| <b>108</b> | Standardbred                 |
| <b>109</b> | Appaloosa                    |
| <b>110</b> | Paint                        |
| <b>111</b> | Arabian                      |
| <b>118</b> | All breeds registered ponies |
| <b>122</b> | All other light horse breeds |

**Prizes for the following classes (section 118 only)**

\$25, \$20, \$18, \$15, \$10

**Prizes for the following classes  
(section 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 122)**

\$45, \$40, \$35, \$30, \$25

**Championship classes (Ribbons only):** Junior, senior and grand champion stallion (C4, C5, C6) and mare (C1, C2, C3) ribbon. One for each breed (Section).

**45.** Mare, yearling and 2-year old.

**C1:** Junior Champion Mare

**46.** Yeld mare 3-years and over

**47.** Brood mare and foal on halters

**C2:** Senior Champion Mare

**C3:** Grand Champion Mare

**48.** Stallion yearling and 2-year old

**C4:** Junior Champion Stallion

**49.** Stallion, 3 years and over

**C5:** Senior Champion Stallion

**C6:** Grand Champion Stallion

**50.** Registered gelding, 2 years and over. Horse not eligible for class 53, Section 115

**51. Get-of-Sire:** Three animals that have been shown in regular classes, not necessarily bred or owned by the exhibitor. All registered light breeds to compete.

**52. Progeny of Dam:** Two animals, either sex, that have been shown in regular classes, not necessarily bred or owned by the exhibitor. All registered light breeds to compete.

**The following classes apply to section:**

**124** Draft & light breeds compete

**13. Mason Ashley Martin Trophy"** for Get-of-Sire or Progeny of Dam. Open to both light and heavy breeds. Registered horses only. See details on trophy page.

**The following classes apply to section:**

**115** Grade light breeds

**Prizes for the following class**

\$35, \$30, \$25, \$20, \$18

**53.** Mare or gelding, light breed, 3-years and over, shown on halter.

**The following classes apply to section:**

**116** Driving and riding

**Classes in this section open to exhibitors 18+ years**

**Prizes for the following classes**

**\$70, \$60, \$50, \$45, \$40**

- 54. Baxter Williams Memorial Trophy.** Roadster hitched to a bike. Stake class.
- 55. Stewart Trophy.** Roadster hitched to a 4-wheel buggy.
- 56. Robert McKee Memorial Trophy.** Roadster hitched to a 4-wheel buggy. Mailman competition.
- 57. Raymond McMahan Trophy.** Roadster hitched to a 4-wheel buggy.
- 58.** Roadster hitched to a bike.

**Prizes for the following classes**

**\$55, \$45, \$35, \$30, \$25**

- 59. Miles Rhicard Trophy** Registered Morgan harness horse.
- 60.** Single harness horse hitched to a 4-wheel buggy, lady driver. Open class. Permanent residents and horses from Brome County compete separately for "**Lady Memorial Trophy**".
- 61.** Gentlemen driver. Single hitch to a 4-wheel buggy. Open class. Permanent residents and horses from Brome County compete separately for "**Delbert Tibbits Trophy**". Winner of this class will be presented "**The James (Sonny) Henderson Memorial Trophy**".
- 62.** Palefrenier class, single horse. Gentleman or lady driver.
- 63. Harry Wallace Trophy.** Combination Class. Horse only to count. Rider and driver need not be the same person.
- 64.** Open saddle seat, ridden by a lady. Horse 60%. Rider 40%. Horses not eligible for Classes 66 or 67.
- 65. Little Valley Kingpin Trophy.** Morgan, English pleasure, saddle seat. Horses not eligible for classes 66, 67, 74, 75, 76 or 77.
- 66.** Hunt seat pleasure. Horses not eligible for classes 64, 65, 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 67.** Hunt seat equitation. Horses not eligible for classes 64, 65, 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 68.** Pair saddle horses. Western attire, hunt seat, or saddle seat. Horses are not eligible for classes 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 69.** Western pleasure. Horses not eligible for classes 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 70.** Western command class. Horses not eligible for classes 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 71.** Western equitation. Horses not eligible for classes 74, 75, 76 and 77.
- 72.** Riders in Arabian theme. Controlled hand gallop.
- 73.** Western parade. Tack and dress 25%. Performance 75%.
- 74.** Flag race. In any timed event an exhibitor may not ride more than one horse. Rider must be in Western attire. Horses are not eligible for classes 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, and 71.
- 75.** Barrel Race. In any timed event an exhibitor may not ride more than one horse. Rider must be in Western attire. Horses are not eligible for classes 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, and 71.
- 76.** Keyhole Race. Rider must be in Western attire. In any timed event an exhibitor may not ride more than one horse. Horses are not eligible for classes 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, and 71.
- 77.** Pole Bending, Rider must be in Western attire. In any timed event an exhibitor may not ride more than one horse. Horses are not eligible for classes 66, 67, 68, 69, 70 and 71.

**The following classes apply to section:**

**117** Youth riding and driving

**Classes in this section open to exhibitors 17 and under**

**No stallions are permitted in youth classes**

**Equestrian helmets are recommended**

**Prizes for the following classes**

\$55, \$45, \$35, \$30, \$25

- 78. **Christy Trew Memorial Trophy** English pleasure.
- 79. Western pleasure.
- 80. Open driving. Horse hitched to a cart or a 4-wheeled buggy.
- 81. Barrel Race. Rider must be in Western attire.
- 82. English command class.
- 83. Western command class.
- 84. Musical sacks.
- 85. Western Equitation
- 86. English Equitation

**The following classes apply to section:**

**119** Pony riding and driving

**Participants to be 15 and under unless otherwise stipulated**

**No stallions are permitted in youth classes**

**Equestrian helmets are recommended.**

**Prizes for the following classes**

\$35, \$30, \$25, \$23, \$20 & \$5 (remainder)

- 8. Pony hitched to a cart or a 4 wheel buggy.
- 9. Equitation, English or western tack.
- 10. Walk & trot. 10 & under. English or western tack.
- 11. Musical sacks, 13-15 years.
- 12. Costume class. (No vehicles).
- 13. Western Parade. Tack & dress 25%. Performance 75%.
- 14. English or western pleasure.
- 15. Egg and spoon race, 12 years and under.
- 16. Potato race, 13 to 15 years.
- 17. Musical sacks, 12 years and under.

**The following classes apply to section:**

**120** Hackney Pony

**Prizes for the following classes**

\$35, \$30, \$25, \$23, \$20

- 18. Roadster hitched to a bike with stable colors.
- 19. Roadster hitched to a bike with stable colors.
- 20. Open hackney driving.
- 21. Open hackney driving.

## TROPHIES

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### All trophies are perpetual

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|-------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Section 104 | Class 6                   | Guy Yates Memorial       |
| Section 114 | Class 21                  | T.D. Frizzle             |
| Section 114 | Class 21                  | Earl Marsh               |
| Section 114 | Class 22                  | Bill Blackwood Memorial  |
| Section 114 | Class 27                  | Clyde Jersey             |
| Section 114 | Class 29                  | Sam Evans                |
| Section 114 | Class 30                  | Sam Evans                |
| Section 114 | Class 35                  | McPherson                |
| Section 114 | Class 36                  | David Anderson           |
| Section 116 | Class 54                  | Baxter Williams Memorial |
| Section 116 | Class 55                  | Stewart                  |
| Section 116 | Class 56                  | Robert McKee Memorial    |
| Section 116 | Class 57                  | Raymond McMahan          |
| Section 116 | Class 59                  | Miles Rhicard            |
| Section 116 | Class 60                  | Lady Memorial            |
| Section 116 | Class 61                  | James Sonny Henderson    |
| Section 116 | Class 63                  | Harry Wallace            |
| Section 116 | Class 65                  | Little Valley Kingpin    |
| Section 117 | Class 78                  | Christy Trew             |
| Section 119 | Class 8, 9,<br>12, 13, 14 | Aurèle Bilodeau          |
| Section 123 | Class 12                  | William Nelson           |
| Section 124 | Class 13                  | Mason Ashley Martin      |

### Aurèle Bilodeau

Sections 119, classes 8, 9, 12, 13, 14

1. Total monies won in the above mentioned classes.
2. All competitors must be named in Judge's book prior to class being judged
3. If a tie occurs, the trophy will be shared.

### Mason Ashley Martin Memorial

Section 124, class 13

For achievement in horse breeding. A perpetual trophy to be awarded annually to the exhibition at Brome Fair of the best Get-of-Sire or Progeny-of-Dam, any registered light or draft breed. Sire or Dam does not have to appear. Three animals to be shown in Get-of-Sire, two animals in Progeny-of-Dam, not necessarily all pure blooded. Grades must be registered in any recognized part-blood registry. All must have been shown in regular classes. To be judged on type, conformation, disposition, and the ability of the sire or dam to transmit desirable breed characteristics.

### Parade Trophies

The directors of the society offer a parade trophy for each of the following groups: draft, light and pony.