



OPEN CLASS DRAFT HORSE & MULE Department G

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SHOW TIMES

Sunday, Aug. 13

- 8:30am: Draft Horse and Mule

JUDGE

- Alan Freitag, The Plains, VA

ANNOUNCER

- Bob Shirley

ENTRY DEADLINE: July 20, 2017 for ALL SHOWS

Use Open Livestock Entry Form at mcagfair.com

For Online Entry visit mcagfair.com

After Midnight on July 20, Open Draft Horse & Mule entries will be accepted online only with a \$50.00 late fee per exhibitor until midnight on August 1st. No entries will be accepted after August 1st.

ENTRY FEE

Draft Horse and Mule:

- \$10 per head

ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

DRAFT HORSE & MULE SHOW CLASSES

- Belgian, Percheron, Clydesdale, Suffolk and Shire Horses, Mules and Drum Horses.

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. All exhibitors are subject to the general rules and regulations and the livestock rules in addition to the particular rules listed here.
2. All Horses and Mules, six months or older, must have proof of negative Coggins test within 12 months of the show date. Original copy must be presented at check in the day of the show. See new health regulations for horses in general rules. Coggins # is needed on each entry form for each horse.
3. **Attach a photographic copy of Coggins test paper for each horse with entry form. If Coggins papers are not included with entry form or brought on Show day, animals will not be accepted for the Show. Original Coggins papers must be brought on Show day.**
4. Neither The Maryland Draft Horse and Mule Association Inc., its members, officers nor the Montgomery County Agricultural Fair Center will be responsible for accidents, damage, injury or illness to the horses, owners, riders, drivers, employees, attendants, spectators or any other person or property in connection with the Draft Horse and Mule Show.
5. Animals not in show condition or showing any lameness will be disqualified. All vehicles and harness must be in usable condition.
6. Youth 19 and under may waive their youth status, and will be considered as an adult for all classes and may not exhibit in any youth classes. Also they will not be considered a youth in the MDHMA point system. Any youth waiving their right must clearly state this on his or her entry form.
7. Youth may show in open halter classes. Youth may not show stallions.
8. Youth Showmanship classes: Judged 70% showmanship, 30% condition and grooming of the animal. Premiums: Trophy and Six ribbons.
9. All Youth 8-19 must be accompanied by an experienced adult in any driving classes.
10. Dress code for all Draft Horse and Mule halter classes: Dress slacks, shirt or blouse (must have a raised collar), tie and hat optional. Hats should be appropriate in these halter classes. **NO** blue jeans, baseball caps or T-shirts allowed. Appropriateness of attire could be up to the show committee with the judge's final decision.
11. Dress code for Cart & Hitch Classes: Gentlemen to wear dress slacks, coat and tie, hat and proper shoes are mandatory. No denim jeans. Ladies to wear dress slacks or long skirt and blouse. Dress pantsuits are permitted. **NO** blue jeans, baseball caps, or T-shirts allowed.
12. Show is RAIN OR SHINE.
13. Draft Horse & Mule judges will judge **ALL** Draft Horse and Mule classes. All judges' decisions are final.
14. Show committee reserves the right to combine or split classes as number of entries warrant. Classes are listed in the tentative order they will be run—may be changed as needed.
15. All Draft Horse Halter classes: Open to registered Draft and Drum Horses Only.
16. All Stallion classes are for registered Draft Stallions only. Stallions over one year of age may not be shown by any youth in halter, driving, or under saddle classes. All Stallions must be under control at all times.

17. All Stallions must be under control at all times. If dismissed from a halter class, he **will not** be able to show in any other classes.
18. Mule classes: Mini Mules and Donkeys are not eligible for any mule class.
19. Under Saddle Classes: English or Western tack, no driving bridles or bareback pads. Judged as a pleasure riding class at a walk and trot or jog both ways of the ring. May be asked to stand quietly and back easily. No stallions.
20. Hitch Classes: Will be judged at a walk and trot both ways of the ring. Judged on manners, suitability, condition and performance of team and driver. May be asked to back or perform individual test at judge's discretion. Youth classes judged on driver performance only.
21. Stallion Cart Class—Stallions only. Must be driven by an adult only. All stallions must have been shown in the stallion halter class. Any animal misbehaving will be dismissed from the ring.
22. Pleasure Driving Class and Open Team Class—Draft Horse or Mule (one for pleasure driving and two animals for open team) hitched to cart or 4-wheeled vehicle. No fancy carts. No braiding. No show harness. These animals may be pure draft, draft cross-breeds or mules. No Stallions may enter. No scotch collars. If you show Pleasure Driving and or Open Team these animals may not be shown in any other driving classes. These animals may be shown under saddle.
23. Mule single turnout—Single mule to a four wheeled vehicle. Suitability of animal and vehicle to be considered.
24. All classes will be given a final gate call. You will not be allowed into the show ring once the gate is closed. The announcer will determine the time allowed for last call.
25. To be eligible to show in classes 56–60, you must have shown both in their halter classes.
26. Senior & Reserve, Junior & Reserve, Grand Champion & Reserve Champions: Premiums: Ribbons only.

PREMIUMS

CLASSES 1–64:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	
	\$30	24	18	12	6	and ribbons
CLASSES 65–68:	Trophies and/or Ribbons					
CLASSES 69–73:	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	
	\$30	24	18	12	6	and ribbons

DIVISION 1: MARES, 4 YEARS AND OLDER

1. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
2. American Cream.
3. Belgian.
4. Percheron.
5. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 2: MARES, 3 YEARS OLD

6. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
7. American Cream.
8. Belgian.
9. Percheron.
10. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 3: SENIOR & RESERVE CHAMPION MARE

DIVISION 4: MARES, 2 YEARS OLD

11. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
12. American Cream.
13. Belgian.
14. Percheron.
15. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 5: MARES, YEARLING

16. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
17. American Cream.
18. Belgian.
19. Percheron.
20. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 6: MARES, 2017 FOAL

21. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
22. American Cream.
23. Belgian.
24. Percheron.
25. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 7: 2 YEARS & OLDER DRAFT GELDINGS

26. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
27. American Cream.
28. Belgian.
29. Percheron.
30. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 8: GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION DRAFT GELDINGS

DIVISION 9: STALLIONS, 4 YEARS & OLDER

31. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
32. American Cream.
33. Belgian.
34. Percheron.
35. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 10: STALLIONS, 3 YEARS OLD

36. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
37. American Cream.
38. Belgian.
39. Percheron.
40. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 11: SENIOR & RESERVE CHAMPION STALLIONS

DIVISION 12: STALLIONS, 2 YEARS OLD

41. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
42. American Cream.
43. Belgian.
44. Percheron.
45. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 13: STALLIONS, YEARLING

46. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
47. American Cream.
48. Belgian.
49. Percheron.
50. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 14: STALLIONS, 2017 FOAL

51. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
52. American Cream.
53. Belgian.
54. Percheron.
55. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 15: JUNIOR & RESERVE CHAMPION STALLION AND GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION STALLIONS**DIVISION 16: DRAFT MARE & HER 2017 FOAL**

56. Suffolk & Spotted Draft & Drum.
57. American Cream.
58. Belgian.
59. Percheron.
60. Clydesdale & Shire.

DIVISION 17: MULE HALTER

61. Gelding Mules, 3 years & older.
62. Gelding Mules, 2 years & under.
63. Mare Mules, 3 years & older.
64. Mare Mules, 2 years & under.

DIVISION 18: GRAND & RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION MULES**DIVISION 19: YOUTH SHOWMANSHIP**

65. 14-19 yrs with Mules.
66. 14-19 yrs with Horses.
67. 8-13 yrs with Mules.
68. 8-13 yrs with Horses.

DIVISION 20: UNDER SADDLE

69. Draft Horse Under Saddle (Western)—Adult 20 yrs or older.
70. Draft Horse or Mule Under Saddle (Western)—Youth 8-19 yrs.
71. Draft Horse Under Saddle (English)—Adult 20 yrs or older.
72. Draft Horse or Mule Under Saddle (English)—Youth 8-19 yrs.
73. Draft Mule Under Saddle—Adult 20 yrs or older.

LUNCH BREAK**DIVISION 21: DRIVING**

74. 6-Horse Hitch (3 Pairs)—Premiums \$140, 110, 80, 75.
75. Stallion Cart Class—Premiums \$25, 20, 15, 10, 5.
76. 6-Mule Hitch—Premiums \$125, 100, 75, 75.
77. 4-Horse Hitch—Premiums \$100, 75, 60, 40, 25, Ribbon.
78. Multiple Mule Hitch—Premiums \$100, 75, 60, 40, 25, Ribbon.
79. Open Pleasure Driving Team—Premiums \$15, 10, 5, Ribbon, Ribbon.
80. Unicorn Horse Hitch—Premiums \$100, 80, 60, 40, 20, Ribbon.

81. Single Horse Pleasure Driving—Draft or Mule. Premiums \$25, 20, 15, Ribbon, Ribbon.
82. Draft Horse Show Team—Premiums \$60, 50, 40, 30, 20, 10.
83. Mule Show Team—Premiums \$60, 50, 40, 30, 20, 10.
84. Youth Driving Team 14-19 yrs—Premiums \$30, 25, 20, 15, Ribbon, Ribbon.
85. Youth Mule Driving Team 8-19 yrs—Premiums \$25, 20, 15, 10, 5, Ribbon.
86. Youth Driving Team 8-13 yrs—Premiums \$30, 25, 20, 15, Ribbon, Ribbon.
87. Mules Single Turnout—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, Ribbon, Ribbon.
88. Tandem Horse (2 horses hitched in tandem to cart). Premiums \$60, 40, 30, 20, 10.
89. Mule Cart: Gentlemen to drive—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, 10, Ribbon.
90. Registered Draft Mare to Cart—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, 10, Ribbon (Mare shown in this class may not show in any other cart class except youth).
91. Draft Horse Cart: Gentlemen to drive—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, 10, Ribbon.
92. Mule Cart: Ladies to drive—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, 10, Ribbon.
93. Draft Horses Cart: Ladies to drive—Premiums \$50, 40, 30, 20, 10, Ribbon.
94. Youth Mule Driving Cart: 8-19 yrs—Premiums \$25, 20, 15, 10, 5, Ribbon.
95. Youth Driving Cart: 14-19 yrs—Premiums \$30, 25, 20, 15, Ribbon, Ribbon.
96. Youth Driving Cart: 8-13 yrs—Premiums \$30, 25, 20, 15, Ribbon, Ribbon.