

12. All cavies for exhibition shall complete a "Self Certification of Rabbit Health" document and must turn it into the Superintendent before the start of the show.
13. Show officials will inspect each cavy before show. Cavies must be in rabbit barn no later than 7:30 am on day of show so that the show can start on time. The cavies will be shown before the rabbits.
14. Cavies will remain in carriers during show and will not be allowed in barn cages. Cavies must be removed by the conclusion of the rabbit show and before the barn is opened to the public. This is a day of show only and no cavies will be housed in barn.
15. Only 4-Hers can put animals on table for showing. Parents will not be allowed to put any animal on the table.
16. No cavy may be sold on the fairgrounds.
17. Cavies may be used for the showmanship contest on Tuesday. Showmanship cavy may be brought in a carrier during contest and leave at conclusion of contest. Cavy showmanship will be held together with the rabbit showmanship contest and 4-Her may only compete in showmanship once, either with a cavy or rabbit but not both.

SPECIAL AWARDS

1. Best in Show trophy is offered by Dr. Tom Fitzpatrick.

CLASSES

1. Senior Boar
2. Senior Sow
3. Intermediate Boar
4. Intermediate Sow
5. Junior Boar
6. Junior Sow

INDIVIDUAL CONTESTS

RABBIT/CAVY SHOWMANSHIP

Showmanship classes will evaluate the 4-H member's ability to carry, manage and show the project animal. The member will additionally be evaluated on their own appearance and on the knowledge of the 4-H project animal and of show-ring procedures. Point percentages will be announced prior to the show.

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$6	4	3

CLASSES

1. Junior Showmanship.
2. Intermediate Showmanship.
3. Senior Showmanship.

RABBIT JUDGING

Rabbit Judging Classes will evaluate the 4-H member's ability to evaluate and select for ideal breed characteristics. The members will also demonstrate knowledge of rabbit management techniques.

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$5	3	2

CLASSES:

4. Junior Rabbit Judging.
5. Intermediate Rabbit Judging.
6. Senior Rabbit Judging.

RABBIT HOPPING

4-H Members train their rabbit to hop over jumps of different heights. They are evaluated on how fast they go through the course and the height of the jumps.

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$5	3	2

CLASS

7. Rabbit Hopping

RABBIT PROMOTION

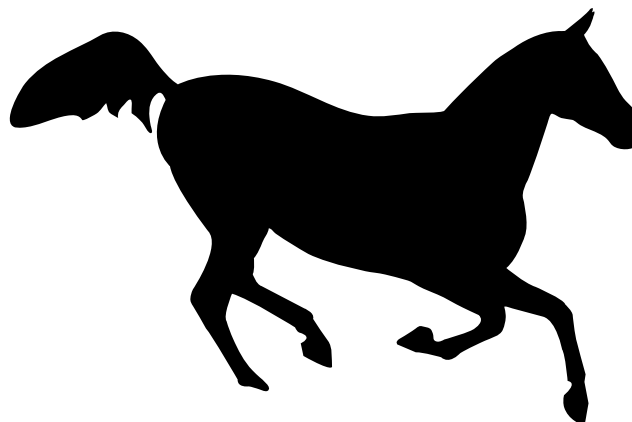
Promotion is a fun class that educates the public about different aspects of rabbits. The 4-H'er and rabbit dress up and write a script.

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
\$5	3	2

CLASS

8. Rabbit Hopping



4-H Horse and PONY Department 20

SUPERINTENDENTS

4-H Horse Show Superintendent

- Val Willis, 301-674-9187

4-H Horse Barn Superintendent

- Val Willis, 301-674-9187

Facilities

- Mike Willis, 240-793-1460

ENTRY DEADLINE: July 20, 2021

- Copy of current Coggins Test must accompany entry form.
- 4-H Exhibitor's name must appear in top right corner of Coggins.

ENTRY FEE

None required.

JUDGING

Saturday, Aug. 14

- 8am: Written Horsemanship Contest
- 9am: Grooming and Showmanship

Wednesday, Aug. 18

- 10:15am: Jr. Promotion & Novice Gymkhana

Friday, Aug. 20

- 10:15am: Sr. Promotion & Advanced Gymkhana

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th
\$12	11	10	8	7	6	6	6

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. Ages are as of Jan. 1 of the current year: Juniors 8–10, Intermediates 11–13, Seniors 14–18. Where only Jr. and Sr. classes are called for: Jr. 8–13 and Sr. 14–18.
2. Contestants must have turned in an acceptable 4-H Horse Project Record by Jan. 2 of current year (Exception: first year members).
3. A Maryland 4-H Horse Identification Card verifying the ownership and/or lease agreement for each horse you plan to exhibit must be filed with the Extension Office by June 1st of current year.
4. A copy of the current Coggins Test must accompany each entry. If you enter online, you must send a copy of current Coggins to Fair Office. Exhibitor name must be printed clearly on the Coggins Test.
5. Juniors: small ponies to jump 18", Large ponies/horses two feet; Seniors: Small ponies to jump 2 feet, large ponies/horses 2'6". Small ponies will be designated under 13.2. Large ponies will be 13.2 and above for the purpose of this show. Ponies may be shown in classes designed for larger sized ponies/horses, but they must continue to be shown at that height division for the remainder of the show.
6. Horses and ponies shown in performance (under saddle) classes cannot be under three years old.
7. Exhibitor may only show two horses.

SPECIAL AWARDS

1. **The Ferrara Family** offers an award to the Junior Fitting and Showing Champion.
2. **Stablemates of Mt. Airy** offers an award to the Senior Fitting and Showing Champion.
3. **Gaithersburg Ford Equipment** offers an award to the Intermediate Fitting and Showing Champion.
4. **The Willis Family** offers an award to the Junior with the most points in the Horsemanship Division.
5. **Goshen Hounds** offers an award to the Intermediate with the most points in the Horsemanship Division.
6. **The Ricketts Family** offers an award to the Senior with the most points in the Horsemanship Division.
7. **The Raines Family** offers an award to the Junior with the most points in the Beginner Rider Division.
8. **The Sewell Family** offers an award to the Senior with the most points in the Beginner Rider Division.
9. **Alana Hamann** offers an award to the Junior Equitation Champion.

10. **The Tomai Family** offers an award to the Senior Equitation Champion.
11. **Alana Hamann** offers an award to the Junior Hunter Champion.
12. **The Alexander Family** offers an award to the Senior Hunter Champion.
13. **The Weaver Family** offers an award to the Junior Pleasure Champion.
14. **The Reid family in memory of Jingo** offer an award to the Senior Pleasure Champion.
15. **The Zhao Family** offers an award to the Junior Promotion Division Champion.
16. **The Ricketts Family** offers an award to the Senior Promotion Division Champion.
17. **Urbana Animal Hospital** offers an award to the Senior Champion Horse Lovers Division.
18. **Urbana Animal Hospital** offers an award to the Junior Champion Horse Lovers Division.
19. **The Anselmo Family** offers an award to whomever provides the greatest service to the Horse Show.
20. **The Sportsmanship Award**, sponsored by Alana Hamann, will be a judge's choice award.
21. **The Stojic Family** the Senior Western Champion award.
22. **The Stojic Family** offers the Junior Western Champion award.

The 4-H Horse and Pony show will run according to a class list available the day of the show. Exceptions include the Trail division which is run concurrently with the other performance divisions and closes at 12noon. Please read all appropriate guidelines and rules before entering classes and check with your 4-H leaders if you are unsure which divisions/classes you should enter. No coaching from Ringside is allowed.

DIVISION 1: HORSEMANSHIP

Written tests may be taken between:

- 8–10am for Juniors
- 8–11am for Intermediates
- Seniors—*please take the written tests as early as possible*

1. Senior Horsemanship.
2. Senior Hippology.
3. Senior Picture Judging.
4. Intermediate Horsemanship.
5. Intermediate Hippology.
6. Intermediate Picture Judging.
7. Junior Horsemanship.
8. Junior Hippology.
9. Junior Picture Judging
 - Jr. Int., Sr. Champion
 - Jr. Int., Sr. Reserve Champion
 - "Grand Champion Overall"

DIVISION 2: FITTING and SHOWING

4-H'ers must have their own project horse.

Combined class English and Western.

10. Senior Fitting and Showing.
11. Intermediate Fitting and Showing.
12. Junior Fitting and Showing.

DIVISION 3 and 4: PERFORMANCE

Performance classes will begin at 10am sharp. 4-H'ers must have their own project horse. This division is for both English and Western riders.

- The Pleasure Jubilee Class consists of a pattern or jumps ridden by the exhibitors choice.
 - The same horse and rider combination may not cross-enter in the Hunter Division and Pleasure Division.
 - There will be one equitation under saddle class in the Hunter, Pleasure and Western divisions, but the riders will be judged on their equitation in all classes with the exception of trail, command, and handy hunter.
 - The Junior and Senior Equitation Championship Trophies will be awarded to 4-H youth who have earned the highest number of points for equitation through their riding in the entire division, with the exception of classes noted above.
 - Riders may cross enter in the Western and English classes, but **must** have the required tack, etc. as listed in the 4-H Horse Show Rule Book.
 - Junior and Senior English and Weastern classes may be combined if there are less than two entries in a class. Western classes will be combined with English Pleasure if there are less than two entries in a class.
13. Senior Pleasure U/S.
 14. Senior Pleasure Equitation.
 15. Senior Pleasure Command.
 16. Senior Pleasure Jubilee.
Champion
Reserve Champion
 17. Senior Hunter U/S.
 18. Senior Hunter Equitation.
 19. Senior Hunter O/F.
 20. Senior Handy Hunter.
Champion
Reserve Champion
 21. Senior Western Horsemanship/Equitation.
 22. Senior Western Pleasure.
 23. Senior Western Command.
 24. Senior Western Riding.
Champion
Reserve Champion
 25. Junior Pleasure U/S.
 26. Junior Pleasure Equitation.
 27. Junior Pleasure Command.
 28. Junior Pleasure Jubilee.
Champion
Reserve Champion
 29. Junior Hunter U/S.
 30. Junior Hunter Equitation.
 31. Junior Hunter O/F.
 32. Junior Handy Hunter.
Champion
Reserve Champion
 33. Junior Western Horsemanship/Equitation.
 34. Junior Western Pleasure.
 35. Junior Western Command.
 36. Junior Western Riding.
Champion
Reserve Champion

DIVISION 5: HORSE LOVERS

Open to all 4-H members, regardless of age, who do not have their own project horse and have access to another 4-H horse to borrow during the Horse and Pony Show. Western riders who wish to enter this division may do so, and will be asked to perform an alternate pattern in place of jumping for the Hack and O/F classes. There will be one equitation class, plus the riders in the division will be judged on their equitation in all Horse Lover's classes except the Trail Class (Div. 7). Riders may not cross-enter into any other riding division except for the Horse Lover's Trail Class (Div. 7).

37. Horse Lover's W/T.
38. Horse Lover's Equitation.
39. Horse Lover's Command.
40. Horse Lover's O/F/Western Pattern.
Jr. & Sr. Champion
Reserve Champion

DIVISION 6: BEGINNER RIDER

- Open to all 4-H members who have their own project horse, regardless of age, who are in their first year of riding, or who are not comfortable riding in the open divisions according to their riding abilities.
 - Western Riders who wish to enter this division may do so, and will be asked to perform an alternate pattern in place of jumping for the O/F class.
 - Riders may only enter this division in their first year of showing at the 4-H Horse and Pony Show.
 - There will be one equitation class plus the riders in the division will be judged on their equitation in all Beginner Classes except the Trail Class (Div. 7). Riders may not cross-enter into any other division except Beginner Trail
41. Beginner W/T.
 42. Beginner W/TC.
 43. Beginner Equitation.
 44. Beginner English O/F/Western Pattern.
Jr. & Sr. Champion
Reserve Champion

DIVISION 7: TRAIL

- Open to all 4-H members. Riders must complete their trail classes before the lunch break, course closes at 12:00.
 - Please listen for announcements for the opening and closing of the courses during the show.
 - All trail classes will be held outside of the ring in the grandstand area. Please be sure to enter in correct Trail class according to your age (Juniors ages 8–13, Seniors 14 and older) and the other classes you are entering at the show, i.e., Beginner or Horse Lover's.
 - Courses will be posted just prior to 10am.
45. Senior Trail.
 46. Junior Trail.
 47. Horse Lover's Trail.
 48. Beginner Trail.

4-H HORSE & PONY PROMOTION/GYMKHANA DIVISIONS

- Junior Promotion/Novice Gymkhana: Wednesday, Aug. 15
 - Senior Promotion/Advanced Gymkhana: Friday, Aug. 17
- Riders should enter the Novice or Advanced Gymkhana divisions based on their riding abilities. Entries for either division must

be approved with by the 4-H Leader before Tuesday, August 17. Entries can be changed up until Tuesday, August 16. Therefore, please enter whichever division you think is appropriate before entries are due (July 20) and double check your selection with your leaders during the Fair.

PREMIUMS

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th
\$7	6	6	5	5	4	4	4

DIVISION 8: JUNIOR PROMOTION

Open to all Junior 4-H members (4-H ages 8–13) who have access to a horse or pony. NO 4-H member may enter both classes.

49. Junior 4-H Promotion.
50. Junior Horse Promotion.
Champion
Reserve Champion

DIVISION 9: NOVICE GYMKHANA

Open to all 4-H members who have access to a horse or pony, and who are not experienced riders. Riders must received approval for their entry into this division from their 4-H leader.

51. Novice Pole Bending Race.
52. Novice Pairs Race.
53. Novice Baton Race.
54. Novice Flag Race.
55. Novice Sack Race.
56. Novice Egg and Spoon Class.
57. Novice Musical Stalls.
58. Novice Barrel Race.
59. Novice Tack Race.
60. Novice Bareback Dollar Class.
61. Novice Bobbing for Apples Race.

DIVISION 10: SENIOR PROMOTION

Open to all Senior 4-H members (4-H ages 14 and older) who have access to a 4-H horse or pony. NO 4-H member may enter both classes.

62. Senior 4-H Promotion.
63. Senior Horse Promotion.
Champion
Reserve Champion

DIVISION 11: ADVANCED GYMKHANA

Open to all 4-H members who have access to a 4-H horse/pony and who are experienced riders. Riders must receive approval for their entry into this division from their 4-H leader.

64. Advanced Pole Bending Race.
65. Advanced Pairs Race.
66. Advanced Baton Race.
67. Advanced Flag Race.
68. Advanced Sack Race.
69. Advanced Egg and Spoon Class.
70. Advanced Barrel Race.
71. Advanced Musical Stalls.
72. Advanced Tack Race.
73. Advanced Bareback Dollar Class.
74. Advanced Bobbing for Apples Race.

4-H CLOVER AGRICULTURAL Department 21

SUPERINTENDENT

- Rosie Beall, 301-253-6096

ENTRY DEADLINE: July 20, 2021

ENTRY FEE

- None required.
- A parent or guardian MUST sign the entry form and is encouraged to attend.

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. Participants (ages 5–7) must be enrolled and an active participant in a Montgomery County 4-H Clover Program/Club for the current year. Clovers are encouraged to register for their own designated Clover Animal Club. Handling activities will be reviewed to reinforce material throughout the year.
2. Activities in Department 21 will only be held if the designated MCE certified Clover Leader is directing the event. All participants in animal “knowledge and handling” activities must be on-going members of this MCE volunteer’s group. The Clover leader must sign off on all entry forms verifying that each child has attended appropriate preliminary safety sessions prior to the Fair. Any 4-H Montgomery County Clover can participate in any of the Clover knowledge classes. These activities are provided for learning experiences.
3. Handling Classes are designed to allow the child to demonstrate what he or she has learned about safely handling/showing his or her species.
4. Guidelines for the handling and knowledge activities will be developed and implemented by the section chairperson(s) in cooperation with the Clover Superintendent.
5. Clovers do not own project animals, and therefore are not eligible for any project animal sales connected with the Montgomery County Agricultural Fair. No barn space is needed for Clovers. Clovers will not be bringing animals to the Fair for 4-H classes. Any live animal used for instruction will be under the care and supervision of the certified Clover leader or a Senior 4-H'er.
6. Clover participants will be evaluated and given suggestions. They will not be placed, and all will receive the same participation premium of \$3 in this department.
7. “Stockman”, “Dairyman”, etc., may include oral questions, paper games, etc., related to topics covered in their “Clover” meetings and may also include a barn-walk to identify animal breeds, or a feed ID game, a tack or equipment quiz, or even a model animal event, posters made by the child, etc. This will be at the Superintendent’s discretion.