



56 Egypt Road, Somers, CT
September 15. 2024

Ribbons, Trophies, and Prizes for each class!

Day End awards

Perpetual Trophies

Cash Prizes!

JUDGES

Ring 1: Jess Piccarello

Ring 2: TBD

Questions? Email Darcy LaChance at darcy.lachance@gmail.com

www.4townfair.com

Four Town Fair Horse Show

Sunday 8:00 AM

FOUR TOWN FAIR HORSE SHOW

Sunday 8:00 AM

IMPORTANT — NORTH GATE ENTRANCE:

ONLY vehicles with Livestock Trailers will be allowed entrance at the North Gate to unload and park. Re-entry of livestock vehicles must have vehicle sticker on windshield.

Horse Show:

ONLY vehicles with Horse Trailers will be allowed to enter at the North Gate. All other vehicles must park in designated Fair Parking Lots for \$10.

Entry Fee per Class- \$15.00

Cooler Classic Classes- \$20.00

Stake Classes- \$20.00

Warm Up Fee- \$5.00

Touch-n-Out Class- \$35.00

Office/secretary fee \$10.00

Post entry fee \$15.00

Thank you to all our Sponsors

Their continued support enables us to provide a great show with lots of prizes.

Champion and Reserve Champion prizes for every division

All classes will receive ribbons up to 8th place

Perpetual Trophies

High Point Awards for the day

DIRECTIONS

FROM POINTS NORTH:

Travel Route 83 South through Somers Center, turn right onto Field Road and straight onto Egypt Road. Fairgrounds will be on your right-hand side.

FROM PONT'S SOUTH:

Travel Route 83 North turning left onto Billings Road and left onto Egypt Rd. Fairgrounds will be on your right-hand side.

FROM I-91 and POINTS WEST:

Traveling I-91, North or South, take exit 47E for Route 190, into Somers Center. Turn right onto Route 83. Then turn right onto Field Road and straight onto Egypt Rd. Fairgrounds will be on your right-hand side.

FROM POINTS EAST:

Travel Route 190 West into Somers Center and turn left onto Route 83. Then turn right onto Field Road and straight onto Egypt Road. Fairgrounds will be on your right-hand side

*****PLEASE NOTE****

IF YOU ARE USING A GPS ON YOUR PHONE, PLEASE TYPE IN FOUR TOWN FAIR GROUNDS INTO THE LOCATION OR YOU WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD NEXT DOOR WHEN JUST TYPING IN THE ADDRESS

Open Horse Show Rules & Regulations

1. The Four Town Fair and show committee will not be held responsible for any accident to exhibitors, horses, property or any spectator on the grounds. Nor will anyone connected with this show be responsible for any such accident/damage.
 2. The judges will start promptly at 8:00 AM. Sign-in 7am-8am.
 3. The show committee reserves the right to cancel, divide or combine any classes.
 4. All entrants must be suitably attired.
 5. Martingales are not permitted in English flat classes. Mechanical hackamores, tiedowns, and/or running martingales are not permitted in Western classes.
 6. Horses are not allowed in the Midway area of the fair; anyone disobeying this rule will be disqualified for the remainder of the show and entry fees will be forfeited.
 7. Vehicles pulling horse trailers may enter fairgrounds free of charge. All other vehicles will be charged a \$10.00 fee at the gate
 8. Red ribbons must be in the tails of kickers; this is mandatory. Disorderly conduct on the part of either the horse or rider may be cause for disqualification from the class.
 9. (8) ribbons will be awarded in each class. Day End & High point award based on a team of the same horse/pony and rider.
 10. Chaps permitted in Equitation Classes.
 11. Jr. Rider-18 years of age and under, Adult Rider-19 years of age and over. Leadline Rider- 8 years of age and under
 12. Walk/Trot open to exhibitors who have not shown in any class requiring them to canter. Not eligible to show outside of their division
 13. Green Horse-open to any horse or pony in its first or second year of showing.
 14. Touch-N-Out consists of one vertical jump in the center of the ring. Starting as a ground pole and increasing by 3" increments each round. All exhibitors having a clean round (horse may not touch the pole at all) advance to the next round. The height will continue to increase as long as there are exhibitors with clean rounds. Jump may be trotted or cantered.
 15. Local Pleasure is only for the residents of the four towns-Somers, Ellington, Enfield, and East Windsor.
 16. All rules and regulations of the show will be strictly enforced in accordance with the 2022 USEF Rule book. Complaints MUST BE directed to the Show office. No person shall approach the judge with regard to a decision of any matter unless permission is obtained from the Show Office. The decision of the judge throughout the competition will be final.
- ***Numbers will not be issued without proof of a current negative COGGINS as well as proof of RABIES vaccination and open check or payment****
17. .NO dogs are allowed on the fairgrounds.

Mail or Email entries to: Darcy LaChance 110 Mountain View Rd, Somers, CT 06071

Email: darcy.lachance@gmail.com

Make checks payable to Four Town Fair Horse Show.

Post entry fee of \$15.00 per entry for those entries not received on or before 9/12/2024

Even if sent by email between 9/12/2024 and morning of show

Questions: Darcy LaChance (860)-996-0587

Four Town Fair Horse Show

Sunday 8:00 AM

Ring 1

Judge: Jess Piccarello

1. Ground Poles—Diagonals do NOT count

2. Ground Poles—Diagonals DO count

3. Ground Pole U/S

A. CROSS RAIL WARM UP

4. Crossrail Hunter

5. Crossrail Equitation

6. Crossrail U/S

B. WARM UP 2'-2'3"

7. 2' Hunter

8. 2' Equitation

9. 2' under saddle

10. 2'3" Hunter

11. 2'3" Equitation

12. 2'3" U/S

C. WARM UP 2'6"-2'9"

13. 2'6" Hunter

14. 2'6" Equitation

15. 2'6" U/S

16A. OPEN HUNTER CLASSIC – 2'6"

17. 2'9" Hunter

18. 2'9" Equitation

19. 2'9" U/S

16B. OPEN EQUITATION CLASSIC – 2'9"

D. WARM UP 3'

20. 3' Hunter

21. 3' Equitation

22. 3' U/S

33. **Touch-N-Out**

JUMPERS:

23)0.70M Clear round

24)0.70M Stake Class

25)0.80M Clear round

26)0.80M Stake Class

27)0.90M Clear round

28)0.90M Stake Class

29)1M Clear round

30)1M Stake Class

31)1.10M Clear round

32)1.10M Stake Class

Four Town Fair Horse Show

Sunday 8:00 AM

Ring 2

Judge: TBD

34. Junior Halter
35. Open Halter
36. Open Halter Stake
37. Junior Showmanship
38. Open Showmanship
39. Open Showmanship Stake
40. Beginner WT/WJ Pleasure
41. Beginner WT/WJ Equitation
42. Beginner WT/WJ Command
43. Adult WT/WJ Pleasure
44. Adult WT/WJ Equitation
45. Adult WT/WJ Command
46. Green Horse WT Pleasure
47. Green Horse WT Equitation
48. Green Horse WT Hunter
49. Lead Line Pleasure
50. Lead Line Equitation
51. Lead Line Command
52. Beginner WTC Pleasure
53. Beginner WTC Equitation
54. Beginner WTC Command
55. Adult WTC Pleasure
56. Adult WTC Equitation
57. Adult WTC Command
58. Green Horse WTC Pleasure
59. Green Horse WTC Equitation
60. Green Horse WTC Hunter

61. ** OPEN LOCAL PLEASURE SR

62. ** OPEN LOCAL PLEASURE JR

63. Junior Hunter Undersaddle
64. Open Hunter Undersaddle
65. Open Hunter Undersaddle Stake
66. Junior Western Pleasure
67. Open Western Pleasure
68. Open Western Pleasure Stake
69. Ranch Horse Pattern
70. Ranch Horse Pleasure
71. Ranch Horse Stake

Four Town Fair Horse Show

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

Ring 2

Judge: TBD

72. Beginner Pole Bending

73. Novice Pole Bending

74. Open Pole Bending

75. Beginner Key Hole Race

76. Novice Key Hole Race

77. Open Key Hole Race

78. Beginner Flag Race

79. Novice Flag Race

80. Open Flag Race

81. Beginner Barrels

82. Novice Barrels

83. Open Barrels

GYMKHANA CLASS DESCRIPTIONS:

POLE BENDING - A timed event where rider and horse weave in and out of a line of poles while racing to complete the pattern as quickly and accurately as possible without knocking any poles down. The pattern may be run to the left or the right.

KEYHOLE RACE - A timed event where the rider and horse race down to the end of the arena, spin around in the keyhole and race back to the finish line.

FLAG RACE - A timed event where 3 barrels are set in the cloverleaf pattern. The rider and horse cross the start line and pick up a flag off of the first barrel, proceed around the second barrel, and drop the flag in a container on the third barrel, then cross the finish line.

BARREL RACE - A timed event where the rider and horse maneuver around 3 barrels set in a triangular pattern at the center of the arena. The pattern can be ridden left or right, the rider will make a tight turn around the first barrel and then race to the second barrel and turn in the opposite direction. Riders then race on to the third barrel and turn in the opposite direction and then race home and across the finish line.

GROUND POLE DIVISION - Open to all beginner W/T horse and rider combinations

1. Ground Poles—diagonals do NOT count
2. Ground Poles—diagonals DO count
3. Ground Poles Under Saddle—This is a walk/trot class

CROSS RAIL DIVISION - Open to all horse and rider combinations

4. Crossrail Hunter
5. Crossrail Equitation
6. Crossrail Under Saddle

2' DIVISION- Open to all horse and rider combinations

7. 2' Hunter
8. 2' Equitation
9. 2' Under Saddle

2'3" DIVISION -Open to all horse and rider combinations

10. 2'3" Hunter
11. 2'3" Equitation
12. 2'3" Under Saddle

2'6" DIVISION-Open to all horse and rider combinations

13. 2'6" Hunter
14. 2'6" Equitation
15. 2'6" Under Saddle

16A. **OPEN HUNTER CLASSIC** – Fences to be set at 2'6"-Open to all horse and rider combinations

2'9" DIVISION-Open to all horse and rider combinations

17. 2'9" Hunter
18. 2'9" Equitation
19. 2'9" Under Saddle

16B. **OPEN EQUITATION CLASSIC** – Fences to be set at 2'9"- Open to all horse and rider combinations

3' DIVISION- Open to all horse and rider combinations

20. 3' Hunter
21. 3' Equitation
22. 3' Under Saddle

JUMPERS:

- 23)0.70M Clear round
- 24)0.70M Stake Class
- 25)0.80M Clear round
- 26)0.80M Stake Class
- 27)0.90M Clear round
- 28)0.90M Stake Class
- 29)1M Clear round
- 30)1M Stake Class
- 31)1.10M Clear round
- 32)1.10M Stake Class

All Over Fences Divisions will have a Champion and Reserve Champion awarded for points accumulated in the division. The Perpetual High Point Hunter Rider Trophy will be awarded to the over fences high point rider at the end of the day.

Jumpers Height Conversion

0.70M = Fences 2'3"

0.80M = Fences 2'7"

0.90M = Fences 2'11"

1.00M = Fences 3'3"

1.10M = Fences 3'7"

33. SALLY WHEELER TOUCH N' OUT CLASS - We start with a ground pole and after every one goes over, we raise the rail a hole at a time. If your horse touches the rail, you're out. The last horse to jump clean wins.

WESTERN CLASSES—Each section will feature a Junior, and Open, and an Open Stake section. Junior classes are open to anyone who has not reached their 18th birth year. Open classes are open to all horse and rider combinations. The Open Stake classes are open to all horse and rider combinations and will feature a percentage on entry payback and ribbons to 8th place.

There will be day end High Point Junior and High Point Open Rider awards calculated by point accumulated in each of those sections of the western classes.

The Ranch Horse division will not be factored in to the end of the day points. This division will have a Champion and Reserve Champion like the rest of the flat classes of the day.

HALTER—Horse will be judged in resemblance to their breed with the focus being a combination of balance, structural correctness, muscling, and movement.

34. Junior Halter

35. Open Halter

36. Open Halter Stake

SHOWMANSHIP—Horses will be judged on the grooming and fitting of the horse and the expertise of the handler to present the horse to the best of their ability. To be judged on a pattern consisting of maneuvers such as walking, trotting, pivoting, backing, and setting up.

37. Junior Showmanship

38. Open Showmanship

39. Open Showmanship Stake

HUNTER UNDER SADDLE—Horses will be judged on their hunter-type way of going on the flat at a walk, trot, and canter.

63. Junior Hunter Under saddle

64. Open Hunter Under saddle

65. Open Hunter Under saddle Stake

WESTERN PLEASURE - Horses to be judged on how pleasurable they appear to ride. Functional correctness and quality of movement including consistency in gait and attitude are taken into consideration.

66. Junior Western Pleasure

67. Open Western Pleasure

68. Open Western Pleasure Stake

RANCH HORSE - This class measures a horse's ability to be a pleasure to ride while being used as a conveyance from performing one ranch task to another. The Stake class will be performed over a pattern.

69. Ranch Horse Pattern

70. Ranch Horse Pleasure

71. Ranch Horse Stake

61. ** OPEN LOCAL PLEASURE SR - Open to riders 18 years and over who reside in 1 of the 4 towns—Somers, Ellington, Enfield, or East Windsor

62. ** OPEN LOCAL PLEASURE JR - Open to riders 17 years and under who reside in 1 of the 4 towns—Somers, Ellington, Enfield, or East Windsor

BEGINNER WALK-TROT/WALK-JOG– For riders 17 years of age and younger in their first year of showing. Riders can not compete in classes requiring them to canter at the same show. Open to English and Western riders

- 40. Beginner WT/WJ Pleasure
- 41. Beginner WT/WJ Equitation
- 42. Beginner WT/WJ Command

ADULT WALK-TROT/WALK-JOG– For riders 18 years of age and older in their first year of showing. Open to English and Western riders.

- 43. Adult WT/WJ Pleasure
- 44. Adult WT/WJ Equitation
- 45. Adult WT/WJ Command

GREEN HORSE WALK-TROT– Open to all horses in their first year of showing. Open to English and Western riders. Horses may not compete in a class requiring them to canter at the same show.

- 46. Green Horse WT Pleasure
- 47. Green Horse WT Equitation
- 48. Green Horse WT Hunter

***** LEAD LINE TO BE RUN AT NOON NO MATTER WHAT*****

LEAD LINE– For riders 8 years of age and younger. Open to English and Western riders.

- 49. Lead Line Pleasure
- 50. Lead Line Equitation
- 51. Lead Line Command

BEGINNER WALK-TROT-CANTER– For riders 17 years of age and under. Open to English and Western riders.

- 52. Beginner WTC Pleasure
- 53. Beginner WTC Equitation
- 54. Beginner WTC Command

ADULT WALK-TROT-CANTER– For riders 18 years of age and older. Open to English and Western riders

- 55. Adult WTC Pleasure
- 56. Adult WTC Equitation
- 57. Adult WTC Command

GREEN HORSE WALK-TROT-CANTER– Open to horses in their first few years of showing. Open to English and Western riders.

- 58. Green Horse WTC Pleasure
- 59. Green Horse WTC Equitation
- 60. Green Horse WTC Hunter



We would like to say a huge, heartfelt

Thank you to all of the sponsors
who made donations to make this
show possible this year as well as say
thank you to all of the wonderful
volunteers who helped to put this
together and provide a fun and
positive experience for everyone!

OPEN SHOW ENTRY FORM

*****Numbers will not be issued without current proof of coggins, rabies vaccination and payment****

Name of Rider #1: _____ DOB _____

Street: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail address: _____

Name of Rider #2: _____ DOB _____

Street: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone #: _____ E-mail address: _____

Name of Horse: _____

List Classes Entered Below Post Entry Fee of \$15.00 per Horse (for entries submitted after 9/12/2024)										Entry Fee
Rider 1										Office fee \$10.00
Rider 2									Post Fee	Total

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Any entry received after 9/12/2024 is considered a Post Entry regardless of delivery method