

# DRAFT HORSE AND MULE SHOW

Sunday, August 6, 2023 – 8:30 am

Judges: TBD

Announcer: Bob Shirley

Entry Fee: \$10.00 Per Head

Entries Close: July 3, 2023

## SUPERINTENDENT

Brenda Sands, 410- 808-2299, [bsands1169@hotmail.com](mailto:bsands1169@hotmail.com)

- All Horses and Mules, six months or older are to have proof of negative Coggins test within 12 months of the show date. A copy is to be presented at check in the day of the show. All equine exhibitors are to fill out a **Self-Certification of Equine** Health form and is to be presented to the designated fair or show representative at check in.
- Show will be held rain or shine. All fees are non-refundable.
- No entries accepted after the deadline.
- **Must use entry form in this catalog. ONLY ONE RIDER/DRIVER PER ENTRY FORM. Mail all entries to: Brenda Sands, 408 South Springdale Road, New Windsor, MD 21776. Please make check payable to: Howard County Fair Association, Inc.**
- All Judges' decisions are final. Any Horse or Mule misbehaving is to be dismissed.
- Show committee reserves the right to combine or split classes as number of entries warrant. Classes are listed in the tentative order they are to be run – may be changed as needed.
- Appropriateness attire for each draft horse class is required.
- Youth may waive their youth status and are to clearly state on their entry form. They are not to be considered a youth in the MDHMA point system and may not exhibit in youth classes for the remainder of the calendar year.
- Adult & Youth Showmanship classes: Judged 70% showman-ship, 30% condition and grooming of the animal. Premiums: Trophy and Six ribbons. Senior Showmanship with Horses or Mules will be **WALK ONLY**. PeeWee Showmanship 7yrs & Under. They **MUST** be accompanied by an experienced Adult when entering the ring and is required to wear protective head gear
- **All Youth 8-19 are to be accompanied by an experienced adult in any driving classes.**
- All draft horse halter classes – Open to registered Draft & Drum Horses Only.
- All Stallion classes are for registered Draft Stallions only. Stallions over one year of age may not be shown by any youth.
- Mule classes: Mules must be at least 15hh or taller to show in any mule class.
- 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. To stand quietly and back easily. No stallions. Pee-Wee Lead-line must be accompanied by an experienced Adult with Line in Hand when entering the ring.
- **ALL** exhibitors showing under saddle are to wear protective head gear. (English & Western).
- Hitch Classes: Are to 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.
- Multiple Mule Hitch – Three or more Mules hitched, including abreast and tandem. Are to 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.
- Pleasure Single Cart and Pleasure Team Classes – Draft Horse or Mule (one horse or mule for pleasure driving and two for Pleasure team) hitched to cart or 4-wheeled vehicle. No fancy carts, No braiding, No show harness, No scotch housing. These animals may be pure draft, draft cross-breeds or mules. If, you show Pleasure these animals may not be shown in any other hitch classes. These animals may be shown under saddle.
- Senior Single Cart Class – Draft Horse or Mule, Must be 65 years of age and Older.

- All classes are to be given a final gate call. You are not to be allowed into the show ring once the gate is closed. The judge is to determine the time allowed for last call.
- To be eligible to show in classes 56-60, you must have shown both in their respective halter classes.
- Senior & Reserve, Junior & Reserve, Grand Champion & Reserve Champions: Premiums: Ribbons only.
- Premiums for classes 1 thru 59 are \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10, \$5 and ribbons.
- Premiums for classes 60 thru 65 are Ribbons.

**MARES 4 years and older**

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

**3 year old MARES**

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

**Senior & Reserve Champion Mare**

**2 year old MARES**

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

**Yearling MARES**

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

**2023 Foal MARES**

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

**Junior & Reserve Champion Mare**  
**Grand & Reserve Grand Champion Mare**

**2 Year & under Draft Geldings**

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

**3 Year & older Draft Geldings**

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

**Grand & Reserve Grand Champion Draft Geldings**

**Stallions 3 years & older**

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

**Senior & Reserve Champion Stallions**

**Yearling & 2 Year Old Stallions**

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

**2023 Foal Stallions**

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

**Junior & Reserve Champion Stallions**  
**Grand & Reserve Grand Champion Stallions**

**Draft Mare & Her 2023 Foal**

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

**Mule Halter**

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 56. Gelding Mules 3 yrs & older | 57. Gelding Mules 2 yrs & under |
| 58. Mare Mules 3 yrs & older    | 59. Mare Mules 2 yrs & under    |

**Grand & Reserve Grand Champion Mules**

**Youth Showmanship (Sponsored by the M.D.H.M.A.)**

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|---------------------------------|---|
| 60. 14-19 yrs w/ Mules          | 61. 14-19 yrs w/ Horses                                 |
| 62. 8-13 yrs w/ Mules or Horses | 63. 7yrs & under w/ Mules or Horses (Pee-Wee Lead-line) |

**Senior Showmanship – Walk Only (Sponsored Class)**

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| 64. 65 yrs & Over with Horses | 65. 65 yrs & Over with Mules |
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**Performance Classes**

- 66. Draft Horse Under Saddle (Western) – Adult 20 yrs or older....Premium \$35 \$30 \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 67. Draft Horse Under Saddle (Western) – Youth 8-19 yrs.....Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 68. Draft Horse/Mule Under Saddle (Eng.) – Adult 20 yrs or older..Premium \$35 \$30 \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 69. Draft Horse/Mule Under Saddle (English) – Youth 8-19 yrs.....Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 70. Draft Mule Under Saddle (Western) – Adult 20 yrs or older.....Premium \$35 \$30 \$25 \$20 Ribbon
- 71. Draft Mule Under Saddle (Western) – Youth 8-19 yrs..... Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 72. Draft Horse/Mule Pee-Wee Lead-Line Saddle (English or Western) – 7yrs & Under.....Sponsored Class

**\*\*\*\$1000.00 Classic Cart Series**

**(This class will be handled by the Maryland Draft Horse & Mule Association).**

**\$15.00per entry with a Classic Series Cart Membership Number and will be due the day of the Show.**

**Premiums will be paid out by the MDHMA.**

**LUNCH**

- 73. 6-Horse Hitch (3 Pairs).....Premium \$200 \$175 \$150 \$125
- 74. Antique Farm Implements.....Premium \$50 \$40 \$30 \$20  
(No wagons. Implement to be in workable condition)
- 75. 4-Horse Hitch.....Premium \$150 \$125 \$100 \$75 \$50 Ribbon
- 76. Multiple Mule Hitch.....Premium \$125 \$100 \$75 Ribbon
- 77. Open Pleasure Driving Team.....Premium \$50 \$40 \$30 \$20 \$10 Ribbon
- 78. Unicorn Horse Hitch.....Premium \$125 \$100 \$75 \$50 \$25 Ribbon
- 79. Single Pleasure Driving Horse.....Premium \$35 \$30 \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 80. Draft Horse Show Team.....Premium \$100 \$80 \$60 \$40 \$30 \$20 Ribbon
- 81. Mule Team.....Premium \$75 \$65 \$55 Ribbon

- 82. Youth Driving Team 14-19 yrs.....Premium \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 83. Youth Mule Team 8-19yrs.....Premium \$25 \$20 \$15 Ribbon
- 84. Youth Driving Team 8-13 yrs.....Premium \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 85. Senior Driving Cart 65yrs & older w/Horse or Mule.....Premium \$30 \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- \*\*\*\*Driver driving in this class may not drive in any other Adult cart classes\*\*\*\*
- 86. Tandem Horse (2 horses hitched in tandem to cart).....Premium \$75 \$65 \$55 \$45 \$35 \$25 Ribbon
- 87. Mule Cart- Gentlemen/Ladies to drive.....Premium \$35 \$25 \$15 Ribbon
- 88. Registered Draft Mare to Cart.....Premium \$65 \$55 \$45 \$35 \$25 \$15 Ribbon
- \*\*\*Mares shown in this class may not show in any other cart class except youth\*\*\*
- 89. Draft Horse Cart- Gentlemen to drive.....Premium \$55 \$45 \$35 \$25 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 90. Draft Horses Cart- Ladies to drive..... Premium \$55 \$45 \$35 \$25 \$15 \$10 Ribbon
- 91. Youth Mule Driving Cart 8-19 yrs.....Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 Ribbon
- 92. Youth Driving Cart 14-19 yrs.....Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 93. Youth Driving Cart 8-13 yrs.....Premium: \$25 \$20 \$15 \$10 \$5 Ribbon
- 94. Youth Pee-Wee Driving Cart 7yrs & Under.....Ribbons

**\*\*Youth Classic Cart will be showed in your cart classes and will record on you placing to NASHHCS by the MDHMA Show Chairman. The Youth Cart Series Program has been created with the intent and purpose of offering a scholarship program to graduating youth in the draft horse industry whom participate in the series. Awarding the scholarship is not based on the highest points in the series, but participation is one of the qualifications.**