



Show Rules & Pricing List 2025

Classes	Awards	Price per Class	Age Guidelines
Open & Open Ranch	1st- 6th Place	\$10	Any age of rider that is w/t/c or w/t/l
Open Walk Jog/Trot	1st - 6th Place	\$10	Any Age of rider that is w/t or w/t Walk Jog Jackpot Class is separate from this.
Youth 18 & Under	1st - 6th Place	\$10	Age is 18 and under as of 1/1/2023
Youth Walk Jog/Trot	1st- 6th Place	\$10	Age is 13 & Under as of 1/1/2023
Walk n Halt	1st- 6th place	\$10	Age is 8 & Under as of 1/1/2023
Leadline	1st - 6th place	Free (Must complete an entry form & pay office fee)	Age is 6 & Under as of 1/1/2023
Sweepstakes- any age/any horse	100% Pay back	\$20	Horse must enter 2 regular division classes

	Pricing	Other Notes
Stalls	\$65/ weekend \$35/ night	\$10 refund for the weekend towards horse stalls that are completely stripped- No shavings, hay, etc left in the stall (DOES NOT INCLUDE TACK STALLS)
Office Fee	\$15	Each day per each entered horse/ rider combination
Camping	\$35/ Night \$65/ 2 Nights	Each camper sight includes water and electric hook up Please see show management if you are not sure of where to hook-up.

Judges for the series

May 4	Lori Gordon	June 14	Kip Riley	July 25	Bill Skillet	August 24	Michael Dunn
May 5		June 15	Dodie Howard	July 26		August 25	Doug Mileham

General Rules and Guidelines:

- **The Judge's Decision is Final.** Any protest, question or comment regarding the conduct of a class must be directed to the show management. Under no circumstances is the judge to be approached. Judges may excuse unruly horses from the show pen.
- Show Management reserves the right to split, combine, cancel or change the location of any class.
- Show Management reserves the right to excuse unruly or dangerous horses. No stallions in youth classes.
- Current Vaccinations are required for your horse to be admitted onto the fairgrounds:
 - Negative Coggins for 2024 or 2025 for NYS horses and 2025 for out of state horses
 - Current 2025 Rabies Vaccination certificate
 - You are required to present your coggins and rabies to the office for verification.
 - Out of State horses must have their 30 day health papers presented for inspection.
- No overnight tying to trailers. Overnight horses must be stalled.

- Campers/living quarters are not to be powered by generators. Campers/ living quarter trailers parked in the camping area will be charged a camping fee.
- One back number per horse/rider combination for all show weekends (Your number is how your points are tracked. If your number changes during the show series, your points may not be tracked correctly). If you have a preferred number, please ask the office staff if it is available for the show series.
- Ties will be broken by the horse/rider combination receiving the highest placing in the largest class in that division for the day.
- There must be 3 horses shown in 3 classes within a division for a day High Point Award to be given.
- Pre-entries will not be held accountable for fees if you are unable to attend the show.
- Pre-paid stall fees will be refunded if the show is re-scheduled due to weather or if the exhibitor/horse are ill/injured and provide documentation to show management.

Per NYS Vehicle and Traffic Law 1265: No person less than 18 years of age shall ride a horse unless such person is wearing a helmet meeting or exceeding ASTM F1163 (Safety Equipment Institute Certified) Equestrian Standard.

Horses and Equipment:

- Horses 6 years or older must be shown on a bit.
- Horses 5 years and younger may be shown in either a shanked bit (western), bosal or snaffle bit.
- Proper Attire or Tack is required for Classes
 - English Attire: Hunt cap/ Helmet, Breeches, Shirt, Jacket, & Boots
 - Proper Tack includes: Hunt Seat Saddle, English Bridle and English Reins
 - Western Attire: Collared long sleeve shirt, Jeans/ Dress Pants, Boots, and Western Hat/ Helmet
 - Proper Tack includes: Western saddle, Western Bridle, and Split reins/ Romal Reins

Showmanship & Halter Classes:

- The exhibitor will run the pattern/class once with the score counting for English and/or Western Division, given that they are entered/paid in each class, regardless of their tack and attire.
- You must be entered into classes prior to class running (or at gate). *For example, you entered Western Showmanship and placed well. You cannot enter the English Showmanship after placings have been given.*
- Exhibitors should enter the divisional in hand class that they are competing in for riding classes. *For example, horse and rider are Open Walk Jog Western and enter into Open Walk Jog In Hand Classes.*

Open Ranch Division: (Separate division from Open Western)

- Will be judged using AQHA Guidelines.
- No horse entered into Ranch Open Division may cross enter into the Open, Youth or Sweepstakes *Western Pleasure* Classes.
- W/T Ranch division is intended for inexperienced horses or riders not capable of showing at the lope or canter in a group setting.

Leadline

- May not enter into any other division
- This division is meant to be for young rider's that cannot steer a horse independently.
- Exhibitors should be under the age of 6
- Handlers for leadline can be under the age of 18, but would need to be an exhibitor in the youth. A handler over the age of 18 is suggested for safety reasons.

Walk n Halt:

- May not enter into any other division.
- This division is meant to increase independence among a rider that is not ready for the Walk-Jog division.
- Exhibitors should be under the age of 8
- An adult (over 18 years old) must accompany the participant into the show pen.

Walk Jog/Trot Divisions: Rider may not cross enter into any other division

- This division is intended for inexperienced horses or riders not capable of showing at the lope or canter in a group setting.
- Youth is 13 and under.
- Open is for any age rider.
- Riders cannot cross enter into classes requiring a lope/canter.
- If an experienced rider wants to ride horses in both walk/trot and open, they can ride for exhibition only in the walk jog/trot classes. Their entry into the class needs to be paid and entered at the show office prior to entering the show pen. Refrain from excessive schooling, as you are entering a class meant for the above reasons.
- **TRAINERS** may ride in Open Walk Trot/ Jog classes as *EXHIBITION ONLY* (number must be flipped and class must be entered in the show office prior to entering the show pen.)

Discipline Rail: a class that judges the horse's performance and manners while executing maneuvers not seen in a regular pleasure class. Unlike Command Classes- horses are not eliminated for failure to perform a required maneuver.

- Walk Jog/Trot Class *MAY* include turn on the haunches or forehand, sidepass, stop and stand, back on the rail, dropping of stirrups, extension of the gaits.
- Walk Jog/Trot Canter/Lope Class *MAY* include counter canter/lope, extension of gaits, side pass, turn on the haunches/forehand, lead changes (flying or simple), dropping of stirrups, etc.

Halter- Assisted Equestrians:

- If an Amateur Equestrian needs assistance to participate in halter, please notify Show Management.
- Another Amateur (Adult over 18 that does not have trainer status) can trot your horse and then hand off the horse to you for your set up and inspection. Please avoid Amateurs participating in the same class.

Sweepstakes Classes:

- Walk-Jog Sweepstakes classes are open to any age rider.

Year End High Point Championship Awards

- Horse and Rider combo must show in 4 out of 6 shows to qualify for year end championship awards.
- Series and Division Awards are pointed based on Horse and Rider combination (which is based on your number)
- The same number must be used for the entire series for the horse and rider combination
- There must be 3 horses shown in 3 classes within a division for a weekend High Point Award to be given.

All Around Series

Open	Youth	Open W/T
Youth W/T	Open Ranch	Open Ranch W/J
	Walk N Halt	

The Genesee County Agricultural Society, Inc. and its volunteers are not responsible for accidents or loss to horse, rider, personal property or spectators. Ride at your own risk. Riders of unruly horses will be asked to leave at any time.

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