Colusa County Fair Horse Show Rules

CLASSES, HORSES, & ATTIRE:

Entries are open to 4H horse project members and other youth riders 18 years of age or under as of December 31, 2021, from Colusa, Glenn, Butte, Yolo, and Yuba-Sutter counties. Junior (Jr) classes are for ages 13 & under as of that date. ***Zanaboni 4H Showmanship is limited to Colusa County 4H members ONLY.**

4H Walk/Jog (W/J) classes are reserved for members in their first year or second year, who have not previously shown at the lope, or who are not confident/competent at the lope. Entrants may NOT do 4H W/J classes and a 4H Junior or 4H Senior class; however, these members MAY also enter the Western 18 & under Walk/Jog Division, and the Gymkhana 18 & under Walk/Jog Division.

Any rider, 4H or non-4H, entered in any W/J Division may NOT enter any lope classes. Loping in a W/J Gymkhana class will result in a no-time.

4H project horses should have been under the direct care and training of the 4H member during the current project year and should not have been handled by a professional trainer within that period. Adults should not ride or school the exhibitor's horse on the grounds.

No stallions will be permitted, only mares and geldings of any breed. ANY horse which, in the show management's opinion, exhibits dangerous or out-of-control behavior, or is determined to be a safety issue for any reason, in the show ring or on the premises, will be asked to leave the grounds.

Exhibitors are expected to be neatly attired. Recommended attire is jeans, belt, long-sleeved western shirt (t-shirts allowed for gymkhana), riding boots with heel (riding sneakers not allowed), and a riding helmet. Show clothes are acceptable but will not be given preference in judging. Helmets are required at all times while mounted, and during showmanship. This is an insurance issue and is not negotiable.

4H Showmanship entrants MUST be attired in black, blue, or white jeans, long-sleeved white shirt, belt, 4H scarf or tie, riding boots with heel, and a riding helmet.

MISCELLANEOUS:

West Coast Horse Show (CSHA rules) will govern the Western classes. Gymkhana classes will follow modified CSHA rules. 4H members must also abide by the rules applicable to 4H horse show events. 4H rules can be obtained at the Colusa County 4H office. Judge's decisions are final.

- Three tries per trail obstacle will be strictly enforced.
- Please clean up your trailer area before pulling out: this includes hay, manure, trash, etc.
- Coaching from the rail is NOT allowed.
- It is recommended to bring your own water and feed buckets to prevent the spread of equine communicable diseases.

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I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to comply with the above rules of the Colusa County Fair Horse Show.

Exhibitor Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

♦**Please no dogs on show grounds!**