



Exceptional Horse Show

Judge: Anna Riggs-Eader/NM

Showmanship at Halter*Stock Seat Equitation*Trail*Barrels*Poles

Ribbons to ALL Placings in ALL Divisions

1ST PLACE BUCKLES IN ALL CLASSES

A * BS * BI * CI * CS * D



**Monday
September 9
2024**



CLOSING DATE AUGUST 28, 2024

Post entries accepted on site or by EMAIL ONLY after closing date.

MAIL TO: Evelyn Huff- PO Box 1505, Alamogordo, NM 88310

EMAIL:swqhahorseshow@gmail.com

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More Info: Show Manager*Mariah Wilson*505-803-3228

NM State Fair 2024 General Horse Show Rules



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Show Secretary: Evelyn Huff @ swqhahorseshow@gmail.com

Stall Manager: Margie Billau 505-980-6806

Hospitality/Horse Concierge: Kim Fay 505-730-0602

Show Location: 300 San Pedro, Albuquerque, NM 87108 Gate 6



Entries: Pre-entry closing date is August 28, 2024. Office fee for entries postmarked/emailed by this date will be at pre-entry office fee of \$20. Post entries accepted only by EMAIL or in office to secretary only after closing date with office fee of \$30. Adding classes to a pre-entered horse will be \$5/class after closing date. Payment by check or Credit will not be required until check-in. Post entry WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED for dressage and western dressage. NO EXCEPTIONS. All other classes may be entered on site. Pre-entries are encouraged for expedited gate admissions and preferred stabling assignments. One horse per entry form. One form per breed entry. Please refer to the entry form for class fees. Entry confirmation will be sent to email on entry form for initial gate 6 access at move-in. Copies of horse registration papers and current membership cards must accompany entries for all owners and exhibitors. Stall Reservation form required with entries.

Payment: Checks payable to EXPO NM. You may send an entry by email without payment to secretary. Be aware of the secretary listed for your event. To obtain back number, each horse will need to submit health certificate (dated within 30 days) and leave an open check or credit card form. W-9 and liability form for every exhibitor must be completed before competing. Adult signature is required for minors. Bad checks and declined credit cards incur \$50/occurrence fee. Prize money will not be paid on outstanding accounts and bad debt will be reported to sanctioning organizations as well as state authority for collection. **You do not need to send payment with entry.**

Check-In: All entries will be assigned stalls when they enter Gate 6. There is a Horse Hut office that will greet you and show you your stall area. Please be prepared with your confirmation of entry and health papers to proceed to unloading. When your horses are settled, office in the indoor horse complex will check you in. Please refer to the New Mexico Livestock Board website for further requirements by state.

Check-Out: Health papers will be returned upon closing of account and proper payment completed at the end of the show in show office. Gate 6 attendants may verify your health papers upon departure. The health and safety of your horses is our top priority and these requirements will be enforced.

Office: Will be open 1 hour before the start of the competition daily and stay open at least 1 hour after final class. Check-in for groups of 6 or more are advised to contact the secretary for a time slot.

Scratched/Added classes: There is no refund on entries after the closing date without a vet certification of inability to show due to injury or illness. No refunds of any fees or classes after the closing date for any other reason accepted. Scratched classes will not be refunded. Classes may be added at the show for \$5/class post entry fee.

Feed & Bedding: Shavings and feed may be pre-ordered on entry form for \$11/bag to be ready at your stalls on arrival. Post entries/On-site orders are at show office. No outside shavings are allowed without veterinary certification of medical need.

Arenas: Indoor arena 117' x 250'. Outdoor arenas 125; x 264'. Footing is sandy loam in all arenas.

Stall Assignments: Pre-entered horses may request stall areas. We cannot guarantee those stalls will be available. Groups of horses or trainers should submit entries together to be stabled in a group with stall reservation form. Stalls may be occupied after 5pm the night before the event and must be vacated at the end of the day of show entered. Stalls will be assigned to all horses entered at \$25/night or day. Horses not using stalls must pay a grounds fee of \$25/night or day. Only one animal per stall. Tack rooms must be added to a horse's entry to reserve at the rate of \$25/night or day. The stall chart will be available at the Gate 6 entry Horse Hut. Kim Fay will be your concierge to assist in finding your assignments and getting you check-in efficiently upon arrival. **NEW MEXICO STATE FAIRGROUNDS IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ITEMS LEFT UNATTENDED.**

Parking: Designated unloading zones have a 45-minute limit. There is no parking in barn aisles or leaving trailers unhooked for any reason. Vehicle parking for exhibitors will be available, on a limited basis, in the Gate 6 area with parking pass. Each horse entered will include 1 parking pass and 2 admission tickets. Any additional passes and admissions will need to be purchased at the horse show office during check-in. Support vehicles during set up will need to purchase additional passes for show days. Entry for horse trailers and exhibitors is Gate 6 at the northwest corner of the grounds. This is south of Lomas on the east side on San Pedro (across from McDonald's). This is south of Lomas on the east side on San Pedro (across from McDonald's). You must turn RIGHT (drive north from Central). Gate 6 is open from 6am to 9pm daily. After hours arrivals/departures use Gate 3, which is further south on San Pedro at the Copper stop light.

Trailer Parking: There is no on-site trailer parking. The armory located at 600 Wyoming Blvd., Albuquerque, NM 87123 is a secure site for trailers to be unhooked while you show. Parking in lot at gate 6 is for passenger vehicles only. You may obtain trailer tags at the horse show office or at Gate 6 Horse hospitality Hut with matching serial numbers to your parking pass. Map is available at show office. You have the option to show out of your hooked trailer by parking in the far east roping arena limited to daytime only and pay a grounds fee.

Prize List Corrections/Changes: The NM state Fair reserves to itself the final and absolute right to interpret these Competition Requirements, to fairly and impartially settle, determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with or incident to the Show, and the right to amend or add to these Competition Requirements as its judgments may determine. The NM State Fair reserves the right to cancel events or change scheduling if determined necessary. See each division for any specific or special Competition Requirements.

Dogs: No dogs are allowed in competition arenas or warm-up areas.

Motorized Vehicles: No golf carts or private motorized vehicles are allowed.

Protective Headgear: Any rider may wear protective headgear in any division or class without penalty from the judge. USEF strongly encourages all riders to wear protective headgear. It is the responsibility of the rider, parent, guardian, or trainer of the junior exhibitor to see that the headgear worn complies with safety standards and is properly fitted and in good condition.

Prize Money & Awards: Payouts will be issued to the exhibitor of the class within 30 days. W-9 and full account payment required for all entries. Buckles will be awarded onsite at the conclusion of each show. Added raffles for sponsor products will be picked daily! Ribbons will be awarded through 6th place. We encourage selfies at the NEW horse show back drop this year!

Photographers: Lauren Aston Photography and Morning Glory Studios will be covering arenas for competition photos. Both will have booths in the front foyer area and online galleries to view and purchase your winning moments.

Sponsorships: At least \$15,000 of guaranteed money will be awarded thanks to the NM State Fair! Added sponsor money will continue to be accepted for each division through August 28. Please consider sponsorship to add more money to your division. Sponsor forms are available on the Fair website. Arena Banner sponsorships are also available to show your support of this great event and get your business in front of a major public audience!

Gate Calls: The two-minute gate will be enforced. The gate will close two minutes after the first horse enters the ring or in cases with large classes taking more than two minutes, after the entry of the final horse in a continuous string of horses. If tack changes are necessary, it is the exhibitor's responsibility to notify the gate person and request a three-minute gate hold. Note: Due to unforeseeable problems with the mechanical devices, the paddock and barn calls over the PA system must be considered a COURTESY. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to be sure that his/her horse is at the gate at the prescribed time.

Refusal of Entry/Protest: All decisions made by the Judge and/or Show Management are final and cannot be protested. Show Management reserves the right to ask any exhibitor to leave the show grounds for any reason including but not limited to unsportsmanlike like conduct, intoxication, and animal cruelty.

Embrace: This is a new format for the NM State Fair. Many local non-profit horse clubs and volunteers are working hard with the Fair Commission and Expo Staff to create a fun and safe event for all. Please help us to make this a great experience with kindness and patience. Horse showing is about FUN and you have a large audience of kids who want to be just like you when they grow up! We all represent the best of what the horse community has to offer. THANK YOU for supporting YOUR New Mexico State Fair Horse Department!

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Membership: This a “play day” event with no national points or organization recognitions. No membership is required.

Prizes: There are Buckles for each 1st Place winner of all classes in each division (A, B, C, CS, D). Every exhibitor will get a ribbon for all the places 1st-6th in every class. Participation ribbons for placings past 6th.

Entry Fees: Each rider pays a one-time office base fee of \$40. This office fee includes office fee, one stall or grounds fee for one horse, and parking pass for 1 vehicle for Monday September 9. Each class is \$5 in addition to the office base fee.

Safety/Conduct: This show will follow the general practices for safety and rules for similar Special Olympic events. All riders must wear helmets, boots and long-sleeve shirt with jeans.

Divisions: Each Rider must declare a division on entry form. Each rider competes in only one division. Please choose the most appropriate division for rider’s safety.

D (D)-Walk Only. Horse handler uses attached lead rope to control horse. Handler gives instruction and physical assistance to rider as needed. Rider may also have handlers and side walkers.

C Supported (CS)-Walk Only. Horse Handler is only for control of horse with attached lead rope. Rider independently maneuvers horse without verbal or physical assistance from handler. May have handler and side walkers.

C Independent (CI)- Walk Only. No handlers or side walkers. Rider is completely independent at the walk only.

B Supported (BS)-Walk/Trot. No Lope. Horse handler with attached lead rope for horse control safety only. Rider independently maneuvers horse without verbal or physical assistance from handler. May have handler and side walkers.

B Independent (BI)- Walk/Trot. No lope. No handlers or assistants in the arena. Rider is completely independent at the walk and trot.

A (A)-Walk/Trot/Lope-No handler or assistants in the arena with Rider. Rider is completely independent.

Reserve your room at the Hampton Inn
2300 Carlisle (505) 837-9300
Special show rate of \$91/night!



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HORSEMEN'S
FEED & SUPPLY



State Fair Show Schedule

Exceptional Horse Show

Monday September 9, 2024



Indoor Horse Arena 9:00am

- 525. Showmanship at Halter D
- 526. Showmanship at Halter CS
- 527. Showmanship at Halter CI
- 528. Showmanship at Halter BS
- 529. Showmanship at Halter BI
- 530. Showmanship at Halter A

15 Minute Break + Raffle

- 531. Stock Seat Equitation D
- 532. Stock Seat Equitation CS
- 533. Stock Seat Equitation CI
- 534. Stock Seat Equitation BS
- 535. Stock Seat Equitation BI
- 536. Stock Seat Equitation A

Lunch Break

Thank you to our Raffle Sponsors!



Indoor Horse Arena Not Before 12pm

- 537. Trail D
- 538. Trail CS
- 539. Trail CI
- 540. Trail BS
- 541. Trail BI
- 542. Trail A
- 543. In-Hand Trail All Divisions

15 Minute Break + Raffle

- 544. Barrel Racing D
- 545. Barrel Racing CS
- 546. Barrel Racing CI
- 547. Barrel Racing BS
- 548. Barrel Racing BI
- 549. Barrel Racing A

10 Minute Break + Raffle

- 550. Pole Bending D
- 551. Pole Bending CS
- 552. Pole Bending CI
- 553. Pole Bending BS
- 554. Pole Bending BI
- 555. Pole Bending A





2024 NM State Fair Exceptional Show Entry Form



Exhibitor:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone(_____) _____ Email _____

*****Confirmation Email for Expedited Gate Entry for pre-entries*****

Level _____ *Must enter same division for all classes

Level	D	CS	CI	BS	BI	A
Showmanship at Halter						
Stock Seat Equitation						
Trail						
In Hand Trail						
Barrels						
Poles						

All Entries Must include:

- Entry Form with Level
- Liability Signed

ENTRIES CLOSE - August 28, 2024

Post Entries Accepted: On-Site or Submitted AFTER Closing Date MUST BE EMAILED.

Make Checks payable to: EXPO NM upon check-in or CC

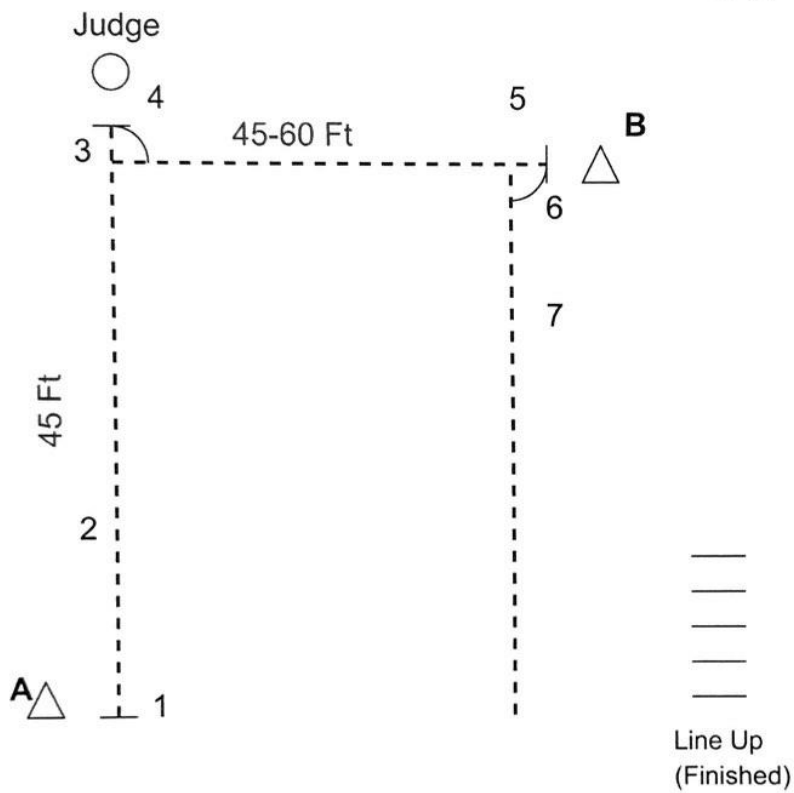
Mail to: Evelyn Huff, PO Box 1505, Alamogordo, NM 88310

EMAIL (Preferred): swqhahorseshow@gmail.com

Total Class Fees (\$5/class)	\$ _____
Office Fees	
Per Rider	\$ <u>40</u>
Includes 1 Stall/Grounds, 1 parking pass/admission and Office Fee	
Other Fees	
Added Sponsorship (optional)	\$ _____
Shavings \$11/bag	\$ _____
TOTAL FEES DUE	\$ _____
<i>Office use</i> _____	
Check or CC	_____
Post Mark Date	_____

Showmanship At Halter C & D

Classes 525, 526, 527



Walk - - - - -

1. Be ready at A
2. When signalled by judge, walk to judge.
3. Stop and set up for inspection.
4. When dismissed, turn 90 degrees to right.
5. Walk to cone B and stop.
6. Turn 90 degrees to right.
7. Walk to line up

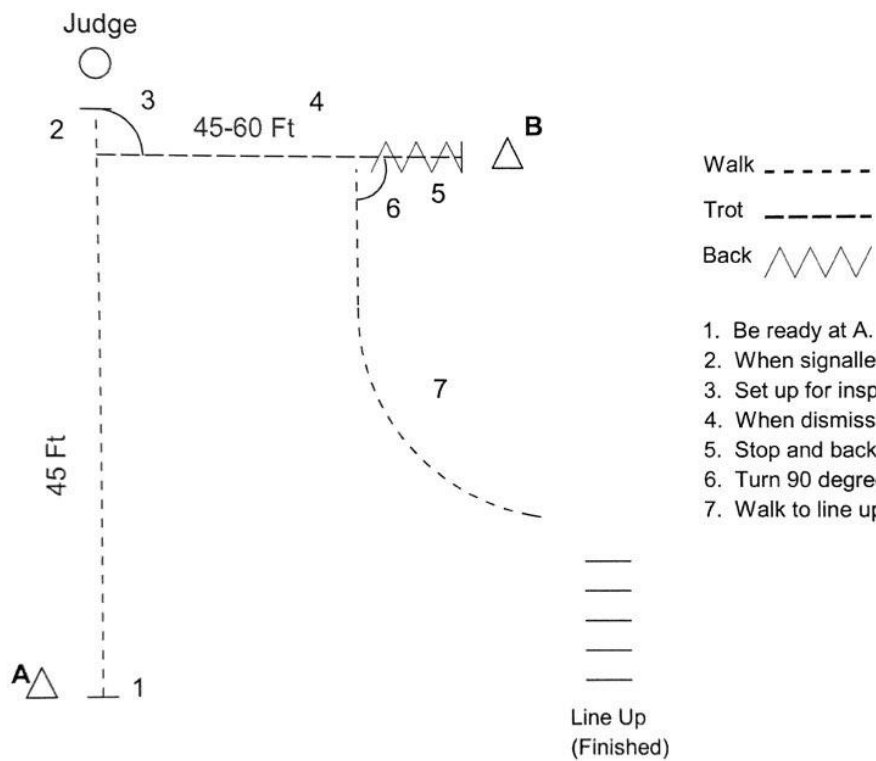
Line Up
(Finished)


Line Up
(Start)

Gate


Showmanship At Halter A & B

Classes 528, 529, 530



Walk - - - - -
Trot - - - - -
Back 

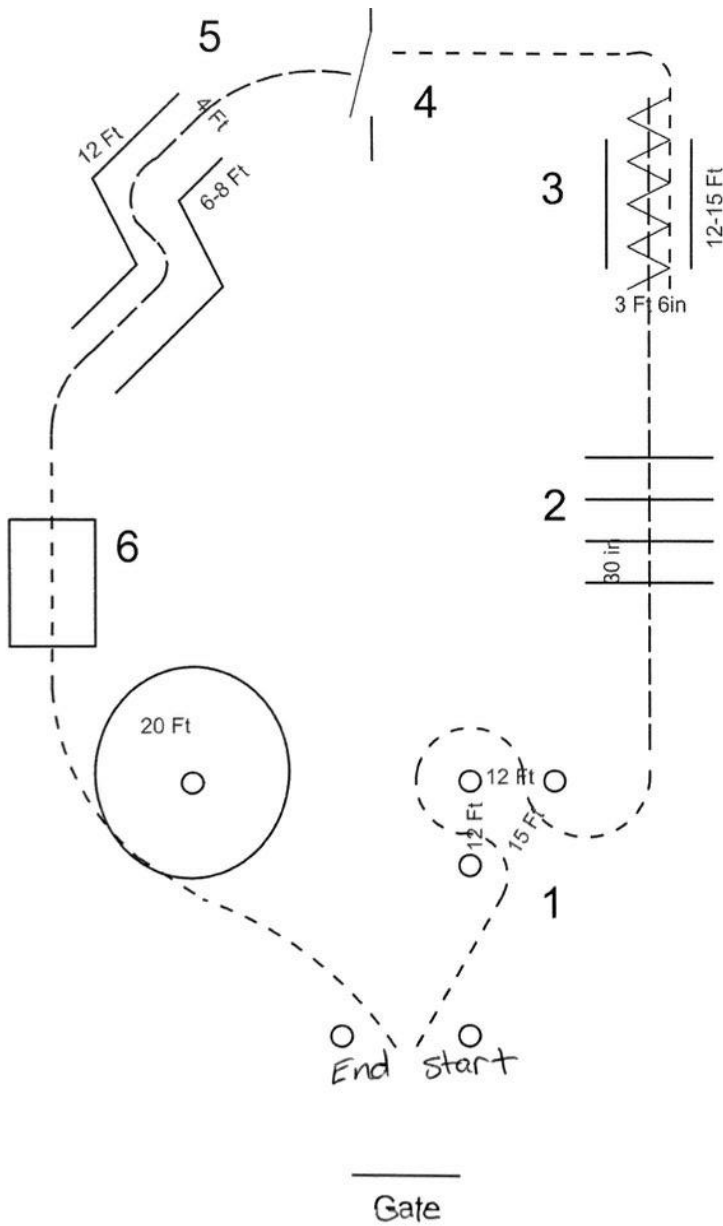
1. Be ready at A.
2. When signalled by judge, walk to judge and stop.
3. Set up for inspection.
4. When dismissed, turn 90 degrees right and trot to cone B.
5. Stop and back 4 steps.
6. Turn 90 degrees to right,
7. Walk to line up


Line Up
(Start)


Gate

Trail C & D & In-Hand

Classes 537, 538, 539, 543

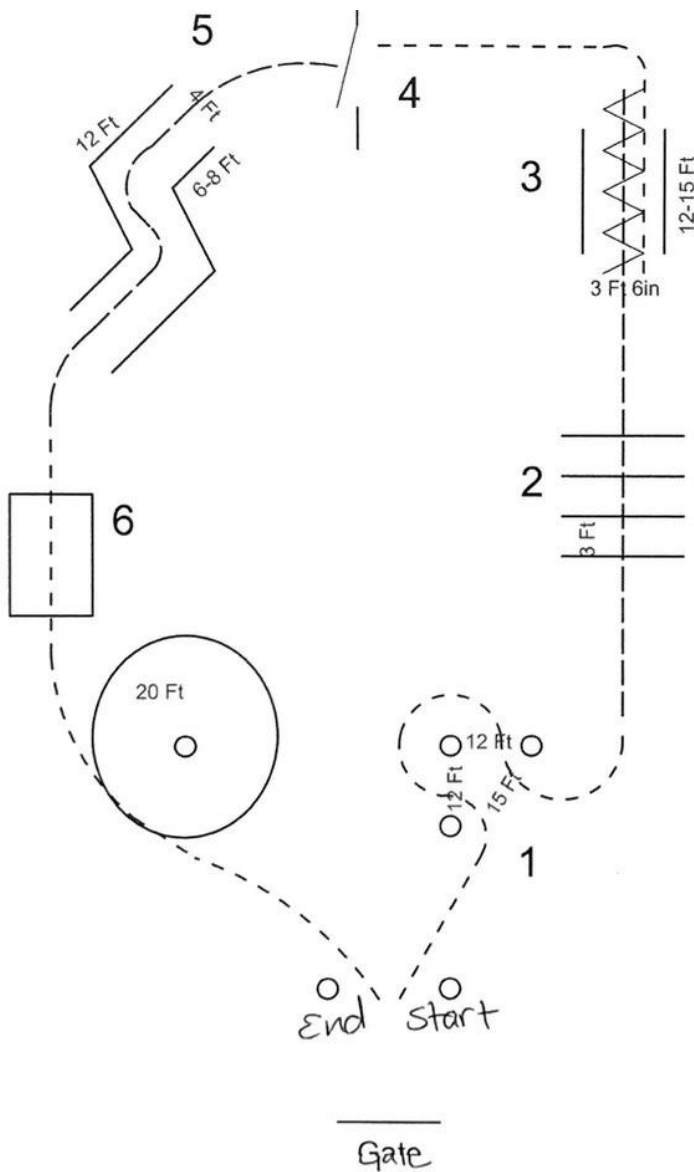


WALK - - - -

1. Walk through and around cones.
2. Walk over logs and into chute.
3. Back through chute.
4. Walk to gate, work with either hand. D - walk through gate.
5. Walk through logs.
6. Walk over bridge, walk to exit.

Trail A & B

Classes 540, 541, 542



WALK ---
JOG
LOPE —

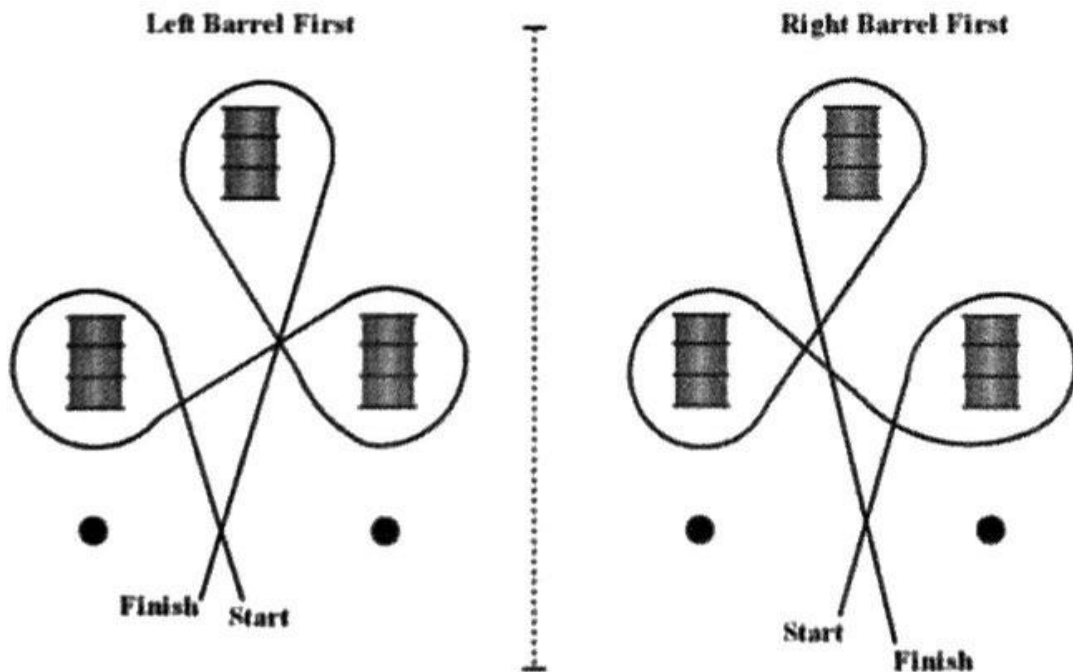
1. Walk through and around cones.
2. Trot over logs and into chute.
3. Back through chute.
4. Walk to gate, work with either hand.
5. Trot through logs.
6. Walk over bridge.
7. A - Lope circle to left around cone, walk to exit.
B - Trot circle to left around cone, walk to exit.

Barrel Racing

Classes 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549

Barrel Racing

An exciting race against the clock in which exhibitors follow a course consisting of three barrels in a triangular "cloverleaf" pattern. Riders choose to circle either the right or left barrel first, race to the opposite barrel and complete the course after circling the third barrel and racing down the center of the three barrels to stop the timer. Knocking over a barrel carries a five-second penalty.

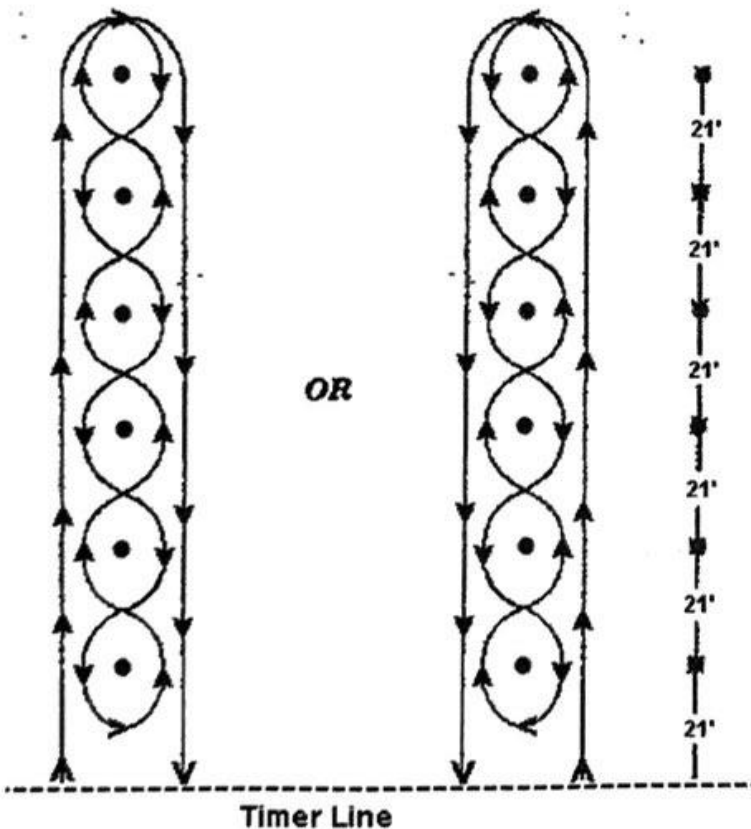


Pole Bending

Classes 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555

Pole Bending

A timed event in which the speed and agility of the horse are tested as horse and rider twice weave through a course of six poles spaced 21 feet apart, twice circling end poles before turning and racing to the finish line. The pattern must be followed exactly. A five-second penalty is added for each pole knocked down.



WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

For and in consideration of New Mexico State Fair, dba Expo NM (“Expo”) allowing me, the undersigned, to participate in any capacity (including as a rider, driver, handler, vaulter, longeur, lessee, owner, agent, coach, official, trainer or volunteer) in both sanctioned/non-sanctioned, licensed or approved event or activity, including but not limited to equestrian clinics, practices, shows, competitions and related or incidental activities of the Equine Events (“Events”); I, for myself, and on behalf of my spouse, children, heirs and next of kin, and any legal and personal representatives, executors, administrators, successors,, and assigns, hereby agree to and make the following contractual representations pursuant to this Agreement (“Agreement”):

A. RULES AND REGULATIONS: I hereby agree to be bound and abide by the rules, regulations, and policies of Expo as published in the Premium Book and on the website at www.statefair.exponm.com, as amended from time to time.

B. ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RISK: I knowingly, willingly, and voluntarily acknowledge the inherent risks associated with the sport of equestrian and know that horseback riding and related equestrian activities are inherently dangerous, and that participation in any Event involves risks and dangers including, without limitation, the potential for serious bodily injury (including broken bones, head or neck injuries), sickness and disease (including communicable diseases), trauma, pain & suffering, permanent disability, paralysis and death; loss of or damage to personal property (including my mount & equipment) arising out of the unpredictable behavior of horses; exposure to extreme conditions and circumstances; accidents involving other participants, event staff, volunteers or spectators; contact or collision with other participants and horses, natural or manmade objects; adverse weather conditions; facilities issues and premises conditions; failure of protective equipment (including helmets); inadequate safety measures; participants of varying skill levels; situations beyond the immediate control of the Event organizers and competition management; and other undefined, not readily foreseeable and presently unknown risks and dangers (“Risks”).

EQUINE ACTIVITY LIABILITY ACT WARNING:

CAUTION: HORSEBACK RIDING AND EQUINE ACTIVITIES CAN BE DANGEROUS. RIDE AT YOUR OWN RISK.

Under the laws of most States, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for any injury to, or the death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risks of equine activities.

C. ASSUMPTION OF RISK: I understand that the aforementioned Risks may be caused in whole or in part or result directly or indirectly from the negligence of my own actions or inactions, the actions or inactions of others participating in the Events, or the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties defined below, and I hereby voluntarily and knowingly assume all such Risks and responsibility for any damages, liabilities, losses, or expenses that I incur as a result of my participation in any Events. I also agree to be responsible for any injury or damage caused by me, my horse, my employees or contractors under my direction and control at any Event.

D. WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY, HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNITY: In conjunction with my participation in any Event, I hereby release, waive and covenant not to sue, and further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the following parties: New Mexico State Fair, Expo NM, Recognized Affiliate Associations, Members, Event participants (including athletes/riders, coaches, trainers, judges/officials, and other personnel), the Event owner, licensee, and competition managers; the promoters, sponsors, or advertisers of any Event; any charity or other beneficiary which may benefit from the Event; the owners, managers, or lessors of any facilities or premises where an Event may be held; and all directors, officers, employees, agents, contractors, and volunteers of any of the aforementioned parties (**Individually and Collectively, the “Released Parties” or “Event Organizers”**), with respect to any liability, claim(s), demand(s), cause(s) of action, damage(s), loss, or expense (including court costs and reasonable attorney fees) of any kind or nature (“Liability”) which may arise out of, result from, or relate in any way to my participation in the Events, including claims for Liability caused in whole or in part by the negligent acts or omissions of the Released Parties.

E. COMPLETE AGREEMENT AND SEVERABILITY CLAUSE: This Agreement represents the complete understanding between the parties regarding these issues and no oral representations, statements or inducements have been made apart from this Agreement. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be unlawful, void, or for any reason unenforceable, then that provision shall be deemed severable from this Agreement and shall not affect the validity and enforceability of any remaining provisions.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS DOCUMENT IN ITS ENTIRETY, UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND KNOW IT CONTAINS AN ASSUMPTION OF RISK, RELEASE AND WAIVER FROM LIABILITY, AS WELL AS A HOLD HARMLESS AND INDEMNIFICATION OBLIGATIONS.

By signing below, I (as the participant or as the Parent/Legal Guardian of the minor identified below) hereby accept and agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement in connection with my (or the minor’s) participation in any Event. If, despite this Agreement, I, or anyone on my behalf or the minor’s behalf, makes a claim for Liability against any of the Released Parties, I will indemnify, defend and hold harmless each of the Released Parties from any such Liabilities as the result of such claim.

The parties agree that this agreement may be electronically signed. The parties agree that the electronic signatures appearing on this agreement are the same as handwritten signatures for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility.

Owner ** Mandatory Must be Adult	Print Name	*Adult Signature
Trainer or Custodian of horse @ show ** Mandatory Must be Adult	Print Name	*Adult Signature
Rider 1 ** Mandatory Must be Adult	Print Name	*Adult Signature
Rider 2 ** Mandatory Must be Adult	Print Name	*Adult Signature
Rider 3 ** Mandatory Must be Adult	Print Name	*Adult Signature
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	*Adult Signature
Print Minor Name Here	Print Parent/Guardian Name Here	*Adult Signature

******* EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER FOR EXHIBITOR**

MUST BE SIGNED IN AT LEAST 3 PLACES BY ADULTS ONLY

Breed Membership is not required for Parents/Guardians signing for minors.