

**Nanaimo Equestrian Association
All Pony Show
Beban Park
Nanaimo, BC
Sunday July 23, 2023**

**Fun Show for all ponies ridden/driven by children or adults.
Halter, In-Hand Agility, Trail, English, Western, Games, Driving**

Horse Council BC General Performance Show

**Judges: Fonda Munro (Trail and Agility)
Tina Knott (Halter and Driving)
Barb Parker (Performance)**

**Prize List and Entry Forms area also available on
NEA website: www.nanaimoequestrians.ca
and Facebook: Nanaimo Equestrian Association**

It is the responsibility of the show/event committee, or organizers and the facility owners and managers to ensure that all BC Health Authority, via Sport and WorkSafeBC directives are followed and enforced. Please follow all vaccination requirements as dictated by your Regional Health Authority. Horse Council is not a regulatory body, and it is understood and agreed that sanctioning and approval of either a HCBC Provincial circuit event or Equestrian Canada Bronze or Silver competition relates to the use of the rule book and approved officials only.

This Competition is a Horse Council BC provincially sanctioned Competition and will be governed in accordance with the Horse Council BC Rule Book. Knowledge of the Rules is the responsibility of the Competitor.

The Horse Council BC Rule Book will be used and can be found at the following link: <http://www.hcbc.ca/Competition-Documents.html> General Rules.

Neither Horse Council BC, its Board of Directors, organizing committee, staff, volunteers, officials, or employees of this horse show, will be responsible in any way, for damage, injury, or loss to persons, horses or property of exhibitors, spectators, owners, riders, trainers, or grooms. All competitors and owners of horses must be members of Horse Council BC to participate.

SHOW INFORMATION

1. The All Pony Show is open to any equine 14.2 hh and under. Ponies may be measured by the show committee if deemed necessary to confirm class eligibility.
2. All riders, drivers, handlers, and exhibitors **MUST** be current Horse Council B.C. members, other than riders six years old and under in the lead line and costume classes. HCBC Membership numbers must be on all entry forms. Visit www.hcbc.ca for Membership and General Performance Rules and class descriptions.
3. Registered Pony Halter Classes: Photocopies of registration papers must accompany the entry form. **THE REGISTRATION PAPERS MUST SHOW THE CURRENT OWNER.**
4. **Please check your entries!**
 - Are Entry form and waivers are completed and signed? A complete mailing address with phone number and email (if available) is required.
 - Has full payment has been made?
 - Entries are accepted only when entry form, waiver and payment is complete.
5. **ENTRIES:**
 - Flat day fee: \$40.00 per exhibitor/pony entry or \$8/class.
 - Administration fee: \$15.00
 - Entries close Wednesday, July 19, 2023.
 - **NO LATE ENTRIES! NO ENTRY ON THE DAY!**
 - Exhibitor Number will not be issued without full payment, completed entry forms, waivers, and current HCBC.
 - Refunds less administration fee.
6. Age of Riders/Drivers as of January 1, 2023:
 - Junior A – ages 6, 7, 8, 9, 10
 - Junior B – ages 11, 12, 13
 - Junior C – ages 14, 15, 16, 17, 18
 - Adult – ages 19 and over
7. Height of Ponies:
 - VSE– max 9.3hh
 - Small - up to 12.2h
 - Medium - over 12.2 up to 13.2
 - Large - Over 13.2hh up to 14.2
8. Classes may be canceled, combined or split at the discretion of the Show Committee.
9. Stallions may not be shown or handled by anyone under the age of 18 years (as of January 1st, 2023) and all stallions 3 years of age and over must be shown and always handled with a bit.
10. All driving classes are for single hitch, 2- or 4-wheel carts.
11. **STABLING:**
Cost per 24hrs or portion thereof is \$25.00/stall. Please be sure to strip down your stall so it is clean.
12. **TRAILERING IN:**
You may show from your trailer in designated areas. Please be sure to clean up all manure, bedding, hay, and garbage from around your vehicle and trailer.
13. **CAMPING:**
Camping is available (no hookups) for \$35/day/unit.
14. **SAFETY:**
All competitors must wear properly fitted and approved BSI or ASTM protective headgear, with safety harness correctly secured at all times while mounted or driving on the competition or event grounds.
15. No more than 8 riders to canter, lope or hand gallop at one time.
16. **If, in the opinion of the Show Chairperson, a pony, rider or driver is determined to be unsafe, it will be refused entry into the ring or asked to leave the ring immediately.**
17. **Any exhibitor receiving unauthorized assistance by a second person inside or outside the arena may be eliminated at the discretion of the judge.**
18. Exhibitors are responsible for having their ponies in the holding area before their class and must enter the ring promptly when called. Any request for a gate hold must be approved by the Show Chairperson.
19. Headers, if necessary, may enter the ring when summoned by the Ring Steward or where required by rules.

20. CONDUCT:

Any unsportsmanlike conduct by an owner, exhibitor, agent, or spectator including but not limited to abuse of one's horse, excessive use of foul language, intoxication anywhere on the grounds of the event, blatant disrespect for any other attendee at the event, or any other detrimental conduct shall jeopardize their right to further exhibit at the show. The standard by which conduct or treatment will be measured is that which a person who is informed and experienced in generally accepted equine training and competition practices would determine to be neither cruel, abusive, nor inhumane. Show management reserves the right to disqualify or request removal from the grounds any exhibitor not complying.

21. All protests must be in writing and submitted to the Show Secretary before the end of the show. Protests or complaints are not to be taken directly to the Judge, Whipper-In, or Ring Steward.
22. No one may approach/communicate with the Judge or enter the judging area without express permission of the Show Chairperson or their designate.
23. In-Hand Agility and Trail patterns will be posted by the ring and by the show office at least 30 minutes before expected start of class.
24. There will be a concession on the grounds selling burgers, hotdogs, and baked goodies.
25. Please leave all dogs at home.

AWARDS:

Ribbons will be awarded first to sixth.

Hi Point Aggregate Rider/Driver Awards:

- Junior C/Adult
- Junior A/B

Point Aggregate Pony Awards (does not include halter, lead line or costume classes):

- VSE
- Small/Med Pony
- Large Pony
- Most Versatile Pony

CLASSES

HALTER begins at 8:30 am

HALTER

Note: A pony may only enter one halter class. Minimum handler age is 6 years old.

Sport Pony Type (not a Registered Pony Breed):

100 Stallion

101 Mare, gelding

Very Small Equine (VSE):

102 Stallion

103 Mare, gelding

Registered Pony Breeds:

NOTE: Separate breed classes will be assigned according to the entries received for registered ponies. Registration papers must accompany the entry form and must show the current owner.

104 Stallion

105 Mare, gelding

**FIRST PLACE IN EACH HALTER CLASS WILL RETURN TO THE RING TO
DETERMINE CHAMPION AND RESERVE CHAMPION**

AGILITY AND TRAIL Classes are judged between 10 am and 1 pm

IN-HAND AGILITY

1 In-Hand Agility - Junior C & Adult

2 In-Hand Agility - Junior A & B

TRAIL

3 Trail Walk/Jog - Junior C & Adult

4 Trail Walk/Jog - Junior A & B

Start Time for FLAT CLASSES will follow HALTER (not before 9:30 am)

ENGLISH

5 English Pleasure Walk/Trot - Junior A & B

May only x-enter with other walk/trot-jog flat classes, agility, trail, driving and games.

6 English Equitation Walk/Trot - Junior A & B

May only x-enter with other walk/trot-jog flat classes, agility, trail, driving and games.

7 English Pleasure - Junior A & B

8 English Pleasure - Junior C & Adult

9 English Basic Seat Equitation - Junior

10 English Basic Seat Equitation - Junior C & Adult

11 Hunter Under Saddle - Junior A & B

12 Hunter Under Saddle - Junior C & Adult

13 Suitable to Become a Dressage Pony - All Ages

LEAD LINE

(No cross-entry with any other classes except Costume)

14 Lead Line Horsemanship Walk Only - Ages 4 to 8

Attire: Suitable English or Western attire is permissible. Helmets and boots with heels are mandatory. The adult leading the pony must also be suitably attired.

Equipment: A lead shank must be attached to a halter that is under the pony's bridle, so that the adult can maintain control. English or Western tack is permitted. No whips, bats or crops.

Rules: Walk only. No entry may be tied, buckled, or fastened to the saddle in any manner. Riders in Lead Line are not required to be Horse Council BC members. The pony must be led by an adult age 19 years or older who is a current HCBC member. The adult shall only assure that the horse does not get out of control and shall let the exhibitor attempt to cue and control the pony as much as possible.

LUNCH BREAK

COSTUME CLASS – FREE Open to registered participants

If on lead-line, then lead line safety rules apply.

WESTERN

15 Western Pleasure Walk/Jog - Junior A & B

May only x-enter with other walk/trot-jog flat classes, agility, trail, driving and games.

16 Western Equitation Walk/Jog - Junior A & B

May only x-enter with other walk/trot-jog flat classes, agility, trail, driving and games.

17 Western Pleasure - Junior A & B

18 Western Pleasure - Junior C & Adult

19 Western Equitation - Junior A & B

20 Western Equitation - Junior C & Adult

21 Western Horsemanship - Junior A & B

22 Western Horsemanship - Junior C & Adult

RIDDEN GAMES

23 Ridden Barrels

24 Ridden Pole Bending

25 Ridden Keyhole

DRIVING

26 Pleasure Driving – Junior A & B

No x-entry with other driving classes.

27 Pleasure Driving

28 Reinsmanship Driving

29 Driving Derby