



WCMHC Club Show 2010

Saturday & Sunday, July 31 & August 1, 2010

Two Shows - Two Judges - Run Simultaneously

Stampede Park, Calgary, AB

Judges: Delena C. Doyle, Azle, Texas
(AMHA, ApHC, APHA, NSBA, PtHA, IBHA, AQHA, PHBA)
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Show Times: Saturday July 31, starting 8 a.m. in the Big Top
Sunday August 1, Starting 8 a.m. in the Big Top

Class Entry Fees:

Entry Fee = \$10.00 per class for all Youth classes & \$25.00 per class for all other classes. Entry fee includes entry under both Judges and AMHA office fees. Entry under one judge not permitted.

Entries Close: Entries must be received by July 25, 2010, stalls will be assigned in the order the entries are received. No new horses can be added after July 25 but post entry of classes for horses already entered in the show allowed up until previous class enters the ring or 1/2 hour before 1st class of day. Post entry fees are the same as the Class Entry Fees above but must accompany all post entries. Post entries accepted at Announcers stand.

Stall Fees:

Stalls = 5' X 10', for horses or 10' X 10' for tack = \$30.00 Friday to Sunday.
Stall fees include shavings in Horse stalls

Move In: Horses may move in any time after 12:00 noon, Friday July 30. All stalls assigned.

Move out: Exhibitors can move out at any time. Everything must be out of the barn Sunday evening.

Parking: Entry to Stampede Park \$12.00/entry; 3 day pass for Lot 4 (south of barn) \$33.00 - no horse trailers in this lot; 3 day pass to park in the infield only \$20.00 - campers can park here too.

Measuring: 7:30 am Saturday July 30; 7:30 am Sunday August 1.
All horses must be measured - there are no AMHA measurement cards in 2010.

Wash Racks: Warm Water Wash Racks in the barn.

All classes will be in the Big Top arena. The Outdoor Show Ring will be available for warm-up and exercise all weekend.

Awards

Under each Judge (2 sets)

- Ribbons to Sixth Place
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Junior Mares, Stallions & Geldings
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Senior Mares, Stallions & Geldings
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Single Pleasure Driving Horse
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Country Pleasure Driving Horse
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Classic Pleasure Driving Horse
- Ribbon & Award to Grand & Reserve Champion Roadster Horse
- Ribbon & Award to the Supreme Halter Horse
- WCMHC Judges Choice Neck Sash
- Prizes for the winners of all Youth Driving classes
- Special Prize to winners of Geriatric Halter Horse class (#83)
- Special Prize to the winners of the Reinsmanship class (#84)



Over both Shows (1 set)

Youth Participation Gifts

- Prize to Hi-Point Beginner Adult - must pre-register (see rule # 11)
- Prize to Hi-Point Beginner Youth - must pre-register (see rule # 11)
- Special Award to the oldest horse shown in the Geriatric Halter class (# 83)
- Prizes to High Point & Reserve High Point Individual Go Horse (see rule #12)
- Prizes for decorations using "Salute to History" theme (see Rule # 14)

Rules and Regulations

1. This Show is sanctioned by the American Miniature Horse Association. All exhibitors must abide by the 2010 AMHA Rule Book. Only horses with valid AMHA papers eligible to show.
2. Copies of BOTH sides of all registration papers must accompany entry forms. Gelding status must be reflected on registration certificate for horse to be shown in gelding classes. If a leased horse is entered in the amateur classes, written verification of the lease from the AMHA office must accompany entry form.
3. All Senior Stallions must have a completed veterinarian's certificate to prove stallion does not have cryptorchidism. A copy of this certificate may be downloaded from amha.org. No stallions measured without this certificate.
4. All horses must have proof of vaccination for equine influenza and equine viral rhinopneumonitis in order to show at this show. Proof can be in the form of a vet bill or purchase of vaccination receipts and can be copied and sent in with entries or shown at measuring. No horses will be issued numbers to show without proof they have been vaccinated for these diseases.
5. No entry fees will be refunded without a veterinarian's certificate verifying the horse's unsoundness to show.
6. All exhibitors in Amateur & AOTE classes must submit a copy of their current AMHA amateur card with their entries. AMHA application forms for Amateur cards can be obtained at the show. AMHA Amateur cards cost \$50.00 US Funds for non- AMHA members. This show offers one level in amateur classes, the AMHA office will award amateur points based on the level you have declared with the AMHA. Any horse shown in an Amateur class must be owned or leased by the Amateur or a family member. (See AM -010B)

7. Youth exhibitors must include AMHyA youth number and birth date on entry form and a copy of their valid AMHyA card. AMHyA application forms for Youth cards can be obtained at the show. AMHyA cards cost \$10.00 US Funds and last as long as that exhibitor is still a youth. AMHyA Youth show for all of 2010 at the age they were on January 1, 2010. All youth entries must have a parent or guardian's signature on the entry form. Youth Exhibitors 12 years of age & under are not allowed to show stallions except weanling & yearling colts.
8. Stalls are 5' X 10' X 4' high stalls in Main Ag barn. Stall rental includes shavings for bedding. Tack stalls are 10' X 10' X 8' high lockable box stalls without shavings. Exhibitors must supply their own tack door locks. There will be lots of room for cart storage/display areas.
9. Wash racks are available in the barn.
10. Additional Classes for horses already entered in the show can be added up until the previous class enters the ring or 1/2 hour before the first class of the day. All additions must be accompanied by payment of entry fees and will be accepted at the Announcer's stand. No new horses or youth exhibitors may be entered after July 24, 2008
11. Hi-Point Youth Beginner & Hi-Point Adult Beginner exhibitors must be in their first year of showing at AMHA shows. There will be one Hi-Point Beginner and one Reserve Hi-Point Beginner named for both Youth & Adult. Exhibitors must pre-register for this award on the entry form. Points are collected on a one horse one exhibitor basis. Exhibitors can register with more than one horse but points will be collected separately. Exhibitors collect points based on the number of exhibitors in the class (as per WCMHC Hi Point Program)
For High Point Adult Beginner, points are collected from the Open classes, the Amateur Classes and the AOTE classes.
For High Point Youth Beginner, points are collected from the Open and the Youth classes.
12. Individual Go Award: points will be collected from the following Open Individual Go classes: Showmanship, Open Jumper, Open Hunter, Open Halter Obstacle, Open Driving Obstacle, Open Liberty. Exhibitor/Horse combo receiving the most points will receive the High Point IGA and the Exhibitor received the second most points will receive the Reserve High Point IGA for this show. Points are collected on a one horse one exhibitor basis. Exhibitors can show more than one horse but points will be collected separately. Exhibitors collect points based on the number of exhibitors in the class (as per WCMHC Hi Point Program).
13. Theme for this show is "Salute to History" in honour of Historic Calgary Week, July 23-August 1, 2010. Prizes will be awarded for decorations. Judging will take place over the entire weekend by impartial judges. For more information on Historic Calgary Week, see www.chinookcountry.org
15. Everyone is welcome to participate in this show. Exhibitors with Special Needs are welcome to participate in all classes and are requested to inform the show management of any special accommodations they need.
16. Judge's Evaluation Cards are available from the announcer's stand and may be completed on a voluntary basis. Each exhibitor can fill out only one form for each judge.
17. Abuse of animals, show personnel or exhibitors will not be tolerated at this show. Such behaviour will be grounds for immediate disqualification from the show under AMHA rules. No Fees will be refunded.



Class Descriptions

The following class descriptions have been condensed from the AMHA rulebook and are intended to assist your general understanding of the classes offered. Please refer to the 2010 AMHA Rule book for specific definitions and rules. (amha.org)

Roadster Classes: Horses are shown in a roadster cart with stirrups and no basket. Driver must wear a Jacket & Cap to match, patterned after racing silks. Gaits required are Jog Trot, Road Gait trot, and a fully extended Drive-On trot. Judged on performance, speed, quality and manners in that order. Horses must be at least three years of age. (CL - 040)

Grand & Reserve Championship Roadster Class, Class # 5: Open to first and second place horses under both judges from all Roadster driving classes: Class numbers 1,2,3,4. Horses will drive a roadster class with the first place horse receiving Grand Champion and the second place horse receiving Reserve Champion. Driver must wear jacket & cap to match, patterned after racing silks. If one horse has qualified with more than one driver, exhibitors must chose one driver who will drive the championship class. (CL-030J)

Halter Obstacle Classes: Judged on performance and way of going with emphasis on manners throughout the course. Horse must be at least 3 years of age. Courses will be included in the show program and posted at the show. (CL - 060)

Country Pleasure Driving: Horses to be shown in a two-wheel pleasure vehicle. Gaits required: Walk, Pleasure Trot and Working Trot. Horses will be required to stand quietly and back readily. All gaits must be performed with willingness, obvious ease, cadence, balance and smoothness. High action will be penalized. To be judged on attitude, manners, performance, quality and conformation, in that order. No cross entries between any Country Pleasure Driving (classes 11,12,13,14,15) and any Single Pleasure Driving (classes 16,17,18,19,20) or Classic Pleasure Driving (classes 29,30,31,32,33). Horse must be at least three years of age. (CL -036)

Grand and Reserve Champion Country Pleasure Driving Horse, Class # 15: Open to first and second place horses under both judges from all Country Pleasure Driving classes: class numbers 11,12,13,14. Horses will drive a Country Pleasure driving class with the horse placing first receiving the Grand Champion and second receiving the Reserve. If one horse qualifies with more than one driver, the exhibitors must chose the one driver who will drive in the championship class. (CL-030J)

Single Pleasure Driving: Horses to be shown in a two-wheel cart with basket or safe floor. Gaits required: Walk, Collected Trot and Working Trot. Horses will be required to stand quietly and back readily. Judged on quality of performance; manners; horse's way of going; conformation; appropriateness, condition, and fit of vehicle & harness; and neatness of attire; in that order. Horse should give the appearance of a pleasurable drive, and though animated, should not be shown with exaggerated high action in front. No cross entries between any Single Pleasure Driving (classes 16,17,18,19,20) and any Country Pleasure Driving (classes 11,12,13,14,15) or Classic Pleasure Driving (classes 29,30,31,32,33). Horses must be at least 3 years old. (CL - 035)

Grand and Reserve Champion Single Pleasure Driving Horse, Class # 20: Open to first and second place horses under both judges from all Single Pleasure Driving classes: class numbers 16,17,18,19. Horses will drive a Single Pleasure driving class with the horse placing first receiving the Grand Champion and second receiving the Reserve. If one horse qualifies with more than one driver, the exhibitors must chose the one driver who will drive in the championship class. (CL-030J)

Versatility, Class # 21: Horses enter the ring in harness and drive both ways of the ring at a walk, pleasure trot & working trot then line up. Headers enter the ring & horses are asked to back. The call judge will blow a whistle and both the header and the driver will remove the cart & harness and groom the horse as necessary for a halter class. Handlers & horses will line up on the rail in the order they are ready. At 2 minutes, the call judge will blow the whistle again and any horses not removed from the cart & harness will be disqualified. Headers remove the carts & harness from the ring. Hoses are lined up for inspection in the order they came to the rail. Horse will then remain in same order and jump a course of 3 jumps to judge their style, manner and way of going. All three disciplines are judged equally and a disqualification in any one discipline means disqualification from the class. (CI-021A)

Jumper Classes: Scored mathematically, based on faults between start & finish line. Jumps are minimum height of 18" to a maximum of 28" for first round. Scoring faults are listed in the 2010 AMHA Rule Book. Course will be included in the show program and posted at the show. Horses must be at least 3 years of age. (CL - 065)

Youth Ridden Barrels, Classes # 90: This classes are for youth exhibitors age 7 years and under who are able to ride their Miniature horses. Will follow a regular 3-barrel cloverleaf pattern. Timed class, all gaits acceptable, 5-second penalty for off pattern or knocking over a barrel, or being led. Helmets recommended for all riders. Not an AMHA class. Prize for best cumulative time over all three runs, but riders do not need to enter all three classes. Ribbons for placings in each class. No Entry Fee.

Hunter Classes: Judged on style, manner and way of going over fences with preference given to those horses who cover the course at an even pace with free flowing strides, at a trot or a canter but should maintain the same gait throughout the course. Jumps are a minimum height of 18" to a maximum of 24". Exhibitors are not allowed to jump and no whips are allowed. Courses will be included in the show program and will be posted at the show. Horses must be at least 3 years old. (CL-065)

Classic Pleasure Driving: The ideal Classic Pleasure Driving horse shall be shown with light contact on the reins at all times. Ideally neck carriage should remain low and head set by horse being on the bit and face perpendicular to the ground. Stride should be sweeping and ground covering. Horses to be shown in a two-wheel pleasure vehicle. Gaits required: Walk, Pleasure Trot and Working Trot. Horses will be required to stand quietly and back readily. To be judged on attitude, manners, performance, quality and conformation. No cross entries between any Classic Pleasure Driving (classes 20,30,31,32,33) and any Single Pleasure Driving (classes 16,17,18,19,20) or Country Pleasure Driving (classes 11,12,13,14,15). Horse must be at least three years of age. (CL -034)

Grand and Reserve Champion Classic Pleasure Driving Horse, Class # 33: Open to first and second place horses under both judges from all Classic Pleasure Driving classes: class numbers 29,30,31,32. Horses will drive a Classic Pleasure driving class with the horse placing first receiving the Grand Champion and second receiving the Reserve. If one horse qualifies with more than one driver, the exhibitors must chose the one driver who will drive in the championship class. (CL-030J)

Driving Obstacle Classes: Horses shown in a suitable two or four-wheeled cart with a basket. Horses must be at least 3 years of age. Judged on performance and way of going with emphasis on manners throughout the course. Courses will be in show program and posted. (CL - 060)

Multiple Hitch Driving Obstacle, Class # 37: Horses to be shown in a two or four wheel wagon. Horses must be at least 3 years of age. Judged on performance and way of going with emphasis on manners throughout the course. Courses will be included in the show program and posted at the show. (CL-060)

Multiple Hitch Pairs, Class # 38: For pairs, using draft or light harness, to be shown to an appropriate vehicle. Horse to be shown at a trot and a flat-footed walk both ways of the arena. All hitches must stand quietly, back readily, and cut a figure eight at a trot. Prior to beginning the figure eight, each exhibitor must stop and properly address the judges. (CL - 050)

Youth Costume, Class # 39: To be judged 75% on originality of costume and 25% on presentation. To be shown at a walk both ways of the arena. This class is Youth Costume for 1-3 exhibitors and 1-3 horses as per AMHA Rules 2010. (CL-075A1)

Showmanship Classes: Exhibitor is judged on the way the horse is shown, and grooming of horse and handler. Patterns for each class will be included in program and posted at the show. Hat, Boots & Gloves are required. (AMHA rule CL-O80)

Halter Classes: Horses to be shown at a walk and a trot. Horses are shown with all four feet flat on the ground and square or at least one front and one rear cannon bone perpendicular to the ground. No whips, lighters or crops allowed. No youth 12 years of age and under are allowed to show a stallion with the exception of weanling and yearling colts. Handlers are required to dress suitably for the show ring. (AMHA Rule CL - 010)

Amateur Level One and Level Two: This show offers one Amateur class for each category. Level one and level two amateurs will show in the same class with the AMHA recording the points for the level you have declared. Must have AMHA amateur number. Horses shown in Amateur classes must be owned or leased by the Amateur, their family or corporation.

Amateur Owned, Trained and Exhibited Classes (AOTE) Classes: The horse exhibited by the AOTE (Amateur, Owner, Trainer, Exhibitor) must be trained, conditioned, groomed and shown by the AOTE or a non professional family member. The owner or lessee of record must be recorded in the AMHA office by January 1, 2010 in order for that horse to be shown in AOTE classes in 2010. AOTE exhibitors must have an AMHA amateur number. For complete AOTE rules see AM - 000.

Leadline Class # 56: This class is for youth exhibitors age 7 years and under who are able to ride their Miniature horses while being led. The horse is led by an adult exhibitor or a youth exhibitor at least 13 years of age. Horses to be shown in Western or English Tack, but it must match and be appropriate. Entries will walk both directions of the ring, line up and back up. No cross entries with # 57, Walk/Trot. Helmets recommended. (CL - 075 B 5)

Walk/Trot Class # 57: This class is for youth exhibitors age 7 years and under who are able to ride their Miniature horses on their own. Horses to be shown in Western or English Tack, but it must match and be appropriate. Riders will walk and trot both directions of the ring then line up. Riders will be asked to back their horses. No cross entries with class # 56, Leadline. Helmets recommended. Not an AMHA class

Liberty, Class # 81: Halter is removed from the horse and the horse works at liberty, to appropriate music (which must be supplied by exhibitor when the horse is measured), for 1 1/2 minutes. Handler is allowed 1 1/2 minutes after the music stops to catch the horse. Judged on style, grace, animation, gaits, presence and ease of catching. Horse must be at least one year old. Two handlers are allowed in the ring, whips or shakers are allowed but the horse must not be touched with aids or hands after the halter is removed. (CL-070)

Supreme Halter Horse, Class # 82: Open to the Grand Champion Junior & Senior Mare, Junior & Senior Stallion and Junior & Senior Gelding. Each Judge's champions lined up separately. The Supreme Halter Horses announced after both judges have handed in their cards. (CL-015D)

Geriatric Halter Horses, Class # 83: This is a non-AMHA class we are offering to showcase the horses still showing at 20 years of age & older. Will run like a regular halter class. Horses entering this class must be born prior to 1991 and must have valid AMHA registration papers. Age of horses will be announced after class is judged and the oldest horse in the ring will receive a special award. Not an AMHA class.

Reinsmanship, Class # 84: New AMHA class. Uses a two-wheeled vehicle as for Pleasure Driving. Entries are primarily judged on the rein handling ability and skill of the driver. See CL-046 for complete rules

Judge's Choice, Class # 85: Sponsored by the WCMHC, no entry fee. Enter at the gate, open to any horse shown in a halter or performance class at this show, except the Supreme Halter horses. Horses are shown at halter and walk both ways of the ring and then line up. The horse the judge would most like to take home - could be mischievous foal, a favourite colour, a particular personality or conformation type . . . Winner receives a rosette neck sash. Not an AMHA class.

Hi-Point Beginner: Open to all Youth and Adult exhibitors in their first year of showing at AMHA shows. Must pre-register on entry form. One Hi-Point Adult and one Hi-Point Youth Award presented at the end of the show. Exhibitors can show more than one horse but the points will be calculated separately. See Rules & Regulations # 11 for complete description.

For more detailed information for all the classes, please consult the AMHA 2010 Show Rules



CANADIAN MINIATURE HORSE FUTURITY CLASSES SATURDAY EVENING DO NOT ENTER ON ENTRY FORM

For more information on these classes, please contact:
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This show is the major fund-raiser of the WCMHC. It supports the ongoing initiatives of recognition of our Youth Exhibitors and the promotion of good quality Miniature horses. Your support of this show is what enables the Club to continue. Even if you can't attend the show, there are several areas where your donations would be greatly appreciated:

Championship Class Sponsors

Championship classes can be sponsored for \$100.00 for the Grand and Reserve Awards under both judges, a total of four prizes. Sponsorships will be assigned on a first come basis, please specify if you wish to sponsor a certain Championship class.

Championship class sponsors will receive:

- 1) A full page ad in the show program. Ads can be sent as inserts, camera ready, 6.5 " by 9 " or you can send the information you want in the ad and we will set it up for you. Program will be photocopied black & white.
- 2) Information about your farm or company read by the announcer during your sponsored class. This information can be sent with the ad information or brought to the show.
- 3) You or a member of your staff or family is welcome to present the awards for your Championship Class.

Youth Driving Sponsorships

There are 5 Youth Driving classes offered: Youth Single Pleasure Driving, Youth Country Pleasure Driving, Youth Classic Pleasure, Youth Roadster, Youth Obstacle Driving. The winners of these classes under each Judge will receive a prize. These prizes are available to sponsor for \$100.00 each. (for the awards for one class under both judges) Sponsorships will be assigned on a first come basis, please specify if you wish to sponsor a certain class.

Youth Driving Sponsors will receive:

- 1) A full page ad in the show program. Ads can be sent as inserts, camera ready 6.5 inches by 9 inches or you can send the information you want in the ad and we will set it up for you. Program will be copied in black & white.
- 2) Information about your farm or company read by the announcer during the awarding of your sponsored class. This information can be sent with your ad information or brought to the show.
- 3) You or a member of your staff or family is welcome to present the awards for the class you have sponsored.

Sponsorships must be received by July 25, 2008.

Please send your donation and your ad to: Charlene Gale, Box 8, Site 7, R.R. 2, Cochrane, Alberta T4C 1A2

Cheques payable to: WESTERN CANADIAN MINIATURE HORSE CLUB

Silent Auction

The Club will be running a silent auction during the show. Donations of Silent Auction items are needed and can be brought to the show. Please ask your suppliers for donations when you are purchasing your feed, tack or supplies. They might be more generous when you have just spent your money there!

Program Ads

Ads in the show program also available: 1/2 page ad for \$25.00 (6.5" by 4"), business card ad for \$10.00 (3" by 2"). Show Program ads help pay the costs of photocopying the program and must be received by July 25.

Trade Fair Booths

A limited number of 10' X 10' Trade Fair Booths for Friday, Saturday & Sunday will be available. Miniature Horse suppliers and vendors with items of interest to the general public are welcome. For more information or to reserve a booth contact Kimberley Locke: Phone: 493-923-4182 e-mail: kimlocke@gmail.com

Volunteer Time

During the show we will need volunteers to help out in several areas. If you can spend a few hours helping out as whipper in, ribbon presentation, supervising the silent auction tables, helping in the ring, setting up obstacle and jumping courses or any other area please come forward and let us know. We really need, and appreciate your help.

Thank you for your Support