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# VEGREVILLE DASH TO SUMMER SPRING OPEN HORSE SHOW 2026 EDITION

#### **Show committee members:**

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#### Please read the following Rules and Regulations.

The Society reserves the right to correct any error or make any alterations in the regulations or prize list. Classes may be rescheduled, canceled or combined. If the class is cancelled entry fees will be refunded.

Any exhibitor making entries, by so doing, agrees to be governed by the Society's rules and regulations.

All entries must be on printed forms supplied by the Society. In addition, the Vegreville Agricultural Society is NOT liable for ANY injuries caused by livestock. Extra entry forms may be photocopied by yourself or obtained by contacting:

Vegreville Agricultural Society 4753 45 Avenue Vegreville AB T9C 1L1 780-632-3950

780-632-3950 Toll Free: 1-888-611-0161 vegrevilleagsociety@gmail.com <u>www.vegag.ca</u>

In all cases, the right is reserved to reject or accept any entry upon application.

# Rules Governing Livestock Entries \*\*ALL SHANK BITS MUST BE CONTROLLED 1 HANDED

#### \*\*NO SIDEPULLS ALLOWED IN ANY CLASSES

- 1. Livestock classes are open to all, regardless of distance, unless specified.
- 2. Only animals from healthy herds are eligible for entry. Any exhibitor who knowingly enters an animal from an unhealthy herd shall forfeit all prizes earned by him, and will be excluded from exhibiting.
- 3. **Abuse of animals will not be tolerated.** Any person found abusing an animal will be excluded from exhibiting and told to leave the fair grounds.
- 4. No animal exhibited shall be decorated with medals or prizes until after the awards are made in their respective Classes.
- 5. The show committee will take every precaution to ensure the safety of all animals, but will not hold themselves responsible for the value thereof, or for any damage sustained to animals or property.
- 6. No smoking or cooking is permitted in the barns.
- 7. Dress Code: All entrants will wear appropriate show attire during classes.
- 8. Exhibitors are responsible for making correct entries, **NO REFUND** for entry fee will be made for **classes incorrectly** entered.
- **9. JUNIOR HORSE** (5 years old and younger) competing in western pleasure, reining, western riding, trail and western horsemanship that are shown with a hackamore or snaffle bit may be ridden with two hands on the reins.
- **10. SENIOR HORSE** (6 years old and older) competing must be shown in a suitable western curb bit and be ridden with one hand.
- 11. Refunds with Vet note will be given back for classes entered but **NO refunds for office fees and gate admission costs to the event.**

## **Rules Governing Judges and Judging**

- 1. No person will be allowed to act as a judge who is in any way interested in the exhibits that person is to judge.
- 2. Any exhibitor lodging a protest must make it in writing, and it must be delivered to the Secretary within 48hrs after the close of the show, accompanied by a deposit of \$75.00, which will be forfeited to the Society if the protest is not sustained.
- 3. It is the responsibility of the entrant to ensure that they are on time for their classes, once judging has commenced no one will be allowed in show ring. No refunds for exhibitors who miss their class. No person will be permitted in the animal show ring during the time of judging, except judges or assistants, persons in charge of animals, officers of the society, or members of the press.

# All requests for filling out bred show points must be done within 2 weeks of the show at the Ag Society Office

- 4. Any exhibitor who makes a false entry, attempts to interfere with or influence a judge while in the discharge of their duties, or uses abusive or contemptuous language to a judge or show committee or personnel, shall forfeit his right to all prizes he might be entitled to and shall be excluded from exhibiting.
  - 5. Judges shall, in all cases, withhold the awarding of prizes where the exhibit is not worthy, even though there may be no competition, or may award second or third prize where the exhibit does not come up to the proper standards.
  - 6. The judge's decision is final.
  - 7. If a horse or handler is deemed unsafe in the show ring they will be asked to be excused by SHOW MANAGER or judge

#### **Regulations**

- 1. All horse entries must be filed by 1 week prior to show. NO POST ENTRIES ACCEPTED
- 2. A youth exhibitor is defined as not having reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday by January 1<sup>st</sup>, current year. **No Youth** exhibitors are permitted to show stallions.
- 3. When the total number of entries in any class is four or less, the directors reserve the right to amalgamate the class with any other of the same type.
- 4. Breaks to be held at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- 5. This show will use the Rules and Regulations as set out in the AEF rule book as a guideline.
- 6. ALL JUNIORS MUST WEAR A CERTIFIED HELMET WHILE RIDING FOR ALL DISCIPLINES
- 7. Verbal abuse will not be tolerated to any staff or volunteer.
- 8. If an exhibitor must scratch due to a medical reason, they must provide VAS with a Doctors note within 7 days from the last day of the show to receive a refund
- 9. NO REFUNDS ON OFFICE FEES OR ADMISSION PASSES WILL BE GIVEN OUT

#### **Stabling**

- 1. Stabling will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. Tack stalls may be available subject to approval IF AVAILBLE.
- 2. Final stabling will be at the discretion of the committee. Due to unforeseen circumstances, the committee reserves the right to change stabling assignments.
- 3. Stalls MUST be completely cleaned back to dirt floor to not be charge stall cleaning fee of \$50.

#### \*PARKING SPACE IS VERY LIMITED\*

One vehicle only per exhibitor family is allowed to stay on the grounds. All other vehicles must be parked outside of our grounds. Violators will be towed at the owner's expense. All license plates must be registered with the Vegreville Agricultural Society Office and cell number as contact. This information to be displayed on dash of vehicle. (card supplied by the office)

\*No card on the dash the vehicle will be towed.

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#### **Awards and Entry Fees**

**BOX STALLS:** \$20 /NIGHT OR DAY

**SHAVINGS:** \$10 / CUBE

**ENTRY FEES** \$6 per class Youth

\$8 per class Adult

\$10 per class Open & Jumping

**GATE ADMISSION** \$5 per person if not an exhibitor

AWARDS, YOUTH \$15, \$12, \$10, \$7, \$5
AWARDS, ADULT \$20, \$15, \$10, \$8
AWARDS, OPEN & JUMPING \$25, \$20, \$15, \$10
AWARDS, FUN \$13, \$10, \$8, \$5, \$3

JUNIOR STAKE ENTRY FEE \$25

**JUNIOR STAKE AWARD** 40%, 30%, 20%, 10%

**OPEN STAKE ENTRY FEE** \$30

**STAKE AWARD** 40%, 30%, 20%, 10%

#### ALL JUNIORS MUST WEAR A CERTIFIED HELMET WHILE RIDING FOR ALL DISCIPLINES

Youth are divided into the following groups:

Youth A Exhibitors under 7 years of age as of January 1, 2026

Youth B Exhibitors who have reached their 7th but not their 13th birthday as of January 1, 2026.

Youth C Exhibitors who have reached their 13th but not their 18th birthday as of January 1, 2026

Adults 18+ years old

#### **YEARLING & 2 YEAR OLD TRIFECTA \$45 EXTRA TO ENTER – 3 CLASSES**

Yearling & 2 Year old horses who accumulates the most points from entering all 3 classes (halter, lungeline, inhand trail) will be awarded the Trifecta Challenge award.

The Trifecta Challenge focuses on awarding a well rounded horse that is of excellent confirmation as well as movement and disposition.

Classes are 5,6,11,12,33,34 Placings 1<sup>st</sup> – 2ND place awarded. 60%, 40%, total entries Cash Awards.

# **ALL PAYOUTS WILL BE PAID VIA CQ**

# **ORDER OF SHOWING**

## Saturday, May 30, 2026 8:30 A.M.

## **HALTER / WESTERN DAY**

CLASS 1 YOUTH HALTER DRY MARE
CLASS 2 YOUTH HALTER GELDING
CLASS 3 ADULT HALTER DRY MARE
CLASS 4 ADULT HALTER GELDING
CLASS 5 OPEN HALTER YEARLING
CLASS 6 OPEN HALTER CLASS 2 YEAR OLDS
***HALTER CHAMPION AND RESERVE HALTER CHAMPION CLASS (all $1^{\rm st}$ and $2^{\rm nd}$ places from classes $1-5$ )
CLASS 7 JUNIOR A SHOWMANSHIP
CLASS 8 JUNIOR B SHOWMANSHIP
CLASS 9 JUNIOR C SHOWMANSHIP
CLASS 10 ADULT SHOWMANSHIP
CLASS 11 OPEN LUNGELINE YEARLING
CLASS 12 OPEN LUNGELINE 2 YEAR OLDS – No cross entry in any riding classes
**BREAK**
CLASS 13 YOUTH A WESTERN PLEASURE
CLASS 14 YOUTH B WESTERN PLEASURE
CLASS 15 YOUTH C WESTERN PLEASURE
CLASS 16 OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE JUNIOR HORSE – Horses 5 years and under
CLASS 17 ADULT WESTERN PLEASURE
CLASS 18 OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE WALK / TROT – No cross entry except walk/trot classes
CLASS 19 OPEN WESTERN PLEASURE STAKE \$30

**CLASS 20** YOUTH A WESTERN EQUITATION

**CLASS 21** YOUTH B WESTERN EQUITATION

**CLASS 22 YOUTH C WESTERN EQUITATION** 

**CLASS 23 YOUTH WESTERN ON COMMAND** 

CLASS 24 OPEN WESTERN EQUITATION WALK TROT – No cross entry in other riding classes Except walk / trot

**CLASS 25** ADULT WESTERN EQUITATION

**CLASS 26** ADULT WESTERN ON COMMAND

#### \*\* BREAK \*\*

**CLASS 27 YOUTH RANCH RAIL** 

**CLASS 28** ADULT RANCH RAIL

CLASS 29 OPEN RANCH RAIL WALK / TROT No cross entry in other riding classes Except walk / trot

CLASS 30 OPEN RANCH RIDING WALK / TROT PATTERN - No cross entry in other riding classes Except walk / trot

**CLASS 31** YOUTH RANCH RIDING PATTERN

**CLASS 32** ADULT RANCH RIDING PATTERN

**CLASS 33** OPEN IN HAND TRAIL YEARLINGS

CLASS 34 OPEN IN HAND TRAIL 2 YEAR OLDS - No cross entry in any riding classes

**CLASS 35** YOUTH TRAIL

**CLASS 36** OPEN TRAIL JUNIOR HORSE

CLASS 37 OPEN TRAIL WALK/ TROT - No cross entry in other riding classes Except walk / trot

**CLASS 38** ADULT TRAIL

**CLASS 39** OPEN TRAIL STAKE CLASS \$30

**CLASS 40** YOUTH RANCH TRAIL

**CLASS 41** ADULT RANCH TRAIL

CLASS 42 OPEN WALK/ TROT RANCH TRAIL

## SUNDAY MAY 31, 2026 8:30 A.M.

## **ENGLISH CLASSES**

**CLASS 43** JUMPER MAX 18" OPTIMUM TIME

**CLASS 62** ADULT ENGLISH ON COMMAND

**CLASS 63** OPEN POLE BENDING (English or Western)

CLASS 64 OPEN BARREL RACING (English or Western)