

**The Carolina Carriage Club presents:**  
**The 21st Annual CCC Pleasure Driving and Dressage Show**  
**Welsh Pony & Cob Society of America Show**  
**Open Miniature & VSE Show**  
**September 30 - October 1, 2017**  
**FENCE, Tryon, NC**

**Prize List**



*Show starts at 9:00 each day*

*Judge: Katy Reinhart*

*Welsh Judge: Nancy Tomlinson*

*Open Miniature & VSE Judge: Nancy Tomlinson*

*Cones: Lyle Peterson, course designer; Keith Payne, cones ring manager*

*Show Organizer: Ariel Holt*

*Show Committee Members: Ariel Holt, Sue Holt, Kay Miller, Karen Payne*

*Secretary – Ariel Holt ♦ 828-748-5223 ♦ asdragongirl@yahoo.com*

*Volunteer Coordinator-*

*Vet on Call: Tryon Equine at 828-292-5456*

*Please be advised that there are no medical personnel on the grounds—for emergencies call 911*

The objectives of this show are:

- ~to encourage new drivers and horses
- ~to help experienced drivers advance their skills in an atmosphere of friendly competition
- ~and to have fun SAFELY

## NOTES ON CLASSES:

- The Combined Test consists of the Dressage Test and the Timed Obstacle Class. Entry fee is reduced when entering the Combined Test.
- We are offering a Dressage Test of Choice. Test(s) are in a 40 x 80 meter arena. You may sign up for one, two or three Dressage tests...just list the test(s) on the entry form. Classes will be divided/combined depending on the entries for each class. You may drive the same test twice but only the first test counts toward a ribbon, the second test is HC.
- Obstacle classes will be run concurrently with Ring Classes. Combined Test Drivers will have right of way in the Timed Obstacle Class.
- Green Horse or Pony or VSE is in 1<sup>st</sup> year or 2<sup>nd</sup> year of Competition.
- Green Driver (Novice Whip) has no more than two years of driving experience.
- Multiples may enter any class that does not have a specific class assigned for them. They will show as either horse or pony or VSE for obstacle classes.
- Drive and Ride will do a pleasure driving class and then have 20 minutes to return to the ring and ride (walk, trot, canter). Open to horses and riding ponies.
- Concours d'elegance judged throughout the show.
- WPCSA (Welsh Pony & Cob) Breed Classes require **SEPARATE ENTRY FORM** for their classes  
You will need to include copy of your breed registration with entry in order to qualify.
- Open Miniature Show: No youth under 14 may show a stallion. Hunter horses must be 3 years old.  
Obstacle horses must be 1 year old.
- Management reserves the right to split or combine classes as entries warrant.**

### Championship, Reserve, Breed & Special Awards

| CCC Classes Championship & Reserve           | Requirements for Awards/Championships<br><i>Note: excludes breed classes in points totals</i>  |
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| Pleasure Champion (Horse/Pony/VSE combined)  | Turnout, Working (any), Reinsmanship and SuperReinsmanship (must participate in all four classes)  |
| Obstacles Champion (Horse/Pony/VSE combined) | Timed Obstacles, Reverse Psychology, Gambler's Choice, Scurry (must participate in all four classes)   |
| Green Champion (Horse/Pony/VSE combined)     | Turnout, Green Working OR Green Driver, Reinsmanship, Timed Obstacles (must participate in all four classes)   |
| Overall Show Champion Horse                  | Must do Turnout, one Working (any), Reinsmanship, Super Reinsmanship, minimum of two Obstacles classes (most points earned at show, so more classes mean more points)  |
| Overall Show Champion Pony                   | Must do Turnout, one Working (any), Reinsmanship, Super Reinsmanship, minimum of two Obstacles classes (most points earned at show, so more classes mean more points)  |
| Overall Show Champion VSE                    | Must do Turnout, one Working (any), Reinsmanship, Super Reinsmanship, minimum of two Obstacles classes (most points earned at show, so more classes mean more points). Mini in-hand classes do not count toward overall show champion. |
| <b>Special Awards</b>                        |  |
| CCC High Point                               | Dewitt C. Miner, Jr. Perpetual Trophy award for most points accrued for CCC member   |
| Secretary's Award for first complete entry   | First complete entry without changes other than adding classes   |
| Concours d'elegance                          | To be judged throughout the show   |
| <b>Breed Awards</b>                          |  |
| American Miniature Horse Registry (AMHR)*    | Accumulated points from ALL classes, including Dressage  |
| American Shetland Pony Club (ASPC)*          | Accumulated points from ALL classes, including Dressage  |
| Mountain and Moorland*                       | Accumulated points from ALL classes, including Dressage  |
| Welsh High Point Award*                      | Accumulated points from ALL non-Welsh classes, including Dressage  |
| American Morgan Horse Association            | Accumulated points from ALL classes, including Dressage  |

\* *Must send in a copy of registration papers to qualify for a breed award.*

**Points for all regular classes assigned as follows:**

| Placing         | <i>6 or more in class</i> | <i>5 in class</i> | <i>4 in class</i> | <i>3 in class</i> | <i>2 in class</i> | <i>1 in class</i> |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1 <sup>st</sup> | 6 points                  | 5 points          | 4 points          | 3 points          | 2 points          | 1 point           |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> | 5 points                  | 4 points          | 3 points          | 2 points          | 1 point           |                   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> | 4 points                  | 3 points          | 2 points          | 1 point           |                   |                   |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> | 3 points                  | 2 points          | 1 point           |                   |                   |                   |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> | 2 points                  | 1 point           |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> | 1 point                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |

**General Rules and Things to Know:**

- Grounds open at 3:00 pm on Friday (no early arrivals permitted otherwise we get charged a full day's show ground usage fee).
- This Show will be conducted following ADS Rules and guidelines. The judge's decision will be final.
- All participants must sign Liability Waivers and anyone riding in a carriage must sign a waiver.
- **Children must wear protective headwear** while in a carriage.
- A copy of current Coggins test must be sent with entry or presented at the show before a number is assigned.
- A safety check is required before participating in the obstacle class (form in your packet). You may have a safety check before participating in pleasure classes or Dressage at your option.
- The safety check will be conducted at the Wheel Measuring Station.
- Changes of vehicle/equipment are permitted with the same Whip and horse but a safety inspection and wheel measurement must be done if entered in an obstacle class with this different vehicle.
- All dogs **MUST** be on leash at ALL times (except for Carriage Dog Class) and must be under control. Fine for each infraction is \$25.00.

*There will be an approximately 1 hour lunch break on Saturday. There will be no lunch break on Sunday. At the conclusion of the show during the awards ceremony there will be a buffet lunch free to all competitors, \$10 per guest to be paid upon competitor check-in or may be paid at the buffet line.*

*Refreshments available on grounds— Foothills Mountain Bar-B-Que for breakfast & lunch on Saturday, Breakfast only on Sunday*

**Entry and Stabling Fees**

**Entry Fees –**

If postmarked by September 25, 2017: \$15.00 for each ring/cones class, \$25 per class for Dressage, \$35 for Combined test. Open Mini Show classes \$10 each. After September 25, 2017 \$20 charged for late entry fee. No extra fee for additions or changes.

**Cancellation:**

\$15 office fee withheld for no-show/withdrawals prior to September 25. After September 25, half of the entry fees refunded with a note from your vet, all stabling and grounds fees refunded.

**Grounds Fee for the day:** \$10 per day for Competitors working out of their trailer or non-competing horses/ponies schooling on the grounds.

**Camping Fees:** --\$30 per day or any part thereof, includes electricity and water. **Limited availability.** Only campers are allowed in camping area—no day horse trailers.

### **Stabling (includes grounds fee)**

- Stalls available Friday after 3:00 pm., please check date arriving on entry form so overnight horses can be stabled together.
- Stalls are \$35 per day or any part thereof. Tack stalls are \$35 for the show (Fri-Sun)
- Special package rate for a stall -- Friday through Sunday is \$75.
- Stalls have rubber mats.
- Bedding (Shavings) available by PRE-ORDER ONLY (or bring own) \$7.00 a bag.
- No more than TWO VSE's per stall. (40" Max). All others ONE to a stall.
- A separate check for \$25 stall deposit is required for each stall or tack stall. This deposit will be returned by mail after the show if the stall is cleaned (broom swept clean).

### **Obstacle Classes Description**

*This is a brief description of the classes. Canterng is not allowed and will be penalized according to ADS rules, (except, see below \*\*). For a full description of class see the ADS Handbook, Pleasure Driving Competitions- Obstacle Driving. Available on-line at [http://www.americandrivingsociety.org/forms/ADS\\_Forms.htm](http://www.americandrivingsociety.org/forms/ADS_Forms.htm).*

- Obstacle Courses will be posted by 8:00 a.m. Saturday and Sunday, copies in the office.
- This area will be off limits for equines as of Friday afternoon until Saturday classes.
- These classes will be run concurrently with the ring classes – Horses, Ponies and VSE will compete as they come to the gate. Combined Test competitors will have right of way during the timed cones class.
- Safety Inspection is required before participating in an obstacle class.
- Wheel measurements of Carriages will be done prior to obstacle classes at the Wheel Measurement Station.

#### ***Reverse Psychology-***

Timed competition through 10 sets of cones. Drive through in order, reverse around a marker and drive the course in reverse.

#### ***Gambler's Choice –***

Driven over an unnumbered course of obstacles, **each with a point value**, in a specific time. Most points accumulated within the time frames wins.

#### ***Timed Cones –***

Fastest time over a numbered course of 15-20 sets of cones.

#### ***Scurry –***

Fastest time over a set of unnumbered cones, not more than 20 sets, each to be driven once.

#### ***\*\*Cantering Allowed ----***

For fun or schooling, and to compare times at other gaits, you may **re-drive** obstacle class courses multiple times, **at any gait**, for a **\$5.00 fee each**, **IF** no 1<sup>st</sup> round entry is waiting (NO placing/ribbon) ***IF time allows.***

#### ***“Places to Stay” –***

Closest place is Days Inn - 828/894-3303 (Equestrian discount). For other places see listings on FENCE website <http://www.fence.org> - click on “where to stay” for local listings.

Send Entry Form, checks and Coggins within one year --- with check(s) made out to Carolina Carriage Club to:

Ariel Holt  
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Forest City, NC 28043

**Questions?--** Call Ariel Holt 828-748-5223 or email [asdragongirl@yahoo.com](mailto:asdragongirl@yahoo.com)