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Horse Show, 67<sup>th</sup> Year

**9:45 AM, Saturday, August 25, 2018 (weekend PRIOR to fair)**

**Paybacks: 1<sup>st</sup> \$40; 2<sup>nd</sup> \$20; 3<sup>rd</sup> \$10, 4<sup>th</sup> \$5    Ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>**

**\*Bonus\* Classes have double Payback! 1<sup>st</sup> \$80, 2<sup>nd</sup> \$40, 3<sup>rd</sup> \$20, & 4<sup>th</sup> \$10**

**Save \$5 per class:** Preregister by Monday, August 20 by emailing your information to Georgeanne Armstrong at **rocking@mgwnet.com**

Official program available at **www.HighlandCountyFairVA.com**

Judge: Barb Prather - Barb's Performance Horses, Yadkinville, NC

Day of Show Ring Conditions: Gary Crigler: 540-468-2543

Show Information & Programs: Debbie Tribble: 540-292-0195

1. **Novice Hunter – Cross Rails** – Novice horse or rider.
2. **Hunter over Fences: 2'**
3. **Hunter over Fences: 2'3"**
4. **Working Hunter: 2'6"**
5. **Hunter Hack** – Jump two fences 24" then work on the rail.
6. **Knock Down And Out – Prize: \$100 winner takes all! Sponsor: Melissa Ann Dowd Attorney at Law  
Lunch Break - 30 minutes**
7. **Open Showmanship** – All breeds, all disciplines, and all ages.
8. **Tot Leadline** – Children 8 & under. Ribbons to all. No payback. **Fee: \$10.**
9. **\*Hunter Equitation\*** – Walk, trot, & canter. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
10. **Beginner Youth** – All tack – Ages 12 & under. Hard Hat Required. Walk only. *Prize Sponsor: Highland County SPCA*
11. **Gaited All Day: English Style** – Walk and pleasure gait.
12. **Junior Rider** – All tack – Ages 12 & under
13. **Speed Barrel** – Single barrel. All tack. Horses must enter & exit ring at a walk.
14. **Junior Speed Barrel** – Ages 14 & under. All tack. Horses must enter & exit ring at a walk.
15. **Cloverleaf Barrels** - Open. All tack. Horses enter & exit ring at a walk. *Special Prize: Belt Buckle Sponsor: Tom Hevener, Sr.*
16. **All Day: English Style** – Walk and trot.
17. **Gaited All Day: Western Style** – Walk and pleasure gait.
18. **All Day: Western Style** – Walk and jog.
19. **Plantation Type** – All tack. Head nodding plantation type gaited horse. Walk & pleasure gait.
20. **\*Open Western Pleasure\*** – Walk, jog, and lope. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
21. **4-H, FFA, or Pony Club All Day** – All tack. ASTM/SEI hard helmet required. *Prize Sponsor: Sullystone Stables*
22. **\*Highland Residents Only\*- All Day** – All tack. Walk and jog/trot/pleasure gait. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
23. **\*Open Non-Gaited Go-As-You Please\*** – Walk and jog/trot. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
24. **\*Open Gaited Go-As-You Please\*** – Walk and pleasure gait. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
25. **Hunt Seat Pleasure** – Walk, trot, and canter.
26. **Ribbon Race** – All tack. Horses must walk in/out out of ring. Two ribbons - one money.
27. **Open Beginner** – All tack. Walk & pleasure gait. Hard hat required. First year of showing beginner.
28. **Young People's Horsemanship (English)** – Ages 18 & under. Walk, trot, & canter. *Pebble's Trophy: Bobby Hefner*
29. **Trail Racking Type** – All tack. Racking type gaited horse (no head nod). Walk & pleasure gait.
30. **Pole Bending** – All tack. Horses must enter and exit ring at a walk.
31. **Junior Pole Bending** – 14 & under. All tack. Horses enter & exit ring at a walk.
32. **Family Class** – All tack. Two or more members of one family. One entry, one ribbon, one money.
33. **Young People's Horsemanship (Western)** – 18 & under. Walk, jog, and lope. *Rebel Trophy: Dorothy & Crysta Stephenson*
34. **Ranch Horse Under Saddle** - Horse should move freely forward with a natural head position.

35. **\*Keyhole\*** – All tack. Horses to enter & exit ring at a flat walk. **Bonus Class! Double Payback!**
36. **Open Pair** – All tack. Walk & pleasure gait. Two ribbons-one money.
37. **Costume Class** – Horses may be ridden or led, with or without a rider. *Sponsor: Lexi, in Memory of Bailey*
- \*\*38\*\* Open Trail Class** – All tack. Maximum 3 attempts per obstacle. ***At your leisure from 2pm – 4pm behind grandstand.***

**Fee:** \$15 per class day of show or \$10 per class if preregistered.

**Coggins:** Current (12 months) negative coggins to be presented at gate and entry booth.

**Equine Activity Liability Waiver** must be signed by all participants and/or guardian.

**Gaited horses** are welcome in over fences classes.

**Game classes** open to all types of horse and tack.

**Age:** Based upon participant's age on day of show.

**Helmets** are encouraged for all mounted individuals & mandatory in 4-H classes, beginner, hunter, and over fences classes.

**Fences classes:** All equines permitted. Riders are required to wear helmets for all over fences classes.

**Knock Down & Out:** Single Fence. Knock down or refusal results in elimination. After each round, the fences will be raised. Equines &/or riders may only enter once. Highest clear jump wins. Starting height, 2'6". Tie broken via jump-off.

Prize \$100 – winner takes all.

**Judge:** Classes will be split at the judge's discretion. The judge's decision is final.

**Equines, exhibitors, &/or visitors** engaged in inappropriate behavior will be excused from the ring and fairgrounds.

**Exhibitors** are responsible for only entering classes suited to themselves and their mount. Horses are not permitted above the horse show ring on the carnival grounds.

If we have more than 15 riders in a canter class, only 1/2 will canter at a time.

The Horse Show Committee reserves the right to combine or cancel any/all classes.

All jump courses, distances and placement of fences are set by the Jump Course Manager.

All participants and spectators assume the risk of injury associated with equine activities while on the fairgrounds.

Helmets are encouraged for all classes.

Please enter the fairgrounds from US 220, Jackson River Road.

**Schooling:** Friday: 4-6 pm & Saturday: 8-9:30 am

**No alcohol** is permitted on the fairgrounds property.

**Dogs** must be on leash and remain in the parking area.

**Food** will be available for purchase on the fairgrounds

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**\*Highland County Residents Only Class\*** is limited to those individuals who live in Highland County.

All entries shall conform to the **Federal Horse Protection Act.**