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## **Burlington County Farm Fair Horse Shows** **July 18-22, 2023**

### **Rules for ALL Shows:**

1. Riders must sign a release/waiver form before mounting (*if rider is under 18 years old, form must be printed and signed by parent/legal guardian in advance – signatures from trainers, friends, siblings, other family members, etc. will not be accepted*).
2. An **ORIGINAL** negative Coggins test dated within 12 months of the show is required for every equine. It must be shown to the Show Secretary before you will be permitted to ride.
3. Equines must be at least 4 years old to show. ***Schooling of animals who are not registered participants in the show is not permitted.*** Unruly or unsound equines will not be permitted. Determination of same will be at the discretion of the judge and/or Show Committee. No stallions.
4. All riders must be in grades 4 or above for all shows **except** Saturday morning Cloverbud show. Rider's grade in school is as of the 2022-2023 school year:
  - Senior: grade 9 to adult
  - Junior: grades 4-8
  - Cloverbuds: grades K-3
  - Mini Stirrup: grades 4-5
  - Short Stirrup: grades 6-7
  - Beginner Rider: riders 4<sup>th</sup> grade and above in their first 2 years of showing (excluding lead line)
5. Youth who participate in the Cloverbud Division may only ride in the Cloverbud Division. ***Cloverbuds will NOT be judged or placed in their classes;*** they will receive participation prizes. Cost for Cloverbuds: \$10/class or \$25 day rate (entire Cloverbud division).
6. Fence Heights:      Small Ponies: 2'3"                                  Horses: 2'9"  
                                 Med. Ponies: 2'3"    Low Hunter: 2'  
                                 Large Ponies: 2'6"
7. Proper tack and show attire is required for each discipline, unless stated otherwise. All riders must wear a properly fitted ASTM/SEI safety helmet with chinstrap securely fastened at all times when mounted.
8. Shows will be conducted in accordance with the following 4-H rules and regulations:
  - a. 2023 Horse Show Rulebook, available here:  
<https://nj4h.rutgers.edu/horses/horseshow/2023-horseshow-rulebook.pdf>
  - b. Head Injury Info & Helmet Policy, available here:  
<https://nj4h.rutgers.edu/horses/helmetpolicy.php>
  - c. Code of Conduct, available here:  
[https://nj4h.rutgers.edu/policies/Code\\_of\\_Conduct.pdf](https://nj4h.rutgers.edu/policies/Code_of_Conduct.pdf)

9. No pre-registration. The secretary's stand will open for registration and schooling approximately one hour before each show's scheduled start time.
10. All decisions of the Judge and/or Show Committee will be final. Should any questions or disputes arise, they will be referred to the Show Committee for resolution.
11. Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee and class lists may be modified at any time, with or without notice, by the Show Committee.
12. The Burlington County 4-H Horse Advisory Council, the 4-H Youth Development Program, the Burlington County Board of County Commissioners, the Judges, the Show Committee and/or Burlington County Farm Fair will not be responsible for loss of or damage to property and/or accident and/or injury and/or death to horse, rider or spectator.
13. An open check or cash payment is required at time of registration.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 19, 2023**

**Open Schooling Dressage Ring**

**7-11am**

- ***This event is open to non-4H members.***
  - Entry Fee: \$20/test
  - The show will be held in a standard large dressage arena.
  - Our judge will be available from 7–11am. No ride times will be assigned or reserved. Riders shall present to the ring when ready and will ride on a first-come, first-served basis.
  - Riders may ride any current version of USDF/USEF/FEI test(s) of their choice.
  - ***Riders must supply 2 paper copies of the test(s) they wish to ride at time of registration.***
  - Each horse/rider combination may ride up to 2 tests.
  - Riders may compete up to 2 horses.
  - Horses may be ridden by a maximum of 2 riders.
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**Meet the 4-H Clubs!**

**6pm**

During this event, spectators will have an opportunity to learn about the Horse Project 4-H Clubs in Burlington County! We'll showcase each club by introducing their leaders and bringing a few friendly horse-ambassadors out into the ring for spectators to meet, pet, take photos, etc.

Come out and meet the 4-H Clubs!

# THURSDAY, JULY 20, 2023

## Open English Horse Show

7am

- ***This event is open to non-4H members.***
- Entry Fee: \$15/class or \$50 day rate
- Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- Fence Height:            Small Ponies: 2'3"                      Horses: 2'9"  
                                  Medium Ponies: 2'3"                      Low Hunter: 2'  
                                  Large Ponies: 2'6"

### Classes

1. Jr. Showmanship & Grooming
  2. Sr. Showmanship & Grooming
  3. English Halter
  4. Low Hunter O/F (Working)
  5. Low Hunter O/F (Handy)
  6. Low Hunter Under Saddle
  7. Hunter Under Saddle Pony (Jr. & Sr.)
  8. English Pleasure Pony (Jr. & Sr.)
  9. Working Hunter Pony
  10. Handy Working Hunter Pony
  11. Hunter Hack Pony
  12. Jr. Equitation O/F
  13. Jr. Equitation on the Flat
  14. Jr. English Pleasure Horse
  15. Jr. Hunter Under Saddle (Hunter Type Horse)
  16. Jr. Hunter Under Saddle (Stock Type Horse)
  17. Sr. Equitation on the Flat
  18. Sr. English Pleasure Horse
  19. Sr. Horse Hunter Under Saddle (Hunter Type)
  20. Sr. Horse Hunter Under Saddle (Stock Type)
  21. Sr. Equitation O/F
  22. Working Hunter Horse
  23. Handy Working Hunter Horse
  24. Hunter Hack Horse
  25. Mini-Stirrup Equitation (W/T)
  26. Mini-Stirrup Pleasure (W/T)
  27. Mini-Stirrup Figure 8 Test
  28. Short-Stirrup Equitation
  29. Short-Stirrup Pleasure
  30. Short-Stirrup O/F (4 fences)
  31. Short-Stirrup O/F (6 fences)
  32. Beginner Rider Equitation (W/T)
  33. Beginner Rider Pleasure (W/T)
  34. Beginner Rider Canter Test
  35. VSE English & Western Halter
  36. VSE Showmanship (English & Western)
  37. VSE In-Hand Trail
  38. VSE In-Hand Jumper
  39. VSE Hunter In-Hand O/F
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# FRIDAY, JULY 21, 2023

## Open Western Horse Show

7am

- ***This event is open to non-4H members.***
- Entry Fee: \$15/class or \$50 day rate
- Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee.

### Classes

1. Grooming & Showmanship (Junior)
2. Grooming & Showmanship (Senior)
3. Grooming & Showmanship (Beginner/Mini/Short)
4. Novice Ranch Handling
5. Open Ranch Handling
6. Beginner Rider Horsemanship (Walk/Jog)
7. Beginner Rider Pleasure (Walk/Jog)
8. Mini Stirrup Horsemanship
9. Mini Stirrup Pleasure
10. Short Stirrup Horsemanship
11. Short Stirrup Pleasure
12. Junior Western Horsemanship
13. Junior Western Pleasure Horse
14. Western Pleasure Pony
15. Senior Western Horsemanship
16. Senior Western Pleasure Horse
17. Beginner Rider/Mini/Short Trail
18. Junior Trail
19. Senior Trail
20. Novice Ranch Horse Trail (Walk/Jog)
21. Open Ranch Horse Trail
22. Novice Ranch Rail Pleasure (Walk/Jog)
23. Open Ranch Rail Pleasure
24. Novice Ranch Riding (Walk/Jog)
25. Open Ranch Riding
26. Reining

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## Family Fun Game Night

6pm

- ***This event is open to non-4H members; however, it is intended to be a fun, family-friendly event! We ask our more competitive gamers to ride in Open Game Night on Saturday, July 22.***
- Entry Fee: \$15/class or \$50 day rate
- Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- English or Western tack may be used.
- Attire: long pants, shirts with sleeves and boots. No sneakers, no tank tops.
- Horse and rider must enter the ring unassisted at the walk or trot.
- Riders must wait for the gate to close before crossing the starting line.
- A horse/pony may only be used once per class. No more than 12 classes per horse/pony.
- Minis (VSEs) may be used in-hand.

### Classes

1. Most Creative Costume Contest
2. Ride-A-Buck
3. Musical Sacks
4. Egg & Spoon
5. Clementine Race
6. Mailbox Race
7. Teddy Bear Race
8. Barrel Crawl
9. Ribbon Race (partner)
10. Baton Race (partner)
11. Scurry Race
12. Obstacle Race

# SATURDAY, JULY 22, 2023

## Cloverbud Fun Day

8am

- ***This event is open to non-4H members.***
- Entry Fee: \$25 day rate
- Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- All riders will receive participation ribbons for each class and one participation award for the day.
- Minimum age for riders is 3 years old. Maximum age is 3<sup>rd</sup> grade (as of the 2022-2023 school year).
- Horses may be used by 2 different riders.
- English or Western tack may be used.
- Cantering is not permitted on Cloverbud Day.
- Attire: long pants, shirts with sleeves and boots. No sneakers, no tank tops.

### Classes

1. Egg & Spoon Race
  2. Teddy Bear Race
  3. Barrel Crawl
  4. Potato Sack Race (horseless)
  5. Barrels
  6. Pole Bending
  7. Scurry Race (with ground poles)
  8. Keg Race
  9. Obstacle
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## Open Game Night

6pm

- ***This event is open to non-4H members and is intended for our more competitive gamers!***
- Entry Fee: \$15/class or \$50 day rate
- Classes may be canceled/combined at the discretion of the Show Committee.
- English or Western tack may be used.
- Attire: long pants, shirts with sleeves and boots. No sneakers, no tank tops.
- Horse and rider must enter the ring unassisted at the walk or trot. Riders must wait for the gate to close before crossing the starting line.
- A horse/pony may only be used once per class. No more than 10 classes per horse/pony.

### Classes

1. Ride-A-Buck
2. Mailbox Race
3. Ribbon Race (Partner)
4. Scurry Race
5. Baton Race (Partner)
6. Keg Race
7. Barrels
8. Pole Bending
9. Bow Tie
10. Key Hole