

# NEBRASKA 4-H DISTRICT AND STATE HORSE SHOW ENTRY PROCEDURES

1. Obtain current year entry form from your local extension office.
2. Entry form must be completed and turned into your local extension office by deadline on the bottom of the form. **ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES ARE ACCEPTED!!**
3. Filling out the entry form:
  - A. Complete top portion.
    - 1) County enrolled in 4-H is the name of the county in which you are enrolled in for 4-H.
  - B. Circle the District Horse show you will be attending.
  - C. Print the name of the horse, its sex – (M – mare, G = gelding) and the breed code (2 = appaloosal) for each horse. Remember, you must have an identification sheet for the current year completed for each horse.
  - D. District Horse Show Classes:
    - 1) Check the District Horse Show classes you are entering, indicate junior or senior division, and horse number.
    - 2) All exhibitors must have passed Level II to enter any District Show Class. This entire Level must be passed before entries can be processed.
  - E. You **must** enter all non-District Qualifying State Expo classes at this time (Classes 20-50).
    - 1) All exhibitors must have passed Level III to enter classes 20-33 and have passed Level IV to enter class 34. The levels must be passed before entries can be processed.

**Reminder:** An individual and/or horse may enter in either Western Pleasure or Hunter Under Saddle not both. They may enter in either Western Horsemanship or Hunt Seat Equitation not both, 1 Reining, 1 Pole Bending and 1 Barrel Racing. In addition, an individual and/or horse may choose one level III pleasure class between Ranch Horse Pleasure, Western Pleasure or Advanced Hunter Under Saddle. They may enter either Advanced Horsemanship or Advanced Hunt Seat Equitation so they may choose to compete in 1 level II and 1 level III as long as they ride a different horse for their level II and III class. Other limits: an individual may enter either Break-A-Way Roping OR Calf Roping with a total of 3 roping entries, 3 in-hand entries.

**Exception:** An exhibitor may enter Two-Year-Old Snaffle Bit Western Pleasure or the Three-Year-Old Pleasure in addition to another Pleasure class. However, the horse ridden in the Two-Year-Old Snaffle Bit class may NOT be ridden in any other class. The horse ridden in the Three-Year-Old Western Pleasure class may be ridden in another event, but not another Pleasure class. **Entries for these classes must submit a 2 & 3 year old western pleasure affidavit before entries will be accepted.**

**In-Hand Classes:** A maximum number of three (3) halter classes are permitted.  
**(Halter and Showmanship)**

**Entry Fees:**

1. Entry fees for the District Horse Show Classes is \$10.00 per class.
2. Entry fees for State Show Classes is \$10.00 per class (Classes 20 – 50).
3. Roping stock each fees are \$5.00 per class (Classes 20 – 23)\*.
4. Working Ranch Horses stock charge \$12.00\*.

- **Stock charges are in addition to the entry fee.**
- **Make checks payable to your local extension office.**

**NOTE:** District purple and blue qualifiers from “District Horse Show Classes” will be automatically entered into the State Expo. **No additional entry fee is required.**

G. Signatures – All entry forms must be signed by each of the following:

1. Contestant
2. Parent or Guardian
3. Extension Staff

Entry forms not signed by the extension staff will not be processed.

4. Return entry form and entry fees to your local extension office before the date listed on the bottom of the form. **ABSOLUTELY NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED.** Contact your local extension office with any questions regarding District and State Horse Show entry.

**Hippology, Horse Judging**

Due to schedule conflicts, 4-Her’s may only compete in one of these two contests.