

# 54th Annual Okotoks & District Horse Show Rules & Regulations

1. Show times listed on each entry form
2. All ages of contestants are based on attained age as of January 1<sup>st</sup>, of the current calendar year. For purpose of these shows a junior shall not have passed their 17<sup>th</sup> birthday as of January 1<sup>st</sup> 2010
3. **All Junior entries must have parent or guardian signature or they will not be able to compete in the show**
4. Horses are classified as over 14.2hh and ponies are 14.2hh and under
5. If a rider is riding 2 or more horses please list them on a separate entry form
6. A horse may not be shown by more than 1 rider in any class requiring individual performance
7. Three minutes only will be allowed between classes after which time the gate will be closed, if longer time is needed for tack change please let hitching ring manager know
8. Classes can be combined or eliminated at the show committee's discretion
9. Upon any act of discourtesy, disobedience or bad language at the show or to show officials: the show manager reserves the right to remove that person or persons from the show grounds and will not refund any entries, if entered in any classes
10. No person other than the officials, steward, attendants and judges of the class may enter the show ring without permission from the show manager
11. Protests shall be made in writing within 24 hours of the holding of the class to the show secretary, and shall be accompanied by a deposit of \$50.00 which sum shall be forfeited if the protest is not sustained
12. In case of any animal being disqualified, the winner of the next succeeding prize shall take the prize that has been awarded to such disqualified animal and other prizes adjusted accordingly
13. Any horse that is unsound or is out of control in a class will be excused from the class
14. Hard hats and boots are required for all English Classes. Suitable harness on Hard Hats must be worn for all Juniors and Jumping classes
15. Western hat, boots and a long sleeved shirt must be worn in all Western classes. Hard Hats or helmets will be accepted in western classes as well. Chaps are not mandatory
16. The Okotoks & District Horse Show takes no responsibility for injury, loss or damage sustained during the show or on the show grounds
17. Entry fees will only be refunded on receipt of a **(Veterinary Certificate only)** by the Show Committee within three days of the show
18. Please check all your entries and read all class specifications

**We look forward to seeing you at the show. All classes will be held inside, except the Trail Horse Class, which will be held outside, if the weather permits. This class will start at 10 am and run until 1 pm. It will be run while other classes are on. Just go and do your Trail Class in-between your other classes.**