

2023 Benzie 4-H Youth Schooling Show

September 2nd, 2023

Located at Forever Farm. 15943 Fewins Rd, Interlochen, MI. Entrance off Carmean Rd. Signs will be posted.

Show starts at 9:00am. Gates open at 8:00am.

Concessions TBD ~ Trailer & Overflow Parking ~ Ribbon awards for 1st thru 6th place ~ no daily highpoint

One form per person/horse – This form will not be accepted unless filled out entirely. Classes may be split if more than 10 entries. Lunch break to be determined. Open to 4-H enrolled youth ages 5 to 19 (as of January 1, 2024).

DRESSAGE

1. Intro Test A (USDF)
2. Training Level Test 1 (USDF)
3. Western Dressage Intro 1 (WDAA)
4. Leadline A Walk Only*** (WDAA)
5. Coached Test 1 Walk Only*** (WDAA)

----- 10 Minute Break -----

SHOWMANSHIP

6. W/T Showmanship - 15-19
7. W/T Showmanship - 12-14
8. W/T Showmanship - 11 & Under
9. Showmanship – 15-19
10. Showmanship – 12-14
11. Showmanship – 11 & Under
12. Leadline, walk-only Showmanship***

HALTER

13. Mini Horse & Pony
14. Stock Type Mares
15. Stock Type Geldings
16. Pleasure Type Mares & Geldings
17. Color Class – All Colors

HUNT SEAT – WALK/TROT

18. EQUITATION – Beginner Horse
19. EQUITATION – Beginner Rider 8-10
20. EQUITATION – Beginner Rider 11-19
21. EQUITATION – Cloverbud*

22. WALK ONLY – 7-year-old & up**
23. PLEASURE – 15-19
24. PLEASURE – 12-14
25. PLEASURE – 11 & Under
26. PLEASURE – Cloverbud*

HUNT SEAT – CANTER

27. EQUITATION – 15-19
28. EQUITATION – 12-14
29. EQUITATION – 11 & Under
30. PLEASURE – 15-19
31. PLEASURE – 12-14
32. PLEASURE – 11 & Under
33. BAREBACK W/T/C

----- 20 Minute Break -----

EQUITATION OVER FENCES

34. CROSS RAILS, 18"
35. 2' 0"
36. 2'3"
37. GROUND POLES (W/T or W/T/C)

----- Lunch Break -----

WESTERN – WALK/TROT

38. HORSEMANSHIP – Beginner Horse
39. HORSEMANSHIP – Beginner Rider 8-10
40. HORSEMANSHIP – Beginner Rider 11-19
41. HORSEMANSHIP – Cloverbud*
42. WALK ONLY – 7-year-old & up**
43. PLEASURE – Beginner Horse
44. PLEASURE – Beginner Rider 8-10

45. PLEASURE – Beginner Rider 11-19
46. PLEASURE – Cloverbud*

WESTERN – CANTER

47. HORSEMANSHIP – 15-19
48. HORSEMANSHIP – 12-14
49. HORSEMANSHIP – 11 & Under
50. PLEASURE – 15-19
51. PLEASURE – 12-14
52. PLEASURE – 11 & Under
53. BAREBACK W/T/C

----- 15 Minute Break -----

TRAIL (11am to 2pm – Side Arena)

54. TRAIL – Beginner Horse
55. TRAIL – Beginner Rider 8-10
56. TRAIL – Beginner Rider 11-19
57. TRAIL – W/T/C 8-11
58. TRAIL – W/T/C 12-14
59. TRAIL – W/T/C 15-19
60. TRAIL – Cloverbud*
61. TRAIL – Walk Only**
62. TRAIL – In Hand/Mini

GYMKHANA/SPEED

63. BARRELS – Cloverbud*
64. BARRELS – all W/T
65. BARRELS – all W/T/C
66. BARRELS – In Hand
67. FLAG RACE – all W/T
68. FLAG RACE – all W/T/C
69. FLAG RACE – In Hand
70. POLE BENDING – Cloverbud*
71. POLE BENDING – all W/T
72. POLE BENDING – all W/T/C
73. POLE BENDING – In Hand

Step Up Classes: Open to all riding divisions. For walk/trot riders who would like to try cantering in a show setting. This class will not affect your W/T status. You will be asked to canter, will run like a W/T/C class. Non-judged. Class fee applies.

80. HUNT SEAT STEP-UP CLASS

81. WESTERN STEP-UP CLASS

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* In accordance with MICHIGAN 4-H Rules, children 7 and under may not receive a placing in a class but each will receive a participation awards.

** For participants in classes 22, 42 and 61 will only perform at a walk.

*** Riders in classes 4, 5 and 12 must be led/accompanied by a parent/18 or older volunteer and will receive a participation award.

Dressage Classes 4 and 5 are for 4-H Cloverbuds (5-7), beginner riders, or beginner horses interested in Dressage. These classes are suited for those with no or limited knowledge/confidence of Dressage tests, exhibitors may show in Standard or Western dressage attire. These classes will receive participation awards.

Class 4 – the exhibitor must be led by a parent/18-year-old or older Volunteer.

Class 5 – the exhibitor may be coached by a parent/18-year-old or older Volunteer/Club Leader and may be on a lead line OR independent. Cloverbuds must be on a lead line per Michigan 4-H Horse & Pony Rules.

- **ALL JUDGES DECISIONS ARE FINAL**

- Proof of Negative Coggins within the past 12 calendar months is required for all horses on the grounds. Participants must present a legible copy of current Coggins to entry booth, prior to show (will not be returned).
- Any horse suspected by 4-H Staff or veterinarian on the grounds, of having a contagious disease will be required to have a vet certificate before entering any Benzie 4-H sponsored show, clinic, or event.
- Rider's age determined as of January 1, 2024
- Beginner horse classes are walk/trot only, for inexperienced horses (5 years old & under) that have never shown at the canter, shown by experienced riders.
- Beginner rider is for those who have never shown at any show in canter classes.
- All patterns, including games, will be posted the day of the show.
- Forever Farm or Benzie County 4-H or anyone associated with it will not be held responsible for lost or stolen property or any injuries to person or livestock while on the grounds. All participating youth must be enrolled in 4-H Online or complete paper forms on site before participation. Forever Farm and Benzie County 4-H are not liable for disease outbreak.
- Any complaints must be made in writing to the Benzie County 4-H Advisory Council.
- Horse must be in control at ALL TIMES. At the discretion of the judge and/or the 4-H Program Staff, participants may be excused from the arena. The horse may also be excused from the grounds or trailered for the remainder of the day.
- No stalls available on premise. All participants will show from their trailers. \$5.00 per class entry.
- Warm Up will be made available during breaks between classes. Dressage participants may begin warm up at 8:30am.
- 4-H has the right to split or combine classes as they see fit the day of the show. Classes with more than 10 participants will be split by back number. Classes with less than 3 riders may be combined with other classes in the ring, they will be judged separately.
- No alcohol, tobacco, e-cigarettes, knives, or weapons allowed on premises.

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