

# 4-H LIGHT HORSE SHOWCASE

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 1, 2026** *Move in* (Stabling available after 3:00 PM)

**THURSDAY, JULY 2, 2026 – 8:00 AM** (Horses MUST be stabled by 8:00 AM)

**Location:** Prairieland Ag Center      **Program Coordinator:** BJ Wolfe

## Age Divisions as of December 31, 2025

<b>CLOVERBUD</b>	6 to 8 years old
<b>JUNIOR</b>	9 to 12 years old
<b>INTERMEDIATE</b>	13 to 15 years old
<b>SENIOR</b>	16 to 21 years old

## SPECIAL RULES & REGULATIONS:

1. **ENTRY DEADLINE:** June 1, 2026. Entries received after the deadline are subjected to a Late Fee of \$21.00 (incl. GST) per exhibitor. Final date for late entries is June 10, 2026. Entry fees will be refunded at the discretion of the show committee.
2. **ENTRY FEE: \$9.45 (incl. GST)** per class plus \$15.75 (incl. GST) per horse for stabling fee *and \$10.50 (incl. GST)* per horse for environmental fee. Entry fee Class 222 is **\$9.45 (incl. GST)** per individual. Entry fee Class 235 is **\$10.50 (incl. GST)**, there is **NO ENTRY FEE** for Class 212. PLEASE SUBMIT ENTRIES AS A CLUB.
3. The Light Horse Showcase competition is limited to bona fide Saskatchewan 4-H Club members participating in a current 4-H Program showing their current light horse 4-H project animal. Open to 4-H Club members who are 6-21 years of age as of December 31, 2025. Cloverbuds (6 to 8 years old) are not permitted with the exception of Class 212 Lead Line Western Pleasure and Class 235 Stick Horse.
4. STALLIONS are NOT permitted.
5. **NO STRAW** allowed.
6. Stalls **MUST** be cleaned and all refuse deposited in disposal bins provided prior to participant's departure. Clubs will be responsible for a **\$50.00** cleaning charge for stalls left unclean.
7. Exhibitors may only enter one light horse project.
8. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to advise the Junior Showcase Office of any cancellation of entries. In the case of cancellation, a vet certificate must be received in the show office prior to the Show. **NO SUBSTITUTION OF ANIMALS.**
9. There is no security in the barn. Everyone is responsible for their own animals.
10. **STABLING:** Horses may arrive after 3:00 pm on Wednesday July 1; all horses **MUST BE** on the grounds by 8:00 am Thursday, July 2. All horses will be released following the final Hi-Point Award Presentation. **Exhibitors are required to have their horse with them for Hi-Point pictures.**
11. Competitors in the 4-H Light Horse Showcase are required to dress and use tack and equipment, which are consistent with EC rules and the revised recommendations and guidelines for the Provincial 4-H Light Horse program. In the case of a discrepancy, EC rules shall prevail. Accordingly, 4-H Club leaders should assist participants in becoming familiar with the rules and regulations.
12. **New for 2026 → On performance day, Junior riders can ride with two hands regardless if they have a shank bit or a Snaffle bit, but they must be riding with split reins. Intermediates and Seniors must follow the Equine Canada Rules. On Gymkhana day, all age groups can ride with two hands.**
13. The Committee reserves the right to cancel any class with fewer than five entries.
14. For general rules for showing, refer to the Revised Recommendations and Guidelines for Saskatchewan 4-H Light Horse Projects, available from the 4-H office, and the EC Rules. The committee will be using the current EC Rule book as a guideline; the committee reserves the right to make the final decision.
15. Participants must act in a sportsmanlike behaviour; the committee has the right to withhold prize money and ask the participant to leave the grounds.
16. Certified riding helmets with a strap must be worn for all riding classes for participants that are 17 years of age and under. This helmet policy is also a recommended practice for any individual over the age of 18. Refer to Rule 2.3.7.A in 2025-2026 Rules Regarding Animal Projects and Shows from 4-H Saskatchewan.
17. Current record book (completed or in progress) must be presented at registration and will be on display during the show.
18. No parents or 4-H leaders will be allowed in the ring in the junior competition. If animals cannot be handled by the junior exhibitor, they will be excused.

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### 19. Tie Breaker rule:

- 1) Most number of first place (1<sup>st</sup>)
- 2) Most number of second place (2<sup>nd</sup>).
- 3) Lowest overall time (Gymkhana only).

### PRIZE MONEY:

Awarded per class

1<sup>st</sup> – \$20; 2<sup>nd</sup> – \$16; 3<sup>rd</sup> – \$12; 4<sup>th</sup> – \$5; 5<sup>th</sup> – \$5

Pairs (per partner) 1<sup>st</sup> - \$10; 2<sup>nd</sup> - \$8; 3<sup>rd</sup> - \$6; 4<sup>th</sup> - \$4; 5<sup>th</sup> - \$4

Show will commence on Thursday at 8:00 am; participants may choose to enter only one day of competition. There will be a lunch break at appropriate times, classes will continue until complete.

**Light Horse Cloverbud Exhibitors are allowed only in Class 212 Lead Line Class, Class 222 Costume Class (must be lead line), & Class 235 Stick Horse Class.**

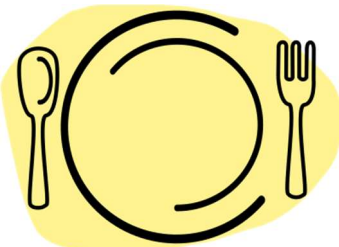
*Please submit entries as a club.*

### Light Horse Lunch

Thursday, July 2

All participants will receive a lunch ticket at no charge. Tickets for parents/non-participants are \$15.00 (+ GST/PST) each.

Additional tickets may be purchased by completing the request on the Light Horse entry form.



### CLUB STALL DECORATING CONTEST



A prize will be awarded to the club with the best stall decorations! Judging will take place over the two days of Light Horse Show. Creativity and cleanliness will be used to determine the winner. **The theme for this year's contest is Into the Jungle!**

The prize will be awarded to the winning club at the completion of the show on Thursday, July 2!

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## HI-POINT PERFORMANCE & HI-POINT GYMKHANA

Will be determined for Junior, Intermediate & Senior Divisions in Performance classes and Gymkhana classes. Command classes do not count.

### JUNIOR HI-POINT

### INTERMEDIATE HI-POINT

### SENIOR HI-POINT

**NOTE: Classes with \*\* count toward overall high point in each age division**

*Each exhibitor MUST wear number allotted to horse at all times during competition.*

## Thursday, July 2

Class 200 SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP & GROOMING \*\*  
Class 201 INTERMEDIATE SHOWMANSHIP & GROOMING \*\*  
Class 202 JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP & GROOMING \*\*

Class 203 SENIOR ENGLISH PLEASURE \*\*  
Class 204 INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH PLEASURE \*\*  
Class 205 JUNIOR ENGLISH PLEASURE \*\*

Class 206 SENIOR ENGLISH EQUITATION \*\*  
Class 207 INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH EQUITATION \*\*  
Class 208 JUNIOR ENGLISH EQUITATION \*\*

Class 209 SENIOR WESTERN PLEASURE \*\*  
Class 210 INTERMEDIATE WESTERN PLEASURE \*\*  
Class 211 JUNIOR WESTERN PLEASURE \*\*

Class 212 CLOVERBUD LEAD LINE WESTERN PLEASURE (No Entry Fee)

The Cloverbud Lead Line class requires a parent/leader/senior member to handle the horse at all times throughout the class. This will be a walk-trot class only; horses may be borrowed from another member. No Prize Money.

Class 213 SENIOR HORSEMANSHIP \*\*  
Class 214 INTERMEDIATE HORSEMANSHIP \*\*  
Class 215 JUNIOR HORSEMANSHIP \*\*

Class 216 SENIOR REINING \*\*  
Class 217 INTERMEDIATE REINING \*\*  
Class 218 JUNIOR REINING \*\*

Class 219 SENIOR TRAIL \*\*  
Class 220 INTERMEDIATE TRAIL \*\*  
Class 221 JUNIOR TRAIL \*\*

A minimum of five obstacles to be navigated in a time period of 30 seconds per obstacle. Elimination after refusal of two obstacles.



**New for 2026**  
**Class 222**

**COSTUME CLASS**

**Class 222 will be split into separate age categories if entries permit.**



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## Thursday, July 2

**Class 223** PAIRS (ENTRY FEE: \$9.45 (Incl. GST) per individual)

English or Western, to be judged as pairs on (a) grooming of horses (b) dress of club members (c) uniformity of exhibit (d) pairs riding. Pairs competitors may be from different clubs.

**Class 224** SENIOR COMMAND  
**Class 225** INTERMEDIATE COMMAND  
**Class 226** JUNIOR COMMAND

Command class exhibits the abilities of a well-trained & responsive performance horse. Entries are eliminated, one at a time, at the discretion of the judge as commands are not executed correctly. English or Western attire; must be neat and suitably dressed.

### Gymkhana Classes

Horses must be in the ring before they can be authorized to start. The contestant must wait for the signal (whistle or other) from the ring steward or timer before starting. Running starts are not permitted.

**Class 227** SENIOR QUADRANGLE RACE \*\*  
**Class 228** INTERMEDIATE QUADRANGLE RACE \*\*  
**Class 229** JUNIOR QUADRANGLE RACE \*\*

**Class 230** SENIOR POLE BENDING \*\*  
**Class 231** INTERMEDIATE POLE BENDING \*\*  
**Class 232** JUNIOR POLE BENDING \*\*

**Class 233** SENIOR STAKE RACE \*\*  
**Class 234** INTERMEDIATE STAKE RACE \*\*  
**Class 235** JUNIOR STAKE RACE \*\*

**Class 236** CLOVERBUD STICK HORSE GYMKHANA  
(Entry Fee \$10.50 (Incl. GST))

A Stick Horse Building Station will be available for Cloverbuds starting at 9:00 am on Thursday. Material for the Stick Horses will be provided. Parent volunteers will be required to assist with glue guns, etc. Once Class 235 is finished, the Cloverbuds will parade their stick horses in the arena and by 'people's choice' the favourite stick horse will be selected. The Cloverbuds will then compete in barrels with their stick horses.



**Class 237** SENIOR BARREL RACE \*\*  
**Class 238** INTERMEDIATE BARREL RACE \*\*  
**Class 239** JUNIOR BARREL RACE \*\*

**Class 240** SENIOR TURN & BURN \*\*  
**Class 241** INTERMEDIATE TURN & BURN \*\*  
**Class 242** JUNIOR TURN & BURN \*\*

**Class 243** SENIOR KEYHOLE RACE \*\*  
**Class 244** INTERMEDIATE KEYHOLE RACE \*\*  
**Class 245** JUNIOR KEYHOLE RACE \*\*

