

Arizona's 3rd Annual Draft Horse Show
November 11th & 12th, 2011
Horseshoe Park in Queen Creek, Arizona

1. Entries close November 1st. An entry fee of \$15.00 per entry will be charged for all classes except youth and junior classes. Entry fees are non refundable.
2. There will be a mileage credit for those individuals that hook in the 6-horse hitch:
 - a. Under 300 miles \$150
 - b. 301-600 miles \$250
 - c. 601 and over \$400
3. Upon arriving at the facilities, all participants must check in to receive show schedule and stall assignments.
4. Each participant will be assigned one specific number. This will be used in the show arena and must be worn on the participants back. All premiums will be paid to the entry number.
5. Judge may consider personal appearance of exhibitor and hitch. It is recommended that all exhibitors have a clean and neat appearance when showing animals. It is also recommended that horses have braided manes for all hitch classes.
6. Out-of-state horses must have a health certificate and a negative Coggin's test within the last 6 months. Copy of health certificate must be provided to the office on entry to facilities.
7. To qualify for any draft horse class, each horse must be at least 1500 pounds and must be a Belgian, Shire, Percheron, Clydesdale, or Suffolk.
8. Intermediate horses are determined as any horse that weighs over 1350 pounds.
9. Horses must be driven in suitable wagon and harness.
10. There must be at least 3 entries in each class or the class may be canceled.
11. Please remember safety is most important. If hitch or horse is considered to be unsafe the judge may excuse you from the arena.
12. All individuals that enter the show ring whether with a driver or on the ground must be dressed in appropriate show attire.
13. For safety sake, each wagon with 3 or more horses must have one additional person on the wagon. But only one is allowed and no one may ride in the back of the wagon.

Judging

1. **Conformation**- Match of animals in size, color, markings and uniformity. Hitch should represent the ideal example of conformation for the breed they represent. All animals must be sound (lameness is cause for elimination of hitch from awards.)
2. **Way of Going**- All animals must pull evenly in the traces, even, and traveling straight ahead; no fighting the bit, lagging behind or crowding ahead or to the side. The individual and collective response of the animals to the driver's verbal commands and manual signals while stopping, backing and fanning.
3. **Presentation**- Cleanliness of the horses, harness, and wagon. Condition of harness and wagon, decorations on horses; attire of driver and riders. Appropriateness of vehicle to hitch, over-all appearance of the outfit.
4. **Driving**- How well the driver handles the horses and lines.

FRIDAY

START AT 9:00 AM

HALTER

1. Stallion Foal
2. Stallion 1 years & under 2
3. Stallion 2 years & under 4
4. Stallions 4 & over
5. Grand Champion Stallion Purple Ribbon and Special award
Reserve Grand Champion Stallion- Lavender Ribbon
6. Gelding 1 year & under 2
7. Gelding 2 year & under 3
8. Gelding 3 years & under 10
9. Gelding 10 years & over
10. Grand Champion Gelding- Purple Ribbon & special award
Reserve Grand Champion Gelding- Lavender Ribbon
11. Filly Foal
12. Mare 1 year & under 2
13. Mare 2 year & under 3
14. Mare 3 year & under 10
15. Mare 10 years & over
16. Grand Champion Mare - Purple Ribbon and Special award
Reserve Grand Champion Mare - Lavender Ribbon
17. Three animals any age, either sex, get of sire,
need not all be owned by exhibitor
sire must be named
18. Two animals, any age, either sex, produce of dam,
need not all be owned by exhibitor.
DAM MUST BE NAMED
19. Supreme Champion Mare
20. Supreme Champion Stallion
21. Supreme Champion Gelding

HITCH AND RIDING CLASSES

Friday 11:30 am start

1. Open team
 2. Men's Cart Braided
- BREAK FOR LUNCH**
- 1:00 pm start
3. Ladies Cart Braided
 4. Pleasure /open cart
 5. Ladies Team Braided
 6. Open 4 abreast
 7. Street Carriage
 8. Men's Team Braided
 9. Open Six up driving competition
 10. Team Obstacles will be performed at the equi dance starting at 7:00 pm
 11. 4 Up braided will go at the end of the equi dance that night at 8:30 or 9:00

SATURDAY

START AT 9:00 AM

There will be an open draft under saddle warm-up, walk-trot starting at 9:00

1. Open Draft under English
2. Unicorn Braided
3. Open Draft under Western
4. Jr Team open
5. Open Draft Bareback (walk-trot)

BREAK FOR LUNCH

START BACK AT 1:00 pm

6. Open Cart Obstacle
7. Open Farm Team
8. Jr Cart Braided
9. Jr Draft under saddle
10. Open amateur 4 up
11. Open Barrel race
12. Feed team Race will be held at the 1/2 way point of the equi dance that night
13. NASHC 6 up will be the closing class of the equi dance

