

2021 New Jersey State 4-H Model Horse Show

WHEN: Saturday, Jan. 16, 2021

OPEN TO: 4-H members in good standing. Juniors are in 4th to 7th grade. Seniors are in 8th to 13th grade as of September 2020. *This is different than other State 4-H Equine Events.

WHERE: Virtually, using the Pony Bytes platform. Results will be posted as they are available throughout the day.

START TIME: Photos must be uploaded by 10 p.m. on Jan. 15, 2021. Judging will start around 9 a.m. Jan. 16, 2021.

QUESTIONS: Contact Lillian Shupe by e-mail lrshupe@frontiernet.net or call/text (908) 892-3255 or Carol Ward by e-mail ward@njaes.rutgers.edu or call (908) 526-6644.

ENTRIES: Due Jan. 13, 2021, **Eligibility will be verified with your County 4-H office. Only registered 4-H members are eligible for this state 4-H contest.** Once the entry has been received with payment, the entrant will get login information to upload photos. You **must provide an e-mail** that you check regularly. Early entry is encouraged.

ENTRY FEES: \$1.50 per model up to 19 horses; \$30 flat fee for 20 to 30 horses; \$40 for 31 or more models

CHECKS: Make checks payable to **Hunterdon 4-H Leaders Association**

E-MAIL ENTRIES: Carol Ward, Ward@njaes.Rutgers.edu and mail entry fees with a copy of your entry sheet to:
Carol Ward, Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Somerset County 310 Milltown Road Bridgewater NJ 08807

SPONSORSHIPS: Each County should provide at least one sponsorship for \$20. This should be sent as a separate check from the entry fees and made payable to Hunterdon 4-H Leaders Association. Sponsorship information must be received by Jan. 10 to be included in the program.

CLASS LIMITS: Performance Classes: 2 entries per exhibitor; Halter Classes: 3 entries per exhibitor unless noted on class list

AWARDS: Flat ribbons to 10th place in each class, Rosettes to Champions and Reserves, Special Awards for High Point Exhibitors and Division, Championships. Awards will be mailed after the event. If you do not want to receive the flat ribbons check that off on the entry form.

NEW JERSEY STATE 4-H MODEL HORSE SHOW

OBJECTIVES — The primary objective of the 4-H Model Horse Project is an educational tool for teaching 4-H'ers about horses. Through the Model Horse Project, members learn about breeds, colors, gaits, tack and show ring activities. This project also allows members to use their artistic talents in the remaking of models, construction of tack and design and building backdrops.

The Model Horse Program also provides a venue for "horseless" club members to participate in a "horse show."

RULES AND REGULATIONS - MODEL SHOW

1. All counties are invited to enter all eligible exhibitors. Members must have been registered in their county 4-H program as of January 1 of the current year. Members must have an up to date horse or model horse record book. Members must have participated in 70% of their clubs' meetings in the past year. Members must have given or will give a 4-H presentation in the current 4-H year and have done a community service project.
2. Junior exhibitors are grade 4 - 7. Senior exhibitors are grades 8 - 13. Grade is determined by the grade in which the member is enrolled the September prior to the event. **NOTE THIS AGE BREAKDOWN IS DIFFERENT FROM OTHER STATE 4-H HORSE EVENTS.**
3. Entries will not be honored unless accompanied by appropriate entry fees in a check made payable to Hunterdon County 4-H Leaders Association. Bank returned checks will be assessed a \$25 fee.
4. Each participating county is responsible for a \$20 sponsorship. Additional sponsors are greatly appreciated. Sponsorships need to be received at least a week before the show.
5. Exhibitors will be assigned a number. In the photo information section include the horse's name, breed and any information you might provide on a card as it pertains to the entry.
6. A single model may show in more than one performance class. The same model may not cross enter in the junior and senior member divisions.

MEMO to Model Horse Show Participants:

To participate in the Virtual Model Horse Showing Webinar and the 2021 NJ State Model Horse Show you will need to prepare ahead of time. The sooner the better!

1. As soon as possible, members must go to <https://www.ponybytes.com/> and sign up for an account. There is no charge and no obligation to participate in the future.
2. Send your user name to lrshupe@frontiernet.net so the admin can set your account to allow you to see the 4-H Shows.
3. Once your user account is set up you will get a link to the Dec. 28 Practice Show.(It may take a day or two)
4. For the Dec. 28 webinar you will be able to upload some photos starting Dec. 26 to three galleries: Halter, Performance, and Where Does My Horse Go? (for horses you are not sure what class they belong in). If you have technical difficulties, we can discuss that during the Zoom call.

For the State Model Horse Show on Jan. 16 once payment is received, your PonyBytes account will be set to allow you to enter the show. The sooner you enter, the sooner you can start uploading. Do not wait until the last minute as photos can take awhile to upload. You will have at least two weeks to upload.

First Timer

01. First Timer English Performance
02. First Timer Western Performance

Open (Both Junior and Senior)

03. Open Gaited Under Saddle
04. Open Harness
05. Open Collectors
06. Open Barn Scene
07. Open Non Equine
09. Open China/Resin Light Horses
11. Open Custom Light Sport Horse
12. Open China/Resin Draft Ponies
13. Open Custom Gaited
15. Open Custom Color Breeds
16. Open Custom non-color breeds
17. Open Custom Other

Juniors

18. Jr Hunter/Jumper
19. Jr Trail English and Western
20. Jr English Pleasure
21. Jr Other Performance
22. Creative Scene
23. Jr Action Showmanship
24. Jr Tack By Exhibitor
25. Jr Repaint By Exhibitor
26. Jr OF Arabians
27. Jr OF Appaloosa
28. Jr OF Draft
29. Jr OF Ponies
30. Jr OF Gaited
31. Jr OF Morgans
32. Jr Western Games/Other Western
34. Jr Western Pleasure
35. Jr Costume
36. Jr Standing Showmanship
37. Jr Props Exhibitor
38. Jr Customized By Exhibitor
39. Jr OF Paint(Stock Type)
40. Jr OF Quarter Horse
41. JR OF Thoroughbred/Standardbred
42. Jr OF Mixed Breeds
43. Jr OF Warmblood/Sport Horses
44. Jr OF Other Breeds
73. Jr OF Spanish Breeds
75. Jr. Fantasy

Seniors

45. Sr Hunter/Jumper
46. Sr Trail English or Western
47. Sr English Pleasure
48. Sr Other Performance
49. Sr Creative Scene
50. Sr Action Showmanship
51. Sr Tack By Exhibitor
52. Sr Repaint by Exhibitor
53. Sr OF Arabians
54. Sr OF Appaloosa
55. Sr OF Draft
56. Sr OF Ponies
57. Sr OF Gaited
58. Sr OF Morgans
59. Sr Western Games/Other Western
61. Sr Western Pleasure
62. Sr Costume
63. Sr Standing Showmanship
64. Sr Props By Owner
65. Sr Customized By Exhibitor
66. Sr OF Paint Horses
67. Sr OF Quarter Horse
68. Sr OF Thoroughbred/Standardbreds
69. Sr Mixed Breeds
70. Sr OF Warmblood/ Sport Horse
71. Sr OF Other Breeds
72. Sr. Fantasy
74. Sr OF Spanish Breeds

First and second place horses in halter classes will be moved to the championship class. There is nothing you have to do.

2021 NJ State 4-H Model Horse Show Sponsor Form

All sponsorships must be received by January 10, 2021 & be accompanied by a check to be included in the show program

All sponsorships of at least \$20 or merchandise donations worth \$30 or more, are entitled to a business card size ad in the Show Program. Please attach a business card. All artwork must be camera ready.

We thank you for your support of the 4-H Model Horse Project.

Sponsorship

Contact Name:		
Business or Individual Name as it is to appear in Program:		
Address:		
Town:	State:	Zip Code:
Contact Phone Number: Day ()	Evening ()	
For donations of \$20 or more please attach your business card or print/type your message below:		

Sponsorships must be made with payment & received by January 10, 2021.

Send this form and payment (checks made payable to the **Hunterdon County 4-H Leaders Association**) to:

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