

EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION

LIGHT HORSE DIVISION

AUGUST 30- SEPTEMBER 3,2017

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES WILL BE AUGUST 18

ENSE LIGHT HORSE DIVISION RULES

1)ALL FORMS MUST BE RECEIVED BY AUGUST 18 ,2017. POST ENTRIES WILL BE CHARGED AFTER THIS DATE.ONE ENTRY FORM FOR HORSE AND RIDER COMBINATION. ALL FEES FOR ENTRIES AND STALLS MUST ACCOMPANY FORMS.STALLS WILL BE ASSIGNED ACCORDING TO THE ORDER OF ENTRIES RECEIVED.THE ENSE LIGHT HORSE COMMITTEE HAS THE RIGHT TO REFUSE ANY ENTRY.

2) PROOF OF NSEF LIABILITY INSURANCE MUST BE PROVIDED WITH ENTRY FORMS.

3)EXHIBITORS ARE REQUIRED TO BE ON THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS BY 8AM THURSDAY AUGUST 31,2017. ALL EXHIBITORS ARE TO REMAIN ON THE GROUNDS UNTIL 6 PM ON SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 2017.ANY EXHIBITOR WHO LEAVES BEFORE THIS TIME WILL FORFEIT ANY HIGH POINT AWARDS AND MAY BE DENIED ENTRY THE FOLLOWING YEAR.

4) ANY ANIMAL WHICH APPEARS ILL IN THE OPINION OF A VETERINARIAN WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE GROUNDS.

5)75% OF ENTRY FEES WILL BE REFUNDED UPON THE RECEIPT OF A VALID DOCTOR'S OR VETERINARIAN'S CERTIFICATE WITHIN FIVE DAYS OF END OF THE EXHIBITION.

6) ALL EXHIBITORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROLLING THEIR ANIMAL.

7) PONIES ARE 14.2HANDS HIGH AND UNDER.HORSES ARE OVER 14.2HANDS HIGH.SENIOR RIDERS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO SHOW PONIES.ALL EXHIBITORS MUST BE PREPARED TO HAVE THEIR ANIMAL MEASURED BY A QUALIFIED PERSON IF REQUESTED BY THE JUDGE.

8) THE ENSE LIGHT HORSE DIVISION CANNOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY LOSS OR INJURY TO HORSES AND OR RIDERS AND OR EQUIPMENT OR TACK.

9) OWNERS OF STALLIONS PLEASE INDICATE ON THE ENTRY FORM. STALLIONS MAY ONLY BE SHOWN OR HANDLED BY SENIOR EXHIBITORS.

10) HORSES ENTERED IN STAKE CLASSES MUST BE SHOWN IN AT LEAST 2 OTHER CLASSES IN THAT DIVISION (ENGLISH OR WESTERN).

- 11)EXHIBITORS ARE EXPECTED TO BE ON TIME FOR THEIR CLASSES.THE SCHEDULE IS A GUIDE ONLY AND IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE SHOULD IT BECOME NECESSARY BECAUSE OF TIME RESTRAINTS SOME CLASSES MAY BE MOVED TO THE OUTDOOR RING.
- 12).AS A COURTESY PLEASE INFORM THE LIGHT HORSE OFFICE IF YOU ARE SCRATCHING A CLASS.REFUNDS FOR SCRATCHED CLASSES WILL NOT BE GIVEN.
- 13) ENTRY FEES WILL BE CHARGED FOR SHOWMANSHIP, EQUITATION AND HORSEMANSHIP BUT NO PRIZE MONEY WILL BE PAID.
- 14) ANY CLASS WITH FEWER THAN THREE ENTRIES MAY BE COMBINE OR CANCELLED.
- 15)EXHIBITORS MAY NOT APPROACH THE JUDGE DIRECTLY WITH QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS.ANYONE INTERFERING WITH THE JUDGE WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE AND WILL BE BANNED THE FOLLOWING YEAR.
- 16)UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOR, ABUSIVE LANGUAGE OR ANIMAL ABUSE WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.THE EXHIBITOR WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE THE GROUNDS.
- 17)THERE WILL BE NO GROOMING IN THE AISLES. FOR SAFETY REASONS, AISLES MUST BE KEPT CLEAR AT ALL TIMES.FARRIER SERVICE MUST BE DONE IN THE STALL OR OUTSIDE THE BARN IN AN UNOBSTRUCTED AREA.
- 18)PATTERNS AND COURSES WILL BE POSTED IN THE RED HORSE BARN ONE HOUR PRIOR TO CLASS.
- 19)BOX STALLS ARE LIMITED AND WILL BE ASSIGNED AT THE BARN MANAGER'S DISCRETION.ONLY THE BARN MANAGER CAN CHANGE ASSIGNED STALLS.HORSES OR PONIES IN STRAIGHT STALLS MUST HAVE BUTT ROPES.
- 20)CONTACT NAME AND PHONE NUMBER MUST BE POSTED OUTSIDE OF EACH STALL IN CASE OF EMERGENCY.
- 21)AT THE END OF SHOW ALL STALLS MUST BE CLEANED TO THE DIRT FLOOR.
- 22) EXHIBITORS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO TAKE THEIR HORSE OF THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS.EXHIBITORS MUST RIDE WITH PROPER TACK AND MUST WEAR BOOTS, HELMETS (IF JR. RIDERS) AND BACK NUMBER. EXHIBITORS ARE NOT TO LEAVE THEIR HORSE OR PONY UNATTENDED IN THE WARM UP RING OR LET THEM LOOSE IN THE WARM UP RING.
- 23)ANY EXHIBITOR MAY BE ASKED BY THE JUDGE TO DROP THEIR BIT.OVERLY HARSH BITS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED, HARSHNESS BEING AT THE JUDGES DISCRETION.
- 24)BITS ARE REQUIRED FOR SHOWING IN THE UNDER SADDLE CLASSES.THE EXCEPTION IS JUNIOR WESTERN HORSES (5 YRS AND UNDER AS OF JAN.1 OF THE CURRENT YEAR) WHICH MAY BE RIDDEN WITH A BOSAL WITH BOTH HANDS ON THE REINS.IN ALL WESTERN CLASSES, HORSES OVER 5 YEARS ARE TO BE SHOWN IN A SHANK BIT WITH ONE HAND.

25)RIBBONS WILL BE AWARDED TO SIXTH PLACE. PRIZE MONEY WILL BE 1st \$18 2nd \$14 3rd \$10 4th \$8 5th \$ 5. PRIZE MONEY FOR STAKE CLASSES WILL BE PAID AS FOLLOWS 1st 30%, 2nd 25% 3rd 20% 4th 15% 5th 5% and 6th 5%.

26)IF YOU HAVE A PERMANENT BACK NUMBER PLEASE WRITE IT ON YOUR ENTRY FORM.ONE BACK NUMBER PER HORSE/RIDER COMBINATION.

27)NO VEHICLES WILL BE PERMITTED ON THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS AFTER 9AM.VEHICLES WILL BE TOWED AT OWNERS EXPENSE

FEE RATES

**ONE EXHIBITOR PASS WILL BE GIVEN WITH EACH BACK NUMBER.
15% HST WILL BE ADDED TO TOTAL ENTRY FEE**

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| ADMINISTRATION FEE | \$10.00 |
| LATE ENTRY FEE | \$20.00(AFTER AUG.18,2017) |
| FEE FOR EACH CLASS | \$5.00 |
| POST ENTRY FEE | \$10.00 |
| FEE FOR STAKE CLASSES | \$15.00 |
| FEE FOR POST ENTRY STAKE CLASSES | \$25.00 |
| STANDING STALL | \$15.00 |
| BOX STALLS | \$30.00 |
| TRAILER HOOK UPS | \$15.00 |

ENSE RIDER DESCRIPTIONS (all ages are as of Jan. 1 of current year)

SENIOR- 19 years and over

JUNIOR- 18 years and under

SMALL FRY- 10 years and under. Walk trot/jog classes. Open to horses or ponies

PONY- Open to junior riders and ponies 14.2hh and under. Walk, trot/jog, canter/lope classes

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS

Grooming and Conditioning, Showmanship and Halter classes

- 1) Grooming and conditioning is judged on fitness and how well the horse/pony is groomed.
- 2) Halter is judged upon the horse/pony conformation. Emphasis is on the animal's resemblance to their breed ideal and the combination of balance, structural correctness and movement.
- 3.) The Showmanship class is judged strictly on the exhibitor's ability to fit and show a horse at halter. The horse is merely a prop to demonstrate the ability and preparation of the exhibitor.

English Equitation and Western Horsemanship classes

In these classes, only the rider or handler is judged on their way of riding or handling the horse. It is their skill that is being assessed and judged and not that of the horse. The horse is merely the tool used to help the person perform. The rider will be judged on seat, hands, and legs and their ability to control the horse/pony. Rail work will be walk, trot/jog, and canter/lope. The pattern will be posted at least one hour before the class.

Western Performance classes (Jr, Sr. and Pony)

Western pleasure

A good pleasure horse/pony has a free-flowing stride of reasonable length in keeping with its conformation. It should cover a reasonable amount of ground with little effort. Ideally, it should have a balanced, flowing motion while exhibiting correct gaits that are of proper cadence. The quality of the movement and the consistency of the gaits is a major consideration.

Conduct:

1. This class will be judged on performance, condition and conformation of the horse/pony; however, a minimum of 20% of the judging shall be placed on condition and conformation.
2. Horses/ponies must work both ways of the ring at all three gaits to demonstrate their ability with different leads.

Trail (pony, horse and open stake)

The Trail Class is the performance of a safe, sensible, well-mannered horse/pony over a course of obstacles. At least six obstacles will be used, gait between the obstacles shall be at the discretion of the judge. Horses/ponies may be required to work on the rail. The course will require each horse/pony to show the three gaits: (walk, jog and lope) somewhere between obstacle as a part of its work and will be scored as a maneuver.

- 1 The course to be used must be posted at least one hour before scheduled time of the class
- 2 Failure to follow the course or third refusal shall cause elimination.
- 3 Failure to complete the course shall not be an elimination, but is to be severely penalized.

Western Reining (open horses and ponies)

One of 11 patterns will be posted one hour before the class. All competitors will be judged immediately upon entering the ring. The best reined horse or pony should be willingly guided and controlled with little or no apparent resistance. Credit will be given for smoothness, finesse, attitude, quickness, and authority in performing various maneuvers while using controlled speed.

Western Ranch Pleasure

Pattern class. Ranch horse pleasure should reflect the versatility, attitude and movements of a working horse. This class should show the horse's ability to work at a forward working speed while under control of the rider. The required maneuvers will include walk, jog and lope both directions and an extended jog and lope at least one direction, as well as stops, turn to change directions and back. Three optional maneuvers may include a side pass, turn of 360 or more, change of lead (flying or simple), walk, jog or lope over pole(s); or some reasonable combination of maneuvers that would be reasonable for a ranch horse to perform. Open to horses and ponies.

Western Command

An elimination class where riders are required to do as the judge asks. Manner of performance could be a deciding factor. Walk, jog, lope class.

Over Fences Division

2'Hunter over Fences #1 and #2 (open to horses and ponies)

2'3" Hunter over Fences #1 and #2 (open to horses and ponies)

A hunter is judged on movement, manners, jumping style/performance and hunting soundness

1. Hunter courses must be clearly posted, well in advance of the start time of the over fences portion of the show.
2. Horses are shown, one at a time, over a course of hunter style obstacles.
3. A performance starts when the horse enters the ring, and ends when it leaves.
4. Horses will be credited for maintaining an even hunting pace while covering the ground with free-flowing strides. Preference will be given to horses that meet the fence squarely, at the center of the fence, and jump with correct jumping style.
5. **Elimination** Two disobediences including refusal, stop, run-out, or extra circle. Bolting from the arena. Off course. Jumping an obstacle before it is reset. Fall of horse and/or rider. A horse is considered to have fallen when shoulder and haunch on the same side touch the ground. Rider may not remount. Deliberately addressing an obstacle.

Cross Rails (open to horses and ponies)

Class to be judged on performance, way of going and soundness. Competitors will be required to jump a course of a maximum of 8 fences, not to exceed 18". After two refusals, you are excused and may take the first jump of the course as a courtesy jump.

English Hack Division

Road Hack (Jr, Sr, Pony and Stake classes)

To enter the ring at a walk. To be shown at a flat-footed walk with a reasonably loose rein, trot, strong trot, easy canter and hand gallop. Hand gallop under control with only 8 horses to gallop at a time.

English Pleasure (Jr, Sr, Pony and stake classes)

An English pleasure horse is shown at a walk, trot, and canter (not gallop). The walk should be a four beat flat-footed beat. The trot (two beat) should seem effortless and be cadenced and balanced. The canter (three beat) should be smooth, with rhythmic and fluid strides. It should flow and be without excessive speed.

English Command

An elimination class where the riders are required to do as the judge asks. Manners of performance could be a deciding factor. Walk, trot and canter class.

Small Fry (showmanship, equitation, pleasure, command, egg and spoon and barrels)

Rider to be 10 years and under as of January 1st of the current year. Open to horses and ponies. To be shown under saddle, English or Western. Western Riders can ride two handed. Walk, trot/jog will be required both ways of the ring. May also enter pet pony, costume classes.

Miscellaneous Classes

ENSE Open Pleasure class open to horses and ponies, junior and senior riders. Walk, jog or trot, lope or canter class. This class is judged on the horse's ability to have a free-flowing stride with a

balanced motion to perform the correct gaits. At the option of the judge, horses/ponies may be asked to extend the walk, jog, or lope, one or both ways of the ring. Horses/ponies are required to back easily and stand quietly.

Pony Command-English or Western walk, trot/jog, canter or lope class. An elimination class where riders are required to do as the judge asks. Manners of performance could be a deciding factor.

Lead line

Open to horses and ponies. Riders not to have reached their 10th birthday s of January 1st of the current show year. To be shown at a walk and trot or jog. Rider and handler(s) to be appropriately dressed. To be judged on horse/pony manners and suitability to lead line work. RIDERS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ANY OTHER CLASSES EXCEPT PET PONY AND COSTUME CLASS.

Pet pony

This class is just for ponies. English or Western. Open to all junior riders. This class is a walk trot /jog class. To be judged as a pleasure class, showing how great ponies can be!!

Costume

Open to all competitors. Rider and horse/pony to be dressed in a costume. To be shown at the walk only.

Toilet paper pairs

An elimination class. To be shown at a walk and trot/jog, canter or lope. Exhibitors must work in unison while holding a strip of toilet paper.

Bareback Dollar class an elimination class. This is a mounted bareback walk, trot/jog, canter/lope class. Full seat breeches or western chaps are not permitted. Runs like a command class with a piece of paper placed under the rider's thigh. Last rider to have the paper under the leg wins.

Egg and Spoon

An elimination class. This is a mounted walk, trot/jog, canter or lope class Riders will hold an egg on a spoon while performing requested gaits on their mounts. Last rider to have their egg on the spoon wins.

Horse/pony and Dog Relay

A timed event. Competitors are required to jump a course of low jumps. Once finished the dog and the handler are to jump the same course. Judged on the combined time.

Stake Race a timed event. Upon signal rider races to the second stake making a left hand turn around to the first stake then a right-hand turn to the second stake (making a figure 8 pattern) then running straight back to pass the finish line. Elimination will be knocking over a stake, off course and crossing the finish line before completion. Pattern will be posted in the red horse barn.

Western Gymkhana Division (exhibition horse barrels #1 , exhibition horse poles#1 and pony barrels and poles)PLEASE NOTE; ENTRIES IN THE EXHIBITION BARRELS AND EXHIBITION POLES ARE NOT PERMITTED TO ENTER MBRA BARRELS AND MBRA HORSE POLES.

Barrel racing

Is a timed event in which a horse and rider complete a clover-leaf pattern around the barrels in the fastest time. A 5 second penalty for each barrel knocked will be incurred and going off pattern will result in a no time elimination.

Pole bending

Is a timed event that features a horse and rider, running a weaving or serpentine path around 6 poles arranged in a straight line. Fastest time wins. Each pole knocked down will incur a 5 second penalty and going off pattern will result in a no time elimination.

*****Safety should be of paramount importance for both the rider and the horse*****

Tidy Western dress to be used at all times. Bats, crops, spurs, tie-downs are to be permitted. Excessive spurring or cropping may bring elimination at the Judge’s discretion. Use of any other equipment that the Judge considers too severe, or abusive striking of the horse, will result in immediate elimination for that run.

HIGH POINT AWARDS

PLEASE NOTE, POINTS WILL BE GIVEN TO ONE HORSE RIDER COMBINATION.

IN THE EVENT OF A TIE FOR HIGH POINT THE EXHIBITOR WITH THE MOST 1ST PLACE RIBBONS WILL WIN. IF THERE IS STILL TIE 2ND PLACE RIBBONS WILL DETERMINE THE WINNER.

HIGH POINT PONY-

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 3,9,10,11,30 and 36

HIGH POINT ENGLISH HORSE

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 18 or 19,20,23 or 24,25 ,26 or 27

HIGH POINT OVER FENCES

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 12,13,14,15 and 16

HIGH POINT WESTERN HORSE

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 4 or 5,28 or 29,31 or 32,33,37,38,39 and 40

HIGH POINT SMALL FRY

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE, #'s 6,41,42,43,44 and 45

HIGH POINT GYMKHANA PONY

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 58,59,60 and 61

HIGH POINT GYMKHANA HORSE

CLASSES TO COUNT ARE #'s 54,55,56 and 57

STABLE COMPETITION

TO BE AWARDED TO THE EXHIBITOR WITH THE BEST STALL DISPLAY, NEATNESS IN FRONT OF THE STALL, WILL ALSO BE JUDGED.

ENSE LIGHT HORSE DIVISION CLASS LIST

- 1. GROOMING AND CONDITIONING HORSE**
- 2. GROOMING AND CONDITIONING PONY OR MINI HORSE**
- 3. HALTER PONY or MINI HORSE -MARE OR GELDING**
- 4. HALTER HORSE-MARE**
- 5. HALTER HORSE-GELDING**
- 6. SMALL FRY SHOWMANSHIP**
- 7. JUNIOR SHOWMANSHIP**
- 8. SENIOR SHOWMANSHIP**
- 9. ENGLISH PLEASURE PONY**
- 10. ROAD HACK PONY**
- 11. PONY COMMAND-ENGLISH OR WESTERN**
- 12. CROSSRAILS**
- 13. 2'HUNTER OVER FENCES #1**
- 14. 2'HUNTER OVER FENCES #2**
- 15. 2'3" HUNTER OVER FENCES #1**
- 16. 2'3" HUNTER OVER FENCES #2**
- 17. ENSE OPEN PLEASURE**
- 18. ENGLISH PLEASURE HORSE JUNIOR RIDER**
- 19. ENGLISH PLEASURE HORSE SENIOR RIDER**
- 20. OPEN \$50.00 ADDED ENGLISH PLEASURE HORSE STAKE CLASS**
- 21. ENGLISH EQUITATION JUNIOR RIDER**
- 22. ENGLISH EQUITATION SENIOR RIDER**
- 23. ROAD HACK HORSE JUNIOR RIDER**
- 24. ROAD HACK HORSE SENIOR RIDER**
- 25. OPEN \$50.00 ADDED ROAD HACK HORSE STAKE**
- 26. ENGLISH COMMAND HORSE JUNIOR RIDER**
- 27. ENGLISH COMMAND HORSE SENIOR RIDER**
- 28. WESTERN COMMAND HORSE JUNIOR RIDER**
- 29. WESTERN COMMAND HORSE SENIOR RIDER**
- 30. WESTERN PLEASURE PONY**
- 31. WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE JUNIOR RIDER**
- 32. WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE SENIOR RIDER**
- 33. OPEN \$50.00 ADDED WESTERN PLEASURE HORSE STAKE**
- 34. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP JUNIOR RIDER**
- 35. WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP SENIOR RIDER**
- 36. PONY TRAIL**
- 37. HORSE TRAIL**
- 38. OPEN \$50.00 ADDED TRAIL STAKE-OPEN TO HORSE AND PONY**

- 39.WESTERN RANCH PLEASURE- OPEN TO HORSE OR PONY**
- 40. WESTERN REINING-OPEN TO HORSE AND PONY**
- 41.SMALL FRY PLEASURE**
- 42.SMALL FRY EQUITATION**
- 43.SMALL FRY EGG &SPOON**
- 44.SMALL FRY COMMAND**
- 45.SMALL FRY BARRELS**
- 46.LEADLINE**
- 47.COSTUME CLASS –OPEN TO ALL AGES**
- 48.PET PONY**
- 49.TOILET PAPER PAIRS**
- 50.EGG AND SPOON**
- 51.HORSE/PONY AND DOG RELAY**
- 52.BAREBACK DOLLAR CLASS**
- 53.STAKE RACE**
- 54.EXHIBITION HORSE BARRELS #1**
- 55.EXHIBITION HORSE BARRELS #2**
- 56.EXHIBITION HORSE POLES#1**
- 57.EXHIBITION HORSE POLES#2**
- 58.PONY BARRELS #1**
- 59.PONY BARRELS #2**
- 60.PONY POLES #1**
- 61.PONY POLES #2**

EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION LIGHT HORSE ENTRY FORM

Rider's Name: _____ Horse's Name: _____
 Address: _____ Horse's Height: _____
 Date of Birth: _____ Horse's Year of Birth: _____
 Phone #: _____ Owner's Name: _____
 N.S.E.F. #: _____ Permanent Back #: _____
 Emergency Contact Name and Phone
 Number _____

PLEASE REGISTER CLASS NUMBERS

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Administration fee \$10.00
 Entry fees \$ 5.00 per class
 Stake class fees \$15.00 per class
AFTER AUGUST 18, 2017
 Post entry fees \$10.00 per class
 Post entry stake fees \$25.00 per class
 Late Entry fee \$20.00

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| ADMINISTRATION FEES | | \$10.00 |
| TOTAL CLASS FEES | x\$5.00 | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL STAKE CLASS FEES | x\$15.00 | \$ _____ |
| BOX STALL \$30.00 | | \$ _____ |
| STRAIGHT STALL \$15.00 | | \$ _____ |
| TRAILER HOOK UP FEE \$15.00 | | \$ _____ |
| SUB TOTAL FEES | | \$ _____ |
| 15% HST | | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL FEES | | \$ _____ |

I HAVE READ & AGREE TO ABIDE BY ALL ENSE LIGHT HORSE DIVISION RULES

Date: _____

Signature: _____ Print Name: _____
(If under 19 must be signed by parent or guardian)



PLEASE MAIL ENTRIES TO THE ADDRESS BELOW SO IT WILL BE RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE
 POST ENTRY DATE. ENTRIES WILL BE DATED AS THEY ARE RECEIVED, NOT FROM DATE
 OF MAIL. **MAIL TO: STACY MYERS**
1603 HIGHWAY 4 JAMES RIVER NS B2G 2K8

EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

As a condition of entry into, or volunteering at, any of the EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION activities, it must be understood that the participants and volunteers enter entirely at their own risk, and will not hold the EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION its directors or volunteer workers responsible for injury, loss or damage occurring during any of the club's activities.

Participants and volunteers agree to release, discharge and undertake not to commence action against the EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION from any and all claims and causes of action, or liability of any kind whatsoever for injuries, property damage, or death which in any way results from participating or volunteering in any of the EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION activities.

The EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION do not assume responsibility for loss of wages, medical, dental or hospital care for athletes, officials or volunteers during any of the Eastern Nova Scotia Exhibition activities.

____ (Initial) By signing this waiver you, the Undersigned, agree for yourself and/or the minor(s) you are parent/guardian for, that if medical treatment of any kind is required, your personal insurance and/or personal funds shall pay for all incurred expenses. The Released Party will not be held liable for any claims or suits of any kind.

____ (Initial) By signing below, you the undersigned, agree for yourself and/or for the minor(s) you are parent/guardian for, that you acknowledge and accept all the risks involved in all equestrian events and activities and discharge the Released Party and its officers and/or volunteers from any claims of any kind. The undersigned fully understands and acknowledges the possibility of accidental or other physical injury when participating in such activities as exhibitions gymkhanas, horse shows, and/or as spectators at such events, and will not hold the EASTERN NOVA SCOTIA EXHIBITION responsible for any injury, loss or damages suffered while participating in activities or services offered by the Released Party.

Name: _____
(please print) Signature Date

 Parent/Guardian Signature Print parent/guardian Name Date
 (required if exhibitor is under 19)

****IT IS MANDATORY THAT ALL MINORS WEAR A HIGH IMPACT HELMET****

2) ENSE HELMET WAIVER FOR ADULT RIDERS

I am aware that approximately 60% of horse related human deaths are caused by head injuries, and that 70 to 80% of these possibilities could be prevented by proper, approved headgear and it is strongly recommended helmets be worn in all classes. I am also aware that the judge has been instructed not to penalize any rider who decides to compete in approved protective headgear at this show, no matter what the age or discipline of the rider.

I have read the above information and I hereby accept the risk associated by my choice to not wear a helmet including but not limited to injury or death. I agree to accept this risk and hold harmless, the NSEF, this exhibition, their directors, organizers and volunteers from and against all claims including any injury or loss suffered during or in connection with the competition; anywhere on the grounds and surrounding area (i.e. practice ring, stable area).

 Competitor's Name (Please Print) Competitor's Signature if 19 years of age or older

Date: _____

