

# Kingston Fall Fair Open Gaited Horse Show

\*\*\* Kingston Memorial Center, 303 York Street, Kingston Ontario, K7L 4X6 \*\*\*

Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2016 (Show starts at 9:00am)

## Rules & class list/description

1. **Entry Fee** is \$5.00 per class, or a flat fee of \$50.00 for all classes. Payable by: cash, E-transfer or cheque. Make cheque payable to: Kingston District Agricultural Society ... mailing address: P.Allison 2354 Bur Brook Rd Kingston on K7L 4V4, cheques must be post dated/received no later than Monday Sept 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016... (E-transfer s will be accepted no later than 5pm Monday Sept 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016) [pallison@hotmail.ca](mailto:pallison@hotmail.ca)
2. The contact person for entry forms and general inquiries is Pauline Allison. Forms can be emailed to [pallison@hotmail.ca](mailto:pallison@hotmail.ca)
3. **Entry forms** must be submitted by 5pm Monday September 12<sup>th</sup>, and paid in full by 8:00am the day of the show. (\*\*Cash only will be accepted the day of the show\*\*) Riders with incomplete forms or unpaid fees will not be permitted to participate \*\*\* Entries will be limited to 15/class\*\*\*
4. **Show attire:** any accepted gaited horse show attire is allowed, as long as tack and rider follow the turnout rules for their chosen discipline. As an example, if you are going to show in English tack, then standard English show attire should be worn (breeches, tall boots, jacket, etc) the same goes for Western, Hunt Seat, Paso Pleasure, etc. \*\*\* Working/Performance class will be shown in formal attire: black pants (black jeans accepted if showing in western attire) black dress pants accepted if showing English, Paso pleasure or Hunt seat, white dress shirt(LS) or blouse(LS), black( tuxedo style) vest or jacket ( Bolero or English) & either black or white saddle pad.
5. All classes are open to mares, geldings or stallions of any age.
6. **Prizes:** most classes will be awarded the following unless otherwise noted in the class description:
  1. 1<sup>st</sup> place - \$20.00
  2. 2<sup>nd</sup> place - \$15.00
  3. 3<sup>rd</sup> place - \$10.00
  4. 4<sup>th</sup> place - \$5.00

5. 5<sup>th</sup> place – ribbon only

**7. Class list:**

1. Conformation – horse is shown in-hand in bridle (money prize) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
2. Bareback – riders perform walk, show gaits, and pleasure gaits, without saddle, horse must stand quietly & back readily (money prize) 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
3. English Pleasure – riders in English attire/tack (includes Hunt seat) perform pleasure gaits, horse must stand quietly & back readily. (money prize) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
4. Western Pleasure – riders in western attire/tack (includes Paso pleasure) perform pleasure gaits, horse must stand quietly & back readily (money prize) 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
5. Command Class – riders must execute gaits & manoeuvres with precision & control, winner determined by elimination process (1<sup>st</sup> place only, money prize) & prize TBA
6. Open Equitation – rider is judged on ability & deportment, horse must stand quietly & back readily (money prize) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
7. Working Performance – riders perform show/performance gaits, horse must stand quietly & back readily (money prize) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
8. Challenge of the Breeds – 1<sup>st</sup> place only, awarded to the horse & rider that best represents their breed, horse must stand quietly & back readily, Must be entered in @ least 3 of the following classes to be eligible : 1,2,3,4,5,6,7. (money prize) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
9. Costume Class – both rider & horse must have a costume element, costume cannot impede the horse's movement in any way or cause distraction to other riders/horses, (ribbon only) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
10. Champagne Class – rider perform various gaits while carrying a glass of "champagne"...rider with the most liquid in their cup wins (1<sup>st</sup> place ribbon only) 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
11. Egg and Spoon – riders carry egg on a spoon while performing various gaits (ribbon only) & 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA
12. Ribbon ride – riders pair off and carry a ribbon while performing various gaits (ribbon only) & 1<sup>st</sup> place pair each receive prize TBA
13. Panty raid – done in heats, riders must ride to a designated point, get off their horses, put on some granny panties, get back on their horse wearing their granny panties & ride back, first across the finish line is the winner, 1<sup>st</sup> place only (ribbon only) & prize TBA
14. Obstacles – horse and rider attempt to negotiate various trail obstacles. Judged on points, maximum 2 points per obstacle, time limit of 30 seconds for each attempt (judge's decision is final). The obstacle course with a description of each obstacle will be posted on the day of the show (money prize) 1<sup>st</sup> place prize TBA

8. A high point cooler donated by Wilton Tack will be presented to the horse and rider who accumulated the most points over the course of the show.
9. Judges choice: Judge will choose a horse/rider of her liking (must have shown in three of the following classes : 1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8 to be eligible) Prize TBA
10. Riders choice award: riders will choose a horse/rider team of their liking (prize TBA)
11. Riders under 18 years of age must wear an ASTM approved equestrian helmet while mounted.
12. All competitors must be fully paid up members of KDAS for the current year...adults \$7\*\*, youth (18 & under) \$1\*\* to be paid with entry fees.
13. Entries are not considered complete without a correctly signed liability waiver, proof of liability insurance on the horse (OEF or comparable insurance) & payment in full. Cheques made payable to : Kingston District Agricultural Society (KDAS)
14. Refunds: KDAS membership fee is non-refundable. Entry fees will only be returned if cancelled 24 hours prior to the first class & with appropriate medical documentation. Once a horse has entered the show grounds there will be no refund unless authorized by Kingston Fall Fair Horse Show Committee chair.
15. All NO SHOW entries will be charged full entry fees & other applicable fees.
16. A \$50\*\* charge will be added to all accounts paid by cheques that are returned from the bank for any reason...(eg...NSF )
17. Show management reserves the right to change or amend show scheduling up to one-half (1/2) hour prior to the designated class.
18. In the event of a fall, horse & rider must leave the ring at the discretion of the judge.
19. There will be a 10 minute warning call before the start of each class. Failure to come to the in gate will result in elimination, without refund of entry fee.
20. All prize money will be awarded in cash the day of the show.
21. Riders are responsible to clean up after their horse in the trailer area, please leave grounds clean of manure. Have your own forks/shovels & manure skip (tub). There is a manure dump station on grounds...please make use of it.
22. The judge's decision is FINAL!
23. Show to be judged by : Katie Thompson

Katie is an accomplished trainer, coach & rider in many different disciplines & breeds including but not limited to, Hunter/Jumper, Western & Gaited as well as showing successfully in each of these rings. She has started young horses & retrained older horses including off track Thoroughbreds & gaited horses that have gone on to accomplished careers. We are very pleased & honoured to have Katie judge our first Open Gaited Show.

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