

# Tantramar Horse Show



May 26, 2018

\*\* In case of inclement weather, phone (902) 664-7597 for news of show status.

**Where:** Galloway Stables, 7277 Route 6, Port Howe, NS

**Start Time:** 8:30 am

**Entry Fee:** \$5.00 per class

## *General Rules and Information*

1. Classes are divided by age groups as follows:
  - Green horse and/or rider: either horse or rider must be in their first year of showing **does not canter**
  - Pony: until the end of the calendar in which they reach 18
  - Horse Junior: until the end of the calendar in which they reach 18
  - Horse Senior: from the beginning of the calendar year in which they turn 19
2. The show committee encourages all competitors to immunize their horses for influenza, rabies and tetanus. Strangles vaccination and Coggins test are also recommended.
3. Awards: ribbons 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> place.
4. Cross entering is permitted. English tack for English classes, western tack for western classes.
5. Limited stabling available on a first come, first served basis. (\$20 overnight/ \$10 per day. Stalls must be cleaned before you leave.
6. Riding helmets must be worn by all English riders, Jr. Western and for all games.
7. Green horse/ rider does not canter.
8. Entries in crossrail hunter or beginner hunter hack, may not be entered in hunter or open jumper.
9. Pony height is 14.2 hands and under. Horse height is over 14.2 hands. In western classes, mounts over 14.1 hands will be considered Horse. The organizers reserve the right to measure any entry.
10. The show committee has the right to combine or cancel any class if there are fewer than 3 entries.
11. Ponies must be ridden by Juniors only.

12. Any attempt to interfere with the judge in the performance of his/her duties or act of discourtesy to show officials on the part of rider, owner, trainer, groom or family members will disqualify the horse from competition.
13. The show committee reserves the right to decline any entry and return any entry fee without being liable to compensation, subject to EC rule A904.
14. Any actions against a horse by an exhibitor, etc which are deemed excessive by a judge, steward or member of the show committee, in the ring or anywhere on the show grounds, may result in show elimination. Such actions include, but are not limited to, excessive use of whips or spurs.
15. Stallions must be handled and/or shown only by a senior. The show committee reserves the right to restrict classes in which stallions may be shown.
16. The show will return 75% of the entry fee if the horse is withdrawn due to unsoundness, if a veterinarian's certificate, dated no later than the closing date of the show is received within 10 days.
17. There will be no conduct in the warm up area which disturbs or creates a hazard to horses or handlers.
18. All riders, grooms, attendants and handlers must be neatly dressed on entering the ring.
19. Every class offered herein will be governed by EC rules, and will be judged in compliance with these rules. Rule books are available from the EC office.
20. An official will be present on the grounds during the competition to ensure the rules are being followed.
21. No whips or crops in excess of 24". Martingales are not permitted in flat classes but are optional in over fences. Flashes and drop nose bands are not permitted in any hack class. Boots or bandages are not allowed. Western breast plates are only allowed in western classes. English breast plates are only allowed in equitation, over fences and hunter under saddles.
22. Hors Concour rounds will be accepted if time and weather permits.
23. Professional coaches and riders may not compete against juniors in any open class. They may ride Hors Concour but they will not be placed.
24. No dogs will be permitted unless restrained on a leash.
25. Canteen will be available on the show grounds.
26. Entries must be in the hands of the show secretary by Tuesday, May 1 to avoid late entry fees.
27. Late entry fee of \$10.00 per horse will be charged for all entries on show day.