

Woodloch Schooling & Fun Show

Saturday, May 5th, 2018 – 9:00am Start

The Schooling & Fun Show is an opportunity for **Woodloch's students and boarders** to experience showing in a fun and relaxed atmosphere, to practice the skills learned in lessons, and to have the opportunity to build some camaraderie with other students and Woodloch boarders.

The show is organized based on class type and ability level. Riders can choose **(with the approval of their instructor)** to ride in Walk/Trot or Walk/Trot/Canter classes based on their ability and previous show experience. All classes are judged on performance, accuracy, and skill. Dress neatly with proper riding boots, jeans or breeches, and a shirt/jacket based on the weather. Formal show attire is not required, but **helmets are required for all participants (no matter age)**. The class types are:

- **Western Horsemanship Rail:** Rider and horse are judged at the walk/trot or walk/trot/lope on the rail in both directions. Judged on rider's ability and correct use of aids.
- **English Flat Equitation:** Rider and horse are judged on the rail at the walk/trot or the walk/trot/canter. Riders will be judged on their ability to use the correct aids and their effectiveness with their riding.
- **English Ground Pole/Crossrail Equitation:** Rider and horse are judged at the walk/trot or walk/trot/canter over a series of low obstacles (not exceeding 18" in height) Judged on rider's ability, correct use of aids, and accuracy
- **Ribbon Rail:** Two riders walk/trot/halt/reverse or walk/trot/lope/halt/reverse side by side on the rail while holding an 18" crepe paper ribbon between them. Pairs are eliminated if ribbon is dropped or broken. Last pair holding ribbon wins.
- **Ribbon Race:** A timed pattern in which two riders walk/trot or walk/trot/lope around a barrel while holding an 18" ribbon between them. Fastest time while still holding ribbon wins. Riders can compete in more than 1 pair.
- **Speed and Action:** A timed pattern in which rider and horse begin at a halt in a box made from 4 poles, then walk/trot or walk/trot/lope to and around a barrel at the far end of the arena. Rider and horse must then halt within the box and remain standing still for 5 seconds while mounted. Fastest time (including 5 second halt) wins.
- **Best Dressed Pony:** This class is meant for pony lesson **students** to enjoy dressing up and decorating their favorite pony. This class is meant to showcase the **students creativity**. Please be mindful that you may end up sharing your pony, so you may need to work with another family for decorating.
- **Pony Horsemanship Rail:** Rider and horse are judged at the walk/trot on the rail in both directions. Judged on rider's ability and correct use of aids. This class is meant for students currently enrolled in the pony lesson program from the ages of 3-11
- **Egg & Spoon:** Each rider will receive one egg and one spoon. The spoon will be placed in one hand, leaving one hand to steer. The riders will be asked to go through the different gaits while keeping their egg on the spoon. When the rider's egg drops, the rider is out.
- **Trail Class:** This is an obstacle course in which the rider must memorize their course/pattern. The rider and horse will be tested on multiple different aspects of riding, such as: steering, transitions (walk, trot, and/or canter/lope), carrying an object, walking over obstacles. Each rider will be given 3 attempts at each obstacle. If the rider cannot complete the obstacle after the third attempt, the judge may ask the rider to move on.

Instructors and show organizers reserve the right to assign horses and place students in classes that are deemed appropriate. We want each student to have a positive experience, and we assign horses and classes that will sufficiently challenge and encourage students. Horses and classes will be determined in an effort to make the show a fun and rewarding experience for all riders! For pony assignments, you will talk directly to Kelly to know what pony your child will be using for the fun show AND who they will be sharing with.

*****Please note that all of the ponies and school horses may be shared. This is in order to be sure we are matching the rider with horse/pony that will fit their skill level. If you are planning on dressing up your horse/pony please be considerate of your partner. This also applies to tack and tack changes. We will try to schedule classes so that they are not back to back, but if you are close please help your partner switch over any tack that may be needed.**

Please fill out the following form and return with CASH OR CHECK to the Tack Shop NO LATER THAN April 28th

Student's Name: _____ Age: _____

1st Horse Choice: _____ 2nd Choice: _____ 3rd Choice: _____

Please check the classes you would like to participate in and circle WT or WTC (please discuss options w/ instructor):

<input type="checkbox"/>	Western Horsemanship Rail (WT or WTC)		\$7.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	English Flat Equitation (WT or WTC)		\$7.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	English Ground Pole Equitation (WT Only*)		\$7.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Best Dressed Pony		\$7.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Egg & Spoon (WT only*)		\$7.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ribbon Rail (WT or WTC)	Partner: _____	\$7.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ribbon Race (WT or WTC, can ride more than 1x)	Partner: _____	\$7.00(each)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Speed and Action (WT or WTC)		\$7.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	School Horse Rental Fee (if not riding own/leased horse)		\$25.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Office/Processing Fee (**required to enter**)		\$15.00

Total: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Phone#: _____

Email: _____ (info will be sent via email) Cash? _____ Check? _____ Check #: _____

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