



UTAH 4-H 
STATE HORSE SHOW

PREMIUM BOOK

Information for Exhibitors, Parents, and Guests

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The Utah 4-H State Horse Show

September 23rd – 26th, 2020

Golden Spike Event Center, in Ogden Utah (1000 North 1200 West Street)

<https://utah4h.org/projects/ag/horse/horseshow>

The Utah 4-H State Horse Show is the pinnacle event for many of the youth involved in the horse project. We are excited to be including the Utah 4-H State English Eventing Show, the State English Hunter Jumper Show, the State Working Ranch Horse Gathering, the Western Two-Handed Show, and the Western Individual show! It's going to be four full days of horse shows and we cannot wait!

Registration Fees and Other Costs	
English Eventing Show	\$30
English Hunter Jumper Show	\$30
Working Ranch Horse Gathering	\$30
Western Two-Handed Show	\$40
Western Individual	\$40
Stall Rentals	\$15
Stall Disinfecting	\$10
Extra Bedding	\$12
RV Spots Limited Hookups	\$20
RV Spots Full Hookups	\$40

COVID-19 Policy

In order to comply with the USU Risk Management policy, the following rules will be enforced during the show:

- 1) Masks must be worn inside all buildings at all times, unless you are on a horse
- 2) Masks must be worn outside when social distancing is not possible, unless you are on a horse
- 3) No outside spectators will be allowed. Only participants, their parents/household members, registered volunteers, and 4-H staff will be permitted on site.
- 4) Participants will be assigned a group of 15 to 20 exhibitors. These groups will be given warm-up times and gate calls together. There will be no congregating outside of the arena unless your group has been called. Exhibitors can find their groups in the Show Program.
- 5) All 4-H volunteers and staff should only come if they have specific assignments at the show, and they must also register.
- 6) Any participant, household members attending, registered volunteers, and 4-H staff that exhibit the symptoms outlined by the CDC should stay home. In the event of illness, refunds will be issued in accordance to USU Event Policy.
 - a. <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>
- 7) To limit gathering, there will not be a general meeting any morning of the show.
 - a. The judges' introductions, volunteer instructions, and other important information will be recorded and uploaded to YouTube for people to watch prior to the show.
 - b. The test will be administered online prior to the show.
 - c. *These resources will be available on the Utah 4-H Event App*

Who can attend?

Both English shows, the Working Ranch Horse Gathering, and Western Two-Handed shows are open to the state meaning any youth who is interested in attending and has been signed up in their county may come and participate.

The Western Individual show is a pre-qualifying show. Each county is assigned a number of slots based on past participation and program size. Counties are allowed to send up to the number of slots they are given, but may send less at their discretion. County slots for 2020 are found on the website and are the same as the 2018 and 2019 show. It is the responsibility of the county to let participants know if they have qualified and are invited to participate in the Western Individual show. Likewise, it is the participant's responsibility to make sure they are supposed to register for this show. **We cannot guarantee refunds to participants that register incorrectly.**

Biosecurity Policy

Utah 4-H has put in place a strict biosecurity policy to ensure the safety and health of your horses. There have been many current outbreaks of potentially fatal diseases going around the United States, and Utah State University is taking active measures to promote equine health. This policy is in effect for all Utah 4-H State Events. It is recommended for county and region level show, especially shows that span over 2 days. If you are unfamiliar with the policy, please reach out to county or state staff to ensure you are prepared.

The most important thing to remember is that we will be requiring vaccinations, a 7-day veterinarian inspection that includes a temperature, and a 3-day temp check done at home. You will be asked to verify that your horse has been vaccinated according to the policy during registration. Before unloading at the show you will need to show the attendant your veterinarian inspection and the temperatures of your horse. This does NOT need to be an official CVI! A sample form is included in the appendix of this

guide. Multiple horses can be on this form, but each trailer hauling horses should have a copy with them that includes the horses they are bringing in.

To further promote biosecurity, the State Horse Ambassadors will be disinfecting stalls prior to any horses arriving. You can sign up for this service during registration.

You can find the full policy on the website here:

<https://utah4h.org/files/Projects/agriculture/Horse/Western/BiosecurityStateHorseEventPolicy.pdf>

REGISTRATION

The biggest change to our horse show registration is that we will not be using 4-H Online. Please be aware that this will be the ONLY 4-H event that will be using an alternative platform for registering for 4-H events. This new platform will allow us to by-pass reenrolling in 4-H as everyone's 4-H status will be turned to inactive on September 1st. Thank you for being understanding and patient as we try to come up with the best solution for all of our participants. **Registration will be close September 13th at 11:59 p.m. We can NOT accept late entries! No exceptions!**

RegFox

The program we have decided to use is called RegFox and is much like Eventbrite if you are familiar. RegFox will be able to capture all of the information we need to run the show. Each family may pay by card or may select to mail a check to their county office. If you choose to pay the county office, be aware that your registration may be delayed. For this reason, do not wait until the deadline to register!

Multiple Exhibitors

For families registering multiple participants, you may register everyone on one form. You will complete the registration for the first exhibitor, and prior to filling out your payment information, you can select "add registrant". This will open up an additional form.

See the Stalls for information on requesting stalls for multiple exhibitors.

Biosecurity

You will need to verify that your horse has been vaccinated. By checking this box you are certifying that you understand the biosecurity policy. Please arrive to the show prepared with your veterinarian inspection form and temperature checks done at home.

Medical Professionals

Included in registration is an option to select if the exhibitor's parent is a medical professional and is willing to be "on call" during the events. If you select this option, we will contact you with further information. We are looking for enough individuals to be at each arena each day. Your phone number will be listed on the gatekeeper's clipboard in the event of an accident.

COVID-19

As part of registration, you will need to verify that you have read and understand the policy and procedures in place to comply with COVID-19 protocol from USU. This protocol is found at the beginning of this book.

Portfolio Submission

We are excited to be including a portfolio contest at this year's show! Any participant of any show may enter the contest. Any youth that turns in an acceptable portfolio (receiving 60 points or above) will receive one extra point in their overall horse show score. Portfolios must be turned in online by September 13th as part of registration. Awards will also be given for top portfolios, but those points will not count toward to show's overall score.

<https://utah4h.org/projects/leadership/portfolio/>

Horse Show Registration

Each show is labeled as a "session" in the registration portal. Select the shows you are going to be attending. Remember that the Western Individual Show is pre-qualifying. Contact your county office or county horse council to see if you have qualified. We cannot guarantee refunds for individuals that register incorrectly. **We will do our best to accommodate youth participating in multiple shows Wednesday, September 23rd.**

Stalls

Each stall rental will be \$15 per night. Stalls come bedded. Additional bedding may be purchased on site for \$12 or exhibitors may bring in their own. Please select the number of stalls you need per day, including a tack stall (which may be limited). To add stalls, you simply click the “ADD” button. It is the sole responsibility of the exhibitor to bring additional matts, fans, tarps, etc. if their horse has special needs.

When selecting stalls for multiple exhibitors, it is best to register stalls for each registrant. If you need stalls for Billy and Sally, you would register Billy’s stalls under Billy’s profile, and then register Sally’s stalls when you register Sally. This is easier than giving two stalls to Billy.

Stall Disinfecting

The Utah 4-H State Horse Ambassadors will be disinfecting stalls as a fundraiser. Disinfecting your stall prior to arrival will be \$10 per stall. Select the total number of stalls you would like to be disinfected.

RV Spots

We will be grouping RV spots together by county and will do our best to put your RV nearest your county’s assigned stalls.

RV Spots with limited hookups (power only) are \$20 a night. RV Spots with full hookups (power and water) are \$40 a night.

To reserve your RV Spot you must select the type of RV spot you need (\$5.00) and then select the package to reserve the spot for the duration of your stay (\$20 - \$40 a night). For example, if you need an RV Spot with limited hookups (power only) for two nights, you would add one “RV Limited Hookups – Power Only” to your cart, and then select the package for “Limited Hookups TWO NIGHTS”.

Billing and Payment Information

Remember you can register multiple exhibitors at the same time.

We do not have coupons for the show. **If your county offers fee waivers, you should select “pay by check or cash” and send your check to the county office.** We will bill the county for your registration.

Your registration is not complete until payment has been received, so don't wait until the deadline!

CHANGES TO THE TEST

To better accommodate social distancing and sanitization needs, the test for all shows will be online. All tests will be open book, timed, and will need to be submitted prior to the show. Youth will take one test for the Western Discipline Shows and one test for the English Discipline shows. The Western test score will count for the Working Ranch, Two-Handed, and Individual Horse Shows. The English test score will count for the Eventing and Hunter Shows.

The test is required in order to compete. A tie breaker test will be administered Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings in the Exhibit Hall. Youth who need to take the tie breaker test will be notified at check-in.

Links to the test will be sent via email and uploaded to the Utah 4-H Events App. If you have trouble accessing the test, you should let someone know right away.

The test will be open Friday, September 18th at 8 a.m. and will close Monday, September 21st at 5:00 p.m.

CHECK-IN PROCEDURE

Before unloading, you must go through one of the scheduled check-in times, or make an appointment. Horses that unload or stall before the proper check-in procedure will be subject to disqualification. A map with the route for check-in is found on the website and at the end of this book.

2020 Check-In Schedule

Wednesday: 7:00 a.m. - 8:50 a.m., 11 a.m. - 1:50 p.m.; 4:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., or by appointment

Thursday: 6:30 a.m. – 7:50 a.m., 4:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m., or by appointment

Friday: 5:30 a.m. – 7:50 a.m.

Saturday: Re-entry 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

If you need to make arrangements for a different check-in time, you **MUST** let Jessie Hadfield (jessie.hadfield@usu.edu) know before check-in time is over. We understand that flat tires, bad hair days, road construction, and life in general can delay us and we will do whatever we can to get you checked in smoothly and quickly whenever you arrive. Just let us know when your travel plans change.

You will be stopped at the first check point and asked to produce the following information:

- Veterinarian Inspection - a Health Certificate/Form for *each horse in the trailer* will be reviewed and checked off. The temperature for each horse (taken at time of veterinarian inspection) must be written by the horse's name. A copy is fine! A formal CVI is not needed except for horses coming from counties with known cases of contagious diseases. An example form is included in the appendix of this book.
- Daily temp checks – you will be asked to verify that each horse in the trailer was temped and was within the appropriate range (less than 101.5) for 3 days leading up to the event, including that morning. These temperatures should be written down and easily accessible for each horse in the trailer.

If you cannot complete both steps, you will be asked to wait in a holding area until a veterinarian can come and provide a health inspection and temperature *at the exhibitor's expense*. This is obviously not going to be very fun, so please come prepared.

After your horses are checked in, you will be able to continue the registration process, pick up your packets with patterns and show information, and get your stall assignment. **There will be no switching stalls.** If your horse has special needs, it is *your responsibility* to come prepared with stall mats, tarps, fans, dividers, etc.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

This schedule is tentative and subject to change.

Wednesday, September 23rd

Time	Event	Description
7:00 a.m.- 8:50 a.m.,	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for English and Working Ranch Horse Show participants
9:00 a.m.	State Working Ranch Horse Gathering	Events include test, heading, heeling, ranch sorting, and working ranch horse pattern
9:00 a.m.	State 4-H Eventing Show	Events include test, dressage, cross country and stadium jumping
11:00 a.m. – 1:50 p.m.	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for English Hunter Jumper Show participants
2:00 p.m.	State 4-H Hunter Show	Events include test, hunt seat equitation, equitation over fences and hunter hack
4:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for Western Horse Show participants

Thursday, September 24th

Time	Event	Description
6:30 a.m. – 7:50 a.m.	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for Western Horse Show participants
8:00 a.m.	State 4-H Two-Handed Show	Events include test, showmanship, western pleasure, western trail, and western equitation
4:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for Western Horse Show participants
7:00 p.m.	GooseChase Activity Begins	Virtual activity hosted by the 2020 State Horse Ambassadors – all youth are invited to play!

Friday, September 25th

Time	Event	Description
5:30 a.m. – 7:50 a.m.	Check-in	Gates are open for check-in for Western Horse Show participants
8:00 a.m.	State 4-H Western Show	Events include test, showmanship, western horsemanship, and ranch riding

Saturday, September 26th

Time	Event	Description
8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	Re-entry	Gates are open for re-entry to the Western Horse Show.
9:00 a.m.	State 4-H Western Horse Show	Events include poles, key-hole, and barrels (<i>rider order will not change</i>)
TBA	Western Horse Show Awards	Awards presentation for all Western 4-H Participants, Graduating Senior Recognition; will follow at least 1 hour after scores have been posted

Contacts:

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Jessie Hadfield – Utah 4-H Western Horse Programs

Jenna Aldrich – Davis County Extension, Barn Supervisor and Safety Officer

Karl Hoopes – Equine Specialist, Safety Officer

Judge's Evaluations

We encourage all participants, parents, volunteers, and 4-H staff to submit evaluations on our judges. This is the best way for us to provide constructive feedback.

Use the following link:

https://usu.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_71btSjBebtirtR3

Rule Proposals and Horse Council Applications

Rule change proposals are due September 1st! We welcome all suggestions and proposals to help make our program better. The Utah 4-H Western Horse Council will review all of the proposals, and will prepare suitable proposals to be voted on during the general meeting. This meeting will be held in person and online at the Horse and Livestock Symposium held October 15th – 17th in Logan.

To Submit a Rule Change Proposal:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSejmqhdxBFhIDrrE5K_BuhYyV_XRWlhYwsslOt4czyV_TXv1_A/viewform?usp=sf_link

Horse Council Applications are due September 13th!

Any volunteer or community member interested in serving on the Utah 4-H Horse Council (referred to as the Horse Council) may apply. The purpose of the Horse Council is to promote an all-around horse program with emphasis on keeping youth involved in 4-H, to serve as an executive decision making body, and to organize and support state-wide activities to promote care and training of horses and to aid in improving skills related to horses and horsemanship. This is not a light task, but is certainly rewarding. The State 4-H Office relies heavily on the Horse Council to provide insight and direction from a county perspective and to help promote and implement educational activities.

Applications are due on or before 11:59 p.m. on September 13th, 2020.

For the 2020 – 2022 term (beginning January 2021 and ending December 31, 2022), the following positions are up for election: President, 2nd Vice President, Treasurer, and Assistant Judge-at-Large

Horse Council Applications:

<https://utah4h.org/files/Projects/agriculture/Horse/Horse-Council-2020Application.pdf>

Horse Council Roles and Responsibilities:

https://utah4h.org/files/Projects/agriculture/Horse/Western/UtahHorseCouncilBy-laws_adoptedSeptember2018.pdf

APPENDIX

Utah 4-H State Horse Show

Health Check - Veterinarian Approval

Exhibitor Name	County	Horse's Name	Temperature

By signing and dating below, I certify that I have examined these animals and have found them to be free of contagious diseases.

Date _____ Veterinarian Signature _____

Veterinarian Clinic _____ City, State _____

Veterinarian Phone _____