



COWBOY MOUNTED SHOOTERS

August 31, 2018 @ 5:00 pm

Location: Thompson Foods Open Air Arena

September 1, 2018 @ 8:00 am

Location: Thompson Foods 4H Arena

EVENT DETAILS:

For more information call Joe Sekutera at 308-383-0950

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Nebraska State Fair [EQUINE INFORMATION, RULES AND REGULATIONS](#) document contains all of the information concerning exhibiting at the 2016 Nebraska State Fair. Please refer to this document in regards to parking, tickets, stalls, general rules & regulations, schedules and the all-important [EQUINE & EQUINE EVENT LIVESTOCK HEALTH REQUIREMENTS](#). All horses entering the fairgrounds must meet the health requirements. Before coming to the State Fair, refer to the website www.statefair.org for any updates to these requirements as well as the rules & regulations. For questions regarding Health Requirements, please contact Dr. Steve Krull, State Fair Veterinarian at 308-367-6754.

PARKING

Parking inside the fairgrounds requires a permit to enter. This permit must be purchased at the Equine Check-In Trailer and is for the sole use of the exhibitor. All vehicles must have an exhibitor parking permit affixed to the driver's side on the front windshield. Parking permits are \$15.00 for exhibitors and are good for the entire run of the fair. All trucks and trailers will be required to park in designated areas. Fair Management assumes no obligation or liability for any theft or damage that may occur to the vehicle or its contents.

ADMISSION FEES

Exhibitor Tickets:	\$5.00 per day
Exhibitor Badge:	\$25.00
Parking Permit:	\$15.00

DOGS

Due to requirements of the liability insurance carrier and policy of all major livestock shows, NO dogs are allowed on the Nebraska State Fairgrounds, in parking lots or in buildings other than those for direct competition or service animals. All dogs must be on a leash. There shall be no loose or unattended dogs on the fairgrounds. No dogs will be permitted in the animal barns, in tie outs or on the Midway, except during authorized events and sanctioned dog shows. Dogs entered in Nebraska State Fair special performances or competitive events will be allowed on grounds or in buildings during performance or competition only.

FEED AND BEDDING

All feed and bedding needs will be handled by Mid Nebraska Feeds, which is the local Purina dealer. Hay, bedding and/or feed will be available. You may contact them at 308-382-3048.

What is the Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association (CMSA)? It is the fastest growing equine sport in the world. Cowboy Mounted Shooting is a team sport between you and your horse with many different levels so that ages 6 to 90 can compete and enjoy the sport. CMSA is a family oriented sport; it is not uncommon to see entire families competing at an event and having fun.

We shoot single action .45 caliber revolvers. Each pistol is loaded with 5 rounds. The ammunition is manufactured specifically for Cowboy Mounted Shooting. They are blanks with black powder used to pop the balloon or target. Courses of fire are set in a variety of patterns. The first half (5 targets) of a course will vary with each go. Once the rider shoots the first five, he/she holsters and draws their second pistol and shoots the second half (5 targets), called the "Run Down", which is usually a straight shot to the finish line.

Typically, a competitor crosses the timing beam at a full gallop. Scoring is based on elapsed time plus any penalties or procedural failures within the run. Penalties of five points each include knocking over a barrel, missed target, or dropped gun. Procedural failures are failure to follow the course of fire, which is a 10 second penalty.

These courses of fire normally take a contestant between 15 to 30 seconds, depending on the course. The fastest overall time wins.

This fast-paced sport captivates the public with the excitement of fast horses and even faster shooting. Nebraska Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association (NECMSA) has a strong focus on drawing large numbers of competitors from beginners to the highest level shooters, as well as providing family-friendly entertainment to the local community.

To find out more about us, check out on Facebook, Nebraska Cowboy Mounted Shooting Association. To find out more about our sport, check out www.cmsaevents.com.

Welcome to the Nebraska State Fair!