

Arrival, Show, Release Schedule

2017 Ozark Empire Fair Livestock Department

EQUINE	Must be in place	Show	Show	Earliest Release
Draft Horses	5 p.m., Thurs., July 27	Hitch - 7 p.m., Fri., July 28 Arena	Halter - 8:30 a.m., Sat., July 29 Wells Arena Hitch - 7 p.m., Sat., July 29 Arena	Following Show Sat., July 29
Draft Ponies	8 p.m., Thurs., Aug. 3	Halter - 10 a.m., Fri., Aug. 4 Wells Hitch - 7 p.m., Fri., Aug. 4 Arena	Hitch - 7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 5 Arena	Following Show Sat., Aug. 5
Miniature Mules	8 p.m., Thurs., Aug. 3	Hitch - 7 p.m., Fri., Aug. 4 Arena	Halter - 10 a.m., Sat., Aug. 5 Wells Hitch - 7 p.m., Sat., Aug. 5 Arena	Following Show Sat., Aug. 5
Miniature Donkeys	4 p.m., Mon., July 31	Halter - 6:30 p.m., Mon. July 31 Noel Boyd Youth Livestock Facility	Performance/Hitch - 8 a.m., Tues., Aug. 1 Arena	Following Show Tues., Aug. 1
GOATS	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Boer Goats	Noon, Sun., July 30	5 p.m., Sun., July 30 Barn 3	8 a.m., Mon., July 31 Barn 3	5 p.m., Mon., July 31
Dairy Goats	11 a.m., Fri., Aug. 4	1 p.m., Fri., Aug. 4 Barn 3	4 p.m., Fri., Aug. 4 Jr. Does 9 a.m., Sat., Aug. 5 Sr. Does	6 p.m., Sat., Aug. 5
Wether Meat Goats	11 a.m., Thur., July 20	11:30 a.m., Fri., July 21 Barn 3 **	**MUST SUBMIT DNA BY MAY 15 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW	Following awards, Sat., July 22
POULTRY	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Junior Poultry	10 a.m., Fri., Aug. 4	1 p.m., Fri., Aug 4 Darr & Wheeler Metals Ag Facility		8 p.m., Sat., Aug. 5
Open Poultry	8 a.m., Sat. Aug 5		9 a.m., Sat., Aug. 5 Darr & Wheeler Metals Ag Facility	8 p.m., Sat., Aug. 5
Market Broilers	8 a.m. Thurs., July 20	Show following weigh-in Thurs., July 20**	**MUST ORDER BROILERS FROM OEF BY MAY 15	Following show Thurs., July 20
RABBITS	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
All Rabbits	10 a.m., Fri., July 28	9 a.m., Sat., July 29 Darr & Wheeler Metals Ag Facility	Following Jr. Show, Sat., July 29	6:30 p.m., Sun., July 30
SHEEP	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Breeding Stock	Noon, Thurs., July 27	8 a.m., Fri., July 28 Barn 3	2 p.m., Fri., July 28 Barn 3 8 a.m., Sat., July 29 Barn 3	4 p.m., Sat., July 29
Leadline		Fri., July 29 Barn 3 (in b/w breeds)		
Market Lambs	11 a.m., Thur., July 20	2:30 p.m., Fri., July 21 Barn 3 **	**MUST SUBMIT DNA BY MAY 15 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW	Following awards, Sat., July 22
Wether Dam Ewes	11 a.m., Thur., July 20	2 p.m., Fri., July 21 Barn 3		Following awards, Sat., July 22
SWINE	Must be in place	Junior Show	Open Show	Earliest Release
Breeding Stock	Noon, Tues., Aug. 1	8 a.m. Weds., Aug. 2 Barn 3	8 a.m. Thurs., Aug. 3 Barn 3	6 p.m. Thurs., Aug. 3
Open Market Barrows	9 a.m., Tues, Aug. 1		Following Open Breeding Stock, Thurs., Aug. 3 Barn 3	6 p.m. Thurs., Aug. 3
Junior Market Hogs	9 a.m., Tues, Aug. 1	Following Jr. Breeding Stock., Wed., Aug. 2 Barn 3		6 p.m. Thurs., Aug. 3
Country Cured Hams	10 a.m. Thurs., July 20 FFA Building	Judging following Check-In		Following the conclusion of judging
Market Barrows	11 a.m., Thur., July 20	6 p.m., Fri., July 21 Barn 3 **	**MUST SUBMIT DNA BY MAY 15 TO BE ELIGIBLE TO SHOW	Following awards, Sat., July 22
STOCK DOGS			5 p.m., Sun., July 30 Arena	

ENTRY DEADLINE: JUNE 15

EQUINE

RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- Exhibitors entering this division should familiarize themselves with the **General Rules and Regulations and the Livestock Entry Rules** before completing entry form. Entry forms are available on the Ozark Empire Fair website www.ozarkempirefair.com or at the Ozark Empire Fair Office. Entry forms may be photocopied. Entry may also be made online at www.ozarkempirefair.com.
- Entries close **June 15**, and those mailed must be postmarked no later than midnight of this date. Late entries may be accepted through June 25. Entries postmarked after midnight June 15 and through midnight June 25 must be accompanied by the penalty fee of \$25 per head in addition to regular stall and admission fees.
- Every entry must be made in the name of the bona fide owner.
- FEES:** Entry fee is \$25 per head. Mare and foal count as two animals. No more than two animals per stall. Tack/feed stalls (if available) are \$25 each.
- Stalls will be designated only by the division superintendent.
- The management reserves the right to cancel any class in any section and to make substitution in case a class does not fill satisfactorily.
- See Livestock Entry Rules for health regulations. Please check with your veterinarian or Missouri Department of Agriculture regarding any changes in Equine Health Regulations that may have been updated.**
- Minimum requirements for competition:
 - No champions will be named unless there is competition.
 - To remain listed in the Exhibitor Handbook, a minimum of 25 head must be shown in each section.
- Age of horses, ponies, mules and foals will be figured from January 1. All foals will be considered as one year old on the first of January succeeding birth. Age of donkeys is actual birth date.
- When on exhibition, each animal must be under bridle or halter, and in the charge of owner or an employee. All stallions two years and older must have a bit in mouth at all times.
- The show pattern will be outlined to exhibitors prior to the show by the superintendent.
- Youth Cart Classes: Driver must meet age requirements as specified and be accompanied by an adult. **PLEASE LIST DRIVER'S NAME ON ENTRY BLANK.**
- Feed boxes must be provided by the exhibitor.
- Appropriate dress must be worn while showing. Superintendent may institute a dress code and enforce it at his/her discretion.
- Show order may be changed at the discretion of the superintendent. Announcements regarding show schedule will supersede printed schedule.

DIVISION 5 - DRAFT PONIES

Draft Pony Halter Classes: 10:00 a.m., Friday, Aug. 4 | Wells Arena

Draft Pony Cart Classes: 7 p.m., Friday, Aug. 4 | Arena

Draft Pony Hitch Classes: 7 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 5 | Arena

ARRIVAL: Draft Ponies will be allowed on the grounds at 8 a.m., Thursday, August 3 and must be in place by 8 p.m.

RELEASE: Draft Ponies will be released following the show on Saturday, August 5.

- Classes are open to grade animals unless designated as Registered.
- Birthdate, animal name and registration number (if registered animal) must be submitted on the entry form for all entries or entry will not be accepted.** Only those animals with proper registration will be allowed in registered classes. Registration number will not be required for current year registered foals, however, birthdate and name must be submitted on entry form and animal should be designated as "registered".
- Any animal that is not being controlled by driver or handler at any time, in or out of the show ring, may be confined to stall at discretion of fair staff.
- Farm Hitch Class: No Driver or team may be in any other two-pony hitch. Ponies may be hitched to any farm implement or wagon except mowing machines or sulky rakes. Obstacle class will not be considered to be two-pony hitch. Harness, shoes, manes and tails will not be a factor in judging of farm hitch class.
- Ride-A-Pony will be conducted as follows: drive in a single pony in two-wheel cart. Line-up, dismount, un-hitch and un-harness. Ride pony bareback to the designated spot. This is a timed and judged event. Detailed information will be provided by superintendent prior to show..
- Youth Cart Class is open to youth under 16 years of age as of July 1, 2017. Youth driver must have adult co-driver riding with them.
- Those who participate in the women's cart class or youth cart class are not eligible to compete in the open cart class.

Prize Money Offered	1st	2nd	3rd
Halter classes	\$30	\$20	\$15
Hitch classes:			
Six pony hitch	\$90	\$75	\$50
Four pony hitch.....	\$90	\$75	\$50
Unicorn hitch	\$90	\$75	\$50
Two pony hitch	\$90	\$75	\$50
Reg Haf1 Mare (434,441)	\$65	\$40	\$20
Light Harness.....	\$90	\$75	\$50
Farm hitch.....	\$90	\$75	\$50
Adult cart.....	\$65	\$50	\$40
Obstacle/Ride-A-Pony.....	\$15	\$10	\$5

HALTER CLASSES

- Foal, registered horse
- Foal, registered filly
- Foal, grade horse
- 504** Foal, grade filly
- 505** Registered Mare, 1 & 2 yrs.
- 506** Registered Mare, 3 & 4
- Registered Mare, 5 and over
- 508 Grand Champion Registered Mare**
- 509 Reserve Grand Champion Registered Mare**
- 510** Grade Mare, 1 & 2 yrs.
- 511** Grade Mare, 3 & 4
- 512** Grade Mare, 5 and over
- 513 Grand Champion Grade Mare**
- 514 Reserve Grand Champion Grade Mare**
- Mare and 2017 foal (no mules)
- Brood Mare (Reg or Grade)
- Pair of mares (Reg or Grade)
- Registered Stallion, 1 & 2 yrs. (Haf1inger)
- Registered Stallion, 3 & over (Haf1inger)
- 520 Grand Champion Registered Stallion**
- 521 Reserve Champion Registered Stallion**

- Gelding, 4 yr & under
- Gelding, 5 yr & over
- 524 Grand Champion Gelding**
- 525 Reserve Grand Champion Gelding**
- Pair of Geldings
- Produce of Dam (2 animals, any sex or age)
- Get-of-Sire (3 animals, any sex or age)
- Breeders Herd (Stallion and Three (3) Mares)
- Junior Showmanship Draft Ponies or Mini Mules, 12 yrs. & under
- Senior Showmanship Draft Ponies or Mini Mules, 13 to 18 years
- HITCH CLASSES:** Classes will be considered Open unless designated Registered Only. Grade Draft Ponies must meet height requirements. **Classes with less than 3 exhibitors may be scratched.** Final show schedule will be posted prior to show.
- Pony Under Saddle
- Two-pony hitch
- Two-pony hitch - Registered mares only
- Two-pony hitch - Women drivers
- Light Harness-Spring wagon or surrey type buggy; single or double hitch, buggy type harness. (Combined with Farm Hitch if less than 3 entries.)
- Four-pony hitch
- Unicorn hitch
- Six-pony hitch
- Open cart class
- Cart class - Registered mares only
- Women's cart class *
- Youth cart class * - Open to youth under 16 yrs., as of July 1, 2017.
(Youth driver must have adult co-driver riding with them.)
- OBSTACLE COURSE CLASSES:**
- Ride-A-Pony
- ** Single pony obstacle course
- ** Team obstacle course
- Farm Hitch, single or double (see rule 4), Combined with mules
** A team/horse can run obstacle course one time only.

Draft Ponies & Miniature Mules Show Schedule

Friday | August 4, 2017

Draft Pony Halter 10:00 a.m. Wells Arena

Hitch Classes 7:00 p.m. Arena

- 624 Two-mule Hitch, under 48"
- 532 Pony Under Saddle
- 625 Two-mule Hitch, 48-56"
- 540 Open Cart Class
- 626 Two-mule Hitch: either size, women drivers
- 541 Cart Class, registered mares only
- 627 Unicorn Hitch
- 542 Women's Cart Class
- 628 Four Mule Hitch
- 543 Youth Cart Class
- 544 Ride-A-Pony
- 629 Six-mule Hitch

Class Numbers
500's - Draft Ponies
600's - Miniature Mules

Saturday | August 5, 2017

Miniature Mule Halter 10:00 a.m. Wells Arena

Hitch Classes 7:00 p.m. Arena

- 533 Two-pony Hitch
- 623 Open Mule Cart Class
- 534 Two-pony Hitch, registered mares only
- 535 Two-pony Hitch, women drivers
- 622 Youth Cart (11-16 yrs)
- 538 Unicorn Hitch
- 536 Light Harness - Spring Wagon
- 537 Four-pony Hitch
- 622 Youth Cart (10 & Under)
- 547 Farm Hitch, Mules and Ponies combined
- 539 Six-pony Hitch
- 545 Single Pony Obstacle Course
- 630 Single Mule Obstacle Course
- 546 Team Obstacle Course
- 631 Team Obstacle Course

Use a separate entry form for each Division

OZARK EMPIRE FAIR

3001 N. Grant, Springfield, MO 65803

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One Exhibitor ONLY per entry blank.

EQUINE

Draft Horses, per head ___ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

Draft Ponies, per head ___ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

Miniature Mules, per head ___ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

Miniature Donkeys, per head ___ @ \$27.00 \$ _____

Tack/Feed Stall (if available) ___ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

Late fee, per head ___ @ \$25.00 \$ _____

Exhibitor Name _____

Farm Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone (____) _____ Birthdate _____
(if under 21)

e-mail address _____

Social Security Number (Federal ID) _____

Entry will not be accepted without this number.

No Entries Accepted Unless All Information is Complete, Accompanied by Proper Fees and Signed Below.

TICKETS - Equine - Pre-Order your tickets and parking passes!

****Orders made at time of entry will be mailed before the fair.****

****On site sales will close at noon on Friday, July 28.****

Each livestock exhibitor will be given, at no charge, an admission ticket for everyday you are exhibiting animals on the grounds.

Adult Single Admission Tickets ___ @ \$ 5.00 \$ _____

Child Single Admission Tickets ___ @ \$ 2.00 \$ _____

6-Day Parking Pass (vehicle only) ___ @ \$20.00 \$ _____

10-Day Parking Pass (vehicle only) ___ @ \$30.00 \$ _____

Please accept the following entries subject to rules and classifications governing exhibits as presented on the Ozark Empire Fair website for the current year. I hereby release the Ozark Empire Fair from any liability from loss, damage or injury to person, livestock or other property, while said property is on Fairgrounds. I have read all livestock entry rules and agree to abide by them as published.

Exhibitor Signature _____

Entry will not be accepted without signature.

Date _____ County _____

CAMPGROUNDS - Equine

Camping fee includes same day admission. If you leave the grounds, you must obtain a handstamp for same day return. If you leave the grounds and come in the next day, a ticket will be required. Parking pass is always required to enter the grounds.

In Date _____ Out Date _____

Total Nights ___ @ \$40 (30 amp)

Size of camping unit _____

EQUINE

_____ Draft Horses

Breed _____ ___ Draft Ponies

Number of head _____ ___ Miniature Mules

Number of stalls requested _____ ___ Miniature Donkeys

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

___ MasterCard ___ Visa Exp. Date ___/___

Number _____

3 or 4 Digit Security Number from Back of Card _____

Signature _____

Print Signature Name _____

TOTAL CHARGED \$ _____

For Office Use Only

Date _____

Deposit # _____

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Entered by _____

**List
Animals
On
Back**

EXHIBITOR NAME _____ Breed _____
(please print)

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