

# 2021 CLACKAMAS COUNTY 4-H VIRTUAL HORSE PREFAIR



## Steps to enter:

1. Review this guide and the list of classes with your leader. Make notes about what you will enter this year and look up any information you need in advance
2. Fill out the Horse Fair Entry Form online (<https://forms.gle/qLxQF1wBEYmnqUup6>).
3. Mail payment (\$3 per class or \$10 for 4-5 classes).
4. Make your videos any time during April. Upload them by April 30.

For questions about fair classes contact the event chair or the superintendent, Shirley Byrne, at [haneysfullranch@gmail.com](mailto:haneysfullranch@gmail.com). For help with the online form, contact [kelly.redwine@oregonstate.edu](mailto:kelly.redwine@oregonstate.edu).

## Entry Form

Complete the online entry form: <https://forms.gle/qLxQF1wBEYmnqUup6>

The first section asks for information about the member and club.

- Email address (required)
- Exhibitor # (the four-digit exhibitor number assigned by the Extension office – please include the zeros at the beginning of the number)
- Member's Name (First and Last name, please)
- Member (of Family) Phone #
- Club
- Leader's Name to contact with questions (First and Last name, please)
- Is this your first year ever in Horse 4-H? Choose one
- Age Division and 4-H age (as of 9/1/19)
- Horse's Name
- Accommodations (box you can type in)

Choose your classes. All members must enter Showmanship. You can enter one of each seat of Equitation. You can enter one Trail class.

- Showmanship
- Hunt Seat Walk/Trot
- Hunt Seat Equitation
- Saddle Seat Walk/Trot
- Saddle Seat Equitation
- Western Walk/Trot
- Western Equitation
- Bareback Equitation Walk/Trot
- Bareback Equitation
- In Hand Trail (not state qualifying)
- Trail Walk/Trot
- Trail

## Payment

The cost is \$3 per class, or \$10 for 4 or 5 classes. Checks should be made out to Clackamas County 4-H Horse Advisory. Include the member's name on the check memo or a printout of the registration confirmation. Mail check to:

Clackamas County Horse Advisory  
c/o Jaime Hudson  
713 N 1st St  
Woodburn, OR 97071


## Making and Uploading Video Patterns

After registering, you will receive a link to upload videos. You will upload videos of you and your horse doing each pattern. Videos will be judged and you will receive a score and a ribbon. We are using the same patterns and recording instructions that were used at the 2020 Clackamas County Virtual Horse Fair.

Patterns are listed under "2020 Horse Fair" at: <https://extension.oregonstate.edu/4h/clackamas/horse-project>

Video Instructions:

1. Any personal cell phone, tablet or video camera may be used to film patterns.
2. Make sure your lens on your chosen camera is clean and your battery is fully charged.
3. Practice your videographers' skills prior to filming "the one". This will help you find that tree or arena post that is going to block the Judges view of 4-H member. It will also acclimate the horse to having you in whatever spot you choose and make pattern filming day go better.
4. Find a relatively quiet space to film your patterns. It can be in a flat field, outdoor area, driveway, indoor arena or any place safe and suitable for the discipline you are filming. Remember that safety is our number one objective, for camera person and horse and rider.
5. Try to film during the brightest part of the day if filming outside with the sun behind the camera person. If filming inside, make sure you are positioned so that the rider is not a silhouette against a bright outside view. Use the best lighting possible so the Judges get the best video quality possible.
6. If you are unable to find a suitable location to film try local riding stables and barns. The Canby Event Center allows haul-in riding also.
7. Videos must be one take, no editing or splicing together.
8. If possible, use a tripod, table, fence, or something to steady your camera. Try to move your feet as little as possible but "follow" the horse and rider with the camera to give the Judges the best video possible.
9. Always keep the horse and 4-H member in the screen, follow them around the arena with the camera as they do their pattern. Do not zoom in and out. The Judge is going to want to have a good view of the entire horse and rider as they navigate their patterns. Include any obstacles or arena markers/dressage letters in your video frame.
10. Take the video in the horizontal format, i.e., hold your phone sideways.

11. Please look closely at the patterns. They all have this icon  which is the camera person's position for the video to be taken from. This location is also the assumed Judges location if they were in a traditional class. This is to ensure that the Judges get the same perspective of every rider.
12. Sound must be on. Do not allow anyone to talk or coach the 4-H member while filming the video. It is understood that there will be ambient noise and we want that; it proves that member was not coached.
13. All Oregon 4-H rules/Clackamas County Horse 4-H rules/Contest Guide will be used just as if we were at the Canby Event Center having our PreFair.
14. Horses and 4-H members must be fitted as for show, easily readable numbers appropriately placed on members back (made with sturdy paper and a dark pen), helmets, show clothes, groomed horse, clean tack and boots.
15. All members must submit a Showmanship video to be eligible to participate in riding classes.
16. For Trail classes, all divisions, **pick 6** of the obstacles to include in your video. Set up all six obstacles at the same time in the same area so you can do them one right after the other with one video.
17. Use this script to identify the 4-H member at the beginning of each video. The camera person must state this important identifying information before the pattern begins so it is included on the submitted video:  
Rider # \_\_\_\_\_  
Age division \_\_\_\_\_ (JR/INT/SR)  
Club Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Class Name \_\_\_\_\_ (can be found at the top of the pattern)
  - For Trail, announce the number of the obstacles that you will be attempting and their order (example: Obstacles 1, 4, 5, 7, 10, and 2)
  - If doing In Hand Trail, make sure to specify if it is a performance, driving or ground training project horse.
18. There is no requirement that you submit the first try but remember that it usually does not get better after multiple tries. We understand that most of you are not professional photographers or videographers.
19. For any general Virtual PreFair questions, please call our Fair Superintendent Shirley Byrne 503-545-4153. Individual event coordinators numbers are printed on the patterns if you have any pattern related questions. Only the coordinators listed on the patterns will answer any questions regarding the patterns so everyone gets the same information.



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