

September 6, 2024

Memorandum

TO: District 7 County Extension Agents - AG, 4-H

SUBJECT: 2025 District 7 4-H Horse Show

EVENT DATE: **Tuesday, June 10th, 2025**
Both Speed & Judged Events

LOCATION: Spur Arena
San Angelo, Texas
200 West 43rd Street, San Angelo, TX 76903

ENTRY DEADLINE: 4-H Online (Opens May 5th - May 19th)

- Registration and payment online via 4-H Online must be completed by May 19th, 2025.

Any entries made after the closing date of 4-H Online will incur a \$50 late fee in addition to the original contest fee.

(Pending late entry is approved based on timeline needed for contest preparation)

Please find the Guidelines, Rules and Regulations for this event on the following pages. Please contact the District 7 Office if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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DISTRICT 7 4-H HORSE SHOW GUIDELINES, RULES AND REGULATIONS

AGE REQUIREMENTS

The following contestant ages are as of August 31, 2024:

- Age 8 and in the 3rd grade to the 12th grade (Maximum age- 18 as of August 31st)

AGE DIVISIONS

- 3rd – 8th grade: Juniors
- 8th-12th grade: Seniors

DISTRICT ENTRY FEES

- Qualifying Events \$15.00 per class
- Open/Invitational Events \$15 .00 per class

STALLING, BEDDING, TRAILER HOOKUPS

The following items are available at the San Angelo Fair Grounds. Participants will be responsible for getting these items the day of the show or you may call the Stock Show Office 325-653-7785 for more information. We will NOT collect in advance for these fees.

- Horse Stalls \$20.00 per stall – Required for stalling a horse for any length of time
- Bedding \$ 10.00 per bag
- Trailer Hookups \$30.00 per day for 30 amp hook up/ \$30 per day for 50 amp hook up (limited number)

RULES

The District 7 Horse Show will be conducted according to the official rules of the Texas 4-H Horse Show, plus additional stipulations outlined in these rules. Review the State Rules with your exhibitors. New State rule revisions are highlighted with red, made as per State 4-H Horse Committee recommendations. The judge's ruling is final for results and rule interpretation.

The current Texas 4-H Horse Show Rules and Regulations can be found at the following address:

<https://animalscience.tamu.edu/livestock-species/equine/state-4h-show/>

Horses must be validated by May 1. Horses not validated on or before May 1 are ineligible for District and State Horse Shows.

The current Texas Animal Health Commission regulation states that all equine must have a negative test for EIA conducted within the previous 12 months. This will include both the District 7 4-H Horse Show and Texas 4-H Horse Show.

ENTRIES

Entries will be submitted online via **4-H ONLINE REGISTRATION** by the deadline.

State Horse Show entries will be completed on 4-H ONLINE.

Members can sign up for State Horse Show but agents will not approve them until after the District Horse Show is over.

County office please submit the following items for EACH PARTICIPANT entering the District Contest:

- **Minor's Release signed**

***NEW policy for accommodations requests for events:**

- **Requests for accommodations must be submitted to the District Office from the County Office at least 2 weeks prior to the event.**
- **This request must be accompanied by official documentation in one of the following options for why the request is being submitted :**
 - **A) Official doctor's note from a licensed medical professional**
 - **B) School documentation and/or evaluation from a public institution**
 - **C) Official evaluation from a licensed professional therapist and/or diagnostician**
- **Note: The documentation and request are required within the appropriate timeline outlined for the event in order for the accommodation to be considered but does not guarantee that the requested accommodation can be made.**
- **The request will be reviewed by the district office (and when necessary, in consultation with the state office).**
- **Request and documentation will be kept confidential within the appropriate county/district staff and event administrators.**

4-H Online

Contestant Registration Steps:

- 4-H Online Web Address: <https://texas.4honline.com/>
- Create a profile and family e-mail address in the 4-H Online registration program if you do not have one already established. **If you do not have a profile established, the county office will have to accept you as a member before you can move on to the next step.**
- Find "Register A Member in An Event" section, select the member's name, then select: **"D7 Horse Show-2025"**.
- Make your event selections.
- Submit payment online.

DISTRICT 7 4-H HORSE SHOW WORKING ORDER

JUDGED EVENTS- Tuesday, June 10, 2025 (Begins at 8:00 am)

- HUNTER SHOWMANSHIP
- HALTER MARES 5 & OVER
- HALTER MARES 4 & UNDER
- HALTER GELDINGS 5 & OVER
- HALTER GELDINGS 4 & UNDER
- SHOWMANSHIP AT HALTER

Tack Change/Clothing break

- STOCK HORSE SHOWMANSHIP
- YEARLING HALTER GELDING FUTURITY
- YEARLING HALTER FILLY FUTURITY
- YEARLING LONGE LINE FUTURITY

WARM-UP BREAK – 20 MINUTES

- WESTERN PLEASURE
- WESTERN HORSEMANSHIP
- WESTERN RIDING
- REINING

WARM-UP BREAK – 20 MINUTES

- 3-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY STOCK HORSE REINING
- 3-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY STOCK HORSE PLEASURE
- STOCK HORSE PLEASURE
- 2-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY PLEASURE PATTERN
- 2-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY WESTERN PLEASURE
- 2-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY VERSATILITY
- STOCK HORSE HORSEMANSHIP
 - Tack Change- 20 minute
- HUNTER UNDER SADDLE
- HUNT SEAT EQUITATION
- HUNT SEAT VERSATILITY
- TRAIL
- STOCK HORSE TRAIL
- 3-YEAR-OLD FUTURITY STOCK HORSE TRAIL

SPEED EVENTS (Following Judged Events BUT no earlier than 4 pm)

- Barrel Racing
- Pole Bending
- Stakes Race