

Kids Fun Night Out - 2017 Hunter/Jumper Show

Great Practice for Fair!

If you want to be evaluated, you must pre-register at entry booth

Date: Tuesday, June 13, 2017 **Start Time:** 6:30 PM **Judge:** TBD

RAIN Date: Thursday, June 15, 2017

Location: Kent County Fair Grounds, 225 Hudson St. Lowell, MI

4 Miles North of I-96 on M-50 (exit 52) or South of M-21

Warm-Up Area with Practice Fences Available for open schooling **Starting** at 5:30 **Not Before!**

Entry Fee: \$4.00 per class NO REFUNDS Ribbons to 6th Place

Rain or Shine per 4-H Extension Office Weather Policy

For cancellation information, call (616) 394.4018 after 4PM.

Mandatory Requirements: 2017 Coggins, Proper Riding Boots, Approved Helmet

4-H Rules Apply. Reference KFNO Pleasure & Contesting Show Bill for Details

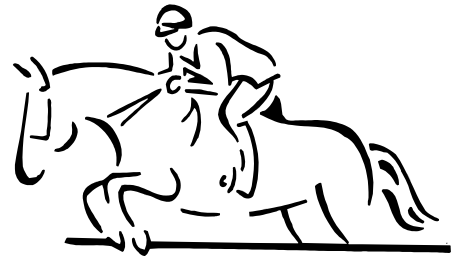
Additional Questions Contact: Linda Cooper (616) 260.1470



3 Refusal Rule Enforced – We must move forward with the show

Flat Classes Added!

1. Horsemaster Hunter Over Fences
2. Horsemaster Equitation Over Fences
3. Horsemaster Equitation on the Flat
4. Senior Hunter Over Fences
5. Senior Equitation Over Fences
6. Senior Equitation on the Flat
7. Junior Hunter Over Fences
8. Junior Equitation Over Fences
9. Junior Equitation on the Flat
10. Novice Hunter Over Fences
11. Novice Equitation Over Fences
12. Novice Equitation on the Flat
13. Novice Walk/Trot Hunter Ground Poles
14. Novice Walk/Trot Equitation Ground Poles
15. Novice Walk/Trot Equitation on the Flat

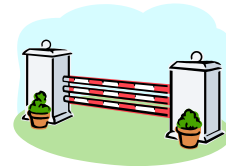


Ride Safe – Have FUN!
Safety vest STRONGLY recommended!!!

Level Requirements:

- Horsemaster - 2'6" Verticals, Full Oxers & Brush
- Senior- 2'3" Verticals & Full Oxers
- Junior - 2' Verticals & Cross Pole Oxers
- Novice - 1'9" Cross Poles & Verticals

Be prepared and expect flowers, shrubbery ground lines.



Scoring:

Hunt Seat Equitation - Point Distribution

Rider's position (seat, hands and use of aids): over and between fences, appointments and suitability of horse and rider	90
Horse's performance	10

Working Hunter Over Fences

Horse's performance	90
Appointments of horse and rider	10

EXPECTATIONS OF THE DISCIPLINE

You must have a trainer, leader or parent present during any warm up jumping for your safety. If you have no trainer and/or your leader or parent is not comfortable with jumping and would like assistance or coaching just ask and I will be more than happy to help or assign you some one experienced who can.

The horse's performance should have an even hunter pace. Extreme speed (unsafe – rider clearly not in control) and breaking of gait will be penalized.

Unsafe jumping and bad form over fences will be penalized whether an obstacle was touched or not.

Correct leads in corners are preferred, flying or simple changes.

- ✓ Flying change preferred over simple *if clean and balanced without excessive speed.*
- ✓ Simple change preferred over wrong lead.
- ✓ Simple change and Wrong lead preferred over the cross-canter. Cross-cantering results in an unbalanced horse and is considered dangerous when negotiating a fence.

Trotting is allowed and is recommended if you are not safe at the canter. Understand if two riders complete equal competence on course but one rider performed at the trot and the other rider safely at the canter, the canter ride will have precedence over the trot ride. **“Trot rides will be considered over canter rides if canter ride deemed unsafe at judge’s discretion”.**

Three cumulative refusals will result in immediate Elimination. You will be required at that time to leave the arena. You may return to the warm up area to re-school if competitor desires.

Horses must be serviceably sound.

Use your corners and courtesy circles where appropriate

Ride the center of your fence

Expose your horse to practice fences with flowers and shrubbery ground lines. **EXPECT and BE PREPARED** for this.

Make sure your tack is legal for the discipline and properly adjusted

Ask for HELP if you need it.