

## STATE FAIR SELECTION

1. See the rules on PERFORMANCE AGAINST STANDARDS following these rules to be sure members understand the state fair selection process.
2. 4-H youth shall be allowed to participate in the State Fair Horse Show each year. Novices are ineligible for State Fair selection.
3. Exhibitors qualifying for State Horse Show participation will select their classes for State Horse Show at the PAS qualifying show and will receive their State Show information packet that day.
4. Any exhibitor violating State Fair Selection Rules will be ineligible to show at the 2010 Warren Co. Fair 4-H Horse Show.

# Performance Against Standards (PAS)

## RULES AND GUIDELINES

At the beginning of the year, the youth determines in which state fair classes they want to qualify. They are limited to four classes. The four may be any of the classes offered at State Fair. The following is a list of all state fair classes to be offered in 2010 and the minimum scores/maximum times to qualify for these classes.

### Refer to PAS Program For 2010 State Fair Qualification Requirements.

All PAS participants are ineligible to show novice classes at the county fair.

WESTERN CLASSES	JR	SR
SHOWMANSHIP *	90	90
HORSEMANSHIP *	85	85
PLEASURE **	85	85
REINING	68	68
WESTERN RIDING	68	68
TRAIL	60	60

HUNTER CLASSES	JR	SR
SHOWMANSHIP *	90	90
EQUITATION *	85	85
HUNTER UNDER SADDLE **	85	85
EQUITATION OVER FENCES	75	75
WORKING HUNTER OVER FENCES	75	75
HUNTER HACK	80	80

GROUND ROPING 75 All Ages \*\*\*

\* Western small equine and medium ponies and all Hunter ponies need to qualify by Junior scores.

\*\* Western Pleasure and Hunter Under Saddle for horses at State Fair has an intermediate division for youth 13 - 15 years of age. They need to qualify with Senior scores. The PAS show will have 3 age breakdowns for Western Pleasure and Hunter Under Saddle: Senior (16-18), Intermediate (13-15), and Junior (12 & under). Ponies in Western Pleasure qualify by Junior scores.

\*\*\* Must receive 90 out of the 120 maximum points = 75%

SADDLE SEAT CLASSES	JR	SR
SHOWMANSHIP	90	90
EQUITATION	85	85
ENGLISH PLEASURE	85	85
EASY GAITED PLEASURE (NO TROT) *	85	85
EASY GAITED EQUITATION *	85	85

\* English or Western

## DRAFT CLASSES

	JR	SR
SHOWMANSHIP	90	90
DRAFT HORSE DRIVING	85	all ages
DRAFT PONY DRIVING	85	all ages

## PLEASURE DRIVING CLASSES

	ALL AGES
LIGHT HORSE DRIVING	85
LIGHT PONY DRIVING	85
DRIVING REINSMANSHIP *	88

\* draft or light

**CONTEST CLASSES** -Time given is maximum time in seconds. The judge has the right to raise the maximum time one second for poor arena conditions or two seconds for extremely poor arena conditions. **All times will be rounded to the nearest tenth of a second.**

	A	B	C	D
<b>BARREL PATTERN</b>	<b>SEC</b>	<b>SEC</b>	<b>SEC</b>	<b>SEC</b>
PONY OR JUNIOR	22.5	21.0	19.0	17.5
SENIOR	22.0	19.5	17.5	16.0

<b>POLES</b>	<b>SEC</b>
PONY OR JUNIOR	25.5
SENIOR	24.5

<b>SPEED AND CONTROL</b>	<b>SEC</b>
JUNIOR	13.5
SENIOR	12.5

<b>CONES &amp; BARRELS</b>	<b>SEC</b>
PONY OR JUNIOR	22.0
SENIOR	21.5

1. A youth may enter up to four classes but must qualify in two of these classes in order to go to State Fair. If they qualify in more than two classes, the youth can select which classes (maximum of three, not including ground roping or a maximum of four if including ground roping) they will enter in the State Fair Junior Horse Show.
2. Entries for these classes are due to the County Extension Office by 4:30 P.M. on Monday, June 21, 2010. Entrants may only use one horse at the PAS show and this will be their State Fair qualifying project. This project will be determined when the entries for the PAS show are made. A horse cannot be replaced for any reason after it has shown in its first PAS class.
3. 4-H Youth will show in the classes they qualify in at the State Fair. 4-H Youth should pay attention to the State Fair Horse Show program and not enter classes that will conflict with each other at State Fair. Class changes at the State Fair will be allowed only be in the event of incorrect exhibitor age or animal size. All animals showing in Contest Classes will be measured, and will show in classes as measured. Any other changes will be only due to uncontrollable show difficulties and will be decided upon by show management.
4. For Contest Classes; riders get one run per class in a show to qualify unless there are multiple judges. Then the youth may have two runs to try to qualify **as long as they were not disqualified** on the first run. If they were disqualified on the first ride, they do not get a second run.
5. For Trail Class, a minimum of six obstacles are required. State Fair qualifying trail courses must include a gate, a sidepass obstacle, and back through requiring at least one change of direction while backing. Scoring will be as directed by the Rule Book. A score of "0" will be given for the following: work obstacle wrong; wrong line of travel; ride outside of course boundary; perform obstacles out of order; failure to complete 3 or more obstacles. A horse cannot show in Trail and In-Hand Trail.

6. Pattern B or C must be used to qualify for the State Fair in reining.
7. Western Riding participants must qualify with flying lead changes (use pattern in Current Rule Book).
8. Horsemanship/Equitation and Showmanship classes must include a pattern to qualify a youth for State Fair. Check with your advisor about pattern requirements. For Western Horsemanship and Hunt Seat Equitation, the judge may work the pattern as the rider enters the arena and then bring either the finalists or the whole class back for rail work. They may work the rail first and do the pattern afterward for any Horsemanship/Equitation class. Saddle Seat and Easy Gaited Equitation will always work the rail first.
9. Easy gaited horses may not show in Saddle Seat Equitation or English Pleasure classes in which horses must trot. Correct tack and attire for Easy Gaited Equitation and Easy Gaited Pleasure is Saddle Seat or Western tack and attire, respectively. **Easy gaited classes for state fair will be two gaited classes (no canter). Gaits will be a show walk and a show gait. County qualifying classes will also be two gaited. In Easy Gaited Pleasure the pleasure gait will be worth 70 points since they do not canter.**
10. A youth may show in draft (horse or pony) or light (horse or pony) driving, but not both. We would usually expect heavy harness in draft classes and light harness in light horse or pony driving.
11. Entry fees may be charged for PAS State Fair Qualifying classes if necessary to help cover the expense of these classes.
12. Counties can send their youth to another county to qualify for only any reason, but the following must be followed:
13. The reason must be acceptable to the 4-H Educators in both counties involved.
14. The 4-H Educator is responsible for the entries being sent to State Fair by the entry deadline. If a youth qualifies out of county, the home 4-H Educator must make the entry by the deadline. It is the responsibility of the youth to get the qualification results to their local 4-H Educator.
  - a. Youth will pay the county to which they go a minimum of \$10 per class entered to cover the costs of their participation.
  - b. Youth cannot compete in more than two PAS shows or one PAS show with two judges.
  - c. A county could elect to send all of their youth to one or two PAS shows instead of holding a PAS show in their county. RULES A-D apply.
  - d. If a county offers one PAS show with one judge, and a youth wants to go to an additional PAS show, they may. RULES A-D apply.
  - e. A form to use to handle this is available on line or through the Extension Office.
15. Show management should not expect judges to give comments to youth in PAS classes since the youth can see their evaluation on the posted score sheets.

**PERFORMANCE AGAINST STANDARDS SHOW**  
**SATURDAY, JUNE 26, 9:00 A.M.**

1. All Senior classes are 14-18 years. Junior classes are 13 & under. If classes are not designated as senior or junior, they are 18 & under.
2. Western Pleasure will have three age divisions as listed in the show bill.
3. There is a \$10.00 fee per class for all non-Miami Valley EERA 4-H participants.
4. The entry fee for Miami Valley EERA participants is \$10.00 all day.

**CLASSES**

1. Speed and Control
2. Pole Bending
3. Cones & Barrels
4. Barrel Racing
5. Ground Roping

**Showmanship Classes will not start before 10:00 a.m.**

6. Senior Western Showmanship
7. Junior Western Showmanship
8. Senior Saddle Seat Showmanship
9. Junior Saddle Seat Showmanship
10. Draft Showmanship
11. Senior Hunt Seat Showmanship
12. Junior Hunt Seat Showmanship

**1 hour Lunch Break**

13. Intermediate Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences (Fences for horses: 2'3" to 2'9") \*
14. Advanced Hunt Seat Equitation Over Fences (Fences for Horses: 2'6" to 3'0") \*
15. Low Working Hunter Over Fences (Fences for horses: 2'3" to 2'9") \*
16. Working Hunter Over Fences - Small & Medium Pony (Fences for Horses: 2'6" to 3'0") \*
17. Hunter Hack
18. Senior Hunt Seat Equitation
19. Junior Hunt Seat Equitation
20. Senior Saddle Seat Equitation
21. Senior Gaited Equitation, English or Western
22. Junior Saddle Seat Equitation
23. Junior Gaited Equitation, English or Western
24. Senior Hunter Under Saddle (16-18 yrs)
25. Intermediate Hunter Under Saddle (13-15 yrs)
26. Junior Hunter Under Saddle (12 and under)
27. Saddle Seat Pleasure
28. Gaited Pleasure, English or Western
29. Trail
30. In-Hand Trail
31. Senior Western Horsemanship
32. Junior Western Horsemanship
33. Senior Western Pleasure (16-18)
34. Intermediate Western Pleasure (13-15)
35. Junior Western Pleasure (12 & under)
36. Reining (Pattern C or D)
37. Western Riding
38. Reinsmanship (with cart)
39. Horse & Pony Driving
40. Draft Driving

\* Fences for Ponies will be adjusted as per the Rule Book. Height of Pony/Horse must be included with PAS entry.

Entrants will have a working order in all classes that require a pattern. The working orders for each class will be posted prior to the start of the show.

**PLEASE NOTE: Each 4-H exhibitor MUST also complete a horse interview at the Interview Judging on Saturday, June 19, 2010 in order to compete at the County Fair and keep his/her State Fair slot.**