

# Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition

Light Horse Show NSPEC Complex, Truro, N.S. August 7-8, 2025

> Judge: Kris Foley Announcer: Allyson Bevan Show Secretary: Elizabeth Duggan Show Organizer: Suzanne Perry Course Designer: Suzanne Perry

# **Rules/Fees**

NSPE Light Horse Show as a Scotia Series Show will follow the rules and guidelines outlined through Equestrian Nova Scotia. Please see <u>Equestrian Nova Scotia</u> for full outlining of rules. It is the competitor's responsibility to know if their classes entered qualify for year-end awards.

Safe Sport standards are in place for officials, coaches, and persons responsible for junioraged athletes at our Scotia Series Competition. These are in place to meet federal and provincial government requirements and most importantly, so that everyone has the right to feel safe and to participate in an accessible and inclusive sport environment. Please ensure that you meet the Equestrian NS Board-Approved standards prior to coming to our competition. Details and support can be found at: equestriannovascotia.ca/Scotia-Series

> ENS (Equestrian NS) membership or equivalent required for all competitors.

### **Protective Headgear:**

ENS **Helmet Policy**: <u>All</u> Competitors must wear ASTM/SEI, or BSI/BS EN, approved protective headgear, with the safety harness correctly secured at all times while mounted or driving at the competition or anywhere on the competition grounds.

➤ Closing date is July 31st, 2025. Any entry received after this date will be charged a late administration fee of \$20.00. Changes or additions to an existing entry must be made a half hour before the class is scheduled to run. Show committee has the right to refuse any entry. Late entries could be limited due to entry numbers.

### > RING NUMBERS WILL NOT BE ISSUED WITHOUT FULL ENTRY FEES PAID

- ➤ Due to time restraints, some classes will be limited numbers.
- > Cancellations: Classes with fewer than 5 entries may be cancelled or combined.
- ➤ Refunds: Issued only upon receipt of vet or doctor certificate, 75% of fees with certificate received prior to commencement of show.
- ➤ Protests regarding riders/horses/ponies eligibility must be made by the second day of the show. Protests will only be accepted with a non-refundable fee of \$25.00 and must be made by a competitor competing at the show. Competitors may address the judge **ONLY** with permission from the Show Secretary and must do so in a polite manner.
- All decisions by the judge and show committee are <u>FINAL</u>

- Classes will start at 8:30am on BOTH Thursday and Friday unless otherwise posted. Class schedule is subject to change based on entries.
- ➤ The PA system is a convenience, competitors must be ringside at scheduled times, classes will not wait! Classes may run late but will not run more than a half hour early.
- ➤ Poor sportsmanship or abusive language will not be tolerated in the show ring or on the Exhibition Grounds. The Show Secretary has the right to ask competitors displaying poor sportsmanship to leave the show. No refund will be given.
- ➤ It is illegal to consume alcohol in the stable area. The Light Horse Show is part of the Nova Scotia Provincial Exhibition, please display your entry and accommodate the public with courtesy.
- ➤ Ring numbers will be required during the entirety of the Light Horse Show. This means even during the warm up times. There will be no non registered horse allowed in arena or outdoor ring during the hours of the horse show. Please always wear your ring number.
- ➤ Warm up times for both Thursday and Friday will be from 7:00am-8:15am to allow time to drag the ring before classes. These will most likely be the only free times available, so please be ready.
- ➤ E-Transfers are accepted. Please include rider and horses name in the comment field. To be sent to: **suzanneperry25@msn.com** with the password to be: **lighthorse**
- Cheques are payable to: <u>Suzanne Perry</u>
- ➤ Equitation Classes and Lead Line Class will **NOT** have prize money. Equitation classes **DO NOT** count toward division championships.
- ➤ Competitors will be charged a \$3.00 Scotia Series fee per rider/horse combination; this will be applied to all athletes.
- ➤ Competitors will be charged a \$10.00 refundable back number fee.
- There will be a \$10.00 Administration fee charged per entry.

# \*\*NO HORSE MAY COMPETE IN MORE THAN 6 OVER FENCES CLASSES IN A DAY – NO <u>EXCEPTIONS\*\*</u>

# **Class Prize Money**

1st- \$15.00 2	2 <sup>nd</sup> - \$10.00	3rd- \$8.00	4th- \$7.00	5 <sup>th</sup> - \$5.00	6th- \$5.00
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➤ **Mini Prix and Hunter Classic** will be paid out at the following rate:

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1st- 30%	2 <sup>nd</sup> - 25%	3 <sup>rd</sup> - 20%	4 <sup>th</sup> - 15%	5 <sup>th</sup> - 10%
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Prize money – competitors prize money will go out as E-Transfers. PLEASE make sure that your e-mail is correct on your entry.

### **Rider Classification:**

- ➤ Senior Riders Over 18 years as of January 1st.
- ➤ Junior Riders 18 and under as of January 1st.
- ➤ Ponies can only be ridden by a junior in junior divisions. Seniors are welcome to ride ponies in the senior horse divisions.

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# **Stabling:**

- > Stalls will be allotted on a first entry basis. Exhibitors will be notified if stabling requests cannot be accommodated. We are limited to 80 stalls this year so it will be first come first served for stabling and entries.
- ➤ Bedding is provided by NSPE.
- > Stabling is designated by stabling requests whenever possible. Please do not change your stabling without contacting the light horse office.
- Exhibitors will need to bed their own stalls. Bedding will be provided. Stalls must be kept clean at all times and horse adequately fed and watered. **STALLS MUST BE STRIPPED.** Anyone that does not clean their stall will forfeit all prize money won.
- > STALL FEES: **\$15.00 per day** (any part of day/night)

# Thursday and Friday - Start Time: 8:30

# **Hunter Divisions**

\*\*PLEASE NOTE: Equitation O/F (Classes 11, 15, 19, and 23) do NOT count towards points for Champion and Reserve Champion\*\*

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<b>Division 1: Kim Langille Buttertrail</b>	<b>Division 5: Nicole Bourcher SNR</b>	
Natural Goods	<u>Investments</u>	
(1) Trot poles on ground	Hunter: <b>(12)</b> 2'3 0/F #1	
Exhibitors in this class may only enter this	<b>(13)</b> 2'3 O/F #2	
division and the cross rail division(s).	(14) 2'3 U/S	
	( <b>15</b> ) 2'3 Equitation O/F	
	sponsored by Homestead Cheesecakes	
Division 2: Clarences	Division 6: Nicole Bourcher SNR	
Hunter: (2) Cross rails O/F #1	Investments	
(3) Cross rails 0/F #2	Hunter: <b>(16)</b> 2'6 O/F #1	
(4) Cross rails U/S	(17) 2'6 0/F #2	
(1) dross rans 6/6	(18) 2'6 U/S	
	(10) 2 0 0/3	
	<b>(19)</b> 2'6 Equitation O/F	
	sponsored by Giant Tiger Truro	
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Division 3: The Smith family in memory	Division 7: 2'9 + : Greenhawk Truro	
of A Touch Of Bronze	Hunter: <b>(20)</b> 2'9+ 0/F #1	
Hunter: <b>(5)</b> 18" 0/F #1	(21) 2'9+ 0/F #2	
(6) 18" 0/F #2	(22) 2'9+ U/S	
(7) 18" U/S	(22) 2 31 0/3	
(7) 10 0/3	<b>(23)</b> 2'9+ Equitation O/F	
	sponsored by Greenhawk Truro	
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	*Note: Please declare your height in the show	
	office if you plan on jumping higher than 2'9"	
<b>Division 4:</b> Dr. Kathryn Wallace	Hunter Classic: Locke Family	
Veterinarian	<b>(24)</b> 2'6 or 2'9+ Hunter	
Hunter: <b>(8)</b> 2' O/F #1		
<b>(9)</b> 2' O/F #2	For Second Round: Top 10 horses will come back	
(10) 2' U/S	for second trip in reverse order of scores. (Lowest	
	to Highest)	
	Starting with any 2'9 horses and then 2'6 horses.	
<b>(11)</b> 2' Equitation O/F	Riders must jump same height second round.	
	Open to horses that competed in 2'6 or 2'9+ Divisions	
sponsored by Greenhawk Truro	*Note: Please declare your height in the show office	
	if you plan on jumping higher than 2'9"	

### **English Hack Division**

Each division consists of three under saddle classes. To be shown at a walk, trot, and canter both directions of the ring. In Road Hack rider may be asked to extend the trot and hand gallop.

<b>Division 8: Open Junior: Physio One</b>	Division 9: Open Senior: Laura Croft	
<b>(25)</b> Pleasure #1	<b>(28)</b> Pleasure #1	
<b>(26)</b> Pleasure #2	<b>(29)</b> Pleasure #2	
(27) Road Hack	(30) Road hack	

### **<u>Iumper Divisions</u>**

<b>Division 10: Cross Rails: Pelley Auction</b>	Division 13: .85 m: Sandi Howlett 4F
<u>Services</u>	Tack and Feed
(31) Cross Rails – Clear Round	(37) .85 – Welcome
(32) Cross Rails – First Round and Return	(38) .85 – Speed
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Division 11: .70 m: NS Stampede	Division 14: .90 m or Above: Kris Foley
(33) .7 – Welcome	<u>Justice of the Peace</u>
<b>(34)</b> .7 – Speed	(39) .90 and Above – Welcome
	<b>(40)</b> .90 and Above – Speed
Division 12: .75 m: Sandi Howlett 4F	
Tack and Feed	Riders: Please declare your height if you plan
(35) .75 – Welcome	on jumping higher than .90 when picking up
(36) .75 – Speed	your ring number.

# Mini Prix (Friday Night)

All Mini Prix competitors may only compete in two classes so choose wisely. \$20 entry per class with \$10 going into add back.

# <u>Mini Prix</u>

- (41) .7 Mini Prix W.S. Langley
- (42) .8 Mini Prix Arbour Ridge
- (43) .9 Mini Prix Wayne Roode Memorial

### Hollywood's Memorial Walk/Trot

Division consists of three walk/ trot classes open to English and Western riders. To be shown at a walk and trot/jog both directions of the ring.

Class may be split into two different age groups depending on number of entries.

### **Division 15: Opportunity Farm**

- (44) Walk Trot Pleasure #1
- (45) Walk Trot Pleasure #2
- (46) Walk Trot Equitation

### **Greenhawk Team Jumper (Thursday Night)**

Team jumper consists of 3 members. Horses may only compete at **ONE** height for team class. All 3 scores count. All eliminated riders to be given 1 point higher than the highest penalized round.

**DON'T HAVE A TEAM YET?** Let us know you want to participate, and we will try to have scramble teams.

As this is the first night of jumper competition in the MacMillan show center; each team will be introduced prior to class starting and will be allowed to jump one line which will be designated. This will get everyone in the ring and hopefully foster a good experience for all combinations. Please note this will be at the .7 height and one time only.

Teams are asked to submit a name and encouraged to have team colors. Ribbons and prize money will be presented to each team member for each placing.

\*\*Please let the Show Office know who is on your team\*\*

### **Team Jumper: Greenhawk Truro**

- **(47)** .7 Team Jumper
  - .8 Team Jumper
  - .9 Team Jumper

### **English Equitation:**

To be judged on the rider's seat, hands, management, control of mount and neatness of appearance. To be shown at a walk, trot, and canter both directions of ring. Possible patterns at the discretion of the judge

REMINDER: No prize money is paid out for equitation.

### **Equitation: Galloping Goodies**

- (48) Junior English Equitation (18 and under)
- (49) Senior English Equitation (19 and over)

# **Lead Line:**

To be lead at a walk and trot both ways of riding ring. REMINDER: No prize money is paid out for lead line

**(50)** Sarah's Lead Line sponsored by Sarah Weatherbee

# **Tentative Schedule:**

Thursday 8:30am start	Friday 8:30am Start	
Division 1: Trot Poles on the ground	Division 8: Open Junior English Hack	
Division 2: Cross Rails	Division 9: Open Senior English Hack	
Division 3: 18"	Junior English Equitation	
Division 4: 2' including 2' equitation	Senior English Equitation	
O/F		
Division 5: 2'3 including 2'3 equitation	Sarah's Lead Line	
O/F		
Division 6: 2'6 including 2'6 equitation	Division 15: Hollywood's Memorial	
O/F	Walk/Trot	
Division 7: 2'9+ including 2'9+	Division 10: Cross Rails (Jumper)	
equitation O/F		
Hunter Classic	Division 11: .7 Jumpers	
Team Jumpers (Thursday evening)	Division 12: .75 Jumpers	
	Division 13: .85 Jumpers	
	Division 14: .9+ Jumpers	
	Mini Prix (Friday evening)	

Both Thursday and Friday will start at 8:30am and approximate class times will be posted after entries close.

